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Recitals at Lindsey-Wilson

The People of Columbia Highly Entertained at the Close of a Successful School Year.

PROSPECTS GOOD FOR COMING YEAR.

Monday morning marked the closing of another successful year of the Lindsey-Wilson, a school that has gained a very enviable reputation in this part of Kentucky.

The recitals of last week drew immense audiences to the chapel, every body loud in their praise of the pupils who took part.

The first of the series of recitals approaching the close of the Lindsey-Wilson Training School was given Tuesday evening by Miss Cary Rosenfield, who graduated from the music department.

Too much praise cannot be given Miss Rosenfield. She has been a most earnest, painstaking pupil and the result of the faithfulness and wonderful ability in musical lines was that the large audience was treated to four beautiful numbers faultlessly rendered.

The vocal numbers by those who assisted her were most entertaining and won much applause.

Thursday evening Misses Ollie Crocket and Myrtle Sageser, who graduated from the expression department, gave their recitals to a packed house.

Both of these attractive young ladies are very efficient along the lines of their chosen professions and they were encored repeatedly.

They closed their program with a two-character play: "A Fair Encounter," in which both acquitted themselves most favorably.

Although the weather was quite disagreeable Friday evening, a fair sized and appreciative audience heard the recital given by the members of the music class.

The program, consisting of both vocal and instrumental numbers, was rendered without a hitch and showed that the members not only possessed rare talent but that they had received excellent training.

On Saturday evening came the "Evening of Plays" under the direction of Miss Bess Shannon.

This was one of the best and most entertaining recitals ever given from that platform and teacher and pupils alike deserve much praise.

Sunday forenoon Rev. A. R. Kasey, who is a member of the Board of Control, a former pastor of the Methodist Church, here, now of Hopkinsville, preached the baccalaureate sermon before a packed audience. It was a splendid discourse, abounding in helpful thoughts for the young—advice, that if taken profit will follow.

Friends and patrons felt justly proud of the graduation exercises which took place in the chapel Monday morning at 10 o'clock, thus closing the most entertaining commencement week in the history of the school. The vocal quartette, "The Sweetest Flower that Blows" was both appropriate and well rendered. The names of the graduates and their subjects are as follows: "Visions," Thetis Williams; "Ambition," William Ernest Harris; "The Teacher," William Fredrick Rainwater; "The Call of Uncle Sam for Educated Men," Charles Blackmore Diddle; "Advantages of Country Life to the Development of Character," Julian Adair Hodges.

Lack of space forbids due comment on each of these, but so well were they written, delivered and received, that we have asked for a copy of each, and week by week they will appear in this paper.

Miss Ruth Millikin, in her usual charming manner, sang "Good-Bye".

The address by Rev. A. R. Kasey, based on Longfellow's "Excelsors" was among the best things ever given in our town, and the hearty applause gave evidence that it fell on appreciative ears.

Following this Prof. Neilson, in a few well chosen words, presented the diplomas to the class of five and also to Misses Myrtle Sageser and Ollie Crocket, graduates in expression, and Miss Cary Rosenfield, music.

Rev. J. S. Chandler made a short talk on the growth of the school since establishment, ten years ago, and of visions he has of a new boys' dormitory. Both pupils and patrons are saddened over the departure of Prof. Neilson and his estimable wife and best wishes go with them to their new field.

Before buying a pump call and see the latest improved one that will not freeze, and the easiest on the market. S. F. Eubank.

Ad. 29-2t

Trabue Shearer lost a good horse last week.

Tribute of Respect.

Whereas, in His infinite wisdom, God saw fit to remove from the daily walks of life our esteemed and beloved brother, Dr. J. H. Grady, who was a member of Columbia Lodge, No. 96, Free and Accepted Masons, and also a member of Columbia Chapter, R. A. M., No. 7, therefore, be it

Resolved, that in the death of this respected citizen and zealous Mason, which occurred at Quincy, Illinois, Tuesday, April 22, 1913, this lodge lost one of its most useful Masons, his son and daughter a kind and devoted father, the country a useful citizen.

