

We are authorized to state that Capt. THOMAS WORNALL is a candidate to represent this County in the next General Assembly of Kentucky.

FOR THE ADVERTISER.

DISSIPATION.

An evening perhaps may be well spent in committing to paper a few reflections which originated from occurrences that transpired a few days since at a muster. Men were there, who, though they exhibited no very excessive acts of dissipation at the time, gave indications of their propensity and devotion to the practice, which excited a transition of thought from those smaller scenes to more extended fields of misery, resulting from a practice so repugnant to the happiness of the human family.

When the practice of dissipation, from the weight of custom or fashion, adds gracefulness to its devotees in the view of a large portion of influential characters, its principles become more deeply engrained on the mind, and obtain new proselytes with a rapidity threatening, if not the utter ruin of the town, village or neighbourhood where it exists, the reign of consequences the most discordant to its happiness. Persons endowed with a capacity incapable of penetrating from causes to effects, convinced from direct observation that it affords a transient gratification, and obsequious to that unfortunate want of stability too often to be found with man, conform very often to the habit of dissipation merely from the bias of other men's practices.

And those too of its votaries who have already partaken, anxious to excel in whatever is accounted respectable, stride forward under such circumstances, into still deeper excesses. Hence very often arises the progress it obtains over many sections of the world. But when confined alone to indigent or ignorant persons, or those possessing but a scanty degree of authority, and when also viewed in general as an irreputable practice, its progress becomes not only retarded, but almost entirely suppressed.

This rule, though generally true, has nevertheless its exceptions. For how often do we find, in the midst of the ravage of dissipation, and that too to their unfading renown, men, both in high and low stations of life, firm as the rock in the distant sea, ever presenting its majestic top unmoved by the surging waves of the troubled ocean. The man who, notwithstanding the allurements of vice and dissipation, has maintained an unshaken stand to the cause of virtue and his own immortal felicity, desires not only the plaudit of an admiring world, but has proven himself capable, unbiassed in any condition of life, either adverse or prosperous, of discharging with safety to the extent of his capacity, the duties of any function committed to his charge, either by the public or an individual confidant.

Nor is it to be objected that it is necessary for the support of the peace and harmony of society, that we conform to the habits of men in their pursuits of dissipation. An aberration from a custom whose ultimate operations are in violation of the happiness of mankind, never renders us, even with those from whom we in our practices differ, any less amiable, respected or beloved; but, on the contrary, if we guard against a squeamish tenacity, and conduct our rectitude with discretion, it will not only save our reputation unscathed, and guard us against those occasional twinges committed very often on the feelings of the superstitious bigot by the uncouth burlesques of the dissipated, but it will also elevate us step by step into the confidence and esteem of those whose practices we have in our conduct disavowed. All orders of society will have a partial confidence in, and increasing respect for, the upright man, if, in connection with his rectitude, he carries discretion. The line of demarkation between admissible pursuits and those that are forbidden, does not preclude innocent enjoyments from the former, nor incorporate with the latter any thing more than what is hurtful to ourselves or fellow creatures.

A moral or even religious precept that would curtail our privileges, more than to debar us from the injury of ourselves or fellow creatures, would overstep the true end of human happiness: and one that would liberate us beyond those limits, would come under the reign of vice and dissipation. And to maintain a general observance to this rule, though its establishment may require some pains and attention, presents however no insurmountable obstacles. Nor do those who regard it with due attention and care, find it either unworthy of the trouble bestowed, or in any degree unfruitful in its ultimate consequences. For the man who was formerly circumspect, and has liberated himself to transcend those bounds but in a small degree, so as to range only the suburbs of the field of dissipation without remorse; who still

looks forward to the craggy landscapes it presents to his view, abounding with serpents that hiss and all kinds of noxious animals, yet concealed from his contracted and unsearching view by the superficial covering of variegated flowers and outside embellishments; the man who thus looks on with an unsatisfied disposition to explore more eagerly the fascinating but illusive and obscene waste that lies before him, the influence of which at first, like that of the vortex of the sea, illudes its victims into its embraces by insensibly enchanting their gradual advances to a length perhaps irrecoverable:—Such a one, we say, who has thus departed from his former circumspectness, though but in a partial degree, would do well to pause and reflect that his inconsistency is likely to bring upon himself and appendages, that train of evils which infallibly results from the practice of dissipation, and which we design in our next to delineate more distinctly.

