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Frankfort Letter

Dear MERCURY:

This is the last week of the session of the Legislature of 1910, and it is being filled with work and excitement. Quite a number of bills are being passed every day, and the Governor's table is now covered with proposed laws, and he has the power now to make or unmake them. His veto power is now all powerful as the General Assembly has no power to pass them over his veto unless he sees fit to return them to the Assembly with his objections.

Among the several bills now before the Governor is one removing the Republican City Attorney of Louisville and making room for a Democrat. This fall created great excitement in the Senate and at one time the proceedings almost approached a riot. The Republicans 12 had the 25 Democrats in the air for a while but the Democrats took the bit in their mouths and ran away with affairs. The Governor will veto the bill but as it must be returned to the General Assembly it will most likely pass it over his veto. The bill granting pension to Confederate soldiers passed the Senate Saturday, and having passed the House previously it now only awaits the approval of the Governor to become a law. Senator Mathers offered a substitute for this bill in the Senate and while every Senator almost acknowledged his substitute the best yet they were afraid to endanger the bill in the House by amending it. Upon motion of Senator Mathers the Senate resolved itself into a Committee of the Whole and invited the editor of the MERCURY to address the Senate upon the question. In this connection the Courier-Journal said:

> The Senate resolved itself into committee of the whole with Senator Bruton in the chair and heard Editor Keller on the substitute. He said the original bill would amount to pauperizing the home and would put money in the pocket of every rich man in Kentucky, and the substitute would give a pension of $150 a year, while it costs $225 a year to keep an old soldier at the home. He also said the substitute throws subsequent around the old soldier and keeps him from squandering his allowance.
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> The Senate resumed its session with President Cox in the chair at the request of Mr. Keller—remarks.

As some of my comrades may wish to know more about what I did say I beg leave of my other readers to excuse me for taking up the space. In the first place I denied that any Confederate organization had ever adopted resolutions or taken steps looking to the pensioning of Confederate soldiers. I did however approve of the people of Kentucky making provision for the care of any old soldier who on account of age, infirmities or misfortune came to want. I wanted to amend the bill establishing the Confederate Soldier's Home by providing for admission of every worthy applicant, but in the event the inmate, or the one who was decided worthy of being an inmate of the Home, could be furloughed to the Managers, and permitted to return to any of his kin, and there draw an allowance of $150 per year so long as he lived and was worthy. The bill as passed is a very crude one, and yet it has as much machinery as the United States pension law. It involves the Governor, Auditor, Secretary of State, Adjutant General, County Judge, County Attorney and provides for the appointment of two or three agents to be paid to look after the pensioners. Senator Mathers' bill simply extended the powers of the Board of Managers of the Home who have already in working order all the necessary details for admission to the Home and the furloughing if this bill had become a law. Senator Mathers and I had the satisfaction of being told by all the Senators that it was their opinion that we had the best bill, but that the danger of defeating the whole scheme was their only reason for not adopting it. If the bill adopted does not work satisfactorily it can be amended next session.

The House passed a bill last week establishing the county of Wilson (named for the Speaker and not the Governor) out of portions of Pulaski, Whitley and Wayne. I do not know if it will get through the Senate but I do that it will not get "through" the Governor. The House is quite fond of its Speaker, and about forty Members have started a boom for him for Governor and he is real pleased over it too. It would be quite an incident if two Governors of the same name—plus or minus one "T"—should serve consecutive terms as Governor, yet worse things could happen. The Speaker is a young man yet and he may have to wait, but some of his colleagues think to wait is to waste time.

The County Unit bill was finally disposed of Friday, by being indefinitely postponed for the second time. It was quite interesting to see how often this bill could pop up, and how often it could stand a knock-out. Its friends say that this shows it vitality, and that it will come again in two years. Rumors have been circulated the past week that it would come earlier than that, as it was thought the Governor would call a special session and designate the County Unit bill, the financial condition of the State and one of two other matters for consideration. I confess I don't know that the Governor is goin to do, but I would take a bracket on his wanting the Legislature to get out of town on the first train. Governors and Legislators seem to be incompatible elements, and the greater the space between them seems to be most satisfactory to both.

There's a word or two I wish to add about the bill for the benefit of the Confederate soldiers. The bill was first introduced in the Senate by Senator Chipman of Pendleton, but on account of the better organization of the House Committee in Confederate Pensions the bill was passed through that body first, and Senator Chipman partially deprived of the credit, but like a true gentleman he accepted the House bill and urged its passage after the Mathers amendment had been lost. We don't want Senator Chipman to lose the credit due him in this matter. I should also add that the bill passed both Houses without a single vote against it, and Lt. Governor Cox stated from the President's chair that he regretted that he could not have a vote for it too, as he was among the most active Senators in the establishment of the Confederate Home.

