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Democratic Ticket.

For President:
WILLIAM JENNINGS BRYAN,
Of Nebraska.

For Vice-President:
ARTHUR SEWALL,
Of Maine.

FOR CONGRESS,
W. LARUE THOMAS,
Of Mason.

A BRYAN CLUB.

On County Court day next a Bryan Campaign Club will be organized in Carlisle, and arrangements will be made to organize Clubs in every precinct.

Bourke Cockran has gone over bodily to the Republicans. He will vote the straight Republican ticket he says.

Every man in Nicholas County that wants to see W. J. Bryan elected should join the club to be organized County

GREAT CROWDS.

In order to give our readers the news in regard to Mr. Bryan's canvas we publish the following dispatch taken from the Lexington Herald, one of the strongest gold bug papers in the state:

"Cleveland, Aug. 31.—Candidate Bryan has been the object of no other demonstration more vociferous as that which the city of Cleveland gave him tonight, and nowhere, with the possible exception of New York, did so many people attempt to hear him talk. Two great meetings listened to Bryan; the first in the Central Armory, where 16,000 were packed, and the second in the Music Hall, which held 8,000. Afterwards he spoke to several thousand from the balcony of the Hollenden Hotel. Bands and marching campaign clubs were numerous about the streets and with thousands of strangers within its gates the city bore a holiday aspect. For two or three squares the streets about the depot were thronged when a cannon announced the arrival of the train on which the candidate came, at half past six o'clock. The Armory doors were thrown open at 7 o'clock. Fifteen minutes after, every foot of space was filled to the doors. Not only were the aisles jammed, but men were clinging on the window sill high up, and hanging in all sorts of impossible places. In both the Cleveland halls, as in most of the other cities where Bryan has spoken, police arrangements were utterly inadequate. The crowding tonight was almost as great as at the Jamestown assembly Saturday, and any sort of a stampede would have produced disaster."

We are opposed to the issuing of interest-bearing bonds of the United States in times of peace, and condemn the trafficking with banking syndicates, which, in exchange for bonds and at an enormous profit to themselves, supply the federal treasury with gold to maintain the policy of gold monometallism. Congress alone has power to coin and issue money, and President Jackson declared that this power could not be delegated to corporations or individuals. We, therefore, denounce the issuance of notes intended to circulate as money for national banks in derogation of the

Teachers' Institute.

The Nicholas County Teachers' Institute convened in the Graded School building in Carlisle, Aug. 24, with Prof. W. F. Ramey as Instructor. Supt. Rossell was prevented from attending by serious illness, and his duties were attended to by Mr. C. F. Martin.

MONDAY MORNING.

Opening exercises were conducted by Rev. C. F. Oney.

An Address of Welcome was delivered by Mr. G. R. Keller, in which he very heartily assured the teachers that it gave him great pleasure to offer them in behalf of the School Board, the use of the building and their aid and co-operation in any undertaking in which they could be of assistance. Mr. Keller always manifests an interest in the teachers and the cause of education which is appreciated. Mr. Ogden responded to the address in behalf of the teachers. He regretted that his response must be made without previous knowledge of what would be said; therefore his remarks would be hit or miss. His humorous remarks were received with a good deal of laughter.

The Institute proceeded to elect an organist and secretary, after which the majority of the teachers responded to the roll call. A Committee on Resolutions was appointed. The Conductor then gave an outline of the week's work and the object of holding an Institute; that it was a place for work and to discuss the best methods of teaching, of discipline, to communicate professional knowledge, and to get inspiration for the work.

The first subject considered was Spelling, and a paper was read by Mr. C. F. Martin, who dwelt on the importance of teaching the diacritical marks as did the conductor also in the discussion which followed.

... good working order in the school. As far as possible do away with punishment, though it should be used as a last resort.

THURSDAY MORNING.

Dr. Scudder was present and conducted devotional exercises.

History was the first subject on the program, and papers were read by Mr. Asbury and Miss Lula Rose. Mrs. Morford and Miss Sallie McIntire each gave methods for interesting pupils in the study. Mr. Williamson urged upon the teachers the necessity of imbuing pupils with the true spirit and purpose of history; strive to have them feel the motives and principles which have brought about the great changes in our country; that through the instruction of the teachers on this subject, much is to be accomplished for the future voters.

Excellent papers were then read on Habits by Misses Ham and Tuttle, after which Dr. Scudder kindly gave an interesting and helpful talk.

Mistakes of the Teacher before the Class had been assigned to Mr. George Carter, who was absent on account of illness. Different members gave their views on the subject.

Mr. Shy discussed The Teacher, and was followed by Mr. Ogden with an amusing yet instructive paper.

THURSDAY AFTERNOON.

The Value of Teaching Civil Government in the Public School was discussed by Mrs. Hoff and Prof. Ramey.

The next hour was given to the trustees of the county. The attendance was better than that of last year, but many districts were not represented at all. Mr. Williamson delivered an address on the Model Trustee and His Duty, which was certainly excellent. It is to be hoped that the trustees may more fully appreciate the trust that is committed to them. Prof. Ramey's address was on the Hiles' Compulsory Educational Bill. He presented the responsibilities of the parent, teacher and trustee in enforcing this law. Mr. John G. Blair spoke for a few minutes and emphasized the duty of trustees in watching over the interests of the schools.

ENTERPRISE.

DRY GOODS & CLOTHING STORE

IN A FEW DAYS

We will leave for New York, Boston and Philadelphia to make our selection of Fall Goods.

Special attention will be given to Capes, Jackets, Dress Goods and Trimmings.

We will also have a larger stock of Clothing and Shoes than ever before.

Wait until our stock arrives and you will see some goods worth waiting for.

SPECIAL!

