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FOR CONGRESS.

We are authorized to announce
HON. W. J. FIELDS
as a candidate for Congress from the Ninth District of Kentucky, subject to the action of the voters of the Democratic party, in the Primary, August 1, 1914

Old Settler's Day

There is no organization in the county which deserves more support and encouragement than the association of Old Settlers of Nicholas County. That Old Settler's Day is not the event that it was in years past, should be a matter of regret to all of our citizens, both young and old. By a majority vote taken at the meeting held here Saturday, it was decided to continue the annual meetings, and a committee was appointed to make arrangements for adequate entertainment of the members of the association when they meet next year. We are glad that the meetings are to be continued. We feel ashamed that lack of interest should make necessary the taking of such a vote. We of the younger generation are, by our lack of interest, largely responsible, perhaps. The Mercury, however, pledge itself to do all in its power next year to arouse interest in Old Settler's Day. The age is not so fast; the pursuit of money not so all important, but that we all may may pause a moment to enjoy the quiet pleasures of reminiscence with those whom thoughts of the past mean a reincarnation of their youth, a glimpse of the splendid hope of their young manhood. Let the arrangements for next year be made now.

Rural School News

Last week we spent several days driving over the county inspecting school property where repairs are to be made this year. We find that some of the school districts take excellent care of their school property and it is a good index of the interest the people of the district have in education. We found other districts where new houses have been built, where repairs after repairs have been made, and yet the school property was found last week without buildings, torn to pieces, doors standing open, locks broken, window panes broken and pumps lying across the tops of the cisterns. We are glad to say that only a very few have such deplorable conditions as these. Not only are the trustee and teacher responsible for the school property, but every citizen of the district should feel responsible for their school property and a pride in its appearance.

The County Board of Education was called to meet in the Superintendent's office last Saturday to open bids for the new school house at Hooktown. The bidders were Butler & Sheeler of Millersburg, whose bid was $1137 87 less $40 for a concrete foundation; Geo. H. Mattox, Barterville, whose bid was $975, less $75 for the old school house; O. H. Hamilton's bid for the same building was $989. The contract was awarded to Mr. Mattox. He has built two of these houses for the county and ought to know the cost.

The bids were opened for the cloak rooms at Goose Creek school house, but the contract was not given as the Board decided to advertise for bids as they were only advertised one week.

The bids for the fencing and outbuildings at Blue Licks and Ellisville were opened. The bidders were: Endicott Bros. for the two places, $25; and Ben Prather, $20, who was given the contract.

The County Board passed some very important resolutions relative to the care of the school property, last Saturday, which will be published next week.

The Board elected Miss Leila Kerns, Principal of Myers school, and Mr. Price, of Richmond, Principal of Moorefield school. The time of opening the schools was set for the second Monday in August. The teachers' contracts will be signed the last day of the week of preparation. Teachers should arrange their vacation accordingly.

Persons wishing to see plans and specifications for repair work as advertised in the bids must come before Saturday afternoon, June 20th, as I leave that afternoon for Louisville, to attend the Fern Creek Chautauqua.

All bids for work must be in this office by Saturday, June 27 at 1:30 p. m.

Be sure to read next week's school news.

LIDA E. GARDNER, Co. Supt.

Good Old English Custom.

There was an old-fashioned custom on the English road, which I suspect is now obsolete, or practiced only by the vulgar. Journeys of length being made on horseback, and, of course by brief stages, it was usual always to make a halt on the Sunday in some town where the traveler might attend divine service and his horse have the benefit of the day of rest, the institution of which is as humane to our brute laborers as profitable to ourselves. A counterpart to this decent practice, and a remnant of old English hospitality, was, that the landlord of a principal inn laid aside his character of a publican on the seventh day, and invited the guests who chanced to be within his walls to take a part of his family beef and pudding. This invitation was usually complied with by all whose distinguished rank did not induce them to think compliance a derogation; and the proposal of a bottle of wine after dinner, to drink the landlord's health, was the only recompense ever offered or accepted.—Sir Walter Scott.

Stoney Creek

Mrs. W. H. Purcell and Mrs. Charles Conyers are both quite ill at this writing.

Mrs Sallie Smith, of Morning Glory, visited John Pumphrey and wife last week.

Cecil Scott and wife, of Carlisle, visited T. V. Sellers and wife, from Saturday until Monday.

Miss Pearl Douglas, of Ruddles' Mills, was the guest of Mrs. Bruce Hughes, Saturday.

R. S. Hardin and family and Miss Ruth Ledford, of Maple Grove, visited relatives and friends here Sunday.

Mrs Gilbert Sellers, of Bald Hill, spent Sunday with T. V. Sellers and wife.

W. M King, of Lawrenceburg, visited W. H. Purcell and family last week.

A large crowd attended Children's Day Exercises, here, Sunday.

Final Tests Show Water-Works To Be a Success

Before a highly interested audience, the final tests of the efficiency of the recently constructed water-works system was concluded Thursday morning with a fire hose test on the public square. Four fire hose were attached to the water plugs on Main street, at each corner of the court house yard, and at a given signal the water was turned on. The pressure proved to be entirely adequate, being even greater than had been expected. As a bystander remarked, never before had as much water been turned loose from the fire hose in as short a space of time. The demonstration lasted for several minutes, the streets were thoroughly flushed, and several buildings, including the Mercury Office, were given a thorough, notwithstanding it was a rather belated Spring cleaning.

