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DEATH OF PROMINENT CITIZEN.

Capt. W. W. Bradshaw, Known to Every Body in Adair County Crosses the Divide.

FUNERAL SERVICES FRIDAY MORNING.

The subject of this article finished a long and useful career last Wednesday morning at 5 o'clock. His death was peaceful and it was not a surprise to his many friends of this community, as his condition was known to have been critical for more than ten days. He realized that his departure was rapidly approaching, and talked freely with his pastor, telling him of his willingness to bid farewell to earthly loved ones, knowing that his preparation had been accepted, and that when his soul left the body it would be received in that celestial city beyond the skies.

The deceased was born at Montpelier, this county, June 14, 1837, making him seventy-five years and five months and a few days old when the end came.

Capt. Bradshaw had been reasonably successful in life, and was ever ready to help the needy, and he was a willing giver to advance the cause of Christ. For a number of years he engaged in Sunday-school work, perhaps organized more schools than any other one man in Kentucky. While thus engaged his field was principally in Eastern Kentucky, going to that section when there were but few church buildings and very few religious organizations. Since he commenced to blaze the way churches and school houses have been dotted all over that section of the State.

He was not only liberal in Church affairs, but was ever ready to lend his assistance and give of his means to enterprises that had for their object the bettering of Columbia and Adair county.

When the war between the States broke out, he espoused the cause of the North, enlisted the Union army and served gallantly until discharged.

About the time he reached his majority he made a profession of his faith in Christ, uniting with the Cumberland Presbyterian Church, in which organization he was faithful until the Union, and since that time until his death he was a Ruling Elder in the Presbyterian Church, this place.

His death brought sorrow to many homes, and all hearts are in the tenderest sympathy for his aged companion.

The funeral services were held in the Presbyterian church Friday morning at 10 o'clock, conducted by his pastor, Rev. J. R. Crawford, assisted by his former pastor, Rev. W. H. C. Sandidge, of Greensburg. The church was filled with friends, many leaving their homes in the country to pay their respects to the honored dead.

After services all that was mortal of this good man was laid to rest in the city cemetery. Peace to his memory, sympathy for the surviving loved ones.

There were many flowers.

Could Shout For Joy

"I want to thank you from the bottom of my heart," wrote C. B. Rader, of Lewisburg, W. Va., "for the wonderful double benefit I got from Electric Bitters, in curing me of both a severe case of stomach trouble and of rheumatism, from which I had been an almost helpless sufferer for ten years. It suited my case as though made just for me." For dyspepsia, indigestion, jaundice, and to rid the system of kidney poisons that cause rheumatism, Electric Bitters have no equal. Try them. Every bottle is guaranteed to satisfy. Only 50 cents at Pauli Drug Co.

A large class received the Shriner's degree and made the journey "Over the hot sands to Mecca" in Louisville, Thanksgiving night. Among the notables who made the journey were Gov. J. B. McCreary and Attorney General Jas. Garnett. An elaborate banquet followed, given in the Seelbach winter garden.

While the county roads are comparatively good at this time, is the potent reason why they should be worked now. When the rains come many of the highways will become almost impassable. The overseers should notify their hands and get to business.

The pupils who are attending school here were given a vacation Thanksgiving.

In Memoriam.

There is something peculiarly sad in the death of a child. How many thousands have been moved to tears when reading Dickens' pathetic account of the death of little Nell.

For the information of friends and as some little solace to the bereaved parents, I want to write briefly of a child whose young life went out when scarce begun.

Louise Falkenburg Phelps, oldest daughter of Loren O. and Edie Phelps, was born March 11, 1904, and died October 22, 1912, at the age of eight years, seven months and eleven days.

The child had been sick for some days with tonsillitis, but when her father was at home from his school on Sunday, her condition was not so alarming as to prevent his return to school.

On Tuesday she was much worse. Pneumonia had developed, and her father hurried home in response to a telephone message, reaching her bedside only in time to hear her say: "Father, don't cry, I will soon be well." A few minutes later she whispered, "Mother, I can't talk to you any more," and her young life went out.

Louise was a bright, sweet child, and a general favorite. At the home that afternoon and at the funeral service next day strong men, unused to tears, wept for the loss of their little friend. The services were conducted by Brother Tarter, of the Methodist church.