Since the passage of the Confederate pension bill a very strong effort has arisen to confront the Governor and the State administration, and that is where the money to pay same is to come from. It is estimated that it will require something like a million a year, since the bill not only pensions Kentucky soldiers or their widows, it is so broad as to cover any Confederate soldier in his widow, from any state, that may now be a resident of Kentucky. I am not acquainted with the Governors opinion of the bill, but as he has made known his intentions as to other appropriations, unless the Legislature makes provision to meet them, I fear he may use his veto power on it. It does look to me that the Legislature should issue bonds or make sufficient levy to cover not only the deficiency now existing, but to meet the pension demand that will be made upon the State Treasury. If the Legislature fails to create a debt and make no provision to meet, our will it meet the demand of the people to say the Administration is extravagant, and let it battle for the money. This is just argument however popular it may be in some quarters.

Both Houses passed over the Governors veto the bill authorizing the recording of pooling contracts and fixing penalties for buying or soliciting the sale of pooled crops.

Senator Mather's bill, No. 224, regulating the placing of telephone poles along turnpike roads and planting trees on turnpike rights of way, passed 24 to 2.

The bill providing for State Inspection of Banks passed the Senate Tuesday and having been agreed upon by the House and Senate Committees on Banks and Banking, it will no doubt pass the House before adjournment.

The Special Committee appointed to investigate charges of corruption of Senators in connection of the County Unit bill reported that "there was nothing in it," just as I predicted.

G. R. K.

ORDINANCE

Making Tax Levy for 1910.

The City Council of the City of Carlisle, Kentucky, do ordain as follows:

That the City Levy for the present year be fixed at **seventy five cents on the $100** on the taxable property in said City, and that said seventy-five cents be distributed as follows:

GENERAL FUND 75c

And there is also levied one dollar per capita tax on each resident voter in the City of Carlisle, Kentucky, and that said per capita tax is appropriated to the General fund.

This March 7th, 1910.

J. H. FREY, Mayor.
S. C. VAUGHN, Clerk.

Baled Hay, Straw, Corn and Oats for sale at STEWART'S & HAM'S.

COUNTY CORRESPONDENCE

Items of Interest Gathered By Mercury Pen-Pushers, Who Are Always on the Alert

Cassiday Creek

Moving is the order of the day.

Miss Bettie McMillion, of this place, spent several days last week with her sister, Mrs. Chas. Myers, at Paris.

Miss Ada Roberts is the guest of her cousin, Miss Nellie West of Paris.

Misses Bettie Durrum and Rosie Hopkins, who have been visiting relatives in Frankfort, Ind., and Cincinnati returned home Saturday night.

Misses Aleen Curry and Anna Cannon, who are attending school at Carlisle, spent from Friday until Monday with their parents.

Mrs. Bruce Mers of near Maysville has been visiting her father, Wm. McIntire.

Robert Tout and wife, of Blue Lick, spent Sunday with N. B. Roberts and family.

Luther Vice, wife and little daughter, Lizzie Alexander, of Sprout, and Oren Myers spent Sunday with Mr. Shankland.

Miss Elizabeth Roberts, who has been visiting Mrs. Frank Burns and other relatives, returned home Saturday.

Union

Mr. Bruce Sexton left Monday for Cincinnati where he will attend Call and see his nice line of merchandise when he returns.

Mrs. George Bird and son, Frank, are visiting Dr. H. H. Buntin and wife this week.

Mrs. Margie Ratliff is on the sick list.

Mrs. Ben Bramblett who has been sick for some time is improving.

Dr. Elmer Buntin and wife of Bethel, visited his parents Sunday.

Moving is the order of the day in this locality, wagon wheels rolling in all directions.

Sunday school will be organized at East Union church Sunday. Everybody invited.

Preaching next Sunday by pastor, Eld. G. H. Fern.

Miss Pearl Pickett who has been visiting her aunt, Mrs. Lucy McCord, for some time has returned to her home in Winchester, Ky.

Miss Ruth Davis commenced her spring school at this place Monday, Mar. 7th with a large attendance.

Mr. Ed Kennedy and wife visited Mr. Ben Bramblett and wife Sunday afternoon.

Call Home phone 22 for high grade STEWART & HAM.

Mirada.

Robt. Barr, who sold his farm several weeks ago to John Blount, will have a sale the latter part of April. Mr. Barr and family will probably locate in Texas.

Rye Wheat is about completed his dwelling house and will begin building a blacksmith shop.

Smoot Bros. delivered a crop of about 20,000 pounds of tobacco last week which graded 25.

H. D. Clary, of Mason county, spent Saturday night on the sticks.

Mrs. Mollie Buntin, of Carlisle, spent a couple of days the past week with Mrs. Pickett Blake.

