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THURSDAY, JUNE 15, 1911.

Democratic Ticket

For Representative
G. R. KELLER

DEMOCRATIC STATE PRIMARY
Saturday, July 1, 1911.

Candidates to be authorized to vote at one or all precincts and supported by the Democrats of Nicholas county.

For Governor
JAS. B. MCCREARY, of Madison.
WM. ADDAMS, of Harrison.

For Auditor
HENRY HOOBOYDT, of Fayette.

For Treasurer
THOS. S. RHEA, of Logan.

For Superintendent of Schools
A. C. LITTERELL, of Owen.
BARKSDALE HAMLET, of Christian.

For Commissioner of Agriculture
J. W. NEWMAN, of Woodford.

It is said that John C. C. Mayo is to back a new daily newspaper at Ashland. We have often wondered what John would do with his new found millions, but if this report is true, we know.

Judge D. G. Park, of Paducah, who sought indorsement for United States Senator, has announced that he is out of the race and will not enter the Democratic State primary July 1.

The man who is always praising about his own honesty and truthfulness, is a good fellow to watch. If a man is honest and truthful the people will find it out without his always talking or writing about it.

Ollie James says he has the race for U. S. Senator won. Mr. Paynter says Ollie is mistaken, and we say we shall know more about it after the first of July. You can ask some Lexington and Carlisle folks about these auto election "sure things."

It is more than likely that the annual reunion of Morgan's Men will not be held at Parks Hill this year, as it is desired to make the occasion of the unveiling of the Morgan Monument at Lexington the greatest meeting Morgan's Men have held since the war. This is not authoritative but it is more than likely true.

In Bourbon County, Hon. S. G. Clay has been declared the nominee for the General Assembly. Mr. Clay served his county the past session with honor and credit and Bourbon does her usual sensible way by endorsing him. Mr. Clay does not stump Orphry but we know there was not a more effective and valuable Representative in the last Assembly, than the "gentleman from Bourbon."

Will Be Heard From Later

Judge Foster V. Cox, one of Carlisle's promising young Democrats, and a recent candidate for legislative honors, was at the Leland Sunday. Judge Cox was beaten for the nomination for representative by the veteran editor, Green R. Kelley, by a small majority. Judge Cox is a young man and will be heard from later, his friends declare.—Lexington Herald.

About the funniest efforts at free advertising adopted by the United Literary Bureau, is the one put forth by the Lumbermen of the North West in their fight against "free lumber from Canada." Evidently the lumber barons take the newspaper men for a lot of rank suckers to think they would believe that the way to get cheap lumber is to keep the tariff so high that the great forests of Canada could not be drawn upon to furnish the people material to build homes and barns.

In the County Conventions held in the various counties in the second Railroad district Monday, W. F. Klair of Lexington, received more instructed votes than necessary to nominate. The fight made against him because he was a hotel proprietor, consequently conducted a saloon, seems to us to be not according to the strict spirit of true charity, for the chances are that if he is elected railroad commissioner he will quit the saloon business, and this is what some folks want every body to do.

For strickly home killed meats see Hall Bros. Both Phones.

Chicago keeps in the lead in up-to-date enterprises. The latest business organization discovered there is "the house burners society"—a regular organization that makes contracts to set fire to houses and stocks of goods heavily insured, and see that no suspicion falls upon the proprietor. That's going some!

Addams Boomers

Circuit Judge L. P. Fryer, County Judge T. E. King, Mayor M. C. Swinford, County Clerk Wm. Curle, Sheriff Louis Furnish, Master Commissioner Hanson Peterson, and Banker Dan R. Kimbrough, of Harrison county, were the Addams Boomers here on Monday. They circulated free cards bearing "Harrison County asks your support of her favorite son Wm Addams for Governor" at the Primary Election, Saturday, July 1st, 1911." They received many promises of neighborly intentions. Mr. Addams has many more supporters on account of their visit.

Good Road Argument

Mayor Head of Louisville, himself a large land owner, writing to a road meeting in Allen county pens the following concisely stated truth:

"The dismal days of mud and mire are passing and every highway must be made passable in every season of the year. Farmers are learning that the conservation of time is one of the chief factors in creating wealth and that every hour lost in hauling their products over broken roads reduces the value of production on the farm. Bad roads consume time, which is the equivalent of labor, and the labor costs a dollar and more and broken gear is labor taken away from the farm, where it would have been producing and given to a task that produces nothing save profanity.

CANDIDATES VISIT US

On Monday last Carlisle had her first liberal visit of candidates for State offices, and during the day our people had the pleasure of meeting two candidates for Lt. Governor, one for State Attorney General, one for Commissioner and a host of enthusiastic Addams boomers from Harrison County. Hon. Thos. G. Stuart, of Winchester, candidate for Lt. Governor spent the morning with us laying his claims before our folks, while Hon. James P. Edwards, of Louisville, candidate for the same office, addressed a good crowd of voters at the Court House in the afternoon. Hon. James Garnett, of Adair County, candidate for Attorney General, spent the half day here mixing about, and Hon. J. W. Newman, of Woodford, candidate for Commissioner of Agriculture, put in some good work for himself.