In school Louise was well along in the fourth grade. She was an exceptional good reader. Watching her father in his studies of English Literature, she was able to name many of the leading authors and the time in which they lived and wrote.

Such a loss seems irreparable. It may have been best, but it is hard for any sort of philosophy or any kind of faith to reconcile those whose home seems so different now. Some time, perhaps, we'll understand.

L. P.

What Advertising Cost.

For the benefit of those who sometimes complain that advertising cost too much, we give for the benefit of our patrons the following figures.

A single page in a single issue of the Century magazine taken for advertising purposes costs \$500, in Harper's 400; in other prominent magazines from \$350 down to \$100. A yearly advertisement of one column in the Chicago Tribune costs \$26,000; in the New York Tribune \$29,000 for the lowest rates and \$85,960 for the highest rates; in the New York Herald the cost for the lowest rates is \$38,203 and \$350,000 for the highest priced column. Yet one can see that these papers are always full of advertising matter, even at these enormous prices. Won't this make the man feel funny who pays \$10 a year for advertising and struts about town posing as liberal advertiser.

Fit His Case Exactly.

"When father was sick about six years ago he read an advertisement of Chamberlain's Tablets in the papers that fit his case exactly," writes Miss Margaret Campbell of Ft. Smith, Ark. "He purchased a box of them and he has not been sick since. My sister has stomach trouble and was also benefited by them." For sale by all dealers.

It was reported over town last Friday that Mr. Hugh Richardson's machine was wrecked near Louisville while en route to the city from this place, and that a traveling man, who was one of the passengers got badly hurt. Mr. Richardson returned Sunday night, stating that there was no truth in the report; that the radiator on his machine got out of fix, that no one was hurt, and the auto was not damaged. He drove the same machine back home.

All Odd-Fellows in good standing are requested to be at the lodge room next Thursday night. Important, and visitors will be here to assist the local lodge. All members who have been elected for the degrees must be present. G. R. Reed, N. G.

Rev. J. R. Crawford will not fill his regular appointment at the Presbyterian church next Sunday, but will preach at the morning hour in this church the third Sunday. At the evening hour, same day, he will fill the pulpit at the Baptist church.

Foxes Wanted.

Grey Foxes \$2.50, Red Foxes \$5.00; Minks \$6.00 to \$8.00 each; Coons \$1.25, and express. Send name of your express office in first letter.

W. T. Hodgen, Box 232 Campbellsville, Ky.

The Hook Worm.

To the Editor of the Adair County News: Prof. Dudley, who is teaching the Mt. Zion school in the district near Crocus, has set an example that all the other teachers in the county would do well to follow. When I would call on his school to talk sanitation to the children he would always seem deeply interested in all the subjects talked about. The State Board of Health has sent out Bulletins on the subject of the diseases which are becoming in Kentucky, so common, and Prof. Dudley has been studying these bulletins and especially the one on the hook worm disease, until he has undertaken to rid his school of these pests. He called the patrons and parents of the school together, and laid the case before them, telling them about the dangers from the hookworm disease. He got them interested in the matter, and at once proposed to second any effort that he might make to help the sanitary condition of the children. The Prof. gathered 20 or 30 specimens from that many suspected children and sent them to the state bacteriologist, and had them analyzed, and six of them were found to be effected with hookworm, and several others were found to be effected with other kinds of worms, one a tape worm. Now these children can all be restored to health, and instead of being dull children as they have been accused of being, they will be as bright as any in school. Now this is a noble work of Prof. Dudley, and one that ought to be followed by other teachers in the county, and all the counties round about. I hope it will be done. Respectfully Yours, U. L. Taylor, Health Officer.

Surprise Birthday.

A most delightful day was spent at Mr. C. E. Claycomb Saturday Nov. 23, in honor of Mrs. Claycomb 37th anniversary. Everybody had a royal time, and the table was loaded with good things to eat. Those present were: W. R. Bradshaw, wife and daughter, J. W. Moran and wife, Mrs. J. E. Stotts, Mrs. E. M. Staples and two children, Mrs. S. Simmons, and baby, Mrs. Robert Todd, Mrs. R. Wilkes, Mrs. A. J. Stotts, Mrs. S. Cain, Misses Annie Montgomery, Eva Bradshaw, Mamie and Mattie Moran, Mary and Georgia Todd, Sarah Cain Georgia and Willie Moran, Ruth and Master Paul Stotts. This day will be long remembered by all present.