Our school closed last Friday. Miss Maggie and Parker Donnell spent from Wednesday until Thursday with their aunt, near Jackstown.

Joe Atkinson has moved and taken possession of his farm bought of Tom Rose on Stoney Creek.

The farmers in this section have been busy this week burning tobacco beds. They are making preparation for a larger crop of tobacco this year.

The Society of Equity will return tobacco Wednesday's and Thursday's of each week. It is convenient for hauling it on the sticks.

J. D. Craycraft has received a nice assortment of spring goods in his new prices. Call and see them.

DIED—Saturday last, the one-year-old child of Jesse Jackson. Burial Sunday at Locust Grove.

Hart Wilson delivered a crop of tobacco to Reed Bros., which he had sold at 14c.

J. E. Warner has moved to the farm lately purchased of Jas. L. Dunnell, and John Barr to the farm he purchased of Al Wade.

John G. Blair was in Frankfort Tuesday on business.

Getty Mae Jones visited friends in Flemingsburg last week.

Locust Grove

Avory Smart, of Bourbon county, was a guest of W. H. Cannon last week.

Mr. Gray, of Bourbon, has moved to Dr. Martin's farm.

Mrs. Jane Roberts and Mrs. Mike Roberts, of Carlisle, visited Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Roberts Tuesday.

Mrs. J. E. Craycraft and Mrs. Tevis Stone were guests of Mr. John Stone Sunday.

W. H. Cannon sold a young horse to William Dwell for $125.

DIED—On Saturday morning the little daughter of Jesse and Sarah Effie Jackson. She budded on earth to bloom in heaven, and her parents know where to meet her.

Miss Anna Lee Herrin and Mrs. Mary Lawrence were guests of W. H. Cannon and family Saturday and Sunday.

Master Howard Shannon has returned home after a two weeks visit to his uncle Robert Shannon at Mill Creek.

Concord

William Dalnell was the guest of Jesse Wilson, of near East Union, Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Smoot had for their guests Sunday Mrs. Lida Smith, Miss Mary Hester, Everett Smith, Grover Smoot and Taylor Bromige, of near East Union.

Mr. John Lambert and sister, Mrs. Mary Stone, of Moorefield, were the guests of Mrs. Georgia Hiland and family Thursday afternoon.

Miss Effie Moore and sister, Lula, of Carlisle, were the guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Moore, Sunday.

Mr. Tapp and James Dalzell went to Mt. Sterling Saturday on business.

Miss Mattie Barlee was the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Barlee near Duley, of Carlisle, Saturday and Sunday.

B. W. Kerns, of Owingsville, was the guest of his brother, Simeon Kerns and family, Thursday and Friday.

John Buntin, wife and son, of Bethel, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Crump and family Sunday.

Eld. T. R. Knox was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Wyatt and family from Saturday until Monday.

John Alexander and family moved to Carlisle the past week. We regret to lose Mr. Alexander and family from our neighborhood.

Several days last week the funeral of Edward Langley, of near East Union, Friday.

Miss Nannie R. Wilson, of Carlisle, was the guest of her aunt, Mrs. Laura Wyatt, from Saturday until Sunday.

Preston Logan and family were the guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Logan and family, Sunday.

Misses Annie May Hunt, of near Jackstown, and Leila Hamilton were the guests of Miss Maud Dalzell Sunday.

Charles Harney and family, of near Sharpsburg, have lately moved into our neighborhood.

William Crump and family, of East Union, have moved to the farm which he purchased several months ago from Rye Wilson, lately vacated by Mr. and Mrs. Henry Quiett.

Master Walker Smoot spent Sunday afternoon at the usual hour.

Ewing.

Mrs. Jeptha Miller visited her parents, Jas. Williams and wife in Maysville Monday.

Mrs. Angie Cord left Monday for a ten days visit to Mrs. Jas. Price at Escondida.

Misses Dillon, Grannis and Lutie Sherwood visited the family of James Williams at Maysville from Friday last to Sunday, when Mrs. Grannis returned home and Miss Sherwood went to Cincinnati to be gone a few days.

Mrs. Alice Hartenbower, of Covington is the guest of M. F. Daugherty and wife.

Chas. Ross sold his farm near here to an Ohio man. The farm consisted of 166 acres and brought $12,500. Mr. Ross and family will rent somewhere until they can buy elsewhere.

MOVERS—Mr. Clara Fuller and children have moved in with Mr. Fuller's father, Mr. Smith and wife. George Collins and family, of Crains, have moved to the Arrisinith property here. W. A. Powell and family have moved to the property sold by John Alexander on Euclid Avenue to Dick Fiers. Mrs. Phoebe Powell and sons are in Jeptha Miller's property. Dan Donovan has moved to the Commercial Hotel. Mr. Lomax and family have gone to the Porter place near here. Wes Dye and family have moved to the Given place vacated by Lomax. Al Sibert and wife have rooms with Chas. Cole and wife. Jas. Biddle and wife have taken possession of their home vacated by Sibert.

