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Three Birthdays.

The village of Cane Valley is not very large, as many readers of the News know, but it is large enough to have three persons dwelling in its midst, whose birthdays are upon the same day, the first of December. These persons are: Misses Julia Moore, Pinkie Callison and little Miss Mary Martha Hutchinson. This bright little Miss is but two years of age. The writer also has testimony as to the ages of the other two, but as they are a might older than a young bride of the village, the writer holds her peace.

Because of these young ladies and this little Miss having birthdays on the very same day, the hospitable home of Mr. Will Smith was thrown open and his daughter, Mrs. Charity Moore, entertained in honor of them. Mrs. Moore was assisted by Mrs. Willie Hutchinson and Mrs. Susie Page.

These ladies served to forty-one guests, one of the most sumptuous dinners. One of the kind one reads about, and the mouth fairly waters for some of the savory dishes. So a description will be withheld, having much pity for those who could not partake of the bounties which Mrs. Moore prepared.

Each of the young ladies received nice presents.

December the first was upon Sunday. The young people went to Sunday School and attended church services, then went to the home of Mr. Smith. While the writer cannot approve of making the first day of a day of visiting and banqueting, yet she was much pleased at the quiet, sincere enjoyment of the company and with their becoming behavior on this day. The day was ideal. The affair a most enjoyable one.

Mrs. Z. T. W.

COMMISSIONER'S SALE.

ADAIR CIRCUIT COURT OF KENTUCKY.
Hettie Rupe & Dfs.,
vs.
Kizzie Mary Rupe & 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, to the 31st day of December, 1912. All persons having claims are directed to present the same properly proven.

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

New Patent.

Mr. S. F. Eubank will leave to-day for Indianapolis, Ind., where he will contract with a manufacturer to put his recently patented water pump on the market. It is one of the simplest contrivances ever invented. It has about double the speed of any other patent and it works without friction. A small child will be able to operate it with ease. It is generally believed that it will be a source of much revenue to Mr. Eubank.

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.

The Rev. O. P. Bush, of Lancaster, will preach at the Baptist church the 3rd Sunday in this month at 11 o'clock and in the evening at 6:30 o'clock. Everybody is cordially invited to be present at these services. The official boards of Zion and Cane Valley are requested to be present also.

The remains of Capt. W. C. Turk, buried at Union graveyard ten or twelve years ago, were disinterred last Wednesday and brought to Columbia and buried in a private lot in the city cemetery. Mr. John W. Flowers superintended the removal by directions of the surviving members of the family.

For Sale.

My farm of 121 acres, good land, 1 mile West of Gadberry on Pettit's Fork. For particulars address,
L. Y. Gabbert,
4-1mo
Gadberry, Ky.

N. A. McKinley purchased of Theodore Powell, a mare mule, 2 years old, for \$150. He also purchased from same party a jack for \$200.

Rev. J. R. Crawford and a number of friends were delightfully entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Flowers, last Tuesday.

Mrs. Margaret Burton Dead.

Last Thursday night at 9 o'clock, Mrs. Margaret Burton, who was the wife of Mr. Clem Burton, died at her late home, near Vester, this county. She was about 30 years old, was a daughter of the late Gideon Burton, and was born and reared in the community where she died. She left besides her husband, three or four children and a large number of relatives. She was a sister of J. E. and Frank Burton. The funeral was largely attended, every body being in sympathy with the bereaved husband and motherless children.

We have time and again called the attention of the Louisville dailies to certain correspondents in this section of the country who make it a business to send specials to said papers, palming them off on the public as News. They take items which have appeared in this paper, change the phraseology, hold them several days, sometimes as long as two weeks, then wire them in as news. The Courier-Journal, Times, Post and Herald are represented in this town, and when anything occurs worth reading the local correspondents wire the news at once. Some fellows who want to add to their string are hogging the dailies.

Attempted Suicide.