Rev. J. H. Chandler, pastor of the Methodist Church, preached the Thanksgiving sermon at the Presbyterian church. He was greeted by a large audience, and the sermon abounded in truths, interspersed with some wholesome and timely admonitions. The speaker announced that he had spent no time in preparing a special discourse, but his utterances convinced his hearers that he needed no preparation. He is a man who keeps up with the progress of this country and he cited many things for which we should be thankful—one especially—the unprecedented prosperity of the nation in the way of crops, health, etc.

Cathrine Williams, of color, mother-in-law of Prof. Parker Jackson, who lives on Bomar Heights, will be one hundred years old if she lives until the 18th of next April. She is the mother of fifteen children, and her grand children and great grand children number two hundred. She was born and reared in Green county, but has made her home here with her son-in-law for quite a number of years. Her mind is good, but she has been rather feeble for several days.

Foils A Foul Plot

When a shameful plot exists between liver and bowels to cause distress by refusing to act, take Dr. King's New Life Pills, and end such abuse of your system. They gently compel right action of stomach, liver and bowels, and restore your health and all good feelings. 25c at Pauli Drug Co.

Dr. Wm. Voils, whose name has heretofore appeared in the News, giving his age, will be 104 years old his next birthday. His hair is perfectly black, not a gray hair on his head, but what is most remarkable—twenty years ago his head was sprinkled with gray hair. His mind is good and he works a little every day.

The members of the Baptist Church will gladden the hearts of the Sunday-school children Christmas eve. The children will meet at the church.

If your corn is not in the crib you have missed the finest season for gathering ever known in this part of the county.

Eloped to Tennessee.

A telephone message Sunday night from Mr. W. R. Lyon, Campbellsville, to Mr. R. F. Pauli, this place, stated that it was generally believed at the former town where Miss Ruth Pauli, daughter of Mrs. Lena Pauli, this city, was visiting, that the young lady and Mr. Sam Burdette, a young trader of Marion county, who frequently visits Columbia, had eloped to Tennessee, as they had left Campbellsville in a buggy together and the information Mr. Lyon received after their departure, warranted him in the opinion that the couple had left for the purpose of getting married.

Doubtless, that by the time this paper reaches our readers they will have been to get a green and returned and received forgiveness.

The bride is quite young—in her sixteenth year, and was in school at this place. She is the oldest daughter of Mrs. Lena Pauli, and was quite popular with all her Columbia associates. Her marriage was a great surprise, but her numerous friends trust that the event will bring to her much happiness, and that her early marriage will prove a blessing to all concerned. The groom is well-known about Columbia where he has been a successful mule buyer for several years, and where he has made many warm, personal friends.

Shot Wife to Death.

J. L. D. Gebert, of the Middleburg section of Casey county, shot and killed his wife at their home Wednesday night and has been arrested and placed in jail. He claims that it was an accident but eye witnesses to the tragedy declare that he shot her deliberately after she had entered in a quarrel he was having with some men who were present. It is said Mrs. Gebert sought to prevent her husband from having trouble with the men. He was drinking and became irritated and turned and shot her down. Death was instantaneous. She was just 24 years of age. Before her marriage she was Miss Evans.

Basket Ball Game.

The Monticello Basket Ball Team, accompanied by a number of "rooters," reached here last Thursday forenoon. The team landed in fine shape for a match game against the Lindsey-Wilson boys, and at 7:30 o'clock the bell was tapped and the contest opened.

It was interesting throughout, but it was soon discovered that the visiting team was too heavy for the local, and when the game ended the score stood 15 to 9 in favor of the Monticello boys. There was some hard playing, but good humor prevailed.

A large crowd witnessed the contest, and when the visiting team left Saturday morning for Russell Springs to engage in another contest, the local boys gave them the glad hand, promising to meet them in Monticello at an early date.

Birthday Dinner.