Saltwell.

THE SICK—Mrs. Mar Gaunce, Mrs. Mara Marshall, and Gratton Gaunce.

Miss Effie Taylor spent from Thursday until Sunday with Miss Gladys Snapp.

H. W. Cartie and wife, of Hedgehogtown, spent last Thursday with Mac Gaunce and family.

Mrs. Marsilia Perkins spent a few days with Sharp Tacker and family last week.

Mr. Malcom Armstrong of K. W. C. was home over Sunday with his parents, E. E. Armstrong and wife.

Miss Martha Turley was the pleasant guest of Miss Flossie Gaunce last Thursday night.

Miss Laura Fewback spent last week with her sister, Mrs. Dora Snapp, of Hartersville.

Mrs. Mack Turley, of Hookton, was the guest of her sister, Mrs. Yancey Allison, Sunday.

Mrs. Permelia Kenney spent last Tuesday with Mrs. Lucy Armstrong.

Miss Lizzie Taylor spent from Friday until Saturday with Misses Flossie and Lizzie Gaunce.

Our school closed last Friday with Miss Bridge Hickey teacher. We regret very much Miss Bridge's departure and we are sure she will be greatly missed in this neighborhood. She won many friends during her short stay and was highly respected by all.

The social given by Misses Hettie and Effie Snapp last Thursday night in honor of Miss Bridge Hickey was most enjoyable in every respect.

Headquarters.

Our 2nd Quarterly Meeting will be held here Saturday and Sunday. District Superintendent Dover, of Carlisle, will preach.

A handsome Epworth organ of superb tone was placed in our church this week.

ROSE—March 6th to the wife of Hanson Gaunce, a nine pound son.

Judge N. H. McNew, wife and daughter visited T. J. Turley Sunday.

Miss Mary Ida Fisher is confined to her room with an attack of grip.

S. T. Barlow is having an addition built to his residence to hold his new stock of buggies.

Mrs. Florence and family have moved to Robert Rankin's farm six miles east of Cynthiana.

The Daley sisters have moved to the house vacated by Mrs. Florence.

W. H. Barlywine has moved to O. R. Rankins farm in Bourbon.

O. R. Gaffin bought a pair of work mules from Mike O'Connell for $225.

Keller Boe has returned from Cincinnati sick with measles and mumps.

Take your Buttter, Poultry and Eggs to Stewart & Ham and get the cash. Home phone 22.

NOTICE

Come to my store for FRESH FISH NEW VEGETABLES, FRUITS, etc.

Don't forget I handle only the best Variety of

GARDEN SEEDS and SEED POTATOES

H. L. HENRY

SPRING

Is the Season for Brightening the Home and the Surroundings

Every home should have the greatest possible attractiveness, and the most possible comfort. It is impossible to have your home Properly Furnished unless you are constantly adding to it Desirable Pieces of

Furniture, Carpets or Rugs

What we offer in the line of Excellent Designs in Household Furnishings pleases the mind worn from winter dreariness. There is a genuine advantage in buying in the Spring

FIRST—Your home cleaning is accomplished and you have found exactly what your old furniture and floor coverings lack. Then there is a Freshness of Stock and a Beauty of the New Designs which both please and attract.

Our Showings in all Lines are Better Than Ever Before

TAYLOR & HOWE

Have You Heard Of It?

WHAT?

Why The New Millinery Store

—The WISE SHOPPER SEES THEM ALL BEFORE BUYING. If YOU DO, THIS we will prove—Our share of the business.

Quality, Quanity or Price

A JOB EXPERIENCE is worth something. It takes an Artist to make a hat, and it takes an Artist to Select one for you. We can do both.

Mesdames Mann & Motch

MAKING A NOISE

We do not want to be noisy but want you to know We Have the Goods.

When we bought our stock of Tobacco Cutter, Wall Paper and Matting, we were checked as to our plans for the year, hence we bought quite a LARGE STOCK which we are now making Special Prices on to Reduce.

We have a swell line of Mens', Women's and Children's Shoes and Oxfords. "Hanivanter" is the name of that Good Work Shoe. We give you a guarantee of 6 months Solid Wear. Try a Pair.

We are in the market for Cured Meats, Eggs, Poultry, Butter &c.

Come to see us, you will see we have a nice Clean Stock and Prices Right. Our motto "Keep the Quality Up".

Agents for American Field Fence.

W. F. CLARK, Myers, Ky.

PUBLIC SALE!