2nd, That we, as a lodge tender our heart-felt sympathy to the surviving children and all other relatives, who have sustained a great loss.

3rd, That a copy of these resolutions be spread upon the minute book of this lodge and that a copy each be sent to the son and daughter.

5th, That the fraternity attend his funeral in a body and that each member wear the usual badge of mourning for thirty days.

5th, That the Adair County News publish these resolutions.

Gordon Montgomery, }
W. T. Price, } Com.
C. S. Harris.

Blood Poisoned.

About two weeks ago, James, an eight year old son of Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Lyon, Campbellsville, got a splinter stuck in one of his feet. The splinter was removed, but a few days thereafter blood poison set up, and for the last week the lad has been in a very serious condition. While here last Wednesday his father was told over the phone that his son's condition was not improving, and he left for home. It is hoped by friends here that the little fellow will recover, though the father, while talking to a News man, appeared to be very uneasy.

Announcement.

The following announcement appeared in the Times-Democrat, New Orleans. The prospective groom was born and reared in this vicinity, and is a son of Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Conover. He is a young man of excellent business qualifications, and has had situations from home since he became grown.

An approaching out-of-town wedding of interest here, where both the prospective bride and bridegroom have many friends, is that of Miss Cora Van Zant, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Van Zant of McComb City, Miss., to Mr. Robert Boyce Conover of Columbia, Ky., which has been announced by Miss Van Zant's parents to take place in June, in McComb City.

Strayed, from my farm, one sow, would weigh 250 pounds when left home. About half black and half white. I will pay a reward for her return, or information that will lead to recovery.

J. R. Stinson,
Glensfork, Ky.

Ad. 29-2t

Dr. E. I. Alper, who is recognized and endorsed by the best citizens of this community as the best optician ever been here, has returned to our town, and has with him Dr. Jacobstein, of Louisville, who is an expert on the eyes. We think anybody in need of glasses will do well to call on them while they are here. They will give you absolute satisfaction. They are located at Page & Taylor Drug Store.

Mr. Robert Antle, the present school Superintendent of Russell county, Mr. E. M. Cox of Albany and Hon. L. T. Neat, of Adair, announced their candidacy for the State Senate at the court-house last Monday. The district is composed of the counties of Adair, Cumberland, Clinton, Russell and Wayne.

When in Jamestown and needing anything in the way of machinery on your farm, enter J. H. Phelps' store.

Ad. 29-2t

Mrs. J. A. English, this place, received a message Wednesday afternoon stating that her brother, E. L. Harvey, of Dallas, Texas, was dead.

The Hogard Chapel, Sparkesville Mission, will be dedicated the 5th Sunday in June. Rev. Hogard will preach the sermon.

It is reported that the pike from here to Campbellsville is in better condition than for several years.

Born, to the wife of Estes Hayes, May 12, a son.

Coming Meeting.

W. G. Montgomery, who is to assist in the revival meeting at the Christian Church beginning the first Sunday in June, is a native of this county, and while he is well known by most of the citizens of Columbia yet but few know him as a preacher or an Evangelist, never having preached in this town. His present home is in Moreland, Ky., where he has been pastor for a number of years and has built up a splendid church and Bible School, second to none in that part of the State. He has done some Evangelistic work in Texas and Oklahoma and different parts of this state and the Southwest. He is a speaker of strength, eloquence and close reasoner. He uses large charts to illustrate most of his sermons, which attracts, at once, both the eye and ear. We trust that the people of Columbia will give him a good hearing from the start, and I feel sure those who hear him once will hear him again. Miss Mayme Depp, of Glasgow, who will lead the chorus, will be here Friday evening preceding the meeting and hopes to meet the singers of all the churches that helped in the meeting when she was here before, and also all the new ones that will help in singing. "Christian Gospel Hymns" will be used in the meeting which is a splendid book for revival meetings. It is one of Charles Reig's favorite productions. We ask an interest in the prayers of all the people of the town in behalf of the meeting, that many souls may be saved and the lukewarm members revived and the Christian people of all denominations edified.