On last Tuesday the 26th inst. the neighbors and friends of Mr. and Mrs. H. Simpson celebrated the 26th birthday of their daughter, Hattie. It was also the 14th birthday of her cousin, Levenia Sullivan, who shared in the honor of the occasion.

The table was spread with inviting delicacies, which was served to 70 guests.

The occasion was one of good will, and the day was enjoyably spent by all present.

We wish to reduce our stock and are now selling our goods at low prices. We have some of the latest styles in shapes and trimmed hats at season end prices. Also all kinds of novelties in feathers, flowers, bands etc. Come and take advantages of the special sales this week.

Mrs. Atkins & Price.

Congressman Ben Johnson says that he has decided to recommend for postmaster at Campbellsville Mr. W. I. Meader, and for the Lebanon office Col. John B. Wathan. Mr. Meader was reared in Columbia. The father of Col. Wathan's wife, Judge W. E. Russell, was also a native of Columbia.

Notice.

For the next few days we will pay 13 cents for good, fat turkeys. Rush them in.

Jas. N. Norris Son & Co.

The extreme dry weather has been unusually severe on small grain and grass and unless sown very early, much seed perished. The chances are that receding will be necessary, next spring, to get a stand of grass.

Gov. W. S. Taylor Married

People by the score looked over the register at the Hancock Hotel last Sunday. The most conspicuous names were those of W. S. Taylor and wife, Indianapolis, Ind. It was soon learned that W. S. Taylor was none other than the Republican candidate for Governor of Kentucky eleven years ago, and who was declared elected, but who was ousted in a contest instituted by Wm. Gobel.

Gov. Taylor reached Columbia last Friday night and Saturday morning he left for Russell county, and on Sunday he was married to Mrs. Nora Myers, whose maiden name was Lawless, returning to Columbia in the afternoon.

This marriage is the fourth venture for Mrs. Taylor. She was first married to Lee Floyd, from whom she separated in a very short time, and several years thereafter they were remarried and again separated. Later she went to Greenwood, Ind., where she met and married a man named Myers, who a few years later, was shot and killed by his brother-in-law. It was in Greenwood where it is supposed that Gov. Taylor first met Mrs. Myers.

The couple left here Monday in an automobile, and it is the understanding of the News that it was their intention to take a trip South.

While here several gentlemen, who know Governor Taylor well, met and conversed with him.

COMMISSIONER'S SALE.

ADAIR CIRCUIT COURT OF KENTUCKY.

Hettie Rupe & 2 Dfs., vs. Kizzie Mary Rupe & 2 Dfs.,

The above styled action having been referred to me to advertise for and take proof of claims against the estate of A. K. Rupe, deceased. I will receive claims and take proof of same at my office in Columbia, Ky., from the 4th day of December, 1912. All persons having claims are directed to present the same properly proven.

W. A. Coffey, Master Com., Adair Circuit Court.

A Good Yield.

Mr. C. S. Harris is not a member of the boys corn club, he makes no claims of being a scientific farmer or of bringing to light new theories in agriculture, but firmly believes that does, rather than theories, will solve the problem of larger yield, better kept farms and more profitable return. A good portion of his time was spent on the farm last summer and he reports that every acre he cultivated in corn made more than 50 bushels, while his 8 acre field, in front of his dwelling, weighed out 91 bushels per acre. Heavy rains damaged this field, very much in early spring, which, as he thinks, prevented him from making 20 barrels per acre, the quantity he had planned to produce.

Eloped to Tennessee.

Last Wednesday night Mr. Ira Vaughan, a well-known young man about Cane Valley, and Miss Mattie Callison, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Callison, same locality, eloped to Tennessee, where they were married some time during the day Thursday. Friday evening they returned, received forgiveness, being warmly welcomed by their relatives and friends. They are now happily situated in Cane Valley.

A large barn which was owned by Dr. A. Y. Cartwright, Yorkville, South Carolina, was consumed by fire recently. Also two outhouses burned. Four mules, a large quantity of corn, a lot of hay and roughness. The loss is estimated at several thousand dollars. The loser is a brother of Dr. W. F. Cartwright, this place.

Cured of Liver Complaint

"I was suffering with liver complaint," says Iva Smith of Point Blank, Texas, "and decided to try a 25c box of Chamberlain's Tablets, and am happy to say that I am completely cured and can recommend them to every one." For sale by all dealers.

