

Phryne.

When the fairest of the women of old Greece lay in the arms of her mother...

"What is the child's name?" asked the Goddess, and the voice was sweet as that of Polyhymnia when joining in the chorus of her sisters to the song of the golden-haired Elector.

"Phryne," murmured the Ionian mother. "I adore her," said the Queen of Languor bending over and kissing the brow of the babe which crowded in its sleep...

The mother gazed, but the Queen was gone and the music which rang in her ears was but the echo of the smiling one's voice. The next morning, when the Ionian looked on the rose-tree, the flowers of the day before had shed their leaves...

Years rolled by, and the girl had blossomed gradually into the early womanhood of that sunny clime. Hers was a wondrous beauty and a surpassing genius. She had divined the secrets of the antique wisdom as if by instinct...

"Twice have you chosen," seemed the dream to murmur. "There is yet one thing to make beauty invincible and talent omnipotent. Earth is not all mine, nor heaven all blue. Were this so, man would long since have wearied of them."

The vision faded, and the mother slept and saw the twenty-four hours sweep round her slumber—the one dressed in rose like the dawn, a second in amber like sunrise, another in ruby like the sunset...

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WEDNESDAY SUICIDE.

A young lady named Keen, residing in Covington Ky., drowned herself in the Ohio river on Sunday week. Miss K., it appears, had received and encouraged the address of a gentleman whom her father disapproved, and whose visits to the house had forbidden.

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Candidates.

The Friends of Maj. A. C. SPAIN, beg leave to announce him as Candidate to represent us in the next Legislature. July 2d 1850. MANY VOTERS.

We beg leave to announce F. H. KENNEDY, Esq., as a Candidate for the next Legislature. July 2d 1850. MANY VOTERS.

The friends of Maj. E. M. ANDERSON, announce him as a Candidate for the Legislature at the next Election. May 15, 1850. 29 if

The friends of Capt. LAWRENCE H. BELSER, beg leave to announce him as a Candidate for the Legislature, at the ensuing Election. April 24. 26 if

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We are authorized to announce Col. JOHN C. RHAME, a candidate for the office of Sheriff, at the ensuing Election.

The friends of Richard B. BROWN, announce him as a Candidate for the Office of Sheriff of Sumter District at the ensuing Election.

We are authorized to announce Maj. JOHN BALLARD, as a candidate to Sheriff at the ensuing election.

The friends of William A. COLLOUGH, Esq., announce him as a candidate for Sheriff at the next Election.

FOR CLERK. We are authorized to announce DANIEL H. RICHBOURG, a candidate for the office of Clerk at the ensuing election.

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The exercises of the BRADFORD SPRINGS NORMAL INSTITUTE, Sumter District, will be resumed on Monday, the 4th of February ensuing, under the direction of Rev. EDWIN CATEER, assisted by able and accomplished Teachers...

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