Locals.

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

Tonight--Thursday

A Paramount feature, entitled "The Rug Maker's Daughter," with Maud Allan in the title role, a romantic love story in 5 parts.

FRIDAY—The Diamond From The Sky ("Mine Own People.") This is the last episode of this delightful serial and we urge you to see it.

SATURDAY—Geraldine O'Brien in "His Wife," a Mutual masterpicture, produced by Thanhouser. A stirring drama.

MONDAY—Blanche Sweet, in "The Clue", a 5 part thrilling detective drama. Paramount

TUESDAY—The popular idols of the screen, Francis X. Bushman and Beverley Bayne in "Graustark," the world-famous novel by George Barr McCutcheon. This is released on the V. L. S. E program and is in 6 parts. We are constantly trying to give our patrons the best there is in moving pictures, and in adding the V. L. S. E. features to our program, we have secured some of the best productions obtainable. Don't fail to see "Graustark" Tuesday, and remember we show a V. L. S. E. every Tuesday.

Good music every night.

LYRIC THEATRE

FOR SALE—Several pieces of good furniture. Come quick before we move.

MRS. JNO. N. ROSS

W. M. Tucker of Moorefield has bought a Federal truck from the Citizens Garage and will start a truck line between Owingsville and Lexington shortly.

The Junior Endeavor Society of the Christian Church will give a Spelling Match tonight in the basement of the Christian Church beginning at 7:30 o'clock. Admission 10 cents.

Work is proceeding rapidly on the new ice plant, which is being erected by the Carlisle Electric Light & Power Co. The plant will be ready for the installation of the machinery in about two weeks.

C. C. Ratliff purchased through C. U. Bramblett, real estate broker, last week the residence of John N. Ross, located on the west side of Locust street. This is one of the nicest residence properties in the city of Carlisle. Mr. Ross will give possession within thirty days. He now contemplates building on his lot on the corner of Elm and Mulberry streets.

Personal

Miss Kate Tune, who has charge of this column, will appreciate it if you will notify her when you have guests, when you are going away or when you are entertaining.

Mr. J. W. Mock, of Ashland, visited his mother, Mrs. Kate Mock, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Shirley Sumpter and son, of Montgomery county, are visiting relatives here.

Mr. Henry Darnall, of Cincinnati, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Darnall, the past week.

Mrs. James Parker is ill with grippe.

Miss Edna Roberts has returned from a visit with relatives in Mason county.

Mr. Wise Colliver is confined to his room with an attack of grippe.

Miss Elizabeth Keckley of Flemingsburg is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. G. S. Dudley.

Miss Martha Dudley is ill with grippe.

Mrs. Margaret Conley is visiting relatives in Mt. Sterling.

Mrs. W. D. Oldham of Richmond visited her son, Mr. R. C. Oldham, last week.

Mrs. J. W. Barnett has returned to Paris after a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Geo. E. Mitch.

Rev. Father Lehr was in Winchester the past week.

Mrs. M. F. Howe and Mrs. Robert Blount have returned to Lexington after a visit with relatives at Moorefield.

Roger Ratliff left last week for Detroit, Mich., to accept a position with the McCord Manufacturing Company.

Mr. and Mrs. Estle Hostetter have moved to Connersville, Ind.

Mr. Paul Darnall and little son, Calvin Darnall, accompanied by Dr. J. Gray Martin, went to Lexington Friday to consult a specialist in regard to Master Calvin's hearing. The deafness was caused by an attack of scarlet fever.

Among those who saw "The Birth of a Nation" at Lexington last week were: Mr. and Mrs. Carlton Lambert, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Fisher, Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Hutchings, Mrs. Farris Templeman, Mrs. Dan Lee, Misses Evelyn Ross, Willie Boardman, Anna Howe, Leila Kerns, Elizabeth Rice, Messrs. John Morgan, Fred Graeter, Harry Kennedy, W. B. Stewart, L. A. Martin, Dr. J. B. Glenn.

Mrs. Taylor Mathers will entertain the "As You Like It" Club this afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Miss Evelyn Ross will entertain Saturday afternoon in honor of her guest, Mrs. Dan Lee of Knoxville, Tenn.