Mr. Arthur Marshall Morgan, the chief engineer for the city in the construction of the system, reached Carlisle Wednesday night, and began his tour of inspection Thursday. After visiting the reservoir, inspecting the dam, pumps, spillway, tank and witnessing the fire hose test, he pronounced the system to be in excellent condition. Mr. Morgan congratulated Mathias & Rogers, the local contracting firm on the excellent manner in which their work has been done. The spill way he pronounced to be as fine a piece of work of the kind as he had ever seen.

All of the construction has been done under the direction of Mr. William Schultz, Superintendent for Mr. Morgan, and he, together with the firm of Mathias & Rogers, are being widely complimented upon the excellence of their work. The work of constructing the impounding reservoir and dam was awarded to competitive bid to Mathias & Rogers for $7,400 on Feb. 3. Work was begun the week of February 9. Since that time the work has been rapidly pushed and despite the fact that many days were lost entirely, the reservoir was finished on schedule time.

There, is at present, about nine feet of water in the reservoir all of which is the result of the heavy rain of the night of June 4. Two pumpings for tests, have used about 80,000 gallons, consequently the water has fallen something like four inches in two weeks time. The water now covers an area of approximately 90,000 square feet.

Many citizens have signified their intention of having pipes placed in their residences at once. Mayor J. H. Frey was the first to "take" from the city water-works, the four inch main in front of his residence being tapped Monday afternoon. County Clerk Sugg, Stewart Dorsey, Joe Pelosi, and others will be among the first to have hydrants placed.

The plant complete will cost close to $31,000. $30,000 worth of bonds were voted to erect the system. Later the mains on Chestnut street, Maple, north of Main, Locust, north of Main, and Tureman avenue, about a mile in all were laid, and paid for by private subscription, the subscribers agreeing to be paid in water rents. These additional mains are counted in placing the cost at $31,000, the cost of the system as originally planned being well within the $30,000 limit.

About the Limit in Hunting.

A Dublin gentleman was spending his vacation with some friends in the west of Ireland. As he was being driven to his destination he noticed a bog that promised good shooting, and asked his jarvey if there were any snipe in it. "Shnipe, is it, sor? Did ye say shnipe? Shure, if ye went into that bog widout a gun they'd ate yez!"

Saltwell

Mrs. Fraulien Allison is visiting her brother, E. E. Armstrong, who is quite poorly.

Reynolds Gaunce, who has been attending the State Institute for the Blind, at Louisville, came home Wednesday.

G. C. Gaunce and wife spent Saturday night with his brother, E. T. Gaunce, at Hooktown.

Harmon Gaunce, of Bourbon county, was a visitor here Saturday.

Dr. W. H. Martin and wife were the guests of Mack Gaunce and family Sunday.

Matt Gaunce and wife, of near Barterville, spent Sunday with Calvin Gaunce and family.

Floyd Barlow and Miss Effie Snapp spent Sunday with G. W. Ingles and wife at Cynthiana.

Several from here attended the Institute at Headquarters Sunday afternoon.

Mary Fuller, of Escondida, spent Thursday with Mrs. U. G. Mattox.

Miss Lena Cook, who is visiting Tymore Feeback and wife, has been very ill with acute indigestion, but is now better.

Several from here attended the funeral of Ethel Wagner, at Mt. Pleasant, Friday.

Carlisle Real Estate Co.

C. U. BRAMBLETT, Manager
H. B. BRYSON, Secretary

Say, old man, if you want that Ford automobile you had better wake up right quick and order it or you'll be everlastingly too late. The fishing must be getting better for we had three parties take the cork clear under last week and at least a dozen more are nibbling good and strong. You can't fool the Kentucky farmer very long at a time these days; when automobiles first came around you could induce some of them to make a permanent deposit of their surplus cash by buying one of those heavy machines, but believe us, they have gotten bravely over that. When the farmer or the business man wants an automobile now he says "No sir; no big machine for me: I want a FORD—nothing else for me." Once in a while, of course, one of these "too-smart" fellows will walk into the fly-trap, listening to some fellow who has an interest to serve and who plays as the friend of the buyer when all the time he is getting a little piece on the side of his good friend's money. I never tried stealing money, but I believe I would rather take it that way than to impose on my friend and have him spend an unnecessary $500 in order for me get a little $25 of it. Then of course there are a few Pharasaical fellows who rear back on their self-important haunches and say, "Oh, I want a better car than the Ford," just like that fellow in last Sunday's Sunday School lesson who thanked God that he was better than some other fellows when the fact was he was not near as good. There's a brutality and an ignorance about that position equalled only by the brutality with which "Big Ollie" James snaps and snatches Ninth District appointments away from poor Wm. Jason Fields. If Fields has as much courage as a craw-fish he'd either insist on his rights until he got them or else he'd resign; But I'll bet a hundred that he won't resign.

Excuse me; I got off the track. Now about that automobile, come on and get it. We have still a number but they WONT LAST LONG; looks to me like at least five will go out this week. Why delay? Why not take the car and begin to enjoy it. The roads are fine, the weather when you are in an automobile is simply inspiring while it's too hot for anything while you are suffocating at home. When yourself and the wife and children are just barely able to endure the heat at home, it is a positive fact that a half hour in an automobile renders you all cool, pleasant, happy, good-tempered. Try it; it's the best receipt for family happiness yet tried. You are tired, your wife is tired, the children are fretful, hot, sick; just jump in the car for half an hour and see everybody come back laughing, happy, pleasant, contented, satisfied with you and themselves and all the world. Then there is another item worthy of very careful consideration; father and mother are both old, feeble, slowly but surely going down the hill toward the sunset of life; its 20 years since either was in Paris; 30 years since they were in Lexington; mother never was in Frankfort; hasn't seen her sister Mary for 15 years; nor her brother John for 18 years; afraid of the horses and couldn't stand the trip anyway; just induce them to to climb into the automobile and go to see the old places, the old friends and thus sweeten their last days by the frequent visits to the well remembered spots, treasured for many years in fond recollection. Boys, the car is worth the money for this particular item if for no other. Come on and and get it now while we've got 'em. And be sure you get a Ford, no other car will do the work so well.

