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—M. PEYTON, Esq., has gone to Mt. Vernon on legal business.

—Miss ALLIE HUBBLE, the pretty daughter of Mr. Levi Hubble, is with Miss Sallie VanDerveer.

—D. E. CARPENTER, returned Wednesday from a business trip to Fort and Lexington.

1/23/1885

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6/4/1886

THE will of Levi **Hubble**, which was probated this week, appoints his wife, Mrs. Martha J. **Hubble**, and his nephew, L. F. **Hubble**, executors, and they qualified without security, as it directed. The estate is equally divided between his wife and three children, W. G. and Misses Allie P. and Laura **Hubble**, the shares of the two latter to be held in trust for the present by their mother.

4/11/1890

—Misses Allie and Laura **Hubble** took the train Friday for Lexington, where they will live in the future, very much to the regret of their Lincoln county friends.—A number of the merchants have adopted the cash and say they are well pleas

1/24/1893

from a very profitable visit there.

Mrs. MARY HUBBLE, Misses Allie and Laura Hubble and Lawyer L. F. Hubble were here several days last week settling up the estates of the late Levi Hubble and W. G. Hubble, before Judge Var-  
non.

Miss GERTRUDE Howland started Sun-  
day morning to pay a visit to her  
homefolks at Ghent, but, the wreck at

4/18/1893

—A marriage will occur in Chicago tomorrow (Wednesday) that will be a considerable surprise to a majority of the people, if not nearly all, in Lincoln county. The exceedingly fortunate young man is a resident of this neighborhood and is none other than Mr. T. Love Lillard. The young lady is the lovely Miss Allie **Hubble**, one of the most popular and accomplished young ladies ever reared in the grand old county of Lincoln. In fact, I have often heard it said that she absolutely as nearly approaches perfection in every respect as is ever attained. She is beautiful in face and figure as she is lovely in disposition. Love has indeed won a jewel, and he deserved to. He is an industrious and prosperous young farmer, and excellent neighbor and true friend, and what more could be said? I have never known a couple better suited. May the union, begun under circumstances so auspicious be always as beautiful and bright as the noonday sun.

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**GRAB ORCH**

9/19/1893

—Mr. D. G. Slaughte is

—Announcement cards received by friends here read: "Thomas Love Lillard, Mary Alice **Hubble** Married, Wednesday, September Twentieth, 1893, Chicago, Ill. At home after October 10th, 'Spring Hill,' Boyle county, Ky."

—T. L. Lafollette, of Parkersville, a widower of 51, drove up with an  
Jones, a four times widower and 52. Friday

9/26/1893

*BRIGHT, LINCOLN COUNTY.*

—As it has been some time since there has been any items from this place, I take the liberty of sending a few of our happenings.—Mr. M. E. Hall, of Wayne county, a partner of R. L. **Hubble**, (alias Took,) in the ownership of the celebrated stallion, Enoch Arden, is stopping with Mr. **Hubble** for a few days. Mr. Hall is one of the most enterprising and successful traders of Wayne county.—Mr. Sid Dunbar has returned from Russell county, where he has been visiting his father and looking after business matters.—Our enterprising townsman, J. W. Swope, has opened a sale, training and feed stable and is doing a “driving” business right in the teeth of the dull times.—Mr. Spence **Hubble** has just returned from a business trip to the mountains and reports times hard, money matters close and his trip of no effect.—Our veteran stageman, Capt. B. Dillion, is still making schedule time between Lancaster and Danville and keeps us connected with the outside world.—Misses Mary and Allie **Hubble** are at Lexington this week to attend the commencement exercises of Hamilton College and perhaps to take a peep at some of the Bible College theologs.—The Baptist revival at Providence is still in progress, with 23 additions and fine prospects; 8 were immersed Sunday.—The colored people of our li  
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Mrs. Alice Hubble Lillard, of Pawhuska, Okla., who is Superintendent of Public Instruction of Osage county, and has been an appreciated subscriber of the I. J. for a number of years since leaving her "Old Kentucky home," writes in a recent letter enclosing a check: "I cannot refrain from adding a line to tell you that the really appreciative, uncritical readers of your paper are people like us, those who have gone away, but whom the scenes of their childhood and youth are bathed in perpetual glory. We love our adopted state and believe in it, and are happy in its activities, but we do not forget the friends of our early years, and we enjoy hearing of them."

3/10/1916-IJ

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In the city that has long been his home was solemnized the marriage of Judge Harper to Miss Cora B. Gregory, and she is a popular factor in the representative social activities of Oklahoma City. Judge and Mrs. Harper have three children, Annabel, Wendel and William P., Jr., the family home being an attractive residence owned by the judge at 2204 West Nineteenth Street.

GEORGE A. JOHNS is member of the well known law firm of McCrory & Johns of Okmulgee, and besides a large general practice he is well and favorably known over the county as former county judge.

He was born in Pekin, Illinois, June 14, 1880, son of J. J. and Elizabeth (Weber) Johns. His father was born in Pekin, Illinois, but his mother was a native of Germany, and came to Illinois when a child. She is now living in Chicago. The father died at Quincy, Illinois, in 1896, at the age of forty-six. He was a merchant during all his active career, and had stores at Pekin and Quincy.

