Locals.

Personal

Mrs. Helm's Will

The last will and testament of the late Mrs. Jeanie Hanson Helm, who died in Fayette county recently, was probated in the Fayette county court, at Lexington, Monday.

The instrument, which was written by the testatrix, disposes of a valuable estate, variously estimated to be worth from $150,000 to $300,000. Under the terms of the instrument Mr. Jas Stone Helm, husband of Mrs. Helm, is given the estate after bequests as follows have been satisfied:

To her brother, Mr. Richard H. Hanson, testatrix provides for the payment of a $4,000 note on his property near the Country Club in Fayette; also $40,000 worth of Lexington property to be turned over to him free from all debts that may now be on it, and $10,000 in cash.

Mrs. Lena Baird Hanson, wife of R. H. Hanson, is left the residence at 334 Bryan avenue, in Lexington, and their children are also provided for with Lexington property as follows: Richard H. Hanson, Jr., is left the cottage at 335 Park avenue, and some stock in the Phoenix-Third National Bank; James M. Hanson is bequeathed the cottage at 352 Park avenue, and Lee Helm Hanson the cottage at 354 Park avenue.

Mrs. Helm left for her mother, Mrs. R. H. Hanson, Sr., a provision of $100 a month during her lifetime, and to her mother's nurse, Mrs. Rebecca Wright, $15 a month.

Employes are also remembered in the will. Mr. Van Dyne, of the J. M. Hanson-Bennett Magazine Agency, of Chicago, is left $500; and her negro maid, Sylvia Mitchell, is remembered with a $200 bequest. Mrs. David Trapp, a friend, is left a diamond necklace.

The sum of $10,000 is left in care of her husband, to be used within three years in the founding of a home for the saving of girls from a life of ill-fame. The will originally provided that the home should be maintained by the city of Lexington but a codicil dated ten days later changes this by providing that it shall be controlled by a board of managers and supported by citizens of Lexington.

Monday is Court Day. Here's hoping you will remember The MERCURY with a contribution.

Notice For Bids

Bids will be received by undersigned Committee for making a 40-gallon chemical tank and 200 feet of hose ready to be attached to motor truck of city. Also finishing and attaching to said truck either a steel bed and seat or a wooden bed and seat. Bids to be on both.

Council reserves the right to reject any or all bids. Bids to be received until Wednesday, March 15, 1916, at 6:30 p. m.

Committee, F. E. Darnall,
S. C. Vaughn.

I Hung Upon The Telephone

... "Please give me Slummit four five eight as quick as you are able! It's getting just a trifle late, so kindly hurry, Miss!" Then Mabel's voice came quickly back, "I'll give you information!" My friend was crying, "Holy Jack! My head's a railroad station!" Next time I heard a voice I said, "I'd like to have that number! My friend is almost wholly dead; he's sinking into slumber! I just want Slummit four five eight; I don't want much, remember. But, please, I don't think I can wait till August or December!" "I'd introduce you to our chief!" said Central, unexcited. Tho I was overcome with grief, I murmured, "I'm delighted! Please give me Slummit four five eight. I've got a friend who's croaking!" She left me to my sorry fate, convinced that I was joking. And so I passed the night away. I got an undertaker, an actor in a comic play, a barber and a baker, but when the east was growing pale my friend passed on to glory. No one was pinched or sent to jail. Here endeth, then, my story.
—Charles B. Driscoll.

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Public Sale

HORSES, MULES AND JACKS JENNETS AND CATTLE.

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 15th
10:30 A. M.

On the above date, I will sell publicly at my place at Steel's Ford, 3½ miles West of Millersburg, the following:

1 bay mare, 7 years old, lady broke.
1 brown mare 5 years old, in foal to jack
1 bay mare, standard and registered, in foal to McGregor Wilkes.
1 jack, 7 yrs. old, 16 hands high, great mule jack.
1 jack, coming 4 years old, 15½ hands black with white points, well broke.
1 black jack, coming 5 yrs., great mule jack.
1 black jack, 2 years old.
2 yearling jacks
1 jennet, 7 years old, in foal
1 jennet about 8, great jack producer
1 coming 3 year old jennet, large and attractive.
4 good milk cows, nice reds
1 yearling Short Horn bull registered
Terms and full description of stock on day of sale.