We want to show something entirely new this week which we think will be appreciated by some of our friends; we have a TRUCK body for a FORD car; you simply lift off the automobile body and set on the truck body; these bodies are interchangeable and you really get two cars for little more than the price of one. Do you want to haul 1000 pounds a matter of 20 miles? Just put on the truck body and go right along; next day you want to take the family to the Sunday School Picnic over in the next county; just take off the truck body, put on the automobile body, sound your Klaxon horn and away you go. Handy as a pocket in a shirt, isn't it? Additional cost $49.50.

We delivered last week an elegant Ford touring car to McCowan Bros., of Oakland Mills; the same to Arthur Malkin, of Flora; and a beauty of a Ford Roadster to George Endicott. This week we believe we will exceed this record. And we want YOU to be one of the fortunate purchasers of FORD cars this week. We'll be disappointed if you don't buy, and say, friends, we can't see you all; we are more than busy; our repair department is simply working overtime, repairing all kinds of cars; and that reminds us; if you need Ford parts or repairs of any kind bring your work to our garage; we have a mechanic who undoubtedly knows his business; Don't let an unskilled workman tear up your car. Bring it to NIXON, our mechanic, who worked for some years in automobile factories and who will do your work right, otherwise there will be no charge.

Pshaw; I haven't said a word about that fine Overland car we have, or that good proposition in a second hand Buick, or about real estate. I'll wait till next week. Come to see us.

ROYAL
Absolutely Pure
BAKING POWDER
Makes Home-Baking Successful and Easy

Concord

TO MAMMOTH CAVE

Thursday, June 18. A personally conducted three days outing. Round trip railroad fare from Carlisle $5.65. Rooms reserved at Cave Hotel including board and trips in the Cave for $6.50, making the total cost $12.15. Special coach on regular train, 6:58 a. m. Write or phone L. & N. Agent

Oakland

Rev. Armetis began a protracted meeting at Ellisville Saturday night

Mr. and Mrs. Johnson Wagner and daughter, Miss Anna, visited their daughter, Mrs. Riley Fryman, last week.

The Mercury—$1 a yr

TREMENDOUSLY IMPORTANT SALES
OF HIGH CLASS MERCHANDISE ARE NOW IN PROGRESS IN ALL OF OUR DEPARTMENTS

We are offering the CLEANEST STOCK, the BEST GOODS for the money that has ever gone into a Reduction Sale in this town. There are no shoddy, shabby, cheap or dirty goods in our store. And everything goes--*Absolutely At The Price Advertised.* We are not in the habit of putting on Reduction Sales every week or so, but when we do make up our minds to sell goods at Bargain Prices, you may depend upon us to give you the Very Best Goods in Town Cheaper Than You Can Buy Them Elsewhere.

BARGAINS IN SILK
Messalines
70c
All the wanted shades
Regular Price $1.00 Choice, 70c
Wash Silks
Big line to choose from.
Choice $1.00 and $1.25 values, 75c
Silk Crepes
Beautiful colors and patterns
50c quality, 39c
75c quality, 59c
Georgette Crepe
$1.50 Grade, $1.19
Moire
Colored, $1.00 grade, Sale Price 79c
Black, $1.75 grade, Sale Price $1.39
Black, $2.25 grade, Sale Price $1.89
Silk Poplins
Black, $1.25 quality, 99c
Black, $1.75 quality, $1.39

All Suits Must Be Closed Out At Once
$15.00 to $18.50 Suits, now $ 8.75
20.00 to 22.50 Suits, now 12.50
25.00 to 27.50 Suits, now 14.50
30.00 to 35.00 Suits, now 17.50
We have about forty suits in this collection and it will pay you to investigate these big values.

This Sale Strictly Cash. No Charges Made

SHOES
12 pairs Infants Slipper, sizes 2 to 5, Sold at $1.00. Sale Price, 50c
50 pairs Infants Slippers, sizes 2 to 5. Sold at $1.25. Sale Price, 75c
36 pairs Childs' Slippers, sizes 5 1-2 to 8, Sold at $1.50. Sale Price, $1.00
60 pairs Childs' Slippers, sizes 8 1-2 to 11, Sold at $1.75. Sale Price, $1.25
30 pairs Childs' Slippers, sizes 11 1-2 to 2, Sold at $2.00. Sale Price, $1.50
100 pairs Ladies' Slippers, sizes 2 to 8, Sold at $2.50. Sale Price $1.75
Ladies' Slippers, Sold at $4.00. Sale Price $2.85
Ladies' Slippers, Sold at $3.50. Sale Price, $2.50
Ladies' Slippers, Sold at $3.00. Sale Price, $2.35
The above shoes include Patent Leather, Gun Metal, Tan, Velvet and Satin. Only a few of them being tan, velvet and satin. Also 100 pairs of Ladies' and Childrens' Slippers that formerly sold from $1.50 to $4.00, at 50c, 75c and $1.25.