Taken up as Estray.

There is a black yearling steer on my place. Been there since July. The owner can have by paying expenses.

Jerry Cravens, Dunville Ky.

The figures made us say, last week, that the big log reported contained 12,228 feet of lumber when the statement should have been 1,228, feet.

Personal

Mr. W. M. Lowery, a well-known fertilizer man, was here last week.

Mr. W. P. Nunnally made his regular trip to Columbia last week.

Mr. E. B. Williams, Danville, was here a few days ago.

Mr. J. A. Russell, Campbellsville, was at the Hancock Hotel a few days ago.

Mr. Herbert Cundiff, son of Mr. Hardin Cundiff, who is employed in Louisville, visited his parents and other relatives in Adair county last week.

Prof. W. M. Wilson came over from Monticello Thanksgiving, meeting many of his Columbia friends, and at night witnessed the basket ball game, Monticello against Lindsey-Wilson. Friday Mrs. Wilson and her little daughter, Melvina, who visited here several weeks, accompanied Prof. Wilson on his return trip home.

Mrs. Battie W. Butler will leave for Lexington this week where she will spend the winter with her sister, Mrs. Ella Dixon.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. R. Miller, of Louisville, will arrive for a week's visit this (Tuesday) afternoon. They will stop at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. N. Miller.

Mr. J. H. Turk, of Warren county, nephew of the late Capt. W. W. Bradshaw, was with his uncle several days before the end came, remaining until after the funeral and interment.

Mrs. Lou F. Miller, left for Minneapolis, Minn., last Friday and will spend the winter with her son, Mr. R. W. Miller.

Mrs. P. D. Neilson and her little daughter, Mary Fleming, returned from the South last Friday.

Messrs. R. E. Lloyd and J. L. Story, Jamestown, were here last Friday.

Mr. W. R. Lyon, was here the latter part of last week.

Alvin Lyon, of Campbellsville, spent several days of last week in Columbia.

Mr. G. R. Holt, was here from Campbellsville a few days ago.

Messrs. R. T. Baker and L. D. Potts, of Amandaville, were in Columbia Saturday, on their return from the Blue Grass section.

Mr. Frank Hill, of Monticello, spent several days of last week in Columbia, visiting relatives.

Mr. Fred Hill, was in Louisville and Cincinnati last week, purchasing Christmas supplies for the Pauli Drug Co.

Mr. John Q. Alexander, was here last Saturday.

Mr. J. A. Boner, Burnside, was at the Hancock Hotel Saturday.

Mr. J. P. Dohoney, Sr., who was quite sick last week, has about recovered.

Mr. Edwin Cravens made a visit to Georgetown, Lexington and Louisville last week.

Miss Sibyl Courts of Greensburg, spent Thanksgiving here with Miss Leontine Leachman, who accompanied her to Greensburg Friday but returned Sunday.

Mr. Mont Murrell and Miss Mattie Elliott, spent Saturday and Sunday with friends at Caseys Creek.

Messrs. Ward Denton, Jack Beard, Messrs. Cary Rosenfield and Mary Breeding motored to Lebanon Sunday.

Miss Ruth Pauli spent the Thanksgiving holidays with Miss Elizabeth Durham of Campbellsville.

Miss Pearl Hindman spent several days of last week with relatives at Milltown.

Messrs. Will Middle, Layton Barnes and Arvest Hill attended the basket ball game at Russell Springs Friday.

Miss Mollie Jeffries was quite sick last week.

Mrs. Jo Murray, who was quite sick last week, has greatly improved.

Messrs. C. E. McClellan and B. B. Miller, of Burkesville, were here Sunday.

Miss Ivy Sherrill and her married sister, of Taylor county, are visiting their aunt, Mrs. Mary T. Harvey.

Mr. C. C. Holt, who is a brother-in-law to the woman Gov. W. S. Taylor, of Indianapolis, married, was here Monday to see the couple take the automobile.

Misses Vic Hughes and Myrtle Zimmerman, visited at Georgetown, Danville and Lexington last week.

Mr. Tom Waggoner, wife and little son, Edwin, and Mrs. Ellen Holladay are on an extended visit to Oklahoma.