A CITIZEN OF FAYETTE.

WASHINGTON CITY, April 20.

This city is now honored by the presence of several of our Military and Naval Heroes. Among the former, besides Gen. Wilkinson already announced, are Generals Scott, Ripley, M'Comb, and Smith.

General Brown, Com. Hull and others daily expected.

DEATH OF THE DEY OF TUNIS.

The French papers contain the following account of the death of Dey of Tunis. 'A letter from Tunis, dated the 3d of Oct. says this event took place on the 17th of Sept. It was the last day of the Ramden (the Mahometan Lent) and the prince had fasted 24 hours. He was surrounded by the grantees of the Regency, and the Courtiers, who had assembled all the hards, to celebrate the last day of the Ramden. He shewed no appearance of indisposition, when he suddenly fainted and expired, without convulsions or any symptoms of pain. He was 57 years of age, and had reigned 32 years.—All the princes of the family were immediately convoked, and Sadi Ottoman, the brother of the deceased Dey, was that night declared his successor. He assumed the reigns of Government without any obstacle.—The funeral of the Dey was celebrated on the 17th with much ceremony. On the same day Sadi Ottoman was saluted Dey of Tunis by the Divan and the Diplomatic Body.' The letter adds, that the new Dey is indolent, and rather remarkable for his taciturnity, but of a mild and pacific disposition.

The day after the ratification of peace was known on board the British squadron off New-London, a man who had been formerly supplying them with provisions, went alongside one of the ships with a boat load of refreshments, &c. The officer of the deck looking over the gangway, and espying his quondam friend, accosted him thus: "be off you rascal; we can trade with honest men now."—Col.

CHARLESTON, March 20.

COMMERCE—The hum of business again cheers us with its pleasing sounds at our wharves; and, besides the stars and stripes, the flags of most of the commercial nations of Europe are seen, almost daily entering our port. Already those of Russia, France, Spain, Portugal, Sweden, Hamburg and Bremen enliven the busy scene. From the number of those expected from the middle and eastern states, it is likely to be increased to a degree that has scarcely been surpassed.

MARRIED—On Thursday last, by WM. W. MARTIN, Mr. JOHN GORDON to Miss SUSANNAH TURNBULL, both of this place.

DISTRICT PAY OFFICE,

FRANKFORT, K. April 1, 1815. BEING appointed a District Paymaster of the U. States' army, I am authorised to pay all to whom arrears of pay, subsistence, &c. are due for services rendered during the war; and am particularly charged with the payment of the troops who served under Gov. Shelby in 1813, and under Gen. Hopkins in 1812.

The regimental paymasters, who have been regularly appointed and mustered on the muster rolls, will upon application at my office in Frankfort, receive the funds to pay off their respective regiments, upon giving bond and security as required by law, and preparing the proper estimates.

The commandants of regiments entitled to pay, will be particular in seeing that the paymasters come forward to receive money for their regiments. And if in any instance a paymaster has not been appointed, or from any cause does not discharge the duties, the commandant of the regiment will by letter recommend a proper person for the office, who being approved by the Governor will enter upon the duties.

All general and general staff officers will be paid at this office.

P. G. VOORHIES, D. P. M.

United States' Army. *Blank bonds will be forwarded to the different commandants of regiments as soon as their places of residence is ascertained, that the paymasters may enter into them with proper securities in their own counties.