WASH GOODS
Calicoes---4cts Yard
Standard qualities in light and dark grounds, worth up to 6 1-2c yard, sale price 4 cents
Lawns.
10, 10 1-2, and 15c quality, sale price 7 1-2c
Ginghams
10ct grade, 8cts
12 1-2ct grade, 10cts
15ct grade, 12 1-2cts
20ct grade, 15cts
25ct grade, 19cts
Flaxons
Full yard wide Sheer quality.
15ct grade, 12 1-2
20ct grade, 15cts
25ct grade, 19cts
35ct grade, 29cts
Linweaves
All grades at reduced prices
Crepes
Plain, White and Figured
15ct grade, 12 1-2c
20ct grade, 15c
25ct grade, 19c

100 Yards Shadow Lace Flouncing
24 inch, 50ct grade, 39c
24 inch, 40ct grade, 29c
100 Yards Shadow Lace Flouncing
27 inch, 75ct grades, 59c
Table Linens
A beautiful line of table linens, napkins to match, extra heavy, at 79cts
Ready Made Sheets
Reduced
Ready Made Pillow Cases
Reduced

HOPE COTTON
7 CENTS PER YARD
This is the Genuine Hope Cotton, bearing the Anchor Brand

HOME SPUN
Dress Linens
All Shades, Pink, Old Rose, Blue, Brown, Tan, White, Lavender.
50ct quality, Sale Price, 39c
75ct quality, Sale Price, 59c

LACE, 3 1-2c

Curtain and Drapery Values
Lace Curtains, a large stock at all prices.
Curtain Voiles, plain colors with floral borders, all reduced

Childrens' Play Dresses
25ct value, sale price, 19c
50ct value, sale price, 39c
75ct value, sale price, 59c
$1.00 values, sale price, 79c
Women's House Dresses
$1.00 values, sale price, 79c
$1.25 values, sale price, 99c

Umbrellas
$1.00, $1.25 and $1.50
all at 98cts
Childrens Parasols
all reduced
25c values at 19c
50ct values at 39c

For Bridal Presents--Cut Glass and China
Some beautiful pieces. Prices to suit the customer. We want to sell this line.

The Brooks Dry Goods Store, Carlisle, Ky.

Locals.

98 *If you are going away or someone is visiting you, or if anything happens, phone us.*

We will refund train fare from Carlisle on all purchases of $20 and over J. W. DAVIS & CO., Clothing and Furnishings, Paris, Ky.

Don't miss the Shoe Sale at Brooks' Store.

Don't forget the big Rankin Cattle Sale Saturday as advertised on page 4 in this issue.

U. M. Swinford has been notified by his fire insurance companies to resume writing business.

H. N. Rankin is recovering from an attack of appendicitis, with which he was stricken Saturday.

All laws made by the General Assembly of Kentucky at the recent session, went into effect Monday.

J. P. Tune was notified Tuesday by the Springfield Fire & Marine Insurance Co. to resume writing business for them.

Robert Reese of the State Road Department, is here supervising the construction of the model road from Carlisle to the Bath county line.

The Ladies Aid Society of the Headquarters M. E. church will give an ice cream supper on the lawn of C. M. Pelsal, on Saturday evening, June 20.

Now is the time to buy your shoes. We have an immense stock and we are going to sell them at cost commencing Friday. Brooks Dry Goods Store

All who desire city water should file their application for tapping with the City Treasurer, W. H. Frey. The charge for tapping the main has been fixed at $7.

Fire originating in the steam box at Hartman's Bakery Sunday morning caused the alarm to be turned in. The fire, however, was extinguished with a bucket or two of water. The damage was slight.

How's this for skilled driving? Lane Martin drove a Buick touring car in which he, I. B Ross and Rhoades Burton were passengers across the dam at the water works reservoir, turned on the steep hill side and recrossed, all on high.

The Epworth League of the Methodist Church will give a social at the home of Mrs. Jno. Campbell on East Main Friday night at 7:30 o'clock. The entertainment committee is planning a treat and the members are urged to attend.

Wm. H. Harrison, former postmaster of Flemingsburg, H. G. Ireland, of Olive Hill, and A. J. Pennington, of Carter County, have announced themselves as candidates for the Republican nomination for Congress in the 9th District, subject to the action of the August primary.

The question as to how much the big receiving tank on the Dinsmore hill holds is a daily question, and various answers are given. The tank, proper, holds 60,000 gallons. The big tube which extends from the bottom of the tank to the concrete base holds 7,000 gallons. There are between 3 1-4 and 3 1-2 miles of pipe, which hold approximately 70,000.

Up to June 15, there had been found among the assets of the defunct bank of George Alexander & Co. of Paris, dead notes amounting to $29,045, denied accomodations, amounting to $57,860 and worthless paper and overdrafts amounting to $63,550. The deputy banking commissioner also reports that he finds $100,000 in claims that do not show on the books.

Miss Ruth Davis has resigned her position as teacher of the 4th grade to accept a position in the Hazard Graded School. She was given her choice of 1st or 2nd grade work at Hazard at $60 per month. Hazard is a 4th class city, has just completed a new $35,000 school building. They will have two teachers each for the lower grades. Miss Davis is one of our best teachers having taught four years in the rural and two years in the city schools here. She is a graduate of Carlisle High School and a graduate of Eastern State Normal, holding a life diploma.

H. C. Peters, of Shelbyville, shot himself, it is alleged with suicidal intent, last Friday. His grandfather, Mr. W. R. Peters, of Bethel, his aunt, Mrs. R. Kirkland, of Moorefield, and Mr. John Peters, of Bethel, left here for Shelbyville, where it was found that young Peters was not seriously wounded, having shot himself with a 22—calibre rifle, sustaining a slight scalp wound. No reason for his action is known. He is a prosperous young farmer, and has recently purchased a nice farm in Shelby county. He is the son of W. R. Peters, Jr., and is 25 years old. He returned with his grandfather Monday night.