RELIGIOUS.

MARRIAGES.

BIRTHS.

DEATHS.

For a few weeks Insko & Norton have in their hands for sale one of the best money making places within 5 miles of Carlisle. The owner says sell this store house, blacksmith shop, and three residences. This is the greatest bargain that has ever been offered to the public. In the store house there is being carried on today one of the best country businesses in rural Kentucky. This place will not wait on you. On account of desires for other business, this COMMUNITY will be on the market for two or three weeks.

A lady writes R. C. King: "Please send me 4 Sweet Home Chicken Coops. will take rest of one dozen later. I used your Sweet Home Coop last year and like them fine. They keep chickens dry and warm in Spring, cool in Summer, and are rat, lice and vermin proof all the time."

Ford pictures at the Lyric April 3 and 5.

There are many new colors and blocks in Soft Hats this Spring. We've a fine spread Stetson's Chamois, $1.00.

C. C. COLE & CO.

At this late day of the season, Insko & Norton still have a few very desirable farms for sale, and city property; why they have a corner on the best bargains but you must remember that DELAY IS DANGEROUS.

We have a customer who wants 20 to 30 acres of land with house on same and that will not cost over $40 an acre. If you have a place of this description, it will be to your interest to see Insko & Norton at once.

WANTED!

Your Job Printing Business

If We Can't Please You

Don't Come Again

Worth Careful Thought

Do you read the label to know whether your baking powder is made from cream of tartar or, on the other hand, from alum or phosphate?

Royal Baking Powder is made from cream of tartar, derived from grapes, and adds to the food only wholesome qualities.

Other baking powders contain alum or phosphate, both of mineral origin, and used as substitutes for cream of tartar because of their cheapness.

Never sacrifice quality and healthfulness for low price.

ROYAL BAKING POWDER CO.
New York

Duck Eggs For Sale

Card Of Thanks

Miss Gardner Busy

"The Girl And The Game" To Appear In The Mercury

Evangelist Will J. Harney B.S., A.B., B.D., Wilmore, Ky.

Can You Find The Mistake In This

	Days
Number of days in a year	365
Less time for sleep, 8 hours a day	122
	243
Less 8 hours off a day	122
	121
Less Sundays in the year	52
	69
Less half days on Saturdays	26
	43
Less two weeks' vacation	14
	29
Less one hour each day for dinner	16
	13
Less ten legal holidays	10
Actual working days	3

The clerk, who is a smart young man of Hebrew extraction, saw the point and suggested to his employer that when he figured in the three Jewish holidays he wasn't working at all.

—Insurance Field.

Card Of Thanks.

I wish to thank the public for their kindness to me and for the liberal patronage accorded me during my connection with the Main Street Garage. I have sold out my interest in the garage, but will continue to conduct an auto livery service from my stable on Main and Sycamore. Call Phone 177. Thanking you again for your patronage, I am

Sincerly yours,
E. B. BOWEN

Tom Pence Dead.

Thomas J. Pence, Secretary of the Democratic National Committee, died early Monday morning in Washington, of a complication of diseases.

The House judiciary committee voted Tuesday 10 to 9 to postpone indefinitely consideration on all suffrage and prohibition proposals now before it.

The Court of Appeals has affirmed Judge Young in his decision that the Mt. Sterling Commissioners were illegally elected. The affairs of the county will be conducted by the Fiscal Court until a vote can be taken in 1917.

SELLING AUTOMOBILES
A MARVELLOUS BUSINESS

Good Rule of Life.

Optimistic Thought.

See Sam Veach's Line of Trunks, Suit Cases and Traveling Bags.

"The Girl and The Game," in THE MERCURY and at The Lyric.

Garden Seeds of all kinds.
JAS. ARCHDEACON.

Watch for our new serial, "Home;" it will appear in an early issue.

New Veils and Spring Hats on display at MRS. H. T. MANN'S

I have Fertilizer for your tobacco beds. F. B. HENRY.