For Sale,

IN ESTILL COUNTY,

A TRACT OF LAND, containing two hundred acres, adjoining Red River, at the mouth of Plumb Creek, about two and a half or three miles below the Red River Iron Works, well timbered and watered; both for stock and family use; has two excellent springs, about a quarter of a mile distant apart; improvements at them both. At the youngest improvement about seven acres cleared, with a very good cabin, and under good fence, and a large barn or tobacco house at the oldest improvement; there is about 50 acres of cleared land—all lays well for the plough; with about 50 or 60 bearing apple trees, a cherry orchard, and some peach trees, with a good dwelling-house with two rooms, a double barn and kitchen, with all necessary buildings; it is well calculated with water for a distillery. For terms apply to the subscriber living on said land.

April 29

MRS. SMITH

ADOPTS this mode of informing those whom it may concern, that she will again commence her School on the 15th of May next, in Mount-Sterling, where she will instruct young ladies in such branches and on such terms as heretofore.

April 29

The Sweet Springs,

(Near Estill Court House.)

ARE now occupied by the subscriber, where good accommodations are provided for the approaching season of using those excellent waters, which are supposed to be equal if not superior to any in the state. Separate rooms for parties of retirement and select companies, may be had at all times. The healthy, elegant and romantic situation of those springs, at the foot of a high mountain, standing in the midst of a plain, from the top of which all the surrounding country may be viewed, makes it highly calculated to please and amuse visitants. Pasturage and good stables well furnished, and accommodations extremely cheap.

Breakfast, dinner and supper each 25 cents.

MARTIN GENTRY, sen.

Estill, April 25

Will be Sold,

AT the dwelling house of Mr. John Brinegar, living in Clark County, six miles west of Winchester, on the 16th day of May next, the ESTATE of George Brinegar, deceased, consisting of sixteen likely NEGROES, HORSES, and other property too tedious to mention. Twelve months credit will be given by the purchaser giving bond and approved security. The sale will commence at 10 o'clock.

April 29

Five Dollars Reward.

DROKE AWAY, on the 4th inst. from Mr. Banks' stable in Mountsterling, a light sorrel HORSE, with a flaxen mane and tail, white face, I believe both hind feet white, and perhaps one fore foot, but not certainly recollected, about fifteen hands high, four years old. Whoever delivers the said horse to the subscriber at Mountsterling, or gives him notice so that he gets him shall receive the above reward.

JAMES CRAWFORD

Mountsterling, April 29

Notice.

FOREWARN all persons from trading or taking an assignment on a Note executed by me to Ewell Jewell, for eighty one dollars and fifty cents, dated on the 8th or 9th of February, 1815, and payable nine months after date—which note I am determined not to pay unless compelled by law.

WILLIAM THOMPSON.

April 29, 1815.

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

THE Partnership of the subscribers having been dissolved by mutual consent, they take this method of rendering their grateful acknowledgments to their customers and the public generally for their liberal encouragement, and of earnestly requesting those indebted to them to come forward and close their respective accounts either by note or otherwise.

JOHN BRUNER, VALENTINE LINGINFELDER.

Winchester, April 22

WOOL CARDING.

THE subscriber having procured new Cards of the best quality, has his Wool Carding Machines in Winchester, Main Street, in complete order and ready to put in operation—and having employed a man of experience in that line, hopes to be able to give perfect satisfaction to those who may please to favor him with their custom.

BENJAMIN HARRISON.

Winchester, April 29.

Notice.

THE subscriber respectfully informs his friends and customers that he intends shortly moving to the country, and earnestly requests all those indebted to him by account or otherwise to come forward and settle the same.

GEORGE KENADY.

March 25

Clark County, March 6, 1815.

TAKEN UP by Thomas Moxley, living on the waters of Strode's Creek, one black MARE, hind feet white, 6 years old, 14 and a half hands high, no brands perceivable. Appraised to \$25.

April 29

THOMAS WORNALL, j. p. c. c.

CLARK CIRCUIT, Sct.

March Term—1815.

Thomas Gains, complainant,

AGAINST

Alexander Ramsey, &c. def't's.

IN CHANCERY.

ON the motion of the defendant Ramsey by his counsel, and the defendant Robert Walker not having entered his appearance herein agreeably to law and the rules of this court, and it appearing to the court that the said defendant is not an inhabitant of this commonwealth, and that the said defendant appear here on or before the first day of the next June Term, and answer the complainant's bill. That a copy of this order be inserted in some authorized newspaper eight weeks successively.