Paris Correspondence to the Lexington Herald: The entire day Tuesday in the Circuit Court was consumed in the hearing of testimony in the damage suit of Jas. McClure, Cashier of the First National Bank, against Jas. D. McClintock. The testimony was concluded at a late hour and court was adjourned until 9 o'clock Wednesday, when the argument of counsel will be heard and will probably consume the entire forenoon. The plaintiff, McClure, is represented by Talbott & Whitley and E. M. Dickson, of the local bar, and Attorney Robert Harding, of Danville, while the defendant McClintock, is represented by Judge Denis Dundon, of Paris, and Judge Wilson, of Lexington. The case has been hotly contested and has attracted much attention.

Personal

Mrs. Mollie Frank left this week for a visit in Augusta.

Miss Berry Walcott, of Woodford county, will come this week to visit Mrs. Ray Rossell.

Mrs. T. C. Smith and son, of Bourbon, were guests of H. C. Reed and family last week.

Miss Edith Tune left this morning to visit relatives in Bourbon and Fayette.

Mrs. Robert Moore, of Colorado Springs, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Green Feeback and brother, Mr. Thos. Ross.

Mrs. Margaret Conley has returned from Mt. Sterling where she had been with the family of T. Minihan during the illness and death of their little daughter, Mary Margaret.

Judge T. S. Watson and Mr. John Myers left last week for a stay at Martinsville, Ind.

Ray Megowan, of Lexington was in Carlisle Tuesday.

Mr. John McRohan, Sr., and wife attended the funeral of their granddaughter, little Mary Margaret Minihan, at Mt. Sterling last Wednesday.

Mrs. E. O. Dorsey was in Louisville this week.

Dr. and Mrs. G. B. Spencer and two sons and Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Norton are on a fishing trip near Parks Ferry.

W. F. Tune went to Cincinnati yesterday in the interest of the City Store.

Mrs. W. J. Kenton and children are visiting relatives in Millersburg.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Peterson are spending a few days with relatives in Lexington.

Mrs. E. P. Harney and daughter, Marguerite, are guests of relatives at Millers Station.

Mr. and Mrs. Penn Flaugher, of Higginsport, Ohio, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Reed.

Mrs. Jennie Huff and Mrs. Lizzie McDaniel are visiting Mrs. Geo. Motch at Winchester.

Mr. and Mrs. George B. Taylor, of Nicholasville, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Taylor, last week.

H. P. Cheatham was in Cincinnati one day last week.

Mrs. Wm. Robb and Miss Sara Metcalfe Piper, of Helena Station, are visiting their father, W. L. Piper.

W. J. Reed went to Louisville Tuesday to attend the meeting of the United States Tobacco Association, of which he is a member.

Mr. Frank Sparks, of Augusta, Ga., who has been the guest of Mrs. Laura Dalzell and family, left Tuesday to visit relatives in Indiana.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Smith, of Bristol, Tenn., have come to Kentucky for the summer vacation, and will be with Mrs. Smith's parents, Dr. and Mrs. S. R. Fisher, at Headquarters.

Mrs. Georgia Judy, who has been ill for several weeks, is much improved.

Miss Ethel Fisher, of Headquarters, has returned from a visit to relatives in Cynthiana.

Mrs. Emma Boyd, went to Leesburg, Ohio., Monday for several weeks' visit.

Miss Sena Rion, of Paris, was the guest of Mrs. Pevie Feeback from Saturday until Monday.

Miss Jessie Metcalfe is visiting her brother, Leonard Metcalfe and family, at Jackson, Ky.

Miss Hazel Berry went to Winchester Monday to visit relatives and friends.

Mrs. Tillie Hamilton Feeback, who is attending E. K. N. S., at Richmond, was home several days the past week.

Mr. H. M. Taylor is visiting friends and relatives in Clark county.

Mr. Joe Pelosi was in Nicholasville, Tuesday.

Mrs. W. E. Darragh and three sons are the guests of relatives in Woodford county.

W. E. Darragh was in Lexington Tuesday.

Miss Cordia Stone went to Louisville Tuesday to visit relatives.

Miss Mabelle Sharp, of Sharpsburg, is visiting in Cincinnati.

W. I. Dorsey and wife are visiting their daughter, Mrs. Brooke Pulliam, at Parkersburg, W. Va.

Mrs. Ella Norvell and daughter, Miss Lucy, visited in Paris this week.

Miss Alice Fritts has returned from an extended visit to relatives near Cincinnati.

Misses Martha Dudley and Sue Swindler were in Lexington Saturday.

Mrs. Chas. Holdeman has returned to her home in Detroit, Mich., after a visit with her brother, H. T. Mann, and other relatives here.

Mrs. F. V. Cox and two children are visiting her parents in Covington.

Mrs. G. M. Brooks and Miss Irene Cox visited Mr. and Mrs. Fred Cox at Newby, Ky., last week.

Mrs. Mary Grant, of Pensacola, Fla., is the guest of her sister, Mrs. H. M. Taylor.

Mrs. J. T. Hinton and daughter, Miss Mary Louise, of Memphis, Tenn., have returned home after a visit with the family of H. T. Burgess.

Mr. E. L. Barr, wife and two children, of Collins, Miss., and Mrs. Lillie Vicars, of Wise, Va., are visiting the family of W. C. Crouch and relatives in the county.