The half dozen or more of Harrison live workers were busy asking the voters of Nicholas to do the neighborly act by supporting Harrison's favorite son for Governor.

The day was a lively one politically.

The Harrison county grand jury has recommended to the Fiscal Court that the necessary steps be taken to build that county a new court house.

No. 9866

REPORT
TO THE COMMISSION OF

The First National Bank at Carlisle

In the State of Kentucky, at the close of business June 7th, 1911.

RESOURCES

Loans and discounts	[illegible]
Overdrafts, unsecured	[illegible]
U. S. bonds to secure circulation	[illegible]
U. S. bonds to secure U. S. deposits	[illegible]
U. S. bonds on hand	[illegible]
Premiums on U. S. Bonds	[illegible]
Bonds, Securities, etc.	[illegible]
Banking house, furniture and fixtures	[illegible]
Due from approved reserve agents	[illegible]
Due from State and Private Banks and Bankers, Trust Companies and Savings Banks	[illegible]
Due from National Banks (not reserve agents)	[illegible]
Checks and other Cash Items	[illegible]
Notes of other National Banks	[illegible]
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents	[illegible]
Lawful money reserve in bank, viz: Specie	[illegible]
Legal tender notes	[illegible]
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5 per cent of circulation)	[illegible]
Due from U. S. Treasurer	[illegible]
Total	[illegible]

LIABILITIES

Capital stock paid in	[illegible]
Surplus fund	[illegible]
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	[illegible]
National bank notes outstanding	[illegible]
State Bank Notes outstanding	None
Due to National Banks	[illegible]
Due to State and Private Banks and Bankers	[illegible]
Individual deposit subject to check	[illegible]
Demand certificates of deposit	[illegible]
Total	[illegible]

State of Kentucky, County of Nicholas, ss:
I, T. H. PURNELL, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.
T. H. PURNELL, Cashier.
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13th day of June, 1911.
[illegible] P. S. N. C.
Correct—Attest:
J. W. HALL, } Directors
J. M. KELLER, }
H. S. LEACH }

Men's and Ladies' Oxfords at reduced prices at Ettrons.

Rat Killing Day

Having learned that the rats are becoming quite plentiful again, I, G. R. Keller, grand high commander of the Rat Slayers, call upon the people of Nicholas to get busy on and after Tuesday, July 3rd, 1911, and of course as near exterminating the pests as is possible for poor, weak and slow man to do. It will save you many dollars to pay attention to this proclamation.

G. R. KELLER, G. H. C.

The Government's June report indicates the greatest wheat crop in the history of the United States. The spring wheat acreage is given at 20,252,000 acres, condition 94.6 and yield 13.7 bushels per acre. The winter wheat acreage is 31,362,000 acres, condition 90.4 and yield 15.5 bushels per acre.

We call attention to the letter on our first page today from Arthur Mattlage in regard to his candidacy for Sheriff. We are glad to say that we had no idea that Mr. Mattlage had any such himself hope or ambition, and we assure him that we are thankful for his good services in the past and will be good in encouraging others in the good work of improving the breed of stock in Nicholas county. We know of no Pittsburg horse that could beat Mattlage's Hackton, for instance, in a race in the county. If any others of our stock could have anything good we should be glad to see them.

The attempt to have a public meeting Monday in the interest of taking steps looking to the improvement of a Lower Main Turnpike Macadamized here, was a failure, but that need not be taken as a discouragement for the effort is to be renewed. There was never a better time. Everybody is busy and we do not see how any one can object to the people's interests in the matter. Some make the objection that the Lexington fair season were sufficient to the expense of a public meeting, but money was to great for the interests Carlisle should be to permit from which the crops of all kinds are now being shipped, and a Lower Lexington fair season will not be missed by the people.

The Crop in Central Kentucky

The editor of the Mercury has been through Central Kentucky the past week and as we have always been a careful note of the conditions, we feel safe in saying that the crop prospects are better than it was July 1st, 1910. Between Paris and Lexington the wheat is fully as good as it was last year, and in some fields better than it was then. Corn is looking fine and will be a full crop if the season is favorable. Between Lexington and Louisville the outlook was never better. Tobacco plants are looking fine and the farmers are busy cultivating their crops. Everything is looking encouragingly in the Blue Grass section and the farmers are feeling first rate. The rains have been just what were needed to start things and the farmers are feeling first rate and in fact everybody is feeling good. While we do not want to be understood as making any boasts, we will say that we have seen the crop reports from the west, and we have seen the crop reports from the east, and we have seen the crop reports from the south, and we have seen the crop reports from the north, and we have seen the crop reports from the east, and we have seen the crop reports from the west