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The F. F. Dalley Co., Ltd., Buffalo, N. Y.

Bits of Byplay

By Luke McLuke

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Uplift.

The elevator said: "Why not Give the some credit, pray? I figure in the uplift of Mankind most every day."

The Wise Fool.

"It is more blessed to give than to receive," quoted the sage.
"Yes," agreed the fool. "But most of us know it only from hearsay."

Huh!

When courting life is one sweet smile, For he and she can both agree, But, after they've been wed awhile, They both agree to disagree.

An Optimist.

"Did our candidate take his defeat cheerfully?" asked Brown.
"Yes," replied Smith. "He said that he had always been anxious to find out what crow tasted like."

No Joke.

"A funny critter is a man," Said wise old Ezra Pasking; "He has no use for things that can Be had just for the asking."

Correct.

"I haven't been able to get a cent from you in a year," complained the merchant. "It is people like you who are ruining this country. You run up bills and won't pay them. You are human barnacles, and you take food out of the mouths of other men."
"Is that so?" demanded Slopay. "Why, if it were not for people like me there would be a million men out of employment!"
"I like your nerve," exclaimed the merchant. "May I ask what these million men do who are kept employed by deadbeats like yourself?"
"They are collectors," replied Slopay.

Them "Funny" Plays.

His face is drawn with grief and woe, This gloomiest of men; He went to see a "funny" show And never smiled again.

Ouch!

The only excitement here this year on circus day was when one of the show ladies poked her finger through a hole in the dressing room tent and pinked a prominent citizen in the eye.
—Kennedy (Minn.) Star.

Hooray!

In Luke McLukeville.

Pretty Cincinnati girls will meet visitors at the trains. This will cause brides to fight shy of the Queen City on the bridal tour.—Washington Post.

And here's what, at no distant date you can expect to read about having happened in Luke McLukeville:

—Zanesville (O.) Signal.

Things to Worry About.

The shah is the only man in Persia who can dye the tails of his horses red.

Our Daily Special.

Fortune may be fickle, but misfortune is faithful.

Luke McLuke Says:

Some married men seem so happy that they give you the impression that they married because they figured it was cheaper to be sued for divorce than for breach of promise.

A man can seldom find any reason to listen to the man who wants him to listen to reason.

The reason why a girl is so embarrassed when her best fellow calls and finds her with her hair hanging down her back and flowing over her shoulders is because she has spent three hours in front of a mirror arranging it so she would look charming when he called and caught her by surprise.

City girls do not like to be dressed alike. But in a country town every girl in the neighborhood gets a turn at borrowing the same shirt waist pattern.

The woman who fails to attend the weekly session of her Gab club always wonders why she feels so run down all afternoon.

A man can fool all the rest of the people all the time. But his wife always has his number.

Any time a man's wife catches him with the goods, and he manages to lie out of it, he begins to regard our diplomatic corps as a lot of pinheaded pikers.

You may be able to force an old fashioned man to wear evening dress and a boiled shirt after he becomes wealthy, but you can't convince him that he is eating dinner at supper time.

The trouble with painting the town red is that you have to use your nose as the brush, and you can't remove the paint from the brush.

V. P. Kerns has retired from the firm of Bryson and Kerns.

With the Legislature about ready to quit and fishin' time coming on, things are looking up hereabouts.

The new Buick Auto truck, recently purchased by the Fire Department, arrived Monday. It will be equipped with chemical tank, hose, etc.

1882 SAM K. VEACH 1916

Each Day brings some more of the good things we have bought for you this Spring.

Our lin of SPRING HATS is now at its height
And the Spring stook of SHIRTS in Madras, Pongees and Silks is truly a delight to the eye.

New lines of NECKWEAR ank SOCKS are on display and even our Spring linE of NIGHT SHIRTS and PAJAMAS is ready for you.

OUR NEW LINE OF CLOTHING is arriving dails and for coloring and fabric we know there is nothing left to be desired.

Get busy and get your share of these good things as they come in and instead of envying the other fellow, he will envy your good looks.

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Quality First. Style Too.

Efficiency

Efficiency built the Panama Canal, after inefficiency failed. The efficiency of the Panama Canal doubled the effectiveness of the U. S. Navy without adding a ship to it. It took over 8,000 miles out of the trip from New York to San Francisco and changed the highway between London and Australia from Suez to Panama.