For Shirts that are above the level of just Shirts, come here. Our Spring lines are beauties. 50c. to $1.50.

C. C. COLE & CO.

Now is the time to subscribe for THE MERCURY. Our new continued story "Home," will start in an early number.

FOR Sale—Two good work horses, 6 years old, one good mare, 6 years old. Will sell at reasonable price.
W. F. CHEATHAM.

Hosiery and neckwear of the same high quality and no advance in prices at Sam Veach's.

You can't afford to sow tobacco beds without Fertilizer.
F. B. HENRY.

Read the first installment of "The Girl and The Game" in our issue of April 6th. See the first episode of this thrilling railroad drama by Frank Spearman, the noted author of "Whispering Smith," at the Lyric.

DUFF'S Molasses

P. DUFF & SONS
Pittsburgh, Pa.

RATS!

Now don't it beat the Dickens,
How the rats will catch the chickens,
That the women folks have worked so hard to raise
Yes, they shut them up at night
In old coops they think are tight;
But the Rats you know, have awfully cunning ways.
They will dig beneath the chickens
And all the women's fixings
Of rocks and boards and sticks to save chick lives
But, lo! when comes the morning,
And the day is brightly dawning,
The Rats have cut chick throats as if with knives.
Now to stop this awful slaughter
As everybody "oughter,"
Just get a SWEET HOME COOP of R. C. King,
Then Rats can never fret them,
Nor rain or storm can wet them,
And Chicken Raising is a pleasant thing.
These coops are ventilated
And fresh air can't be overrated
For people or for chickens just as well
And for lice and other pests
That infect the chickens' nests
You can burn coops out and make them hot as
For they are made of heavy metal,
And strong as any kettle,
And chicken raising comes an easy job.
Come and see these coops for chickens
And you'll admit they beat the Dickens,
Don't forget the place and post—Uncle Bob,

or R. C. KING.

A Delight To The Eye Are My New Spring Hats

In all modesty, I wish to say to the ladies of Nicholas that never will they have a better opporuuity to select from such pleasing hat styles than at the present time, for my showing of HATS is now complete. You should see them.

Mrs. Angie Waugh

Coming Back To The Orpheum

The last three nights of next week Blanchard's A. B. C. Co., with 14 people, bigger and better than ever. Now, you don't have to be told what this company is for you saw them when they played our town before. The center attraction this time will be Mrs. Blanchard, who was not with the show when they were in our town, and who is a fine artist. Mr. Blanchard will have all new acts this time, himself, working in black face one night. Now don't fail to see this show, the best that ever came to town for the price. Remember the date, March 30, 31, April 1. Adv.

Fresh and cured meats. All my meats are home killed.
JAS. ARCHDEACON.

Silk and pongee shirts with soft cuffs galore, at Sam K. Veach's.

An Entire Settlement For Sale By Local Dealers

One store building and stock of goods, three dwellings and a blacksmith shop, one garage or carriage house, and one stable, in a good farming community, are being offered for sale by the real estate firm of Insko & Norton, of Carlisle. The store has a splendid trade in all kinds of produce, and is doing a fine business, most of which is cash. Insko & Norton say that they will sell the store room and two dwellings; or the store room, all three dwellings and the blacksmith shop. They will invoice goods and discount 10 per cent, or will close out stock of goods, turning over houses to purchaser. Prospective purchasers should call on Insko & Norton, at their office on Main street in Carlisle for further particulars. Adv.

1882 SAM K. VEACH 1916

The Opening Chords of Spring

ARE reflected in the bright, sunshiny patterns and the smart fresh models of our new bench-tailored

Clothes for Men and Young Men
Just arrived $15.00, $18.50, $20.00

ALREADY the signs of Spring are evident the singing birds, the budding flowers, the lengthening days.

Are you not tired of that bulky old Winter suit? 'Tis Spring. 'Tis time to discard the Wintry garment and don new clothes.

You'll be delighted with the refreshingly attractive weaves and color combinations we're showing.

Have a peek at our windows—or better—come in. Try on a few suits. See if you're not pleased more than you have ever been.