HORSES, PONIES, MULES, CATTLE

At Barn of W. ED. KENNEDY, Carlisle, Ky

TUESDAY, MARCH 15, 1910

STALLIONS

TROTTING HORSES, COMBINED HORSE, WALKING HORSES, WORK HORSES, MULES, PONIES and PONY VEHICLE, MILK COWS

W. M. MATHER'S well known CARLISLE CHIEF and a 3-year-old Red Cloud colt.

DUNCAN & COLLIN'S Premium Mule Mare; 9-yr-old Draft Mare; 3-yr-old Stallion by Mehery.

WM. COLLINS' 4-yr-old Draft Stallion, by Donnell's Stephon.

1 4-yr-old Black Jack, 15 hands high, white points, good performer

1 5-yr-old Black Jack, 15 hands high. 1 pr 3-yr-old bay Draft mares, extra good

Pedigrees of all horses furnished day of Sale.

TERMS made known day of Sale. For further information call on or address

GEO. W. BRAMBLETT, or W. ED. KENNEDY.

GEO. D SPEAKS, Auctioneer.

STUBBORN FIRE

Gradually Consumed the Residence of Mrs. Mollie Darnall.

The handsome residence of Mrs. Mollie Darnall was discovered to be on fire Monday morning about 8:30 o'clock by four small colored boys who were passing. By the time the boys had established the entire roof was in a mass of flames, and the fire worked its way rapidly through the house, making it impossible to save the building. The firemen worked valiantly but though enough water was thrown on the building to put out two ordinary fires.

It has been suggested, and the suggestion is plausible, that there must have been a fire in the attic several hours before it bursted through the roof, so when it was discovered the flames were covering the entire roof.

The lower floor was occupied by Mr. and Mrs. George Mobley, Jr., and Mrs. Jennie Arthur, most of their furniture was carried out, but was badly damaged. Their loss will reach $400 and probably more, as one can hardly tell what they do lose until they have to do it. Mrs. Darnall's furniture was on the second floor and a very small amount was saved. Her loss is heavy as the line of china ware, she had gathered a quantity of hand-painted china of exquisite quality, some pieces the gift of friends and some designs of her own, all were destroyed. Besides, a large amount of costly table linen, not a similar fate. The attic of the house was filled with valuable articles which go to make up a complete furnished house, and these were consumed. The supposed risk of entering the second story of the house while the roof was burning, with otherwise might have been removed. Her insurance expires December 1st, and is only for the house $2,000. Loss not covered with insurance, about $1,500.

The residence of John D. Allen, located within a few feet, was in great danger, and if it had not been for the wind the building was saved, as there was a very heavy shower of rain during the way. His damage will amount to about $200, mostly for the paint on the side exposed to the fire, and for carpets, bed clothes and the like, which were placed on the lawn for safety.

The residence occupied by Wm. Hollard, and a stable just back, caught fire but were extinguished without much difficulty.

Wm. Fuller, a near neighbor, was the first to enter the house, and on going in the door leading to the attic, it blood leaving him facing the flames. As luck would have it the door did not not have a spring lock and he hastened to back track to safer quarters.

The hand engine from Bentonville was on the scene within a few minutes after the alarm, and after moving from an empty cistern to a twelve foot well in the yard back of the house, had considerably in keeping the fire under control.

If there is one place people lose their head, so to speak, it is at a fire, whether it be the ones that are trying to save the residence or the ones on the outside looking on. Anyhow there was much excitement caused by men rushing up stairs when the building looked as though it was about to cave in.

The fire company was established in 1868 to 1871 which were in the attic were destroyed.

CLASSIFIED LOCALS

WANTED—A young lady to serve as apprentice with Residence Mann and Motch.

We can furnish your house from the parlor to the kitchen and at manufactures price. JAS. GEORGE, Jr.

Sam Veach has special low prices on all lots to get some cash next Monday.

Don't fail to visit the Brooks Emporium on March 22 and 23.

We keep our cash under Shelter and you dont pay for "Snow and Sleet."

Robert Barr Sr., will have a sale of Live Stock, etc., on March 28th. His advertisement will appear in our next issue. Don't forget to attend.

Sam Veach says he needs money and will have special cut prices on all lots for court day.

Rugs, Carpets, Stoves, etc., can be bought at manufactures prices from JAS. GEORGE, JR.

Mrs. Gus Ewert, of Erlanville, will leave Saturday for Cincinnati, where she will purchase an entirely new stock of millinery for the coming season.

If you want any thing in his line you should see Sam Veach Court Day as he will offer special cut prices for cash on all lines.

The Brooks Dry Goods Store will have their Spring of Millinery, Silks, Silk Dresses, Silk Skirt Waists, Wool Dresses in all the pretty styles on **Tuesday and Wednesday March 22nd and 23rd.**

There will be added to this Opening a display of Handsome Footwear for Ladies and Children.

