

# OWINGSVILLE OUTLOOK.

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### ANNOUNCEMENTS.

#### For County Judge.

**TO THE DEMOCRATIC VOTERS OF BATH COUNTY.**—I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the office of Judge of the Bath County Court, subject to the action of the Democratic party, and declare that I favor the following:—

- 1st. An economical administration of the fiscal affairs of the county; 2d. The payment of all just and legal obligations of the county in the most speedy manner consistent with public interests; 3d. A reduction of expenses, including salaries of county officers; 4th. The further acquiring and taking up of all the remaining turnpike roads in the county and keeping them in repair; 5th. An economical and judicial expenditure of the turnpike fund, to the end that free turnpikes may reach the free legitimate conclusions and expectations and desires of the people.

Upon these issues I solicit your support. JOHN A. DAUGHERTY.

**We are authorized to announce L. S. Rogers, of near Sharpshurg, a candidate for the Democratic nomination for County Judge of Bath. Your support is solicited.**

#### For County Superintendent of Schools.

**TO THE DEMOCRATIC VOTERS OF BATH COUNTY.**—I hereby announce myself a candidate for the nomination of School Commissioner of Bath county, subject to the action of the Democratic party. Your support is earnestly solicited. J. D. MYERS.

**We are authorized to announce Woodson P. Perry a candidate for the Democratic nomination for County Superintendent of Public Schools.**

THURSDAY, MARCH 2, 1890.

**GEN. GOMEZ** had a triumphal entry into Havana last week, and the old warrior's heart was made glad.

At the rate trusts are being formed there will soon be no important line of business without it.

**THE WAR CONGRESS** will end by legal limitation next Friday. Its work will have a momentous influence for real or nominal on the nation's destiny.

**SECRETARY OF WAR ALGER** says he doesn't intend to resign under fire, and that the reports that he would retire from the Cabinet are unfounded.

**EX-SECRETARY OF STATE DAY** appears to be a very modest man in his political aspirations. The President has nominated him for a District Judgeship.

**CONGRESSMAN JOHNSON** of Indiana, turned himself loose in a bitter speech last week criticizing the Administration, and started the House by the vehemence of his remarks. The President can see how a body can have entirely too much Johnson.

**THE TENNESSEE SENATE** surely doesn't like a negro nominee, for it has passed the bill making crap a felony. If enacted into law it is quite likely to prove a Draconian statute at last. If strictly enforced new prisoners would be necessary to hold the convicted violators of the law.

**THE PHILIPPINES** kept picking off the U. S. troops without bringing on any important engagements. A curfew law is enforced at Manila to keep the natives from banding at night for depredations. The insurance companies there refuse to pay any losses by the recent conflagration, intimating that Gen. Otis is responsible for them, he having guaranteed the safety of life and property.

**THERE** is an interesting rivalry to succeed Judge Barr as District Judge of Kentucky. Judge Wm. H. Holt, Congressman Pugh, Congressman Walker Evans and Judge Cochran, the latter of Mayesville, are among the more prominent aspirants. Pugh labors under the disadvantage of being elected to the next Congress, while Evans was defeated last November. An election for a successor to Pugh might result in a Democrat being chosen, as the district is nearly evenly balanced. However, Pugh has been a warm supporter of the Administration, and the Republican majority in the House is big enough to risk the loss of one member.

### Crooks.

Dewey puzzled the public last week by asking that the battleship Oregon be sent to the Philippines for political effect. It is now thought that the foreign warships were wanted to land forces at Manila because of the recent burning of the city.

The Court of Appeals decides that \$700 is not too much for a kiss proffered by main strength and awkwardness against the will of the kisser. The decision was made in the appellate case, from Trigg county Circuit Court, of Mrs. Nannie Ezel and Wm. E. Ragsdale. Mrs. Ezel had sued Ragsdale, charging that he kissed her by force.

FRANCE has a new President and is enjoying a characteristic French calm. A French calm is like the calmness of a mule with a burr under its tail. The Bourbon heir to the extinct French throne, the Duke of Orleans, is hoisting around outside the borders in hopes of an uprising of the monarchists to restore the ancient regime. The heir of the Bonapartist hopes is lying low, waiting to see if the breaking of windows and assaults on newspaper offices will develop any further the discontent of the anti-republicans.