And when you see our comprehensive array of high-class hats, snappy new neckwear and shirts—in fact, faultless furnishings of all kinds—you will quickly admit that we have the most desirable assortment in town.

1882 SAM K. VEACH 1916
Quality First. Style Too.

NOAH'S ARK.

HATS HATS HATS
Ladies' Misses' Children's

We sold over 500 Hats last season. There's a Reason. Ask any of these Satisfied Customers why. They will tell you they got the same Style, Quality and Service out of one of these hats and that they PAID ONLY ABOUT HALF AS MUCH as they had been paying. Yes, There's a Reason why we still sell more and more hats every season.

OUR NEW HATS AND TRIMMINGS ARE HERE

Beautiful Leghorns, Panamas, Tagels, Chips and Milams. No better hats made. Lovely flowers and ribbon.

We are going to please you. Come in and get your new hats and save the difference.

Yours to please,

MRS. W. J. WISE.

The Hudson Super-Six
The Hupmobile
The Maxwell 25
The White Commercial Car.
THE MAIN STREET GARAGE
J.M.BERRY Proprietor

MISS ELLEN HARDIN
HATS
ALWAYS SHOWING LATEST MODELS FROM LEADING MODISTES TOGETHER WITH MY OWN ORIGINAL CREATIONS
YOUR INSPECTION INVITED

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COMMENT

Ministerial students of Transylvania College who seek consolation from Lady Nicotine are hereafter to be ineligible to scholarship privileges, which include all regular fees and room rent in the dormitory. The faculty evidently does not subscribe to that bit of philosophy to the effect that it is "better to smoke here than hereafter."

Newport is reported to have had another "wet" Sunday. The fool liquor men in Newport are helping to hasten the day when every day'll be Sunday, as far as the licensed liquor business in Kentucky is concerned. They are the best little prohibition workers we know.

Judging from the spirit of the city council, as evidenced in the discussion of town-cleaning, Monday night, you are liable to find yourself either peeping through the bars or paying a stiff fine, if you allow your premises to become littered up with rubbish. Clean in time and save a fine.

In a frantic effort to get the correct time, a man went over to Paris last week and set his watch, but the dad-blasted thing stopped before he got home.

Hello, Central.
Will you give me the time, please?
Which time do you want—Court House, or correct?

Children of the city school are being encouraged to plant gardens and report their success in growing things. We gave them some of the garden and flower seeds received from Senator Beckham last week, and trust that they will learn to make two onions, radishes, cucumbers, lettuces, etc., grow where none grew before. We know, from experience, that they will enjoy it. While they are planting, why not encourage them to convert some of the hideous vacant lots, of which Carlisle has its share, into flower gardens. We are sure the owners of such lots would be glad to have them made beautiful with growing things. Start with the vacant spaces about the depot, for instance. Here is a splendid place for the development of some amateur landscape gardener. We would suggest our friend and fellow fisherman, John Tilton, as being one capable of giving the children some pointers in flower culture.

An Ordinance.

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

No person shall keep or caused to be kept within the City limits of the City of Carlisle any hog or pig confined or otherwise or at all.

Any person violating this ordinance shall be fined not less than $1.00 nor more than $15.00 for each offense, and each day any hog or pig is so kept within said City shall constitute a separate offense.

All ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby repealed

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

An Ordinance.

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

That it shall be unlawful for any person to wash any vehicle upon the public streets or ways of the City of Carlisle.

Any person violating this ordinance shall be fined not less than $2.00 nor more than $5.00 for each offense.

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

COUNCIL GETS "CLEAN-UP" FEVER GOOD AND STRONG.

Issue Proclamation And Pass Two Ordinances To Make Our Town More Sanitary.

The "Clean-up" fever struck the city council Monday night like an epidemic of whooping cough in a graded school, and when the smoke had cleared away, a proclamation warning citizens against insanitary practices and two "clean up" ordinances had been unanimously voted.

A crowd of women appeared before the city fathers at the beginning of the meeting and registered a protest against the condition of the street in the East end of the city. Members from the Health League also protested against the practice of littering streets and premises with paper. The protesting soon waxed warm, the women averring that they were determined to see things cleaned up.