Z. T. Williams.

Buggies, Wagons, all kinds of farming tools at the store of J. H. Phelps, Jamestown, Ky.

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Surprise Dinner.

At the home of Mrs. T. J. Bryant, Thursday, May 15, 1913, in honor of Mrs. Bryant's sixty-second birthday. It was quite a surprise as the secret had not been fully revealed until the neighbors began to arrive with well-filled baskets, and when the noon hour was announced the table groaned under its load of the finest eatables that the good ladies of the community could prepare. She was the recipient of many nice presents, and the day was a most enjoyable one. When the partying hour arrived, all joined in wishing Mrs. Bryant many more returns. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Bryant, Mesdames M. E. Bolin, E. L. McKinley, Edmon Bryant, Mont Conover; Misses Addie McKinley, Etta and Lula Bryant, Grace and Ruth Montgomery, Annie Reeves and Bessie Conover; Messrs. Albert Bryant, Love Willis, Marvin and Lee Conover.

Bargains in Dining Mowers and Binders at J. H. Phelps' Hardware and Implement Store, Jamestown, Ky.

Ad. 29-2t

The Fourth District Convention of the Christian Church, composed of the counties of Adair, Casey, Russell and Wayne, will be held at Antioch church Casey county, near Phil, beginning on Friday evening before the fifth Sunday in June, holding over the fifth Sunday. The program will appear in due time.

Mrs. Irene Gist, who lost her husband a few weeks ago, desires to express her grateful thanks to all friends who were so kind during her husband's illness, ending in death. Miss Willie and Mr. Loyd Gist, sister and brother of the deceased, join in the above expression.

Beginning with Rev. J. N. Crawford's baccalaureate sermon before the pupils of the Graded school, all the exercises and entertainments will be written for next week, as they are to be placed this week.

Shelby, who lives in the Cane Valley country, had the misfortune to lose his barn, one mule and a lot of feed stuff this morning by fire.

Appropriate exercises will be held at the city cemetery in afternoon of the 30th of May.

We are informed that Sheriff Hughes and his deputies are now busy riding over Russell county, serving papers, making ready for circuit court which will convene at Jamestown the third Monday in June.

Evans Brothers, Edith, this county, sold Dolph Bryant, one day last week, a pair of eight year old mare mules for \$375.

Good rains fell in spots over the county last Thursday and Friday night.

THE END OF RAINBOW.

A Play Given at the Court-House Last Wednesday Evening by High School Pupils.

The Auditorium Filled to its Capacity.

The residents of Columbia and vicinity, and many visitors were highly entertained at the court-house last Wednesday evening by pupils of the Columbia High School.

It was a play, "At the End of the Rainbow," and twenty characters were represented, young ladies and young gentlemen of the school, all of whom acquitted themselves in a manner that would have done credit to those who have often appeared upon the stage. There were some fine acting, and the perfect manner in which the play was rendered was certainly a credit to the school.

There were so many characters, to give each performer credit due, would take up too much space, hence we will not particularize, but will state, that as a whole, it was one of the most enjoyable entertainments ever pulled off in Columbia.

It required one hour and thirty minutes to render the play, perfect attention being given by the immense audience. Applause after applause frequently came which greatly stimulated the players.

The teachers who drilled the class deserve praise for the perfect manner in which each actor and each actress did his or her part.

The following is a synopsis of the play:

Act I. Phyllis and "Imp" at their studies—Robert's story of his client's troubles—The bride and groom—Jane sees things—Nell comes to the rescue of Theta Phi—Molly becomes a maid—Dick employs a butler—Jane alarms the butler—"Hawkins" makes love—Louise plays with Jack—Phyllis wins Douglas.

II. The substitution of papers—The plot to steal the packet—Louise deceives Robert—Douglas visits Phyllis clandestinely—Louise secures the packet—The "Imp" makes a discovery—Marion's sacrifice—I sought the pot of gold at the end of the rainbow.