LOVERS of the savory winner, frankfurter and other forms of sausage have another grievance. The Lutgert case in Chicago, in which the sausage maker was convicted for life on a charge of killing his wife and destroying her body in his factory, was a severe blow to their taste for sausage. Now in the same city another sausage-maker, Albert A. Becker, has been arrested on a similar charge. In deference to the public taste sausage-makers ought to give up their business before they murder their wives.

J. W. HEDDEN, J. O. Green, Wm. T. Fitzpatrick and J. K. Cooper, all of Mt. Sterling, have brought suit to have the Louisville Dispatch placed in the hands of a receiver. They are all stockholders in the company and are liable for an amount equal to the par value of their stock alleged in their petition that the paper has been run at a loss of \$1,300 per month for a long time, also is liable for about \$10,000 indebtedness already contracted, hence they ask a receiver to protect the stockholders. A counter suit is also in prospect. The Dispatch will likely have rough sailing from now on.

### Olympia.

Rev. Vaughn conducted quarterly meeting here Sunday.

Miss Villa Cannon is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Charles W. Clayton, at Farmers.

Anne Flora, little daughter of H. O. Irwin, has been quite poorly with pneumonia, but is better at this writing.

### Hillsboro.

Charles Nealis left for Illinois Tuesday.

B. C. Hopper left last week for Paris and Cynthiana.

New Chadwick, wife and child left Tuesday for Illinois to make that country their home.

John M. Denton purchased the Shields farm of 76 acres lying near the depot here. He will move to it about April 1st.

Charles Ingram left for his home in Jessamine county Monday, after a few days' visit to his grandfather, W. S. Moody.

Thomas Shout will move to L. B. Markwell's dwelling, which is now occupied by E. D. Harrison. Mr. H. will move to Morehead and engage in the Marble business.

Mrs. Jack Payne died at her home near here Friday, after an illness of several weeks. Funeral services by Rev. W. Gardner at the M. E. Church Saturday. Interment in Hillsboro Cemetery. She leaves a husband and was the mother of ten children.

### Bethel.

Harry Hazelrigg is very low.

Misses Hattie Crouch and Stella Baker are very sick.

D. S. Trumbo and Charles Cannon attended Court at Owingsville last week.

We have no hotel in Bethel, but W. B. Scott and wife entertain the traveling public.

Mrs. Allie Robertson has gone to Flemingsburg for a month under treatment of Dr. Aitkin.

Millard Adams and wife, of Centralia, Missouri, sister of Lee Ratliff and Mrs. Seth Botts, are here visiting.

Will Peters and wife were called to Fleming county to see their daughter-in-law Mrs. Chas. Peters and three children, who are very sick.

Jessie Crouch, aged 95, died at Grand City of old age (was also blind) Feb. 24 and was buried Sunday at Longview Cemetery. Her remains were brought here Saturday night, and kept at the home of David Crouch his son.

Mrs. Oliver Cannon, daughter of Richard Stamper of White Oak, died suddenly at her home, on Little Flat Creek Feb. 23rd and buried Friday at Longview Cemetery. Funeral services at the Methodist Church by Rev. Chandler. She leaves two little children and a husband to mourn her loss.

### Grange City.

Joseph Myers went to Salt Lick this week.

Samuel Estill, of Wyoming, visited his parents Sunday.

Mrs. Oscar Conyers, of Bath Co., visited at Jos. Myers' last week.

Mrs. Charles Rawlings, of Bath county, is visiting her father, Wm. Kissick.

John Cooper, of near Flemingsburg, visited relatives here Friday and Saturday.

Walter E. Richards and family moved to Owingsville last week; Reuben McClanahan and family to Bracken county.

Clark Crouch and wife, of Bath county, were at the bedside of their father and mother Uncle Jessie Crouch and wife last week.

Died, Feb. 25th, Uncle Allen Purvis, near here, an aged citizen. His remains were interred at Fairview. His wife preceded him only a short time ago.

Died, Friday morning, Feb. 24th, Uncle Jessie Crouch, at his home here, in his 96th year of age. He was probably the oldest citizen in Fleming county. He and his wife, who survives him, moved here some years ago from Bath county, being respected persons of our community. He also leaves three sons by the last marriage, and a number of children by the first. He had been gradually going down for quite awhile; totally blind and very deaf for some time. His remains were to be interred at Bethel Sunday being taken there Saturday. To the relatives we extend our sympathy.

To the people who were ready to lend a helping hand during his illness and death the relatives extend their heartfelt thanks.

[Delayed.]

S. R. Newman's well froze over during the cold spell.

Henry Gray has been sick at his father's home near here.