Card of Thanks.

We take this method of thanking the members of the fire department and our many friends for their heroic work in saving our house from destruction by fire on March 7, 1910.

MR. AND MRS. JOHN D. ALLEN.

Cistern Cleaning

Get your order in early. First come, first served.

C. L. MATHER.

Personal

Lee McGahan is able to be out, after a weeks illness.

Lon Tribble and wife of Paris were in our city Sunday.

William S. Willett has been quite ill for the past ten days.

Mrs. G. F. Tempelman is confined to her home with la grippe.

Mrs. Ella Thomas has returned from a visit near Irving Station.

Jno. O. King and Al. Peters were in South Carlisle the past week.

Mrs. Mollie Darnall arrived Tuesday from a visit to Joliett, Ill.

Mr. Ben Young and Mrs. Walter Young were in Lexington today.

Fred Manley and family are the guests of H. C. Metcalf this week.

Mrs. Thos. South, of Frankfort, is the guest of her parents, E. J. Secrest and wife.

Mrs. Donald McQueen is improving since she has been in the Lexington Hospital.

Rev. Swindler and family will take dinner with Mrs. Angie Waugh, for the present.

I. N. Hanley was able to be on the street Monday for the first time for several weeks.

Mrs. Arch Morford of Ewing, visited her uncle, Dr. R. J. H. Tilton Saturday. The Dr. is improving some.

Mrs. S. W. Keller left this morning for Frankfort, where she will be the guest of her sister-in-law, Mrs. H. S. Keller.

Dr. Henry Hutchings of Dover, and M. M. Rice of North Bend, were the guests of D. J. Hutchings, who continues very ill.

Dr. Cone of Louisville assisted by Drs M. Dills and Wells, performed an operation for appendicitis on Mr. Jas. Dudley Monday night. The operation was successful and Miss Martha is resting as comfortably as could be expected.

RELIGION.

There will be services at Stony Creek church next Sunday morning and evening by Rev. R. E. Scott.

The morning subject at the Christian church will be, "Thou art Weighed in the Balance and Found Wanting." Evening subject, "The Essentials of Happiness."

BIRTHS

BANISTER—To the wife of Ora Banister, of Paris, on Monday night, a daughter.

MARRIAGES.

BARTON-BROWN—On the 9th, at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Tempelman, Mr. Leland Barton and Mrs. Lida Brown, both of Sylvia Station.

WADDELL-BURNS—Mr. Dan Waggoner and Miss Sallie A. Burden were married in the County Clerk's office by Rev. C. L. Bohon, on the 9th inst., both of this county.

WELLMORE-LAWSON—At the residence of and by Eld. R. H. Tempelman, on the 9th, Mr. Chas. H. Wellmore, aged 41, and Miss Sarah A. Lawson, aged 16, both of this county.

BOWMAN-HARTSHORN—At Lexington on Wednesday, Harve Bowen, of Myers, and Miss Evelyn Ellington, of Lexington, were united in marriage. The bride and groom will take dinner with the groom's brother, E. R. Bowen and family, in this city today.

Dr. and Mrs. William McClure Mills announce the engagement of their sister, Sarah Fielding Hart, to Mr. Joseph Hopkins Rice, of Louisville, on tot, Wa Va. The marriage is to take place in Jola—(Lexington Herald-Mitchelsburg Item.

Locals.

"Mound City Paints may cost a trifle more,—but—M. J. ARCHDEACON."

Itch cured in 30 minutes by Woolford's Sanitary Lotion. Never fails. Sold by Tilhman & Son, Druggists.

Figuk, son of George Carter, of this county, has been appointed a guard at the Frankfort Penitentiary.

W. W. Howe will sun the hotel at Turtlepoint this week. This is a famous resort and Mr. Howe has had charge of it before, so there is no doubt but the season will be one of its best.

ALL those having sheep claims can get their money by calling at the County Clerk's office. The Clerk has $403 to pay out.

Herman Wells, after illness of several months is now able to resume his duties as Carrier on Rural Route No. 4.

Don't miss Rev. Father Abbayen's lecture on the "Christian Beliefs and Religion of the Hindoo People," at St. John's church next Thursday evening March 17th. Admission 25c.

Card of Thanks.

I wish to thank the Carlisle and Henryville fire Companies, also the people in general, for their earnest efforts in trying to save my home and contents last Monday morning.

MRS. MOLLIE DARNALL.

Raise Your Own Cockerels.

Barred Rocks as good as the best. Pen No. 1, $1.50 for 15.
Pen No. 2, $1.00 for 15.
Good utility stock at 75c for 15.
Special price by 100. Reasonable hatch guaranteed.

MRS. J. W. BERRY.

