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LANCASTER.

Mr. S. B. Henry reports forty burials in Lancaster cemetery during 1899, which is a few more than in 1898.

If this zero weather continues we will not build our ice factory as it is cheaper to make it the old-fashioned way.

A phantom, or more properly a ghost party, was given at the Simpson House on Thursday night, when genuine fun and enjoyment were the orders of the evening.

County Clerk Duncan issued 121 marriage licenses in 1899. This fact and the coming of the railroad is sure to swell our population considerably during 1900. How does this compare with Mr. Cooper's work?

Bowers & Busby's minstrels gave a highly creditable performance at the court-house on Saturday night, which was witnessed by an appreciative audience which was not large on account of the inclement weather.

Manager Fissinger has engaged "Uncle Joe Spruceby" to appear at the Opera House on Jan 11. The company is in high repute, carries its own scenery and effects, has a brass band and operatic orchestra. Tickets at popular prices at Stormes' drug store.

Capt. W. J. and A. M. Kincaid, of Middleboro, were here last week. J. C. Robinson has gone to Frankfort to serve on the Federal jury. J. E. Robinson has not been well for several days. Eld. George Gowan has returned from Guntersville, Ala., where he had a good meeting. Hon. R. H. Tomlinson and Mr. William Jones went to Lexington last week on business.

The figure puzzle published in the INTERIOR JOURNAL last week has caused many combinations to be made and while it can not be worked by Arabic characters, in which it was given, if the roman letters are admissible in the solution, Letcher Owsley claims the prize. He adds V, VII and IX, the sum of which is 21 and he claims that six of the numbers are used. Is this correct?

No sir. The puzzle can be worked with the figures given.

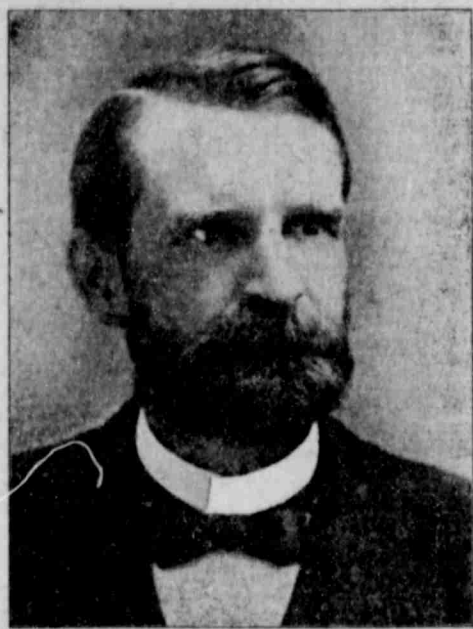
Knowing ones say that the extension of the Southern railroad will certainly run through this city. Our people fully realize the benefits to be derived from the road and they are pulling together to make it a certainty. There are no vacant houses and lots are being bought upon which residences will be built. This will be the end of a division and property will become more valuable. Come and let me sell you a home.

The Maccabees of Paint Lick gave a banquet on Friday night which was highly enjoyable. Sir Knight M. F. Elkin, of your city, L. L. Walker, E. W. Norris, J. Joseph and T. E. Elkin, of Lancaster tent, went up to get a square meal and they say that they were never more royally treated. I regret that I was unable to attend. I am proud of that tent because it is named for me and it is made up of some of the best material in the State.

The republicans, who claim to be immaculate and free from the appearance of fraud, are attempting to appoint election commissioners to fill vacancies in the face of the provisions of a law, which has been declared constitutional by the highest court in the State, and which provides that they shall be appointed in a different manner. Gov. Taylor should at least realize the fact that he executes the law, while the courts define it, and that he is subject to its provisions, individually and officially, the same as the most obscure citizen of the Commonwealth is.

Rev. H. N. Faulconer has gone to Wilmington, Ohio, to conduct a protracted meeting. Mr. F. B. Fissinger has moved his family into the new hotel, which is nearing completion and which he will open in a short time. Sheriff Sanders has moved to the Sweeney property on Danville avenue. W. McC. Johnston will soon move to his new, handsome residence on the Danville road. J. W. Sweeney bought of Rev. H. N. Faulconer a lot on Water street for \$300. He will build a residence. W. I. Williams has moved into the Doores property. J. B. Jennings is now traveling salesman for a Knoxville dry goods house. A. T. Anderson has moved on Campbell street. H. C. Hamilton and J. H. Simpson have moved on Richmond street. J. C. Thompson will soon move into his new residence.