III. The foot ball game—Ted is hurt—A player's lament—Robert's suspicions are aroused—Molly is jealous—Louise is exposed—Phyllis and Douglas—We'll hold on to the homestead—Robert and Marion find the pot of gold at the end of the rainbow.

How to Collect Accounts.

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Prominent Lady Dead.

Mrs. Victoria Garnett, a highly respected lady, died this morning, aged 69 years. A more extended notice will appear later.

We have just read an extract of a speech delivered by Mr. Melvin A. Traylor, Vice President of the National Stock Yards National Bank, National Stock Yards, Ill. "Beefsteak and the Banker" was the subject chosen by Mr. Traylor, and the idea conveyed was that cattle were becoming so scarce throughout the entire county that it required a good sum of money to buy a beefsteak. The speech was full of good suggestions, looking to better conditions—cheaper meat in the United States. Mr. Traylor is a native of Adair county, a young man of ability, one who has gone to the front.

Mr. S. M. Bryant, a former citizen of Adair county, but who now lives in Coal City, Ind., had the misfortune to lose his residence and all its contents Sunday afternoon May 11th, by fire. Loss, \$1,600. Mr. Bryant writes the News that since the fire he has been thinking a great deal about returning to old Kentucky.

The ladies of the Baptist church will serve ice cream cones at the Fair Grounds to-day (Wednesday) Field Day.

Remember that Field Day exercises will be pulled off at the Fair Grounds this (Wednesday) afternoon.

Last Wednesday afternoon lightning struck a large oak tree between the Lindsey-Wilson and Dr. S. P. Miller's residence, setting it afire, and it was burning an hour or two after the electrical storm was over.

Mr. C. S. Jones Dead.

Last Sunday morning the subject of this notice died at home of his son in Cumberland county. He was seventy-eight years old, known to a great many people in Adair county. Mr. J. W. Jones, who lives at Glenville, was his son and Mr. E. H. Huges, cashier of First National Bank, his nephew.

He was a gentleman of a jovial disposition, and will be missed by many relatives and friends.

A Pointer For Retail Houses.

The trade current that has been settling steadily in the direction of the big mail order houses can now be diverted toward the small merchant. The parcel post allows each individual storekeeper to develop a mail order business within his own district at a lower postal rate than any one outside of it can ship goods to customers within it. By adopting the same advertising methods which the mail order houses have used for their own benefit and profit in the past and organizing an efficient shipping department the small merchant is now enabled to build up a profitable trade in a greatly widened field.

The parcel post is educating buyers to know that stores nearer home can serve them just as reasonable and far more quickly and satisfactorily than the mail order house.—Maysville Bulletin.

How the Vote Stands

The following is the standing of the candidates at the Parlor Circle, up to and including last Saturday night:

Dora Eubank	42,410
Mary Smith	37,600
Nell Tarter	28,650
Eva Walker	21,200
Margaret Lovett	14,450

Bank Stock for Sale.

I, as executor of the estate of J. M. Rowe, deceased, will sell one share of stock in the Gradyville State Bank, to the highest bidder, at Gradyville, on Saturday, June 7, at 2 o'clock, p. m.

L. Akin.

Ad. 29-2t

Mr. W. R. Myers is now sole proprietor of the automobile line between Columbia and Campbellsville, he having purchased the machines, owned by the company, last Saturday. We are glad to state that an agreement was reached, and believe that Mr. Myers will be benefited financially by the transaction. We certainly hope he will have no further opposition. There is not business for two lines, and as Mr. Myers has the mail contract, he should have a clear field.

The ice cream and strawberry supper given by the ladies of the Baptist Church, at the court-house, last Wednesday evening, was a decided success. The fee was only ten cents for cake and cream, and the receipts were right at twenty dollars. Besides enjoying the refreshments, the social feature of the occasion was delightful, and when the closing hour came the promoters went home feeling that they had been well paid for their time.

The Columbia District Conference of the Methodist Church will meet at Elkhorn, Taylor county, June 3rd, 9 a. m. Will be in session three days, and it is hoped that every preacher in the district will be present and as many lay members as possible.