Realizing that when a number of the feminine gender gets the cleaning fever this time of year, mere men had as well hike for wood-shed or the stable, the council began at once on the town-cleaning. The ordinances and proclamations are printed elsewhere in this issue.

The following permits were granted:

Ed Bowen, to erect a garage on his lot on Main street.

H. C. Metcalfe, to build an addition to his house.

John Wells, to build a garage on his lot on Main street.

Fire Chief Beers recommended the following, who were chosen as the Carlisle Fire Department for this year:

C. J. Frey, John Lawrence, Jim Paris, John Archdeacon, George Bratton, H. R. Ewing.

Councilmen Darnall and Howe, City Attorney Ross, Fire Chief Beers and City Clerk Vaughn were directed to go to Cincinnati and purchase a body and equipment for the new fire truck. These gentlemen volunteered to go at their own expense.

License collected, $9; fines $21.12; cash on hand, $265.02.

Bryson & Kerns.

Everything In Real Estate Especially Farms.

Our New Telephone number is 256 256 256 256 256. Call us for Groceries, Meats, Sundries, or when you want to talk real estate. Get the habit of calling us—it's a good habit, and we'll try to have it MAKE YOU MONEY, or at least, SAVE YOU MONEY.

Now, this new Grocery and Meat store is not going to try to run everybody else out of business. We want to have the nicest and kindest feeling with our competitors. No one store can DO IT ALL, and we have no such idea. At the same time we are asking very earnestly and persistently for a reasonable part of the patronage of the people of Carlisle and Nicholas County, and if courteous treatment, good goods, fair dealing, and everything else just as it should be will get a reasonable part of the business then The Golden Rule Company will feel assured of getting all the business properly coming to it.

Remember our telephone number—256—and GET THE HABIT of using that number.

Our entirely NEW stock in and about Friday or Saturday you can have a good steak, beef or pork, anything you wish in groceries, and the thanks of the gentlemen who are trying to please you.

LATER—We hope to offer next Saturday a very complete "demonstration" of cakes, coffees, condiments, etc. Come to see us.

We have a number of REAL real estate bargains; a good house in town, a number of extraordinary farm bargains, and we'd like to talk with you about them.

One special bargain is that good 177 acre farm not far from Millersburg; 2 houses, 2 extra good barns, 100 acres fine tobacco land, all the rest of the land good, located in the famous Red Soil District (best land in the world) and if you come in a hurry $100 per acre will buy it.

Good small house, pretty yard &c., for rent.

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.)

Barterville

Room No. 1, taught by Mrs. Elbridge Miller, closed Tuesday afternoon with a short, with a instructive program. A crowd of patrons as well friends attended and all report an excellent entertainment.

Mrs. Berlin Snapp visited her little son, Darrell, Saturday, who was operated on for apendicitis, at Lexington. He is getting along nicely and he is expected home soon.

The mission revival at Cynthiana is doing fine. Many have undoubtly prayed through to victory. Rev. Bona Fleming preaches the old time gospel, which was proclaimed by Luther, Knox, Wesley and our forefathers. Sunday night was a great service, people were crying all over the hall, twenty-five knelt at the altar and a number of these prayed through. About thirty have been converted or reclaimed.

Pleasant Valley

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Letcher were guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Letcher last week.

Miss Laura McIlvain was in Ewing Friday.

Mrs. E. G. Flora was in Cowan Friday.

Mrs. Ora Letcher has returned from a visit with relatives in London, Ky.

Mrs. Wm. McCarty and baby, and Mrs. Edgar Moore and children, were guests of relatives here Sunday.

Miss Lucy Letcher was the guest of Miss Bettie Mitchell Sunday.

Misses Etna and Bessie Gray went to Richmond Monday to attend school at the Eastern State Normal.

Mr. H. L. Flora was in Covington Monday.

Crayton.

Mr. Jno. A. Day and wife are visiting their daughter, Mrs. Hanson Purcell, near Georgetown.

