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A Candidate for the Legislature

Hon. Green R. Keller, editor of the Carlisle Mercury and one of the most prominent newspaper men in this section of the state, and who has taken an active part in Democratic politics for a number of years, is hereby urged by his friends as a candidate for the Legislature from the Legislative district composed of Robertson and Nicholas counties. Mr. Keller has taken a prominent part in the tobacco movements and is an advocate of reform in the present system of taxation. He has been active in the good road movements and other public improvement projects. Mr. Keller when questioned by The Herald correspondent at Carlisle, admitted that friends were urging him to enter the race, but said that he was still undecided.

Mr. Keller served for a number of terms as clerk of the lower House and represented Bourbon county in the Legislature several years ago.—Harrington Herald.

We republish the above not because we think we deserve what is said but as it gives us a start for which we wish to say.

We have given the business and road questions much thought and have attended all meetings held looking to the changing for the better of the laws on these two most important questions, and we think that we might be of some service to the people of Nicholas and Robertson along these lines.

If the people want us we shall be pleased to serve them, but if they think some one else will do it better we shall not be offended. We have seen so much of the difficulties of Legislation and witnessed so many failures that a seat in the General Assembly does not have the charm it has had for some. We should consider it quite an honor to be chosen by the good people of Nicholas and Robertson to represent them, but our life shall not be made miserable should they see proper. Rain than a very sick will on to chose another. We shall take occasion to discuss (which) some of the questions that are likely to be considered next winter, and we shall be pleased to have suggestions from the people as to what they may want, or at least tried for. We shall be rather shy on promises, for we has seen so many a happy soul wrecked by promises. If chosen shall do the best we know how to represent the will of the people who elect us, and get the best results for the State of Kentucky.

If you are for us tell us so, and if you are against us let us know that also, as it is much better for all that we be honest with one another.

COUNTY SCHOOL NEWS.

The following left Monday for Eastern State Normal School to take the terms there taking methods for teaching: Misses Alice Hulsey, Flora Elizabeth Conley, Jessie Hughes, Anna Matthews, Hester Patrick, Lucy Barnes, Elizabeth Tranche, Hattie Cann, Lizzie Lawless, Nellie Gray, Maggie and Zena Hopkins and Mr. Burton. The following will go next the week: Fred B. H. Kiser, Paul C. B. McGee, Misses Ella Scott, Ethel Mann, and Ollie Mann. Quite a number who were there last year will go for a ten week's term beginning first of April.

The Myers school will close Friday. W. F. Clark, trustee, there not about. Chairman of that business, has secured the services of Misses Parsons and Scott, who have taught such a splendid school this year, to teach there another year. Mr. Clark is a safe, sensible old man and he realizes that the hope of our rural schools is to raise teachers, and the good work begun than ever here, and also that so many better prepared teachers. There will be an old-fashioned spelling match at Myers school-house Friday night a box of chocolates will be given to the one spelling longest. This is given by the School Improvement League. Success free. Everybody invited.

Atty. I. R. Ross and Miss Inez Gardner, County School Supt. went to Frankfort last Wednesday to see if a permit could be granted to Mr. J. Strother, who is teaching in the Julia Graded School since Jan 1st. He refused was extended, and the Attorney General stated to Miss Gardner that they had tried to get a teacher, but could not find any, and had to put in their Secretary, Mr. Strother, who had taught several years ago in the Louisville Manual Training School, where a certificate was not required.

Strother does not possess a certificate to teach, and Miss Gardner noticed the Board that she could not pay the State funds to their Board until something

COUNTY CORRESPONDENCE

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

To Our County Correspondents

We have several more places in County Correspondents. Please report from your locality this week. We appreciate the work of our friends. Write us every week or two. Don't wait till the last day, as we are sometimes, then later than Tuesday.

Cane Run

Thomas Hamel delivered the last of his crop of D. P. S. tobacco to Reed Bros. last week.

Ed Rankin moved to Sharpsburg last week. Joe Hoffman moved into Cane Run.

Elections the past week were quiet and orderly. The best election we have had since the Gubernatorial contest in Cane Run, when home was attacked and guns were fired. Cane Run is proud of such a record.

Miss Sheba Coleman visited Miss Stella Thomas near Carlisle the last Sunday month.

E. Milton received quite a lot of Robertson County tobacco last week.

Edgar Shroat and family visited J. J. Shroat near Carlisle last Sunday.

Sharpsburg delivered the last of thousands of tobacco to Reed Bros. last week. Reed Bros. will have somewhere in the neighborhood of 30,000 pounds of tobacco. They have received from their farm at Hopkinsville.

Miss Stella Coleman is the guest of Miss Sheba Coleman near Carlisle.

We have heard no cow bells since the frost, but we have heard of a few hogs. We have heard of a few hogs.

Ewing

Manard McCabe of near Hill-man attended the week sales at Carlisle last week. Mr. H. E. Tilton, Saturday, George Collins was in Maysville to visit his brother, Scott one day last week.

A large crowd passed through town from Flatwoods on Saturday, Mr. Robert McVey is able to be at work again after two weeks' illness.

Sunny is home looking well after having been in the hospital at Lexington for quite a while, and was operated on while there.

Another of J. W. Pennington's chickens has fallen victim to the dreaded disease, diphtheria.

Mrs. Ida Wilson, who has been during at the home of her father, W. E. Robinson of Hillman, is now at home.

Mr. Ed Robinson of Hillman, was in town a very sick will on Saturday.

Mrs. Wright, formerly Miss Ella McVey, and sister of our Hillman nurse, are visiting in Mrs. Wilson's and family.

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