Efficiency insures against lost motion—it produces the utmost service out of equipment and yields the finest product, at the least cost.

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Every advantage that men, money and machinery can offer is used to increase the production, maintain the quality and lower the cost. Each of the General's enormous mills is advantageously located to serve the ends of efficient manufacture and quick distribution. Each is equipped with the most up-to-date machinery. Raw materials are purchased in enormous quantities and far ahead of the needs of manufacturing, thus guarding against increased cost due to idle machinery. This also insures favorable buying, and the pick of the market.

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CERTAIN-TEED resists the drying-out process so destructive to ordinary roofing, because the felt is thoroughly saturated with a blend of soft asphalts, prepared under the formula of the General's board of expert chemists. It is then coated with a blend of harder asphalts, which keeps the inner saturation soft. This makes a roofing more pliable, and more impervious to the elements than the harder, drier kind.

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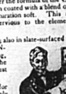

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The Paris boys' team defeated the local boys, 24—9, last Friday night. The Paris girls' team won by a score of 43—12. Return games Friday night at Paris.

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Felt's Medicated Salt is guaranteed to destroy worms, aid digestion and prevent disease. A perfect tonic and conditioner. Your money back if not satisfied.
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COMMENT

Speaking of "sulphurous and tormenting flames," did you see the Re-dryer fire? If you are good, you may never look upon the like again.

"Put on your auto bonnet
With last winter's cobwebs on it,
And hitch old Dobbin to our Ford:
We'll keep the old mule busy
Pulling our 'Tin Lizzie'
'Till the gasoline drops down where it soared."
—Falmouth Outlook.

Needless to say, this story was told of a Kentuckian. A visitor to heaven was being shown around by Saint Peter. After he had made a circuit and admired the streets of gold, and the singing birds and the beautiful flowers, and was about to go out of the gate again he noticed a group of men over in a corner tied together, looking very disconsolate. "Why, who are those men over there?" he asked St. Peter in surprise. "Oh," said St. Peter, "those?" "Those are Kentuckians." "But what are they chained up for?" asked the visitor. "We have to keep them tied up," said St. Peter, frowning. "If we didn't, they'd all go right back."

"I am ready to sacrifice 200,000 soldiers, but I will capture Verdun," says the Kaiser.

Is it not strange that man, after centuries of civilization, should still be such a silly animal? Even sheep must be driven to the slaughter, while men, at the behest of this Paranoiac of Potsdam, storm the jaws of a howling hell and give up their lives to satisfy his whim. If there be any purpose of the Almighty in this war, surely it is to open the minds of men to their folly, to the end that they may make an end of kings and kingery. Hasten the day when all Caesars may become but "kings of shreds and patches."

As we have said before, we believe Marse Henry is a true prophet of Manifest Destiny, when he urges us to climb on the band-wagon for Panama, Patagonia and other points South. The times begin to justify our belief in him as a seer in this regard—and the end is not yet.

The New York World says Teddy declined with a "if" in 1908 and this year with an "unless." This fall he will be declined, finally, we trust.

A funny thing our language is—
This is an old, old story—
They said, "look out,"
They meant, "look in,"
Now Pat is gone to Glory.

Someone has asked of the work of Billy Sunday: "Does it pay?" You haven't noticed Bill taking the bankrupt law, have you?

Sam Stairs, of the Dover News, says, anent the "probes" that have occupied the attention of the late lamented Legislature, that the mistake is made in not taking the legislators out behind the barn, before sending them to Frankfort, and probing them good and hard with a pitchfork.

They've quit down at Frankfort. Three cheers!

Leaves from a Legislator's Lexicon:

HOUSE. A place of probes. Large room where one's views may be aired without disturbing the other occupants. Wet and dry forensic arena, for edification of "my constituents." Place from which one slips out and takes as many friends as possible with one, when it looks like something is going to be passed. A collection of easy chairs, for sitting in which one is allowed $10 per day. An outworn institution, which will eventually be replaced by some less cumbrous means of spending the people's money.

SENATE. Same as House, only more so.

TOBACCO RE-DRYING PLANT IS EDSTROYED BY FIRE.

