"IN PULASKI

DR. L. D. JONES, FAMOUS STORYTELLER AND ALL AROUND JOLLY **GOOD FELLOW WROTE TO DR. BLAND PIPPIN IN 1902 SENDING A** POEM AS A POSTSCRIPT TO A LETTER. THE POEM APPEARED IN THE OCT. 3, 1902 EDITION OF THE PULASKI COUNTY DEMOCRAT.

"Old folks get the oldest, in Pulaski.

Springs are the boldest, in Pulaski.

The sky is the bluest, Women are the truest, And rascals are the fewest in Pulaski.

The Jackass brays the loudest, in Pulaski, People are the proudest, in Pulaski.

The streams are the clearest,

The stars seem the nearest, And the girls are the dearest, in Pulaski.

Cattle are the fattest, in Pulaski,

Poker players stand patest, in Pulaski.

Taxes are the lightest, The moon shines the

brightest, And people get the tightest, in Pulaski.

Everything is "larripin," in Pulaski,

There are fish, frogs and tarripin, in Pulaski.

If you'll go out and hook

The folks know how to

You bet we always took 'em, in Pulaski.

People take things easiest, in Pulaski,

Corn dodgers are the greasiest, in Pulaski. The eye is the quickest,

Pistol handled the sleekest, And whisky makes you sickest, in Pulaski.

Marble games last the longest, in Pulaski, Democracy is strongest, in

Pulaski. Coon dogs are the fleetest,

Sorghum is the sweetest, And politicians discreetist, in Pulaski."



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