Just received a car load of furniture which will be sold at manufactures prices.

JAS. GEORGE, JR.

COUNCIL MEETING.

Fire Engine Bonds will be Paid April the 7th.

City Tax Rate will Remain at 75 cents on the $100.

City Council met in regular session Monday night all members were present with the exception of W. F. Ross.

After the reading of the minutes of the preceding meeting the Mayor stated if there were any visitors present that would like to be heard. Mr. Holmes responded, and asked the city to let him get a few cart loads of dirt off the street back of the extension to Sycamore. The mayor left it with the Street Committee.

C. G. Dallas was before the council on behalf of the fire department and asked that the fire bell be placed at a point where it could be heard more distinctly by the fire company. The finding of a more suitable place was placed into the hands of the Marshal. It is almost a certainty that the bell will go up on the premises of the City's property.

Police Judge Jas. E. Plummer reported fines collected in the amount of $5.00.

City Marshal, Robt. George, reported delinquent taxes collected to the amount of $12.52.

The Treasurer's report shows a balance on hand of $4,252.74. This is a little out of the ordinary for the city to have a balance of the above amount at their deposit.

License to the amount of $102 were issued by the Clerk during the month of February.

Fire Chief W. M. Roberts presented his formal resignation from the duties of the fire department. He also handed in the applications to fill the vacancy caused by the death of James Laughlin, namely: Eulia Hall, John Swarts, Wm. Davis and D. D. Sparks. Sparks was chosen by the council. Eulia Hall was selected to James King stead.

The MERCURY was awarded the City printing for the ensuing year.

The cuts in the case of Mrs. Margaret Campbell against the City amounted to $131. In this case was tried at the last term of the Circuit Court and a judgment for $50 and costs, was imposed upon the city.

The tax rate for this year was placed at 75 cents on the $100, same as last year. See Ordinance in this issue.

The road overseers asked a permit to build a residence on his lot, recently purchased of Mrs. Louis Robinson on the corner of Chestnut and Main streets. He intends building an 8 room two story, frame house.

The council voted to pay off the last two Fire Engine bonds of $500 each. Only one of the bonds falls due the 7th of April, but as there is a surplus in the treasury it was thought best to take up the other and save interest. After all the bonding by our knockers we have a fire engine to be proud of; one they can depend upon to do the work when most needed, and the most gratifying part of it is, it will be paid for after the 7th of April.

The Patent Medicine man will have to give more of his "graft money" to the city of Carlisle hereafter. The license was raised from $2 per day to $10. Everytwo dollars is a small sum for the medicine man.

On the date of Kennedy & Brambletts big sale of live stock, the alleys running from Locust to Sycamore street will be closed so as to place exhibits in the alleys, and will be done in order to give them more room in front of Mr. Kennedy's stable for the sale of the stock. By-the-way this promises to be the biggest live stock sale ever held in this city. The sale has been advertised in all the weekly papers in our neighboring counties, and also in some of the dailies. The sale takes place March 15th.

Henry Galbraith was allowed $5 for the use of his team in hauling the dirt for the fire department.

All the monthly accounts were read and ordered paid. There being no further business the meeting adjourned.

Atwells, the $2,000 stallion which was purchased by a stock company a few years ago, was sold at Saturday's sale to Lighest bidder at the Livery Stable of Ed Bass. Jack Duncan, one of the stockholders bought him in at $1300. Amelia is a fine ronch stallion and is well worth the money he cost Mr. Duncan, but the fact of the business is there never was $2600 worth of horse flesh there. He made the season of 1907-08 and proved to be an excellent foal getter.

As we go to press we learn there is to be an operation performed on Jodie M. Brothers, in which his leg will be amputated just above the knee. This is the result of a case of fever several years ago which settled in his ankle and has given him much trouble ever since.

Mr. W. R. Thomas, of Winchester, died Sunday night of pneumonia, after a few days illness. Mr. Robert Thomas was a well known and prominent citizen. He was a native of Bourbon county. His father, Captain J. M. Thomas, died several years ago, and his son, W. R., took charge of the large lumber interests at Ford. "Sonny," as he was generally called, was the president of the Winchester Base Ball Team, and he will be greatly missed in this and other interests of his adopted home. He is survived by a wife, son and daughter.

S. C. Vaughn and Dr. G. B. Spencer, of this city, and S. C. Bascom, of Hillsboro, went over to Winchester Monday afternoon to look after headquarters for Carlisle Commandery, during the Knights Templar Conclave, which will be held at that place May 18 and 19.

BROOKS

Take a peep at our Show Window.

Watch this Space next week.

THE BROOKS DRY GOODS STORE.