Miss Gertrude Kruse, of Cincinnati, is visiting Mrs. Wm. Fuller.

Mr. Leonard Metcalfe and little daughter, Daisy, of Jackson, were guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Metcalfe last week.

Mr. and Mrs. M. R. Burton, Mrs Henry Potts and Miss Louise Potts were guests of S. W. Keller and family in Lexington this week.

Miss Mary Frances Fisher left Monday for Richmond to enter the E. K. N. S. for the Summer term.

Misses Lucy and Elizabeth Howell, of Huntington, W. Va., came in yesterday to be the guests of their brother, J. H. Howell and family.

Miss Ada Calhoun, of Cincinnati, is the guest of Miss Martha Dudley.

Maurice Burnaugh, who has been in New York the past winter, is here visiting relatives.

Miss Elizabeth Veach is home from South Hadley, Mass., where she has just graduated from Mt. Holyoke College.

Mrs. Frank Darrell, of Helena Station, is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. K. Veach.

Miss Elizabeth Collins, of Lexington, is visiting her cousin, Mrs. R. R. Rossell.

Miss Mary George, of Winchester, was the guest of Miss Maggie George the past week.

Misses Glennie B. Fisher and Katherine Frey spent Wednesday with their uncle, J. P. Banta, at Parks Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Burns and son, Lee, and John Munger Lee motored through from Knoxville, Tenn., last week and spent several days with Mrs. Anna Howe.

Miss Gladys Bryson has returned from the Y. W. C. A. Convention of Southern States at Black Mountain, N. C., where she went as a delegate from Georgetown College Y. W. C. A.

Wm. Donnell left Saturday for Henderson, N. C. where he goes to resume his position with the J. P. Taylor Tobacco Company. He was accompanied by Mrs. Donnell, who will spend a month at Maiden, Va., visiting Mr. and Mrs. Claude Campbell before joining her husband at Henderson. They will be gone until about the first of December.

RELIGIOUS.

Preaching at the Baptist Church, next Sunday morning and evening by the pastor, Rev. B. F. Swindler.

Children's Day exercises will be held at the Presbyterian Church Sunday, June 28, instead of the usual morning service.

Preaching at the Presbyterian Church next Sunday morning and evening by the Pastor, Rev. Anton Ver Huist. Subject of the morning service "The Call of the Frontier." Subject of the evening service: "Access to God."

MARRIAGES.

ROBINSON-DUNN—Miss Stella Robinson, the adopted daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. N. Robinson, who formerly lived in Carlisle, and Mr. J. B. Dunn were married in Wilmore last Wednesday.

Mrs. Anna Roberts, of Moorefield, announces the engagement of her daughter, Miss Lillie May Roberts, to Mr. James Hickey. The marriage will take place at Mt. Sterling next Wednesday afternoon. Miss Roberts is an attractive young woman and very popular here. Mr. Hickey is a prosperous young business man of Mt. Sterling.

BROMAGEN-MYERS — Miss Ida Mae Bromagen, daughter of Mr. James Bromagen, and Mr. Oren Myers, son of W. H. Myers, both of this county, will be married today in Covington. Miss Bromagen is one of the county's most popular young ladies. Mr. Myers is a prosperous young business man, and has quite a reputation as a trainer of horses.

DEATHS.

FEEBACK—Mrs. Epsa Feeback, aged 93, at her home near Irvingsville in this county last Friday night. She was the widow of John S. Feeback.

HILDRETH—Joseph A. Hildreth, aged 88, died at his home in Paris Monday. Funeral services were conducted from the residence Wednesday by Rev. W. E. Ellis.

WHITE—Mrs. Nancy White, aged 78, died last Wednesday at the home of her daughter, Mrs. E. T. Edmonds, at Jackson, Miss. Burial was at Cynthiana. She was a sister of the late Mrs. James Riley Long and of the late Green Cheatham.

WAGONER—At her home near Barefoot, last Wednesday night, Miss Ethel Wagoner, aged 18, daughter of R. E. Wagoner, died, after a two weeks illness of typhoid. Funeral services were conducted from the Bellville church Friday by Rev. J. R. House.

Program For Picnic Given By St. John's Church, July 4.

Father Adelsperger requests THE MERCURY to announce the following program for the picnic and base-ball game which are to be given July 4 under the auspices of St. John's Church.

The base ball game, between Flemingsburg and Carlisle is scheduled for 2 o'clock in the afternoon. Other sports, which include Fat Man's Race, Potato Race, Sack Race, 50 Yard Dash and 100 Yard Dash are set for the noon hour. The following ladies of the church are in charge of the various tables:

Lunch Table— Mrs. Richard Cummins in charge. Assistants, Alice Cummins, Mrs. Wm Conley, Mrs. Robert George, Mrs. Wm. Ryan, Mrs. Hugh Highland.

Ice Cream Table— Mrs. Mayme Cain in charge. Assistants, Miss Alice Rooney, Mrs. Tim Clancy, Mrs. James Archdeacon.

Coffee Table— Mrs. John O'Connell in charge. Assistants, Mrs. Victor Martin, Mrs. Mike O'Connell.

Candy Table— Miss Mayme Fitzgerald in charge. Assistants, Miss Delia O'Connell, Miss Annie McMahan.

Grab Bag — Misses Elizabeth Casley and Alice Holland.