We learn from Russell county parties that a man named Simpson, who lived this side of the Russell Springs, attempted, last Thursday to take his own life by cutting his throat with a pocket knife. Dr. Combest, who lives at the Springs, was called, sewed up the gash, and the latest report is the man will recover.

Mr. J. A. Webb, who was here from Russell county, last Wednesday, reported that the news had reached his place that Mr. A. H. Holt, proprietor of one of the hotels, Jamestown, had met with a stroke of paralysis. He further stated that it was not a severe attack, and that it was generally believed that he would recover. Mr. Holt is one of the best known men in Russell county, popular with everybody, and his friends are anxious concerning his condition.

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.

Robert Thurman, who shot and killed Bud McCandless in Edmonton, sometime ago, has been indicted for murder in the Metcalfe circuit court. The circumstances which led to the killing is well-known to our readers. Thurman was arrested, his bail being fixed at \$3,000. A motion for a change of venue prevailed and the case goes to Barren county and will be called next March.

The Lindsey-Wilson Basket ball team played the Russell Springs boys in the Lindsey-Wilson gymnasium Saturday night, Dec 7th. The result was a victory for the home boys with a score of 20 to 13. Both teams did good work and the game was interesting from start to finish. A large crowd witnessed the contest.

The show windows about town have become very attractive in the last few days. There are so many nice articles on display the purchasers will have some difficulty in making a selection. In our judgment something useful would be the most desirable Christmas present.

Taken up as Estray.

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

5-2c
Jerry Cravens,
Dunville Ky.

Coming.

I have a nice selection of goods suitable for Christmas presents, that will be here this week. Call and see them. Prices will be reasonable.

Geo. E. Wilson.
I keep on hands a full stock of coffins and caskets, also robes; 2 hearses. Prompt service night or day.
Phone 29.
45-1 yr
J. F. Triptlett,
Columbia, Ky.

Born, to the wife of Leslie Tupman, in the Cane Valley section, December 6th, a ten pound son.

Public Sale of Books.

At the sale of Rev. J. R. Crawford's household furniture on Saturday, Dec., 14, at 10 o'clock a. m., many valuable books will be offered for sale, among which will be found:
Masterpieces of Eloquence 24 Vol.
Charles Dickens—Complete 15 Vol.
Leading Facts in English History.
Memories of Prentiss 2 Vol.
The Worlds Congress of Religion.
History of Rome—Illustrated 2 Vol.
Grams Universal Atlas
Shakespeare's Plays 8 Vol.
Prince of India 2 Vol.
History of the Reformation.
In Darkest Africa 2 Vol.
Historical Lights.
Moshelms Ecclesiastical History
and nearly 100 other books from a select library.

Death of a Wellknown Man.

Last Friday morning Mr. Robert A. Groves, who was born and reared in Green county, well-known to many citizens of Adair county, died at Cane Valley. He was buried at his old home place, in Green county. There were but few better known men in Green county than "Bob" Groves, as he was familiarly called. He was jovial, at one time in comfortable circumstances. His funeral was largely attended. He will be greatly missed, as he was one of the land marks of that part of Green county known as Miami.

Engagement Announced.

Dr. and Mrs. W. K. Richardson, of this city, to-day announced the engagement of their daughter, Miss Tabitha, to Mr. Tim B. Cravens, of Columbia, Ky. Their marriage will take place December 26, at the home of the intended bride, this city.—Tompkinsville News.

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.

Lest you forget, Christmas is coming and you will want a supply of good things to eat. Don't forget that I have these good things, and will sell them to you right. I have the goods you want, and can deliver them to you on short notice.

Geo. E. Wilson.

The Superintendent's office will be closed on the 21st day of this month and will not again be opened until the first day of January, 1913. Teachers will please take notice.

Lost, near Coburg: a purse containing money. The finder will be rewarded.
A. A. Cowherd,
Coburg, Ky.