A copy—Attest,

WM. T. BERRY, d. c. c. c. c.

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CLARK CIRCUIT, Sct.

March Term—1815.

John Sidebotham, compl't.

AGAINST

Samuel Lampton, &c. def't's.

IN CHANCERY.

ON the motion of the complainant by his counsel, and it appearing to the satisfaction of the court that the defendant Lampton, who has failed to appear and answer the complainant's bill, is not an inhabitant of this commonwealth, it is ordered that the said defendant do appear here on or before the first day of the next June Term, and answer the complainant's bill. That a copy of this order be inserted in some authorized newspaper eight weeks successively. And it is further ordered that this cause be continued until the next term.

A copy—Attest,

WM. T. BERRY, d. c. c. c. c.

39-8w

CLARK CIRCUIT, Sct.

March Term—1815.

Henry Dooley, complainant,

AGAINST

Josias Bullock, &c. defendants.

IN CHANCERY.

THE defendant Josias Bullock, not having entered his appearance herein agreeably to law and the rules of this court, and it appearing to the satisfaction of the court that the said defendant is not an inhabitant of this commonwealth—on the motion of the complainant by his counsel, it is ordered that the said defendant do appear here on the first day of the next June Term, and answer the complainant's bill. That a copy of this order be inserted in some authorized newspaper eight weeks successively.

A copy—Attest,

WM. T. BERRY, d. c. c. c. c.

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CLARK CIRCUIT, Sct.

March Term—1815.

Micajah Clark, complainant,

AGAINST

Josias Bullock, &c. defendants.

IN CHANCERY.

THE defendant Josias Bullock, not having entered his appearance herein agreeably to law and the rules of this court, and it appearing to the satisfaction of the court that the said defendant is not an inhabitant of this commonwealth—on the motion of the complainant by his counsel, it is ordered that the said defendant do appear here at the next June Term and answer the complainant's bill. That a copy of this order be inserted in some authorized newspaper eight weeks successively.

A copy—Attest,

WM. T. BERRY, d. c. c. c. c.

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CLARK CIRCUIT, Sct.

March Term—1815.

Robert M'Ferrin, complainant,

AGAINST

Thos. M'Ferrin's heirs, &c. def't's.

IN CHANCERY.

ON the motion of the defendants in this suit, by their counsel, and the defendants Henry Bowyer and Agatha his wife, Ann Madison, Thomas Madison, Patrick Henry Madison, and Peggy Madison, heirs of Thomas Madison, deceased, having failed to enter their appearance herein agreeably to law and the rules of this court, and it appearing to the satisfaction of the court that the said defendants are not inhabitants of this commonwealth, it is ordered that the said defendants and the other unknown heirs of Thomas Madison deceased, either in or out of this state, do appear here on the first day of the next June Term, and answer the complainant's bill, and the cross bill of the heirs of Thomas M'Ferrin, deceased. And that a copy of this order be inserted in some authorized newspaper eight weeks successively.

A copy—Attest,

WM. T. BERRY, d. c. c. c. c.

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CLARK CIRCUIT, Sct.

March Term, 1815.

John Allin, &c. complainants,

AGAINST

John Baker, &c. defendants.

IN CHANCERY.

THE defendants John Baker and Joshua Baker, not having entered their appearance herein agreeably to law and the rules of this court, and it appearing to the satisfaction of the court that they are not inhabitants of this commonwealth—on the motion of the complainants by their council, it is ordered that the said defendants do appear here on the first day of the next June Term, and answer the complainant's bill—that a copy of this order be inserted in some authorized newspaper eight weeks successively. And it is further ordered, that this cause be continued until the next term; and on the further motion of the complainant it is ordered that each party have leave to take depositions upon giving to opposite party legal notice of the time and place of taking the same.

A copy—Attest,

WM. T. BERRY, d. c. c. c. c.