T. M. Williams, of Judy, visited his brother W. O. Williams the past week.

Rev. Gardner delivered a fine missionary sermon to the people here Sunday morning.

Mrs. Blackford and family, of Vermillion county, Illinois, have been visiting Mrs. Noah Reeves near here.

Andy Newman will shortly go to Paris, Ky., where he has rented a farm in partnership with someone. Success to him.

Arthur Waller has rented Mrs. Riley Cutright's dwelling for the coming year, and L. G. Rigdon and Thomas Ratliff her farming land.

### Salt Lick.

J. H. Maze has been sick for several weeks.

J. M. Oliver, of Mt. Sterling, was in town Saturday and Sunday.

Dr. L. M. Pritchard has gone to his home in Carter county for a two-weeks' visit.

Jas. W. Pierce, of the Panther Lumber Co., of Panther, W. Va., arrived Saturday from the South and is visiting friends and relatives in town.

John Smith met with a severe accident last week at the stove mill near Young's Springs. His left hand was caught by a saw and two fingers cut off.

Bro. W. G. Vaughn, of Nicholasville, who was suddenly called home while conducting a series of meetings here a few weeks ago, will return Thursday to assist Bro. G. W. Howes in protracted meetings here and at Yale.

### Craigs.

Mrs. John K. Jones is very sick.

The little son of Jeff Davis is still very sick.

Uncle Jerry Hunt, of near Okla, moved into the house with his son-in-law Dr. Frank Wells Saturday.

James Anderson, of near Forge Hill, is very low with consumption and not expected to live but a very short time.

The eight-months-old baby of Mrs. Mary Goodpaster died Tuesday of brain fever. Interment Wednesday at the Purvis graveyard.

Mrs. Enoch Sorrell, who went to Lexington two weeks ago to visit her husband at the Insane Asylum, returned Monday accompanied by her husband, who seems to be all right. We are glad to hear of Mr. Sorrell's return home. He was a good, industrious man, and his wife was almost heart broken.

### Mill Creek.

Algin Ingram and Mrs. Tom Jackson are very poorly with lung trouble at this writing.

We have employed Bro. James Willhoite to preach at Smith's Chapel this year. There will be meeting every fourth Sunday.

Alfred Ingram will move to Prickly Ash right soon. He will be missed by the church, as he is one of our deacons. He and his wife are good neighbors and will be a benefit to any neighborhood.

Married, Feb. 22, at the home of Cad Ingram, Press-Blevins and Mrs. Mary Ingram; Jimmie Ingram and Miss Louisa Smith; Brother James Willhoite officiating. They are all promising young people of Little Salt Lick and it is hoped that they will live a long and happy life.

### Licking Union.

M. P. Williams has a gripe. James Armstrong has the grip. We could not go to the office with our items last week.

Elder Adams failed to fill his appointment here Sunday.

James T. Ellington and Willis Armstrong went to Owingsville Sunday.

Robert Cornett has moved into the new house lately erected on M. P. Williams' place.

A Mr. Cassidy, of Indiana, has been visiting relatives here and at Yale for some time.

John McKinney had a nice heifer to brake through the ice in Licking during the late cold spell and down.

John R. Williams went to Lexington last week to enlist in the regular army. Don't cry, girls, there are more Johns than one.

### West End.

The mill here has resumed work again.

B. F. Piersall had his hands badly frozen.

Dr. Cecil Young has gone to Breathitt Co. on business.

Uncle Willie Coyle has just returned from a week's visit on Naylor.

W. M. Piersall has just returned from a visit to his mother in Morgan Co.

John Smith had two of his fingers cut off at the stove mill near White Sulphur.

Several chickens, hogs and turkeys froze to death here during the recent cold spell.

Quite a revival of religion is going on in this vicinity. Let the good work go on.

Bro. Wesley Blevins will preach at State Valley the 4th Sunday in March and Saturday night before. We can recommend Bro. B. to the brethren there. Hear ye him!

We received a letter from our friend Fernando Hobbs, of Edy, New Mexico. He gives a glowing description of the country and promises THE OUTLOOK a short letter soon.

THE SICK.—Mrs. S. P. Walton is gradually growing worse. Mrs. Thomas Young, Mrs. Thomas Spencer and Mrs. Travis Warner are no better. S. W. Roberson, W. M. Daniel and Mrs. Kate Piersall are better.