Holman Rice, a well-known farmer of Bath county, was killed in an automobile accident Tuesday on the Lexington pike, about one mile from Winchester. His cousin, Samuel Crooks, a brother of Judge A. N. Crooks, of Bath county, was injured. Rice's neck was broken. In some manner, Rice, who was driving, lost control of the car, which plunged through a fence, turning over twice. Mr. Rice was the son of the late William Rice. His mother was before her marriage Miss Belle Wright, a sister of Mr. Ben T. Wright, of Sharpsburg. Mr. Rice has been here several times during the loose leaf tobacco season.

Old Settlers Enjoy Annual Meeting

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The Committee on Resolutions, composed of Mr. H. M. Taylor, Mr. Monroe Sparks and Mr. M. A. Glenn, filed the following resolutions with the Secretary which were unanimously adopted:

Resolved, First, that our thanks be extended to all those who have contributed to the pleasure of this meeting and to make it a profitable and happy occasion.

Second, That we beg to remind our members that the sands of time are running out daily, and inexorably, and that before the lapse of a great length of time, we will have been called to stand with those gone before and we urge everyone to cultivate, one with another, a stronger feeling of friendship, of generosity, of kindly good feeling, spreading the mantle of charity over the faults or weaknesses of our friends, to the end that all may be made happy and better in life.

Third, That recognizing a declining interest in the meeting of the Old Settlers of the County and feeling that under existing conditions it will be hard to maintain in the future, we recommend that a majority vote be taken at this meeting to decide as to the continuance of this Association.

H. M. TAYLOR, MONROE SPARKS, M. A. GLENN, Committee.

Joe Clay has been employed by the city council at a salary of $40 per month for four months to look after the pumping station at the water works and attend to the tapping of the mains as required.

Three of the fire insurance companies for which Ross & Parker have the local agency have notified them to resume writing insurance.

Refrigerators to suit every taste and every pocket book. King Hdw. Co.

Nicholas County Sunday School Institute will be held at Jackstown Sunday June 28. Program will appear in MERCURY next week.

Ray Rossell has been notified to resume writing insurance.

To see a Quick Meal Oil Stove demonstrated is to buy it. This is proven by the number that have bought them. We have sold over twenty-six already, and not a complaint.

Don't be deceived by buying one of the old style stoves with the fire 12 inches below the cooking vessel. They take too long to heat, and burn up too much oil while you wait. Leave your order for a Quick Meal and avoid delay. We are selling them faster than we can get them

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Examination for white teachers will be held in the County Superintendent's office this coming Friday and Saturday June 19-20 beginning at 8 o'clock. County and State both. This will be the last opportunity to qualify before the 3rd Friday and Saturday in Sept.

Walk-Over Oxfords, Hopkins Straw Hats, Wilson Bros. Shirts & Underwear, at C. C. Cole & Co.

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CALL FOR BIDS

By order of the Nicholas County Board of Education bids are called for repair work on the flooring of school houses, Moorefield, Cane Run, Mt. Vernon and Taylor's Creek. Plans and specifications will be given at County Superintendent's office anytime before Saturday afternoon, June 20, and any time after Wednesday, June 24. Bids to be opened Saturday, June 27. The Board reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids. All must be completed by August 8.

LIDA E. GARDNER, Chairman
Nicholas County Board of Education.

A splendid line of Refrigerators—All kinds. King Hardware Company.

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A nice assortment of Palm Beach and Blue Suits for the Hot Weather.
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Waste in Coal Ranges.

Economic waste, represented by the coal range, was strikingly illustrated in tests made recently at the London electrical exposition. Demonstration proved that the shrinkage of meat when cooked in a coal range is surprisingly great. A leg of mutton weighing eight pounds and eight ounces showed a shrinkage of two pounds and eleven ounces when cooked in the coal range, whereas a leg of mutton weighing nine pounds showed a loss of one pound and four ounces when cooked in an electric oven. The shrinkage for the gas oven was two pounds and four ounces on an eight-pound leg of mutton.

Now that that the water works have been tested out successfully, everyone should enjoy this convenient luxury. We are well equipped to do this class of work in all its branches, having secured the services of one of the ablest plumbers in the state.

We will be glad to furnish a free estimate on anything in the plumbing line, and can give prompt and satisfactory service. Dont send away from home for what you can get at home. Give us a call

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Blue Lick Springs

Mace Campbell, wife and children, of Midway, visited N. E. Campbell and family Saturday and Sunday.

Wm. Massie, near here, has purchased a five passenger auto.

Miss Netta McClannahan, of Jennings, La., is spending her vacation with friends and relatives in this community.

Henry, the 12 year old son of Henry Campbell, is suffering with a badly injured hand, caused by a bruise. Dr. Bradley has lanced the injured member the third time.

Born, on the 9th inst to Mr. and Mrs. Dan Ham, a son.

A series of meetings are being held in the large barn of Mr. George Barnett, near here, and large crowds are in attendance at each meeting.

Miss Lillian Ingram, of Georgetown, who has been visiting with friends here and at Mt. Olivet for the past two weeks, returned to her home Monday.

Miss Grace Ogden, of Bald Hill, was the guest of Miss Gloie Bradley a day or two last week.

We are glad to note that Miss Nannie Ogden, of Bald Hill, who has been quite ill for some time, is now much better.

Mrs. Erie Loudenback and little daughter returned to Maysville Friday after spending the past week with relatives here.

Miss Julia Clark, of Mt. Olivet, is visiting at the home of Dr. Bradley and W. S. Kenton.

George Sampson sold his crop of spring lambs to Mace Campbell, of Woodford county, at $5.25 per head.

Mrs. Leslie Arms, of Millersburg, was the guest of her parents, James Wood and wife, the first of the week.

The peach crop here will be comparitively light on account of the dry weather in May causing the bloom to drop off.