37-8w

TAKEN UP by Stephen Collins, in Estill County, near the Red River Iron Works, two head of Horse Beasts, viz a black MARE, five years old last spring, a small star in her forehead, about 4 feet 7 inches high, both hind feet white up to the foot sock, has the appearance of brands on the near shoulder and buttock, but no letters perceivable. Also a black horse COLT, one year old last spring, both hind feet white up to the foot sock, no brands. Both appraised to \$19, before me this 7th day of January, 1815.

CORNELIUS NEUKIRK, j. p. c. c.

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Notice.

THE subscriber offers for sale the following property, viz. a brick House and Lot situated on Main street, in the town of Mountsterling, 36 by 22 feet, with a good brick Kitchen and Smoke House, a never failing spring, and a good Stable. Also, a two acre Lot, lying on the west end of Water Street, with two good log buildings, suitable for families to live in, a good log kitchen attached to each. Also, a Lot of Ground of 50 feet in front, 200 feet back, with a small log building, and a good brick smoke house, situated on Main-street in the town of Winchester, formerly occupied by B. and J. Webb. The subscriber deems it unnecessary to give any further particulars, as he presumes the purchaser would wish to view the premises.—For further information apply to the subscriber, living in Winchester.

April 15

Wanted Immediately,

TWO or three Apprentices to the Silver Plating business: those about the age of 14 or 15 would be preferred. Also, one journeyman Blacksmith wanted, to whom good wages will be given.

I will give the highest price in cash for Old Pewter.

All those indebted to the subscriber are requested to come forward and make payment immediately, as no longer indulgence can be given.

CHRISTOPHER MORROW.

March 25

NEW BOOK STORE.

JOHN MACCOUN, Jun & CO. have just received from Philadelphia a complete and elegant assortment of BOOKS and STATIONARY, consisting of Divinity, Law, Medical and School Books, together with a general selection of Miscellaneous Works, which they offer for sale at the Lexington prices, next door to Peter Flanigan.

Winchester, March 25.

For Sale,

A HOUSE and LOT, situated in a pleasant part of the town. Also, an Out Lot, containing ten acres. For terms apply to

Winchester, March 25

Boot & Shoe Making.

THE Subscriber intends carrying on the above business in the house formerly occupied by Benjamin Degett—he wishes to inform the citizens of Winchester and its vicinity that he intends keeping the best kind of Philadelphia leather, and the best workmen that can be procured, and will, at a short notice, be able to accommodate the Ladies and Gentlemen of the town and the public generally. He hopes from his attention to business and his exertions to please, to obtain a share of public patronage.

WILLIAM NICHOLS.

Winchester, April 29

Strayed,

FROM the subscriber, living on Four Mile Creek, two miles from Winchester, seven sheep; they are of two or three marks—four of them are marked with two crops, and an under-bit in the right ear; the others the same, besides the mark they had when I got them—they have all short tails. Any person giving such information as will enable me to get them shall be well satisfied by me, with all reasonable charges paid.

JAMES PRATHER.

April 15

For Sale,

ALIKELY MULATTO BOY and GIRL, the former about 14, the latter about 10 years old. They are both accustomed to do the business of the house; are healthy and well disposed.

April 22

Will be Sold

TO the highest bidder, (for ready money) or notes on any incorporated bank in Kentucky) at the house of Col John Martin, in the town of Winchester, on the fourth Monday in this month, TWO NEGROES, belonging to the estate of Charles Clay, deceased, to wit one Negro Man named Peter, and a Negro Woman named Lydia, which negroes will be sold pursuant to a decree of the Clark Circuit Court.

April 22

Notice.

THE Subscribers take this method of tendering their sincere thanks to their friends and the public for their past encouragements and of earnestly requesting those indebted to them to come forward and settle their respective accounts. They have on hand a complete assortment of HATS, which they will sell on good terms. They wish to purchase a quantity of good WOOL, suitable to their business, for which the highest price will be given. They also wish to engage three or four SPRIGHTLY LADS, who can come well recommended, as APPRENTICES to the HAT-TING BUSINESS.

April 22

J & B WEBB.

Winchester, April 22

BLANKS

For sale at this Office.