Wanted:—Peafowls, \$1.50 each.
W. T. Hodgen,
Box 232,
Campbellsville, Ky.

Adair county was blessed with refreshing rains last week. They did not come too soon, as wheat and all other vegetation were needing moisture.

Found.

Two calves one black and one red. The owner will please call on J. M. Harris.

The truck car which will be run between this place and Campbellsville, is due to arrive in a few days.

The recent rains greatly revived the growing crop of wheat and at this time it is looking well throughout the county.

Born, to the wife of John Lee Walker, December 4, 1912, a son—John Ritchey. Mother and baby doing well.

For Christmas supplies, go to Nell & Taylor. They have a large stock of candies, toys, etc. Prices close.

6-2c
Nell & Taylor pay the highest market price for eggs and butter—cash or goods
6-2c.

Read the bank statements in to-days paper.

See Mr. Walter Ingram's "ad" in to-day's News.

Thirteen days until Christmas.

No. 6769.

REPORT

OF THE CONDITION OF

THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK
AT COLUMBIA, IN THE STATE
OF KENTUCKY, AT THE CLOSE
OF BUSINESS NOV., 26 1912.

RESOURCES.	
Loans and discounts.....	106 942 31
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured.....	2 067 45
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation.....	25 000 00
Other Bonds to Secure Postal Savings.....	2 012 00
Bonds, securities, etc.....	30 225 58
Banking house, furniture, and fixtures.....	3 400 00
Due from National Banks (not reserved agents).....	940 52
Due from State and Private Banks and Bankers, Trust Companies and Savings Banks.....	23 783 33
Due from approved reserve agents.....	827 78
Checks and other cash items.....	400 00
Notes of other National Banks.....	185 44
Fractional paper currency, nickels, and cents.....	7 900
Lawful money reserved in bank, viz: Special.....	1 500
Legal-tender notes.....	9 439 00
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5 per cent. of circulation).....	1 250 00
Total.....	206 584 04
LIABILITIES.	
Capital stock paid in.....	25 000 00
Surplus fund.....	22 000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid.....	2 017 13
National Bank notes outstanding Due to other National Banks.....	25 000 00
Due to State and Private Banks and Bankers.....	67 51
Dividends unpaid.....	131 054 25
Individual deposits subject to check.....	35 19
Postal Savings Deposits.....	25 19
Total.....	\$206 584 04

STATE OF KENTUCKY,)
COUNTY OF ADAIR,) ss:

I, E. H. Hughes, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.
E. H. Hughes, Cashier.
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 5th day of Dec., 1912.

G. P. SMYTH, N. P. & C.
Commission Expires Jan. 24, 1914.

BRAXTON MASSIE, Director.
J. F. MONTGOMERY, Director.
HENRY N. MILLER, Director.

Notice M. W. of A.

A meeting of Columbia Camp No. 12502 M. W. of A. has been called for Friday night Dec. 13, 1912, for degree work and other business. All members in good standing are requested to be present.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE

BANK OF COLUMBIA

DOING BUSINESS AT TOWN OF COLUMBIA, COUNTY OF ADAIR, STATE OF KENTUCKY.

AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS ON THE 26TH DAY OF NOV. 1912

RESOURCES.	
Loans and Discounts.....	187 263 23
Overdrafts Secured and Unsecured.....	3 433 90
Stock, Bonds and other Securities.....	9 624 37
Due from Banks.....	30 130 16
Cash on hand.....	11 436 63
Checks and other cash items.....	617 05
Banking house, Furniture and fixtures.....	2 000 00
Total.....	250 616 27
LIABILITIES.	
Capital stock paid in, in cash.....	\$50 000 00
Surplus, Funds.....	\$30 000 00
Undivided Profits, less expenses and taxes paid.....	6 948 41
Deposits subject to check.....	182 920 60
Reserve for taxes.....	747 36
Total.....	250 616 27

STATE OF KENTUCKY,)
COUNTY OF ADAIR,) ss:

We, W. W. Jones and Jno. W. Flowers, President and Cashier of the above named Bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.
W. W. Jones, President.
Jno. W. Flowers, Cashier.
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 10th day of December 1912.
My Commission expires Feb., 19th, 1916.
Jo S. Kniffley, Notary Public.

