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## THE PIKE COUNTY DEMOCRAT.

Entered at the post office in Petersburg for transmission through the mails as second-class matter.

THE PIKE COUNTY DEMOCRAT has the largest circulation of any newspaper published in Pike County! Advertisers will make a note of this fact!

Mitchell wagons, all sizes, at Read & Limp's.

Mrs. John W. Stillwell is confined to the house by illness.

Mrs. James S. Wilson is visiting relatives at New Harmony.

J. L. Harrison, of Madison township, made us a substantial call last Saturday. Call again.

The seventeen months old son of Mr. and Mrs. Ike Brown, of Blackburn, died last Sunday.

Dr. J. W. Bergen left for Chicago, Tuesday, where he will buy a fine stock of books and fine stationery.

Ed Richardson, George B. Ashby and Frank Bilderback were at Indianapolis this week on business.

R. Harrell and daughter, Miss Maud, were at Evansville. Monday, to have Miss Maud's eyes treated by a specialist.

Misses Zola and Clyde Morgan, of Washington, and Miss Gleeson, of Cincinnati, were visiting Miss Ella Smith last week.

The W. C. T. U. will meet in the Presbyterian church this afternoon at 3 o'clock. Subject, "Prayer," conducted by Mrs. Dr. Hunter.

A. J. Fleener, of Wadesville, Posey county, made THE DEMOCRAT a call Monday. He is the father of our fellow-townsman, Martin Fleener.

Go to work and get up the necessary funds to drill for natural gas or oil. Nothing will boom the town as much as the finding of the one or the other.

The city schools will give a Columbia day exercises at the school building next Friday afternoon. An interesting program is being arranged for the occasion.

Pat O'Donnell, will speak at the courthouse next Monday evening for the republican club. Democrats should not fail to be present and give the gentlemen a fair crowd and a good hearing.

THE DEMOCRAT job printing department has just received an invoice of writing paper and envelopes. Business men should not fail to give us a call when wanting anything in the printing line.

Rev. J. W. Bain writes us from Gentryville, Alabama, to announce to the people that there will be services at the M. E. church next Sunday at the usual hour. He will return sometime during the week.

Reserved seats for the Columbian celebration on Friday night Oct. 21, in Fleming's hall, after Monday next, can be obtained at G. W. Pinney's store. Prices 35 cents. Admission at the door 25 cents. Children 15 cents.

At Alford, Saturday evening, a democratic club was organized. The club was named after Capt. Wm. H. Myers, democratic candidate for secretary of state. Henry Ault was elected captain. The new organization is well offered and will be heard from during the campaign. Lookout for the Alford precinct.

We expect to favor the public with a fine lecture course this coming season, if we are supported in the undertaking, we will give you the very best, we will select from the following list of lecturers: Hon. George W. Wendell, Ex-Senator Bruce, Col. Geo. W. Bain, Dr. P. S. Henson, Mary A. Livermore, Prof. Ladd, James Whitcomb Riley, Will Carleton, and a fine musical company. Respectfully.

BAPTIST COMMITTEE.

# DR. PRICE'S Cream Baking Powder.

The only Pure Cream of Tartar Powder. No Ammonia; No Alum. Used in Millions of Homes—40 Years the Standard.

Sam Marsee, of Monroe City Sunday in the city.

Don't forget the democratic meetings. It will do you good to be present.

One of the steam boats at Blackburn is being placed in first-class condition.

Read & Limp sells all kinds of sewing machines at reasonable prices. Call and see their new machines. 12

E. Garret, of Marion township, was a caller at this office Wednesday and renewed his allegiance to THE DEMOCRAT.

Fannie McCain, daughter of Joseph McCain has been admitted to the orphan home at Knightstown and left for that place this week.

Oscar Hammond, of Terre Haute, was called here by the death of Edgar Gladish. Mr. Hammond was a former resident of Petersburg.

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Of the Pike County Democracy Last Tuesday.

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And Drill for Natural Gas, Oil or Minerals.

Business Men are Still Talking up the Important Question.

There is no Doubt but That a Company Will be Organized.

Let Everybody go to Work with a Will and Boom Petersburg.

There is no doubt in the minds of many of our people but that natural gas or oil can be found in paying quantities, or if not gas or oil, mineral water containing medicinal properties would surely be obtained. While drilling the well at the Moses Frank corner a few years ago shale gas was struck at a depth of about 150 feet, and also while drilling at the fair grounds a small flow of gas was discovered, which burned for sometime.

The reunion is a thing of the past. Nice weather and a large crowd was a feature of the grand reunion of the old veterans of Pike and surrounding counties in this city last week. The business houses and Main street were handsomely decorated. Speakers stands were erected on Main street and in the evening the citizens and soldiers were addressed from them by able speakers. The Williams glee club, of Knox county, and the city band discoursed music on the occasion.

The meeting was called to order by Chairman George B. Ashby, who

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