Died, James Robinson, on Feb. 19th. Uncle Jim, as he was commonly called, was in his 94th year. He was a devoted Christian, having been in the Christian Church in 1845. He was married in 1827. The wife, aged 88 years, survives him. He leaves 9 children and a host of friends to mourn their loss. Peace to his ashes.

### Stepstone.

Everybody getting ready to move. What is looking nice since the snow left.

Miss Emma Lane, of Mt. Sterling, is visiting her brother, R. H. Lane.

George W. Carter is moving to the Wallace Smith farm on Salt Well Branch.

Thomas Garrett upon delivery of his tobacco to Noel at Mt. Sterling was given a premium of 1 cent per pound.

Robert Montjoy sold his tobacco on the Louisville breaks last week for 7¢ at home. T. J. Alexander did the same for 6¢ at home.

W. C. Harper has sold his father's farm here to H. C. Mead for \$3,200 cash. The farm is supposed to contain 160 acres. Possession given at once.

Miss Lida Tipton, who has been making her home with her sister Mrs. E. L. Payne here, left last week for Owingsville en route to Wyoming, where she will open a school with 30 or more pupils. We are very sorry to see her go, as she is an excellent lady and a very good teacher. May success attend her, and we recommend her to the people of Wyoming as well worthy their assistance and protection.

### Odessa.

Elder Dawson filled his appointment here Sunday.

Dallas Gudgeon and Chas. Jones went to Okla Sunday.

I. R. Darnell and Julian H. Jones spent last week at Bear Wallow.

Chas. Jones went to Licking Union last week to see about his farm.

Moving has begun. Plunder is seen daily, both a guyin' and a coming.

J. S. and W. T. Anderson, J. T. Gudgeon and M. A. Garner went to Salt Lick Thursday after lumber.

M. L. Jones has rented the Adelle Mitchell farm and sub-rented the house to David Crouch.

Isaac W. Jones, of the firm of Jones & Anderson, has been quite sick for the past week with malarial fever.

The remains of old Uncle Jessie Crouch, of Grange City, passed here Saturday, were taken to Bethel for burial.

Simps Purvis, wife and children visited the former's parents, Isaac Purvis and wife, near Sharpshurg, last week.

Mrs. Annie Story (nee Anderson), of lower East Fork, visited her mother, Mrs. Mahala Anderson, here last week.

Thos. Estill passed here Saturday with a load of his father's plunder on his way to Franklin Co. to the regret of his many friends here, especially the young ladies.

### Forge Hill.

[Delayed.]

Miss Artie Goodpaster visited Miss Cleo Williams Saturday and Sunday.

W. W. Williams sold two of his mules for \$100 at the Mt. Sterling Court.

Irvin Davis, of Farmers, visited relatives in this community the past week.

J. Roe Wells has moved to his property recently purchased of I. B. Williams.

Mrs. Frank Hunt has had a very severe attack of the grip, but is somewhat better.

There is a tide in the affairs of men which taken at the flood leads on to a mad hope.

Lewis Kinney, of the 4th Kentucky Volunteers, received an honorable discharge and returned home from Anniston, Ala., last week.

It is rumored that two of our young men will leave shortly for the cotton fields of the South. The recent cold spell froze their nose and their two big toes, and they will go where the warm wind blows.

One of our citizens says that his wood does not burn to ashes, but to cinders instead. As cinders make good sidewalks, and our little city needs something of that kind very badly, suppose our friend uses them for that purpose.

We think our friend at "Knob Lick" voiced the sentiments of every loyal citizen in his article recently on "Modern Politics." But suppose we should say to our would-be lawmakers: "Do you favor the referendum and imperative mandates?" His answer would invariably be in the affirmative, whether he had the least idea of holding up the truth or not, and thus we sink our political lower by causing him to masquerade the truth.

### Flat Creek.

Born, to Jim Powell and wife, a girl.

One thing at a time—especially babies.

Barker Lane and family moved last Monday to Missouri.

J. W. Fasset lost a number of lambs during the recent frosts.

James Treadway, of Salt Well, sold his crop of tobacco to Noel at 6¢.

The Hamilton Farm Co. lost three jennets during the recent cold spell.

James Williams shipped a car of cattle to the Cincinnati market last week.

William Rich sold Nick Dimmitt a mule for \$75, and one to Andy English for \$50.

Henry Orm went to Mt. Sterling last Thursday to get a new tongue—for his wagon.

We had five ladies call Sunday to read THE OUTLOOK. The ladies know a good thing.