Drives Off A Terror

The chief executioner of death in the winter and spring months is pneumonia. Its advance agents are colds and grip. In any attack by one of these maladies no time should be lost in taking the best medicine obtainable to drive it off. Countless thousands have found this to be Dr. King's New Discovery. "My husband believes it has kept him from having pneumonia three or four times," writes Mrs. George W. Place, Rawsonville, Vt., "and for coughs, colds and croup we have never found its equal." Guaranteed for all bronchial affection. Price 50 cts and \$1.00. Trial bottle free at Paul Drug Co.

Gradyville.

We are having plenty of rain this week.

J. D. Lowe the well-known shoeman, of Columbia, was here last Saturday.

Our farmers put in last week stripping tobacco.

J. F. Pendleton was at Greensburg Friday and Saturday.

Quite a number of our citizens attended county court at Columbia last Monday.

Miss Mollie Flowers is spending this week in Columbia.

Miss Sallie Diddle, of Columbia, spent last week in town.

Master George Diddle who has been confined to his room for the past few days with fever, is better at this time.

Uncle John Moore, one of our oldest citizens has been in a critical condition for the past week or so.

Rev. Payne is holding a series of meetings at Jay Bird school house at this time. The prospects are flattering for a good meeting.

Mr. J. D. Walker, of Columbia, spent a few days on his farm near here last week.

Mrs. Lou Flowers who has been visiting her relatives and friends in this community for the past week will return to her home in Logan county in a few days.

Our Sunday School children will all receive their Christmas treat at the Baptist church next Sunday, the 3rd, and at the Methodist church on the 5th Sunday. All the Sunday School children are invited to both places.

Mrs. Mary L. Dulin, who has been an invalid almost for the past three or four years with a complication of diseases, is in a very critical condition at this time, and if there is not a change she cannot last but a few days.

Elmer Cook sold last Monday a very valuable span of work mules in Columbia to A. H. Hinn for \$350. Mr. Cook also bought a span of young mules from J. A. Diddle for \$255.00.

Josh Taylor a well known and respected colored man of this community is in a very low stage of health at this time. Josh has been on the declining list for the past year, and at this time is confined to his room. It is feared that he will not be with us but a short time.

We had no services in our town last Sunday on account of Rev. W. G. Pangburn and his wife taken violently sick very suddenly one evening last week. Their physician was summoned at once and it was thought for a while it would be impossible for them to recover. Their sudden attack was caused from eating canned fruit and they were poisoned. We are glad to note that they are both improving at this time, and will be up again in a few days. Bro. Pangburn will fill his appointment here on the 5th Sunday. Every body invited to attend.

Personal

Mrs. Z. T. Williams has been very sick for several days.

Mr. W. I. Ingram was in the Louisville market last week.

Mr. Jeff Henry, of the Greensburg bar, was here Monday.

Dr. D. V. Ballou, of Rowena, was here Thursday morning.

Mr. W. E. Clark, Greensburg, was here the first of the week.

Mr. Sam Lewis made a business trip to Louisville last week.

Mr. W. R. Hoskins, Campbellsville, spent Sunday in Columbia.

Mr. A. C. Hill, called to see our hardware merchants last week.

Messrs. B. H. Gilpin and Robert Borders were here last Thursday.

Mr. R. A. Thompson, of Lebanon, was here a day or two of last week.

Dr. W. C. Keene, of Burkesville, was here last week, professionally.

Mr. Oscar McBeath, of Boyle county, is spending a few days in Columbia.

Judge J. C. Carter, of Tompkinsville, was here Wednesday, enroute to Liberty.