$12,500 Insurance Carried On The Building Which Was Erected At Cost Of $27,000.

One of the most destructive fires that has visited Carlisle in some time occurred late Saturday afternoon, when the tobacco re-drying plant, owned by the Farmers Warehouse Company, and under lease to G. O. Tuck & Co., of Louisville, was totally destroyed by fire.

For a time the blaze assumed proportions which threatened Farmers Warehouse, Number 1, which is separated by an alleyway from the re-drying plant, but through the efficient work of the local fire company, assisted by numerous volunteers, the flames were confined to the building in which they started, and even the large frame tobacco barn, adjoining the re-dryer, though on fire several times, was saved.

The loss will run into the thousands. The building was erected at a cost of $27,000, and was insured for $12,500. G. O. Tuck & Co., had about 39 hogsheads of tobacco in the building, fully insured. It is stated that a large tobacco buying firm, who desired to purchase the plant, had recently made application to the owners for a price on the building.

The building is a total loss, most of the iron work being so twisted by the intense heat as to be practically worthless except as junk.

The fire was noticed by G. W. Bennett, of the Home Telephone Co., who was passing the building, and the alarm was given about a quarter to five. G. W. Bennett who reached the building first stated that the flames were confined to the office. Although the origin of the fire is not definitely known, it is suggested that perhaps it caught from a stove in the office.

An incident, which occurred about twenty minutes before the alarm sounded, makes the theory that the fire started in the office seem plausible. A call from the re-dryer came in at the telephone exchange, that is the signal light flashed on the switch-board and remained on, though no answer was made from the other end to the respone of "central." It is supposed that the fire was then under way and had burned up along the wall around the telephone, causing the instrument to drop and the receiver to fall from the hook, which caused the signal to flash at the central office. G. W. Bennett, "wire chief," for the telephone company, on going to seek the cause of the trouble, discovered the fire.

Within less than ten minutes after the alarm was sounded the fire company had streams of water playing on the building. The metal walls, which confined the fire to the tinder-like boxing and tobacco in the interior of the building, made any hopes of saving the plant impossible. The company used excellent judgment and is to be congratulated upon their efficient work in saving neighboring buildings.

A large crowd was attracted to the scene of the blaze, but the the report that there was a large quantity of gasoline stored in the building kept the majority of of spectators at a safe distance. The 5 o'clock South bound train was held up for more than an hour by the lines across the track.

The efficacy of the new waterworks system was thoroughly proven at this fire, which was the most serious that has occurred since their installation. Although the engines were used on the lower side of the building, on which it was impracticable to use hose lines from the hydrants, the pressure from the city water mains was at all times adequate. In fact, the possession of a water works system is responsible for the prevention of a disastrous fire, which might have swept that entire section of Carlisle adjacent to the depot.

Streams of water were kept running on the building Saturday night and but a few wisps of smoke were rising from the twisted mass of iron Sunday.

FOR RENT— The house known as the James Spencer property. For further information see
DR. GEO. B. SPENCER.

CONGRESS "ON THE JOB"

Washington, March 14—By unanimous action of Democrats and Republicans the House tonight adopted a resolution authorizing the President to recruit the army to its full strength.

This action followed conferences of Representative Hay, of Virginia, chairman of the House Military Affairs Committee, with Secretary of War Baker. The resolution authorizes the President to recruit the infantry, cavalry and artillery forces up to 119,947 men. The present authorized strength is 100,000 men and the enlisted strength about 80,000. The vote on the resolution was 236 to 1. Representative Meyer London, New York Socialist voted against it. Representative Warren Worth Bailey, of Pennsylvania, spokesman of William Jennings Bryan in the House, declined to vote.

Bryson & Kerns.

Everything In Real Estate Especially Farms.

Observe the return to our former firm title: our Mr. Kerns concludes that he can't quit real estate and starts in fresh.

Notice our public sale, Saturday, March 25th, 2 p. m., that good Dalzell residence property on Main st. The "High Dollar" gets it.

For Quick Business we can sell you a Great Bargain in that 35 acre tract of land on the Maysville pike, the old Galbraith place. Be quick and you get a Bargain, be Slow and it will be rented.