The first question that disturbed man was the woman question, and it bids fair to be the last.

Jim Jones has rented and moved into the property vacated by S. M. Cory on J. J. Mark's place.

The boys are taking advantage of the snow and are rubbing the dust off their sleigh runners.

Our hero W. D. Young claims the honor of having saved the lives of 12 quails during the recent cold snap.

Bring our paper home, please, and we will send you another providing you will wait till we have read it.

Bob Stull and C. W. Markland, our expert tobacconists, have finished pricing tobacco for Henry Warders and guarantee him to get 20¢.

### Wyoming.

In a recent letter to Bob Estill, Tip Estill says: "Two or three things in my letter to Will about this place of wonders I wish to correct. One is the great organ of the Tabernacle, whose dimensions are 35 feet long, 30 wide and 48 feet high.

The other is Great Salt Lake, which is 100 miles long, 60 wide in places, with an average depth of 30 miles; 60 feet deep in places, with an average depth of 20 ft. Twenty-two per cent of this lake is salt, and you can bathe in it without sinking. It is the best balneo-therium in the world today, never failing to warn the inhabitants within a radius of 3 to 4 miles of its shores of the gathering storm, the snows and the rains, with that Herculean smell of brine. One eve preceding a snow I was out there and got a 'whiff' of it and it was all I was looking for.

Another thing I forgot to write about to Will: About 150 feet up on the east end of the Temple and about the center from north to south on a finely polished granite stone built in the wall and receding back about 6 inches—a stone possibly 30 feet in length by ten feet in width—are chiseled in burnished letters these words (capitals):

HOLINESS TO THE LORD. HOUSE OF THE LORD, BUILT BY THE CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST OF LATTER DAY SAINTS, COMMENCED APR. 6, 1853; COMPLETED APR. 6, 1893.

Bob, I don't know whether or not you will ever live to get here, or that I'll ever live to get away; but in your case you'll always want to, and in mine I shall always look back in fond remembrance to the 21 days of my life spent in this one of the most beautiful of American cities and about which so many histories have been written, and in which there dwells a cosmopolitan population made up of

some of the most ignorant as well as the most intelligent, some of the purest as well as some of the basest people that ever dwelt within the light of the sweet face of heaven."

J. T. ESTILL.

The impressions made upon any one visiting Salt Lake City will last them a lifetime. The air of mystery and the evidence of secret workings and secret influences among these people arouses the curiosity of every visitor. The great temple which so fixed and held the admiration and interest of J. T. Estill was dedicated in 1893, in April, in the presence of 20,000 people from various portions of the West, mostly Mormons. A great many Gentiles, as the Mormons called us, were present to witness that memorable event. The Mormon preachers had for years been teaching the followers of Joseph Smith that on the day that the great temple was dedicated the prophet would appear in person before his followers. Like other "skeptics," as those peculiarly religious people called us, we knew that it was a physical impossibility for an ordinary mortal like Joseph Smith to appear on that or any other day set by mortal agencies. Yet those deluded Mormons believed it with the most implicit faith. On that day their credulity was put to the severest test. A Mormon woman on that day gave birth to a child within the temple walls. Accordingly, to carry out their sham, their ministers persuaded them that their lord and seer had appeared in the form of that child. He was named Moroni in honor of the angel who led the prophet to Cumorah hill in Ontario county, New York, where he received his commands on tablets of stone. Feasted and worshipped will Moroni be while young and at man's estate he will be "charge d'affaires" in the Mormon church. Oh, religion, what sacrifice is committed in thy name!

Wonderful indeed is the great temple. Nearly \$4,000,000 were spent in its construction, and it is an enduring monument to the patience and faith of the Mormon people. The great tabernacle with its sweet-toned mammoth organ is a product of Utah skill and Utah material. The most astonishing feature of the tabernacle is the wonderful acoustic properties of the great egg-shaped building. A whisper can be heard from the rostrum to the farthest row in the galleries. The unique architecture of the building is delightful. It is the largest auditorium in the United States, seating 12,000 people, and has the largest self-supporting roof in the nation.

Between the Bee Hive and Lion houses, one square from Temple block, is the titling office. Here these poor dupes of bright minds are called upon every year to pay 10% of all their produce into the coffers of the Mormon church. Oats, hay, calves, chickens, pigs, colts and other products of the farm are collected punctually by the officers of the Mormon church.