The lightning which struck an Oak tree in the vicinity of the home of Mrs. Grover Grissom, last Wednesday, killed for her a hen and a brood of chickens, the latter almost large enough to fry. This is the first time we ever reported chickens killed by lightning.

Mose Ed Milam, of color, who was known as "Tat," and who was the delivery boy for Geo. E. Wilson a year or two, died at the home of his mother, last Friday morning.

Judge J. C. Carter held a special term of circuit court at Liberty last week and came from that place to Columbia, opening court here Monday morning.

Squirrels can be killed any time during the year except from the 15th of September to the 15th of November. That is the law. Hunters must have license.

Messrs McFarland & Feese are moving rapidly with Mr. Bruce Montgomery's residence. It is closed in and the lathing has commenced.

The names of the grand and petit jurors will be published next week.

Circuit Court.

The May term of the Adair circuit court opened Monday morning, Judge J. C. Carter arrived promptly, and by the noon hour he had completed his instructions to the grand jury, which is composed of twelve good men. In delivering his instructions, the Judge took up all the crimes known to the law, urging the grand jury to indict in every instance where the proof was sufficient to sustain the charge. The Jury retired to its room and it is believed will do its duty. It is the duty of all good citizens who know of crimes having been committed to furnish the grand jury with the information.

A Wonder.

Mr. Hudson Conover, one of our best farmers, and strictly reliable, reports that he has a Bronze turkey hen that began laying the 17th of last November and is still producing eggs at the average turkey rate. Up to this date she has 127 eggs to her record. The first hatch, under a chicken hen, was in February and they are good size. He has 53 young ones and the number of eggs yet to hatch is between 50 and 100.

For Sale.

Three nice cottages, two with six rooms each, one with three rooms, good water and out buildings, lots adjoining. The rental value pays taxes, insurance and interest on \$4,000.

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Box 222, Campbellsville, Ky.
Ad. 26-1f.

By examination of the Secretary's book of the Antioch Sunday school, it is found that during the seven weeks next preceding the first term of our school of vocal music taught by Rev. I. M. Grimsly, the average attendance of Sunday School was 32 5-7, and the average number of chapters read from the Bible per week was 159 3-7, while at the seven meetings of the Sunday School during the first, second and third terms of our music school the average attendance of our Sunday School was 68 4-7, and the average number of chapters read per week was 206 5-7 showing the average attendance, while the music school was in session to be more than double that of the seven meetings preceding the music school and the average number of chapters read by the school from the Bible per week increased nearly one-fourth. This shows what good singing will do for Sunday School work.

Respt.
L. Akin, Sec. A. S. S.

Maj. J. W. Ottley went to Cincinnati last week. He is preparing to put the Eubank pump on the market, and this trip was made to make a deal with manufacturers. Mr. Ottley's interest in the pump was recently acquired, he having purchased it from Mr. W. R. Lyon, of Campbellsville.

For Sale

House and lot in front of Lindsey-Wilson Campus. An excellent opportunity for a family with children to put in school, address,
Prof. P. D. Neilson,
Columbia, Ky.

24-f
One evening last week Prof. R. R. Moss and wife entertained the Professor's normal class, about fifty in number. Refreshments were served and the evening most enjoyably spent.

Deputy United States Marshall, U. G. McFarland, who was shot in Monroe county last week by Moonshiners, is reported improving. The ball passed through one of his lungs.

Mr. Wallace Beard and Mr. F. E. Webb and the superintendent make up the Board of Examiners for this year. They are now at work on the papers of teachers, handed in last Saturday.

About seventy-five teachers were before the Board of Examiners last Friday and Saturday. We will likely be able to give the names of those who were awarded first and second certificates next week.

200 Acre farm for sale, one mile east of Camp Knox, Ky. Reasonable improvements, well watered. For particulars call on J. A. Dulworth, Camp Knox, or C. A. Edrington, Gresham, Ky.

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