In forming our new resolutions for the incoming year, let the principal one be to firmly resolve that we will be charitable, not only in giving to those who are helpless, but in our language in reference to others. The vilest thing in the world is the tongue of slander. It is worse than the dagger of the midnight assassin and it destroys more homes and produces more sorrow. Men are mistaken when they conceive the thought that they are good and all others are wicked. Cultivate the spirit of good. Help to bear your neighbor's burdens and restore your brother when he is overtaken in a fault. Remember that it is not the past but the



REV. R. B. MAHONY.

Rev. Richard B. Mahony was born in Clarendon county, S. C., Mar. 12, 1857; is an alumnus of Furman University, and after a course in the Seminary was ordained at Middleburg, Ky., in the spring of 1882. He has served as pastor Millersburg and Newport churches in Kentucky, and Columbia church, Tennessee. He now resides at Stanford and preaches to strong and efficient churches near that place. He comes from one of the oldest South Carolina families. His father began early in life to serve as pastor of a church in that State and continued as pastor without interruption until he died ripe with years. The church buried his body just back of its pulpit.—Baptist Argus.

Mr. Mahony has filled some of the best pastorates in Kentucky and except for failing health he would now be entirely in the service. He is a most indefatigable worker and has built up an insurance business of much value. Four of the best companies are represented by him and within the last 10 days he has written \$19,000 in life and done about as well in fire insurance. While attending the Southern Theological Seminary Mr. Mahony met and loved Miss Sallie Penny, of Stanford, who listened with favor to his suit and they were married Oct. 14, 1884. Four children have been born to them, two of whom died in early infancy. The other two are bright and comely, and promise to be of great comfort to their parents. Mr. and Mrs. Mahony live in a pretty and cozy cottage on Danville Avenue, whence they dispense the hospitality of a happy home and enjoy the love and respect of everybody.

Mr. Mahony has recently accepted a flattering call to preach for the Perryville church once a month, on the 2d Sundays.

Daniel Ford, who for 40 years and more had been the publisher, principal owner and editor-in-chief of the Youth's Companion, died a few days ago, leaving an estate valued at \$2,500,000, \$77,000 of which he leaves direct to charitable and religious institutions. Conditional gifts to such institutions are also made of over half a million. The entire Youth's Companion plant, with certain real estate, is left to the executors to be administered for the benefit of the Baptist Social union. Mr. Ford was a modest man, his name not appearing at all in connection with the paper. In fact, it was published by Perry Mason & Co., an invented firm name used to avoid a confusion of accounts. He was charitable in the highest way, though his beneficences were but seldom known by the world at large.

On the 26th of December we published the following, which has created much interest among our patrons, scores of answers having been received from all over the State. If the correct answer has been received yet, we don't know it, so try your hand. Happy Jack Miller says he sat up nearly all one night trying to work it.

1 1 1
3 3 3
5 5 5
7 7 7
9 9 9

Add six figures from the above to count 21. The first correct answer gets the INTERIOR JOURNAL three months.

HAVING A GREAT RUN ON CHAMBERLAIN'S COUGH REMEDY. Manager Martin, of the Pierson Drug Store, informs us that he is having a great run on Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. He sells five bottles of that medicine to one of any other kind, and it gives great satisfaction. In these days of grippe there is nothing like Chamberlain's Cough Remedy to stop the cough, heal up the sore throat and lungs and give relief within a very short time. The sales are growing, and all who try it are pleased with its prompt action.—South Chicago Daily Calumet. For sale by Craig & Hocker, Druggists.

Vast numbers of flowers are gathered for perfumery purposes. It is estimated that each year 1,800 tons of orange flowers are used, besides 930 tons of roses, 150 tons each of violets and jasmine, 75 tons of tuberose, 30 tons of cassia, and 15 tons of jonquils.

John L. Sullivan's account of how he "blew in" \$1,000,000 forcibly recalls the old adage about the parting of certain classes of people and their wealth. If all the money in the world were divided equally among the people, each person would get about \$30.

There are today 40,000 Negro students in the higher educational institutions of this country.