Near the Lion and Bee-Hive houses is Eagle gate. Here one looks down a street 32 miles long, as straight as the barrel of a gun, and one of the most beautiful thoroughfares in the world.

Three miles east of the city and reached every 15 minutes by two lines of street railway lies the magnificent panorama of the Great Salt Lake Valley. Travelers of experience pronounce it the loveliest landscape in America. One can see 100 miles of a mountain-ribbed, home-dotted, fertile valley, sordid with cities, threaded with railroads and jeweled with that tridescend gem the Great Salt Lake. Sometimes at evening one can see from there the sun pass through the gateway of the clouds and sink into the broad Pacific; then have a vision, delightful beyond description, a vision that has tempted to that city some of the world's greatest artists to vainly attempt with pigment and canvas its reproduction.

WEEP.

### Four toddlers down a man's throat

these cold days won't warm him half so much as a single hot punch in the nose.

Wanted.—A preacher to preach at Flat Creek, one that can please everybody and not charge anything for his services.

William McClain, of Sideview, formerly of Bath Co., has bought a farm near Plum Lick; will move in the near future.

Married, Mr. Lee Taul to Miss Nora Cox, of Millersburg. We congratulate Mr. and Mrs. Taul and wish them a happy life.

Col. E. M. Gumpf is moving into the house vacated by Barker Lane. Robert Rankley will move to the property vacated by Mr. Gumpf.

Mrs. Susan Secrest subscribes for THE OUTLOOK and desires it sent to Pleasant Hill, Mo. Mrs. Secrest leaves many friends here who regret her departure.

We fear the babies of grand old Bath county will be wearing chin whiskers by the time our people wake up to the importance of having good free turnpike roads.

Ed C. Owings has succeeded Jos Dawson as manager for the Hamilton Farm Co., and by his gentlemanly and fine business qualities has already won the respect and esteem of all with whom his business brings him in contact.

Jack Mark put on his best suit Sunday afternoon and asked his brother Will if he would feed. We suppose he was going somewhere and didn't want to feed in time to feed. We didn't ask him who he was going; it wasn't good manners.

You frequently run up against a man who does not take the home paper because he considers it of no account. But just wait until wedding bells ring in his home or ere he hangs on his door and then see how handy the poor insignificant paper is when he wants a gushing write up. Oh, no; the paper is no good unless you want a two or three dollar put fee.

A new baby boy arrived at the home of Tom Fitch, near Ewington, on Feb. 23. The snow storm had no effect on the household and sunshine hung around in chunks, with Tom the happiest man in the neighborhood. The physician who happened to be present when the young man arrived says he is a husky looking young fellow with a fog-horn voice and he predicts that the old man's job of running the farm will be a snap compared to dancing attendance on the new arrival.

The other night we went in company with Luster Parker, George Darnell, Bob Stull, C. W. Markland, William Darnell and some dozen others that followed a peck of baying hounds that chased the sly reynard—house cat for a circumference of about 20 miles. Luster Parker thought that his hound had tracked a fox, and went about four miles to where he was. We found him fastened in the crack of a fence. We enjoyed being in the crowd, but as to hearing the bark bark we'd rather die to a stump and throw rocks at it. We would then be nearer to the music.

Married, Wednesday, Feb. 23, at the residence of and by Elder B. F. Parker, Mr. Nelson Bear and Miss Serrilla Purvis. The bride was attended by Miss Bertie Moore, and the groom was attended by Mr. Joseph Toy. The groom is a jolly fellow and one of Bath county's most prominent young farmers, who stands high in the estimation of all who know him. The bride is the beautiful and accomplished daughter of Isaac Purvis, near Morehead, and a highly cultured young lady, whose popularity is bounded only by her large acquaintance. After being congratulated by their many friends the bride and groom left for Mt. Sterling, where they boarded the train for Cincinnati, St. Louis, and other principal cities of the West. Before leaving they sent us a nice card telling us when they would return, and as we know Mrs. Bear is a good cook we will take dinner with them some day. A reception will be given the bride and groom at the residence of Mr. Joseph Cracraft. A number of invitations are out and a hearty reception awaits them. Mr. and Mrs. Bear received many handsome presents, among them a dinner set, three water sets, two parlor lamps, silver butter-dish, spoons, knives and forks, a very handsome carrying set, and many other things that will be useful. We wish Mr. and Mrs. Bear a smooth voyage down the stream of life thus joined in holy wedlock, and may their canoe be steered clear of all hidden breakers, and may happiness, health and prosperity ever be theirs.

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