Mr. Lincoln Denton, of Somerset, spent several days of last week in Columbia.

Mr. L. E. Young, who is in St. Josephs Infirmary, Louisville, is reported as doing nicely.

Mr. A. S. Chewning is now a resident of Ashland, Ky., and is employed by a large coal company.

Mr. Zach Samuel, of Glenville, who

has been in Elida, N. M., for several weeks, returned home last Friday afternoon.

Mrs. Charlie Traylor and daughter Miss Eula, of Becks Store, Cumberland county, were in Columbia several days last week, visiting friends.

Mr. Elmo Strange will be in Campbellsville for several weeks, assisting the management of the Inquirer in the publication of that paper.

Mr. W. T. Hale, of Russell Springs, who has been employed near Bloomington, Ill., for some time, returned home the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Burdette, arrived in Columbia last Saturday afternoon and were lovingly received by Mrs. Lena Paul, mother of Mrs. Burdette and other friends. They will leave to-day for their Marion county home.

Messrs. J. C. Popplewell, L. C. McKinley, M. F. Upton and J. W. Voils, members of Russell Springs Lodge of Odd-Fellows, were in this place last Thursday night and assisted Columbia Lodge, No 230, in conferring degrees on six applicants.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. R. Miller, will leave for their home in Louisville to-day. The visit just ended is the first Mrs. Miller ever made to Columbia. She authorizes The News to state that she has had a most delightful visit and that she is charmed with our little city, and is exceedingly pleased with the many friends of her husband with whom she has met. She expects to return during the summer of next year, her stay being more extended.

Mrs. C. M. Barnett, returned from Evansville Monday afternoon.

Dr. R. Y. Hindman is spending a few days in Louisville.

Officers Elected.

The following officers were elected for Columbia Camp No. 12502 M. W. of A. last Monday night, to serve through the coming year.

W. T. Ottley, Consul.
Finis Rosenbaum, Advisor.
J. C. Strange, Clerk.
S. G. Denney, Banker.
H. T. Walker, Past Consul.
Herbert Smith, Escort.
W. E. Willis, Watchman.
Clint Smith, Centry.
Henry Hurt and Dan Clark, Board of Managers.
Drs. Russell and Flowers, Physicians.

Christmas Recitals at Lindsey-Wilson.

Friday afternoon, December 13, 2:30 o'clock, recital by pupils of music and expression departments.

Tuesday evening, December 17, 7:30 o'clock, recital by pupils of music department. Admission 10 cts.

Wednesday evening, December 18, 7:30 o'clock, an evening of plays by pupils of expression department. Admission 10 and 15 cts.

Monday evening Mrs. J. O. Russell entertained a few ladies very enjoyably. Very delightful refreshments were served, and the time most pleasantly spent. The following were present: Misses Mattie Elliot, Ruth Miliken, Bess Shannon, Ethel Crockett, Rose Heyd, Nettie Clark, Lydia West, Mary Chandler, Kate and Ida Hogard, Kate Murrell and Mrs. G. W. Staples.

Mr. S. W. English died at Smith's Grove, Ky., last Friday. He was a cousin of Mr. J. A. English, this place, and he left a number of relatives, who live in Russell county, a brother-in-law Russell Springs. The deceased was a man of high Christian character.

California Woman Seriously Alarmed
"A short time ago I contracted a severe cold which settled on my lungs and caused me a great deal of annoyance. I would have had coughing spells and my lungs were so sore and inflamed I began to be seriously alarmed. A friend recommended Chamberlain's Cough Remedy saying she had used it for years. I bought a bottle and it relieved my cough the first night, and in a week I was rid of the cold and soreness of my lungs," writes Miss Marie Gerber, Sawtelle, Cal. For sale by all dealers

At a conference of Republican Governors, held in Washington, D. C., last Friday, it was decided that it would do no good at this time to attempt to reorganize the old party. A national convention is planned for the year 1913.