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NEWS OF THE VICINAGE.

James Lanter, of Williamsburg, died from an overdose of laudanum.

Mrs. W. C. Carroll, wife of the Lebanon jeweler, died of meningitis.

William Herring bought in this and Boyle counties a bunch of heifers at 34c.

Cashier W. H. Carrier, of the Corbin Bank, has run across several \$1 bills that have been raised to five.

A postoffice has been established at Brocade, Wayne county, and Mathey E. Denny appointed postmaster.

All Ex-Postmaster T. N. Edwards' effects at Lawrenceburg only brought \$100, when sold under the hammer.

The P. H. Journal says it is rumored that the train dispatcher's office will be moved from Somerset to Oakdale.

A little son of Cobb-Berry accidentally shot little Elijah Pursiful at Pineville, from the effects of which he died.

Judge F. R. Feland, of Lawrenceburg, who went to Wyoming to see after the estate of John Siers, brought back \$5,500 to the heirs.

Miss Lizzie Mears, managers the Williamsburg Roller Mills, and Miss Mollie Murphy, of Lexington, runs a wholesale pork packing establishment.

General Manager W. J. Murphy, of the Cincinnati Southern railway, has distributed \$320 among the track men as premiums for having the best section of track.

Mrs. Cox, wife of Van Cox, a Wayne county farmer, was seriously burned by her clothing catching on fire. Sarah Leavis, a domestic, was probably fatally burned in the same way.

Judge Wm. Catron, of Somerset, tried to quiet his little child by giving it his \$125 gold watch. The little one played with it for a while and then dashed it to pieces against the headboard of a bed.

Sel Devore, son of Supt. William Devore, of the Richmond Transfer Co., who killed John Miller, colored, waived examination before County Judge Million, and was held over to the grand jury in bond of \$2,000.

Miss Mary Jane Turner, of Middleboro, has sued the Cincinnati Post, its correspondent and agent at her town for \$1,995. She charges scandalous and libelous articles connecting her with the Sampson wife murder case.

Charles Yocum, while loading a shot gun at his residence in Mercer, accidentally shot and killed his wife. Yocum is almost distracted over the sad occurrence. Mrs. Yocum was 32 years of age and leaves three small children.

Columbia is a bidder for the new training school to be established by the Louisville conference of the M. E. Church, South. The committee met there last week and was much pleased with the location.

The post-office department has ordered the location of the Harrodsburg post-office changed to a more central part of town but Miss Orvie Smedley, who owns the building wherein the postoffice is now situated, is endeavoring to have the order rescinded.

Mrs. Samuel Brucken and four-year-old daughter, Mary, narrowly escaped being burned to death at Nicholasville. The child's dress caught fire, and Mrs. Brucken, in attempting to extinguish the flames, was severely burned. She is in a precarious condition and so is the child.

At The Colony, in Laurel, a general fight occurred, in which several shots were fired, and John Ball and Wils. Strong were both probably fatally wounded. Wils. Strong is alleged to have fired the shot that struck Ball, and a moment later Strong was shot through the thigh and body by others who were participating in the fight.

NO RIGHT TO UGLINESS. The woman who is lovely in face, form and temper will always have friends, but one who would be attractive must keep her health. If she is weak, sickly and all run down, she will be nervous and irritable. If she has constipation or kidney trouble, her impure blood will cause pimples, blotches, skin eruptions and a wretched complexion. Electric Bitters is the best medicine in the world to regulate stomach, liver and kidneys and to purify the blood. It gives strong nerves, bright eyes, smooth velvety skin, rich complexion. It will make a good-looking, charming woman of a run-down invalid. Only 50 cents at Penny's Drug Store.

In remitting for his paper for the 27th year, M. G. Cash writes from his Texas home: "I thought your paper cheap at \$2, but at \$1 I know it is the cheapest paper I read. Long may it live and advocate the same sound, democratic doctrine as of yore. I was greatly in hopes Mr. Goebel would win in your late State election by a good, safe majority, and if he was elected on a fair count, he should be installed as your governor. But on the other hand if Mr. Taylor was fairly elected he should serve Kentucky as governor for the next four years."

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Notices have been sent out by the American Steel & Wire Co's office, advancing the prices of nails and wire 25 cents per hundred. All kinds of shelf hardware was advanced 11 per cent.

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