If you want to see some genuine four-leaved JEANS in the piece or made into Pants, call on us during the latter part of this week.

HEYMAN'S,

Originator of Low Prices.

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DRUGS, DRUGGISTS SUNDRIES,
Patent Medicines,
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School Books,
Stationery, Notions &c.

Soliciting an inspection of our goods, we are,
Yours Respectfully,
HUTCHINGS & JAMES.
MANN BUILDING, CARLISLE, KY.

Fall and Winter Goods.

Breslin & Lee,
Merchant Tailors,

Have just received their Fall Stock of Piece Goods and Custom Made Clothing, and your trade is solicited.

Suits, Pants, Coats to order, on short Notice.

Custom made Goods---best in the market.

Prices to suit Persons and Times.

Workmanship and Satisfaction Always Guaranteed.

We have a few suits of Summer Goods that we are selling at a sacrifice to close out.

James Mann's old stand. BRESLIN & LEE.

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City Council meeting next Monday night at 7 o'clock.

Dr. W. W. Fritts has had ripe figs in his yard this year.

W. N. Sanford wants to buy a No. 1 Jersey milk cow.

Fare to Paris Fair this week 50 cents the round trip over L. & N.

R. L. Curtis and brother Henry have rented Jesse McDaniel's residence.

Wm. Soper and wife have moved into the house with Mrs. Margaret Donnell.

PERSONAL.

Dr. Cray Martin is at Swango this week.

Charley Day is visiting friends in Maysville.

Miss Josie Cottingin is visiting friends in Ellisville.

Mrs. S. P. Baird is visiting relatives in Maysville.

Miss Fannie Knox, is visiting friends in Covington.

Mrs. Ella Hackett, of Winchester, still continues quite ill.

D. M. Pease went to Louisville Monday to try the tobacco market.

Gaither Smith, of the firm of Smith & Veach, was in Cincinnati Tuesday.

Miss Mary Boyd is visiting the family of W. L. Gibson at Little Rock.

Mrs. G. L. Heyman, who has been quite ill for two weeks, is some better.

Mrs. H. S. Keller and son, of Frankfort, are visiting Mrs. G. R. Keller and family.

Mrs. C. M. Wise and Mrs. J. T. Crockett, returned from a visit to Illinoise, yesterday.

Hyman Piper, of Cincinnati, was here this week visiting his grandfather, Col. I. H. Piper.

Mrs. Lummie Ennis, of Fayette, was here last week visiting her sister, Mrs. W. P. Ross.

Miss Bessye Barlow was the guest of Miss Minnie Bradley, of pleasant Hill, the past week.

Miss Ollie Robertson returned Monday from a week's visit to R. M. Harrison and family of Bethel.

Col. Hanson Kennedy and Hon. Winfield Buckler were in Flemingsburg this week on legal business.

Mrs. Rodney Cord, of Wedonia, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Solomon Robertson, of this city.

Miss Lizzie Dimmitt, of Paris, and Miss Lizzie Sanford, of Hooktown, are guests of Miss Ollie Robertson.

Golden Rule Store.

Well, good people of Carlisle and Nicholas county we told you that when Fall came we would show you a nice stock of goods, complete in every particular.

WE HAVE KEPT OUR WORD!

We now have on exhibition as full and complete and well selected stock of

Dress Goods, Flannels, Ginghams, Cottons, Shoes, Underwear, &c., &c.,

As ever came into this good little city.

We hope to have the pleasure of welcoming to our store every lady and gentleman in the county. No matter if you don't want to buy. We want you to come in and see our stock. The "Golden Rule" will treat you right. We have bought our Goods LOW, and we will not permit any merchant to sell as good Goods at lower prices than we. We are determined to sell as many Goods as anybody, and when it comes to cutting prices we say with the immortal Shakespeare, "Lay on McDuff." We'll never say "hold, enough!"

Boots & Shoes! We have Winter Boots and Winter Shoes for everybody. Our School Shoes came in Tuesday morning. We handle the world renowned "Sussex School Shoe." Every pair guaranteed. Decidedly the best low-priced School Shoe on the market. All Boys and Girls who go to school should buy their Shoes from The "Golden Rule."

Fall Wraps! Ladies, it's time o' year now for nice Fall Wraps. We have them and the price is right.

Don't forget the "Golden Rule" when in need of anything in our line.

Very Respectfully,
Bryson & Neal.
"THE GOLDEN RULE STORE."

Will Book No More!

Everything is on a Cash Basis.

Positively nothing charged in the store.

All accounts closed to every one. None excepted.

This rule will not be broken under any circumstances.

W. W. HOWE,
Farmers' Bank Building.

State College of Kentucky
Opens SEPTEMBER 10th, 1896.

EWING FAIR!

Nicholas County Day:
Saturday, Sept. 12th,
Big Meeting!
Good Races!
Concert by Kentucky Brigade Band.

200 Mules Wanted!

I will be in Carlisle, Ky., on
MONDAY, Sept. 7th, 1896,
JOE KINDIG, York, Pa.

NOTICE TO Tax-Payers

The tax-lists for 1896 are now ready and the tax-payers are hereby notified to call at the Sheriff's office and pay promptly.

S. A. RATLIFF,
Sheriff Nicholas Co.

1896
-:-City Taxes !-:-
Are due. Please Call and pay them.
H. M. TAYLOR,
Treasurer.

Shoes for Men, Shoes for Women, Shoes for Boys, Shoes for Girls, Shoes for All!

It seems as though we had turned ourselves loose in buying our Shoe stock for Fall and Winter. The fact is, everybody is learning that we give a greater variety to select from, and more value for the money than anybody. In addition to our regular and well-known line, we have added some special attractions in Misses and Childrens' Shoes. Call and see and you are sure to buy.

SMITH & VEACH, Star Clothing Hall.