Here's Money for the Man Who Waited, 177 acres of the very best land anywhere; 2 houses, 2 extra good barns, one of them 110 feet long, 2 1-2 miles from Millersburg, tobacco land till you can't rest, and $100 will buy it If You Hurry. Too late to fool with "Johnnie Slowboy."

An almost new brick business house in Carlisle for Immediate sale. It's a Bargain sure; better ask about it without delay.

That Dalzell Residence Property, 9 or 10 rooms, furnace, water works, stable, garage, fruits, blue grass yard, everything good and the High Dollar gets it on March 25, at 2 p. m. Be There.

A splendid new residence for Rent, they're scarce and high. 8 rooms, water works, everything good. HURRY.

If somebody wants a real bargain—property that is a Sure money-maker, let's talk about buying the McMahill stable property; there is enough stable room for a hundred horses, or near that, great big lot, and notwithstanding the automobile business, there is hardly anything better than the livery and feed business. Just at this time a rare bargain can be had in this property and we'd like to talk the matter over with anybody who would be interested in this proposition.

We have some very fine bargains in farms and city properties; notwithstanding that most people think the real estate business over for this season we are still doing a very nice business; sold two very nice properties last week, the Jas. A. Spencer residence on Main street, and 62 acres of land to W. J. Kenton. Have a number of very nice bargains just ready for somebody. Of course the world is so full of news these days with the European war and the trouble with Mexico that it is somewhat difficult to get the ear of the public; and that reminds us, if Roosevelt were President just for a week, wouldn't there be a different story to tell about Mexico? To quote and paraphrase Sir Walter Scott "'T'were worth ten years of 'Watchful Waiting', one month of Teddy in Mexico."

Now, remember our public sale of the Dalzell property; it's a splendid property, every convenience, conveniently located right on Main street and between Maple and Walnut, and the High Dollar gets it; no favorites, nothing but money talks in this sale except the auctioneer. However, reasonable terms will be offered. Be there, old friend, and buy yourself a Nice Home before you die and leave all your money to somebody else.

"Look Out For Us Next Week—Something New.

Mrs. Stewart Better

Reports from the hospital Wednesday were to the effect that Mrs. Berry Stewart, who submitted to an operation this week, had rested well Tuesday night and was doing nicely.

NEWS FROM THE COUNTY

(THE MERCURY will gladly publish correspondence from every school district or cross-roads in the county. We will furnish stamps, envelopes and paper. ED.)

Headquarters

W. E. Hill and wife, of Cross Roads, took dinner with M. D. L. Burris, Sunday.

Wm. Layton and family, of Cynthiana, visited Chas. Poisal and wife, Sunday.

There was no preaching here Sunday on account of the meeting in progress at Conry Chapel.

A violent wind storm passed through this locality Tuesday of last week. J. T. Bow had a barn blown down and one unroofed.

Pleasant Valley

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hammonds, of Cowan, were the guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jake Snapp, Sunday.

Misses Fannie Mae Luman and Blanche Fuller, of Myers, were guests of Ruth Dayton Saturday and Sunday.

Esther Dayton has been the guest of her uncle, Mr. W. G. Dayton, and family the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Flora and Mr. and Mrs. Dora Richard were in Pleasant Valley Saturday.

Miss Nora Myers is visiting relatives at Parks Hill.

There was an entertainment at the school house Saturday night. The school closed Friday.

Mrs. W. G. Dayton and the baby of Mr. Fred Fore are on the sick list.

SALTWELL

Mr. W. R. Florence and wife of Shadynook, spent Sunday with U. G. Mattox and family.

Miss Flossie L. Gaunce returned home Sunday after spending several days with relatives at Headquarters.

G. D. Earlywine spent Sunday night with his brother, S. O. Earlywine.

M. A. Gaunce spent Sunday with Warren Hillock and family.

E. T. Gaunce and wife spent Sunday with W. R. Florence at Shadynook.

John Holley and wife and H. W. Cartee spent Sunday with Mack Gaunce and family.

J. H. Feeback, of near Steel's Ford, spent Sunday with C. F. Snapp.

E. T. Gaunce and wife visited U. G. Mattox and family Wednesday.

Rev. S. L. Moore preached the funeral of Mrs. H. W. Cartee at her late residence at Headquarters Tuesday. Burial in Carlisle cemetery.