Miss Lillie Mae Sunday has returned from a week's visit with her grandparents at Sharpsburg.

Mrs. Mark Kenton and mother, Mrs. Bradley, left the last of the week for a several days visit with relatives at Summitsville, Ind.

Miss Mary F. Ferguson, of Burika, has returned from a weeks stay with relatives in Bourbon county.

INTERURBAN SCHEDULE

Leave Paris for Lexington	Leave Lex. for Paris
6:45 a. m.	*6:00 a. m.
*7:30 a. m.	7:20 a. m.
8:15 a. m.	*8:00 a. m.
*9:00 a. m.	8:50 a. m.
9:45 a. m.	10:20 a. m.
11:15 a. m.	11:50 a. m.
12:45 p. m.	1:20 p. m.
2:15 p. m.	2:50 p. m.
3:45 p. m.	3:20 p. m.
4:30 p. m.	4:20 p. m.
5:15 p. m.	5:00 p. m.
6:05 p. m.	6:00 p. m.
6:50 p. m.	7:20 p. m.
8:15 p. m.	9:10 p. m.
10.05 p. m.	11:00 p. m.

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J. E. MATHIAS, Manager
"INSURANCE THAT INSURES"
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We have found it. While we have always made Good Flour we have found a way to make Better Flour. Together with our miller, a thoughtful and careful man, we have devised a way which is the most perfect we have ever seen to separate every particle of pure, white flour from the wheat, taking out all the impurities. We have accomplished this by putting in some new machinery and by adding new features to our old machinery, and have tested the results, which is beyond our expectations. Our White Rose is pure and white and Seal of Kentucky is a great big improvement over our Town Talk flour of which is takes the place. We ask you to try these two brands of Flour. We know either of them will please you

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A. T. Gardner is prepared to examine your eyes thoroughly and properly fit glasses in any kind of mountings or frames desired.

No charges for examination and a perfect correction positively guaranteed.

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I have some of the prettiest work in Monuments and Grave Markers that I have ever seen. See them.
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Our beautiful new line of Crepes, Voiles, and other Summer Goods will be sold at cost, beginning Friday.
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Show respect for the memory of the departed. An unexcelled line of Monuments and Grave Markers.
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One of T. E. Hutchings' insurance companies has instructed him to resume writing policies.

Sam Veach must need money from the way he is slashing prices. See him, it's money to you.

No use locking the door after the horse is stolen. Insure your tobacco crop with Ross & Parker, Deposit Bank Bldg.

We have added a delicatessen counter to our meat market and will carry a full line of cheese, pickles, canned goods, dried and smoked meats of all kinds, and a variety of crackers. When in need of luncheon dainties give us a call.

CAIN & PELOSI,
Phone 28. Meat Market.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE

As Administrator of the estate of Alex. Sears, deceased, I hereby notify those having claims against said estate to present same at once, properly proven as required by law. Those owing the estate should make an immediate settlement.

FOSTER V. COX, Administrator.

Deafness Cannot Be Cured

by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, Deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by Catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.

We will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of Deafness (caused by catarrh) that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Send for circulars, free.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, Ohio.
Sold by Druggists, 75c.
Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Sealed Bids

Sealed bids will be received in the County Superintendent's office on or before 2 o'clock, on the afternoon of June 27th, 1914, for repair work on the Goose Creek school building. The work consists of adding two cloak rooms and painting the building inside and out. For plans and details of the work call at the Superintendent's office.

Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

By ORDER COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION.

An Ordinance

THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CARLISLE DO ORDAIN AS FOLLOWS:

That the ordinance heretofore adopted whereby the City of Carlisle gave to the first team at the Fire Engine House upon an alarm of fire Five Dollars, is hereby repealed, and the City will not pay anything for teams hereafter upon the alarm of fire, unless by special arrangement at the time.

This June 11, 1914.

J. H. FREY, Mayor.
Attest: S. C. VAUGHN.

Indigestion and Constipation

"About five years ago I began taking Chamberlain's Tablets after suffering from constipation and indigestion for years without finding anything to relieve me. Chamberlain's Tablets helped me at once and by using them for several weeks I was cured of the complaint," writes Mrs. Mary E. McMullen, Phelps, N. Y. For sale by all dealers.

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If those so afflicted would stop taking medicine containing alcohol or drugs which menace the foundations of health, and just take the pure, strengthening nourishment in Scott's Emulsion, it would create new blood to pulsate through the organs, refresh their bodies and build up the whole nervous system. It is rich, sustaining nourishment, free from wines, alcohols or drugs. Shun substitutes.

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STOP! LOOK! AND LISTEN!

to this bit of interesting news. With another 3 months of this torrid summer weather ahead of us you can enjoy yourself to your heart's content in one of our Spring and Summer Suits, and you can afford to buy one now even if you bought one early in the Spring, for they are now 20 per cent off for Cash.

3 more months of Summer
Look at the Values
Never better for the money
Listen to the Price
1/5 Off For Cash

It's a warning you must heed, or rather an opportunity you must take advantage of if you desire a favorable verdict from the public.

Get yours quick before the other fellow beats you to it.

Our Laundry Goes Wednesday

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Have You Fifteen Seconds to Spare?

YOU can read this ad. in fifteen seconds. It isn't worth wasting even that small amount of time unless you're going to benefit by it. It'll be a profitable fifteen seconds if you buy a pair of our suspenders.

You'll find they will last you like iron and at the same price that you've been paying for much cheaper quality.

Don't waste time. Decide now. Anything else you want?

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Special inducements in price on Monuments and Grave Markers.
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