One of five children, George A. Johns, remained in the home of his mother until 1908. He finished his education in Northwestern University, where he was graduated in the law department in Chicago in 1906 with the degree LL. B. He was admitted to the Illinois bar in 1906 and practiced law in that state for a year or so.

In 1908 he was admitted to the Oklahoma State Bar, and since then has had his home in Okmulgee. In 1913 he formed a partnership with C. B. McCrory under the firm name of McCrory & Johns.

It was in 1911 that Mr. Johns was elected county judge of Okmulgee County and served in that office with admirable efficiency for two years, one term. In politics he is a republican and a Knight Templar Mason and Shriner. In 1910 he married Florence Collins, who was born in Binghamton, New York, daughter of Daniel Collins. They have one child, Ellen.

THOMAS LOVE LILLARD. An extensive and progressive agriculturist of Osage County, and a prominent citizen of Pawhuska, Thomas Love Lillard is a man of worth and stability, and enjoys the fullest confidence and esteem of the community in which he resides. A native of Kentucky, he was born, September 20, 1860, in Boyle County. His father, Thomas Madison Lillard, was for many years engaged in the cattle business, during his earlier life buying and selling in Charleston, South Carolina, and in New York City, his operations being largely confined to those two cities. Subsequently buying land in Kentucky, he devoted the remainder of his years to the raising of stock, and to farming, both he and his wife dying on their Kentucky plantation. To him and his wife, whose maiden name was Mary Bright, eleven children were born.

Remaining on the home place until after the death of his father, Thomas Love Lillard was well trained in the art and science of agriculture, which he selected as his occupation in life. Coming to Oklahoma in 1901, he resided at Ponca five years. In 1906 he located at Pawhuska, where he has since been profitably engaged in general farming, making a specialty of stock growing, in partnership with T. P. Kiger, being widely known as junior member of the enterprising firm of Kiger & Lillard. He is a democrat in his political relations, and both he and his wife are valued members of the Christian Church. Fraternally he belongs to the Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks.

Mr. Lillard married September 20, 1893, Miss Alice Hubble, who was born in Boyle County, Kentucky, March 3, 1865, a daughter of Levi and Martha (Stigall) Hubble, who reared three children, namely: William, who died at

the age of twenty-four years; Alice, now Mrs. Lillard; and Laura, wife of George Shelby. Mr. Hubble spent his entire life in Central Kentucky, his death occurring there in 1896. His widow survived him many years, dying in 1915, in Pawhuska, Oklahoma, where she had been a resident for eight years.

Mrs. Lillard is a woman of rare ability and accomplishments, scholarly in her attainments, and possessing a winning personality. As a young lady she received excellent educational advantages, being graduated, in 1882, from Hamilton College, in Lexington, Kentucky, with the degree of Bachelor of Arts, and in 1884 taking a post-graduate course at the same institution. She then taught a year in the Miller School, in Cincinnati, taking charge of the classes in English, after which she established a private school in which she prepared pupils for college. Subsequently she attended to the correspondence and banking business of her father, who was an extensive stock grower and breeder of fine saddle horses, and an able assistant in making Kentucky famous in that line of industry. The family meeting with financial reverses after the death of her father, Miss Hubble again assumed her duties in the school room, and after teaching for a time in Ponca, Oklahoma, accepted a position in the Pawhuska High School, with which she continued two years.

Interested in everything pertaining to the advancement of the educational status of Oklahoma, Mrs. Lillard assisted in the organization of schools, and since Oklahoma assumed the garb of statehood she has been a member of the examining board for teachers in Osage County, a position for which she is amply qualified. In October, 1912, she was appointed county superintendent of the Osage County schools to fill a vacancy caused by the resignation of W. E. Gill, and in November of that year was elected to the same responsible position. Giving such eminent satisfaction in the discharge of her duties during the next two years, Mrs. Lillard was honored with a re-election to the same high office in 1914 for a term that will not expire until July 1, 1917. In the performance of her duties Mrs. Lillard covers an area of 2,300 square miles, some of the schools of which she has the supervision being widely separated. She was elected to her present office on the democratic ticket, and has the distinction of being the first woman to fill the position in Osage County.

Mrs. Lillard is an active worker in the church, and is prominent in club affairs, belonging to both the mother's department and the art department of the Pawhuska Woman's Club.

Mr. and Mrs. Lillard have a fine family of children, three in number, namely: William H., Alice, and Mary Bright, and they have also reared a nephew, William Lillard. Mr. Lillard has in his possession a complete genealogy of the Lillard family, compiled and published in 1890 by his brother, John T. Lillard, an attorney in Bloomington, Illinois.

PROF. HUGH GRAHAM FAUST. To a rapidly increasing number of Oklahoma school men Professor Faust of Shawnee is becoming known for the ability with which he is administering the fine public school system at Shawnee and also for the influential work which he is doing in professional organization. Ever since graduating from college Mr. Faust has been in school work. He has spent about fifteen years in the profession, and is a man of ripe scholarship, of dignified manner, and of splendid character. He is just the man for the heavy responsibilities which he now carries as city superintendent of Shawnee schools.

A Tennessean by birth, he is a native of New-