Our school closed here Friday with Miss Ethel Botts as teacher. Miss Ethel left us with the respect of all. She taught us a good school and the children loved her.

Rev. S. L. Moore and family spent Saturday with U. G. Mattox and family.

Barterville

BORN—To Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Jackson on March 8th, a daughter, Velma Morris.

Clara Hollar visited her parents near Carlisle from Friday until Monday.

Hobart Galbraith, who has been quite sick with typhoid fever at his sister, Mrs. Allie Dotson, is lots better now.

Rose Jackson returned home from Paris Friday.

Mr. Silas Feeback and family moved to the farm of J. T. Earlywine last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Burden moved to the farm of T. F. Dotson and G. T. Sellers Saturday.

Little Margaret Feeback and Bessie Earlywine are quite sick with the whooping cough.

Mr. J. W. Jackson sold a cow one day last week to D. F. Caswell for $80.

Mr. J. A. Fryman and wife and two children of near Hooktown visited T. J. Fryman Sunday.

NOTICE—At Barterville, on Thursday, March 21st, beginning at 10 a. m., there will be a Missionary Rally, conducted by Sister Irene Blyden (colored), from the West Indies, at the Apostolic Holiness Church, assisted by Sister Knapp, of Cincinnati, and Rev. Bona Fleming. All sects and races are cordially invited. McPherson Ritchie.

Stringtown.

Miss Iro Wasson closed her school here March 4th, with a delightful entertainment.

Mrs. H. E. Soper is critically ill at this writing.

Miss Annie Ward returned home Saturday after spending several days in Carlisle, the guest of her aunt, Mrs Robert Brierly.

The following celebrated their birthdays Saturday with a birthday dinner: Uncle Jessie M. Wilson, W. A. Brierly and Everett Graves.

Ben Workman has returned from Fleming, where he attended the burial of his father-in-law, Mr. Gregory.

We regret to learn of the serious illness of Mrs. Robt. Thompson, formerly of this place, but now of Lexington.

Stoney Creek

Samuel Hollar and wife visited relatives at Ishmael Chapel, Sunday.

Misses Nannie and Mae Scott were the guests of Mrs. Charles Hamm, at Ellisville, Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Elizabeth Sellers who is teaching at East Union, was at home, Saturday and Sunday.

Walker Hollar and wife, and Mrs. Nancy Hardin were guests of Roy Hardin and wife at Locust Grove, Sunday.

William Hardin and family have moved to the home of Chas. Linville, lately vacated by Levi Hendrix.

Herman Conyers and wife were guests of J. L. Gregory and wife at Plum Lick, last week.

H. L. Pumphrey is building a house on his farm for his son, Arthur.

Miss Margaret Insko is the guest of Mr. K. B. Trimble and family, at East Union.

Bethel.

Misses Bertie June Crouch and Lucile Clinkenbeard were guests of Miss Thelma Blount, of Sharpsburg, Saturday and Sunday.

Prof F. M. Carter and little son, George Rankin, were the guests of Mr and Mrs. G. L. Carter, of Flora, last week.

Mr. Dan Palmer, of near Reynoldsville, who died Saturday morning was buried here Sunday.

Mr. John Peters was in Cincinnati this week buying springs goods.

Mrs. Chas. Peters, of Flemingsburg, is visiting here this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Irvin were guests of Mrs. Lizzie Woolward, Sunday.

Messrs. Granville Clinkenbeard and Raymond Williams left for Petersburg, Ill., where they have accepted positions on farms.

Bro. Cosby, of Sharpsburg, filled his regular appointment at the Methodist Church here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Duff, of Mt. Sterling, spent the day with W. H. Pieratt and family Tuesday.

Miss Mable Daugherty, of Sherburne, is visiting her aunt, Mrs. O. H. Roberts, a few days.

Mrs. Sallie Duff, of near Mt. Sterling, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. W. H. Pieratt, this week.

Mr. D. B. Myers was in Carlisle on business Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Cannon moved near Reynoldsville this week.

Miss Bertha Vice left Friday for a visit to her mother and sister at Salt Lick.

The Parent Teacher's Association had a regular meeting Friday afternoon. At this meeting a series of Educational Speeches for the purpose of arousing a Community School Spirit were arranged. The first of these speeches will be on Friday night, March 24. Speakers announced later. On this same date a Candy Sale and Pocket Woman was arranged for.