1882 SAM K. EACH 1910

EASTER IS COMING and WE ARE ALREADY HERE

And are receiving additions to our stock every day for

SPRING

Our MEN'S and LADIES SPRING SHOES, LOW-CUTS and SLIPPERS are now on sale and OUR STOCK in this line was never MORE COMPLETE

Our SPRING CLOTHING is arriving daily and we can take care of your WANTS in this department with satisfaction to you.

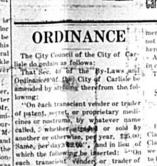
Meanwhile if you need anything to finish out the winter with, you will find that it will pay you to see us and take advantage of our regular low prices at this season.

In any event see

1882 SAM K. VEACH 1910

OUR LAUNDRY GOES WEDNESDAY

There's a Dark and Light Side



to the harness question. The dark side is represented by the man who selects his harness from a picture and finds the thing far different. The light side is experienced by the man who goes to

JAMES ARCHDEACON & SON'S

find a set of his harnesses and gets full value for his money. The latter can enjoy the light side. To do this buy from

JAS. ARCHDEACON & SONS,
Carlisle, Kentucky

ORDINANCE

The City Council of the City of Carlisle do ordain as follows:

That Sec. 1 of the By-Laws and Ordinances of the City of Carlisle be amended by striking therefrom the following:

"On each transient vendor or trader of patent, secret, or proprietary medicines or nostrums, by whatever name called, whether manufactured or sold by another or otherwise, per day $25.00. Same, per day $10.00, and in lieu of which the following be inserted: "On each transient vendor or trader of patent, secret, or proprietary medicines or nostrums, by whatever name called, whether traded or sold by another or otherwise, per day $100."

And that said section be further amended by striking therefrom the following:

"Peddlers of medicines, retailers of goods, wares, or merchandise of any description, per year $25.00; same per day $100, and that the following be inserted in lieu thereof: "Peddlers or itinerant retailers of goods, wares, or merchandise of any description, and not specially provided for otherwise herein, per day $5".

All ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

This March 7th, 1910.

J. H. FREY, Mayor.
S. C. VAUGHN, Clerk.

Notice of Dissolution

Having ceased the partnership of Clark & Bowen at Myers, Ky., W. F. Clark buying Taylor Bowen's interest, we ask all persons knowing themselves to be indebted to the firm to call and make settlement of same as we wish to clear up all accounts as soon as possible. Any one having claims against the firm will please present same at store of W. F. Clark properly proven and same shall have our attention.

CLARK & BOWEN.

For Sale. I have a new typewriter that I will sell cheap, and I will guarantee it to be in first class shape. Also a good 320 egg incubator cheap.

J. GAYLORD BLAIR, Carlisle, Ky.

Big Sale

CLOSED

Our big sale closed last Saturday as advertised, but we still have a great many

BARGAINS

to offer.

Our

OVER COAT

Stock is still to large and you have an opportunity to buy them at a great

LOSS TO US.

Come in and see us KNIFE the PRICES

Yours for Business.

ROSS & FREY

NOTE THE MAKES

We call your attention to some of the best MAKES to be had; in the market for an up-to-date Buggy or Harness. When you can buy goods that are Guaranteed and you know will give satisfaction, why not buy them? Our stock is complete along the Hardware line. We want you for a customer, so come in and see us.

Kaufman Moyer and Enterprise Buggies None better. Buy now while you can get your Color, Style, Etc.

We are Agents for the well known American Field Fence.

McCORMICK Disc Harrow

Best Disc Harrow Made

VULCAN PLOWS and Repairs

A Guaranteed Piece of Goods

Buggy Harness, Work Harness Horse Collars, etc. Stoves and Ranges Builders Hardware

TILTON & ALLEN
Carlisle, Ky.

ANNOUNCEMENT

Having purchased the Stock and Good Will of Miss Amelia D. Lee, we will continue the business at the Old Stand.

Everything Entirely New

We will carry the same line of MILLINERY, NOTIONS, C-B CORSETS, HOSIERY, FANCY and TOILET ARTICLES, ETC.

That Miss Lee handled.

We have secured the services of Miss Fannie Price, of Cincinnati, as trimmer, for the Season. Ladies will do well to consult Miss Price in Trimmed at Pogue's and also Designer at Wholesale Houses in Cincinnati.

OPENING

Friday and Saturday, March 22 & 23

Come and Examine Our Goods and judge for yourself.

THE MISSES HICKEY

—TO ANYONE THAT IS INTERESTED IN—

TEXAS FARMING LAND

I will be glad to furnish, them all the Literature and Maps they want, also explain condition to them regarding these Lands in South West Texas.

Frank Kennedy, Agt.

For Sale or Exchange

I have for sale some Wiltie Leghorn hens, or will exchange same for other fowls.

Sam I Holmes.

John M. Mathias will furnish you Green Carnations for St. Patrick's Day. Phone 149.