Don't forget the entertainment given by Literary Society, Saturday, March 18th, 8:30 p. m. Plays to be given are: "The New Woman," and "Too Much of a Good Thing." Admission 25 cts.

CENSORSHIP ON MEXICAN NEWS

Late Wednesday afternoon, the American troops are reported to have crossed the border into Mexico, though Funston has clamped the censorship lid on all news from the border so tight that this is merely conjecture.

Carranza forces are reported to be aiding in the chase of the bandit, Villa.

A report that rioting had broken out among Carranza troops across the line from Presidio, Texas, caused the Thirteenth Cavalry to be sent there.

Card From Dr. Dills

The facts as to the Waugh accident were: Saturday about 4:30, I received a telephone message to come to Dorsey's crossing, a boy had been run over by the train. I went at once and found he had been moved to his home. I went and found him at home. Dr. Ermine Martin was there and had given him first treatment. On examination we found left ankle crushed and right leg badly lacerated. Dr. Martin came to office with me in his machine to procure bandages, etc., and applied them to his legs and wrapped him up as best we could. Owing to lack of room in boy's home, I told them to bring him to the station and we would send him to Paris Hospital. I received instructions that the railroad would have nothing to do with it and refused to send transportation for him, and that they would assume no responsibility.

I then went to the station and informed his parents of above facts, and told them to take him back home, and I would come over later and attend to him.

In the meantime, I asked Dr. Spencer to go over and we would amputate the foot and do the best we could under the circumstances.

He called Dr. Daugherty at Paris, who said, if he would send the boy up he, Daugherty, would take care of him at $7 per week. I sent a messenger to boy's house to get him, put him on train and take him to Paris.

M. DILLS.

St. Patrick Celebration

St. Patrick celebration tonight (Thursday) at St. John's Catholic Church. Lecture by Rev. Father Boland. Music furnished by professional artists from Cincinnati. Mrs. George Gardiner and Mr. Florence Dietrich, who formerly played leading roles in "The Chocolate Soldier," "Madame Butterfly," and "The Prince of Pilson."

BOY MANGLED BY TRAIN DIES IN PARIS HOSPITAL

Luther Waugh, Aged 17, Meets Death When He Attempts To Jump on Passing Engine

Losing his footing, while trying to swing on a moving engine, at the Dorsey avenue crossing, Saturday afternoon, Luther Waugh, aged 17, son of Tom Waugh, of this place, was thrown beneath the wheels and both legs fearfully mangled, resulting in his death at a Paris hospital Sunday morning.

The train, which was the afternoon freight, was stopped, and the crew, together with others who were near the scene of the accident, carried young Waugh to his home, where he received medical attention. The boy's left leg was crushed, and the flesh and muscle literally torn from the other leg.

Later he was carried to the depot on a stretcher, for the purpose of placing him on the five o'clock train to be taken to the hospital. Not having the necessary money for the trip and for hospital expenses, and the railroad company refusing to assume responsibility for the accident, the boy was taken back home. Shortly afterward, however, Dr. G. B. Spencer got into communication with Dr. Daugherty at Paris, who agreed to perform the necessary operation at the Massie Hospital. Dr. Spencer took the injured boy, at his own expense, to Paris, on the train which had been delayed here by the re-dryer fire.

An operation, removing his left leg at the knee, was performed by Dr. Daugherty, and was thought at first to have been successful, but the shock the boy had suffered resulted in his death Sunday morning at ten o'clock.

The body was brought here for burial Sunday night, the funeral services being held Monday afternoon.

30 YEARS AGO.

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Tobacco market dull. 5, 7 and 9 cents the average.

Bright, sunshiny weather and some gardeners plant early peas, potatoes, etc.

Chas. Donnell knocked down and badly bitten on left arm by his stallion, Jumbo Lafayette.

Frank Adair sell his drug store in Millersburg.

John Linville leaves for Albany, Texas.

DIED—Joseph Blair, at the home of his father, A. W. Blair. —Joshua Clary, father of F. P. Clary, at his home in Mayslick.

Don't miss the Saint Patrick entertainment at the St. John's Church Thursday night.

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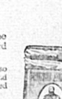

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