Reuben Cleaver's baby is some better at this writing.

Earl Jones and wife, of Robertson county, are visiting Jno. Day.

Bethlehem Church gave an entertainment to the Sunday School Sunday.

Miss Mary Miller was the guest of Miss Pearl Day the past week.

Preaching at Joseph Chapel Saturday night and Sunday morning by Rev. Sanford.

Victor Day and Elva Kenton, of this place, visited Mr. Will Kenton, near Blue Licks, Sunday.

The first real practice for the Crayton Stars is slated to take place at Crayton next Saturday afternoon. The line-up of the team is: Cleaver and Gaunce, pitchers; Thompson, catcher; Feeback, 1st base; Kenton, 2nd base; Day, short stop; Martin, 3rd base; Robins, right field; Ludenburg, left field; F. Day, pitcher; M. Harney, manager.

Bethel.

Miss Lila Ruth Robertson and Miss Stella Crouch, of Hamilton College are spending a few days with their parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Day and daughter, and Miss Daisy Pieratt spent Sunday afternoon with relatives near Mt. Sterling.

Mr. Scott Robertson, of Transylvania University, is at home for a short vacation.

Mrs. Wilson Boyd and son are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Peters, of Flemingsburg.

Mrs. J. R. Peters and Mrs. J. P. Ballinger were in Mt. Sterling Thursday.

Little Harvey Roberts Dickens who has been sick for sometime is improving.

Our school has a new piano.

The second of a series of educational speeches was given at the school house Friday evening by Miss Lida Gardner who gave a rousing good address to a full house. Miss Johnson gave a talk on tuberculosis. The third speech of this series will be given Friday evening, April 7, by Prof. Dix, Supt. of Mayslick Consolidated School.

Headquarters

Sunday is "Go to Church Day" here, let everybody come. Will have preaching Saturday night and Sunday night.

Dr. W. H. Martin and wife visited his mother Sunday.

Mrs. Ada Smith visited her parents near Saltwell Monday.

S. T. Barlow bought 3000 doz. eggs last week.

Mr. Al Robertson, wife and daughter visited here Tuesday.

John Collins remains very low with tuberculosis.

Mrs. J. H. Smith is visiting her daughter, Mrs. W. H. Earlywine at Tarr's Station.

Cane Run.

Mrs. Nat Ralls and three children spent Friday with her mother.

Blair Shannon is a visitor in this section.

Mrs. J. O. Shrout sold the past week a cow and calf to W. Vice.

Mr. and Mrs. Davis, of Mt. Sterling spent last Saturday and Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John King.

Charlie Reid sold to Nat Ralls ten barrels of corn for $4.00 per barrell

Clarence Burke bought of Mr. Gore a horse for $135.

The death angel visited the home of Mr. and Mrs. Nat Ralls, of near Moorefield on March 23, and took from them this darling little son. Burial took place at Bethel. Our sympathy goes out to the bereaved family.

Saltwell.

Mrs. E. T. Gaunce spent the past week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Florence, at Shadynook.

Mack Gaunce is building a new house for his son, E. T. Gaunce. Geo. H. Mattox, contractor.

Mr. and Mrs. P. D. Kendall spent Sunday with Jno Hollar and wife. Mrs. Hollar is poorly.

J. H. Earlywine and family visited U. G. Mattox and family Sunday.

Rev. S. L. Moore and family are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Brannock near Boyd. Bro. Moore's mother is very poorly.

Miss Irene Snapp visited Mr. and Mrs. Warren Hillock the past week.

Jas. Gaunce left Sunday for Paris to visit friends.

Herman Bowles visited Aaron Snapp and family Saturday night and Sunday.

Mr. Russell Ritchie and wife, of near Bald Hill, visited the latter's father, Isaac N. Snapp, Sunday.

Mrs. Mack Gaunce and daughter, Flossie, spent Friday with H. W. Cartee at Headquarters.

E. R. Kendall was in Paris Monday.

Mrs. Geo. M. Gaunce and daughter, Myrtle, are poorly.

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

County Surveyor Caldwell, Mr. Brierly and Grover C. Gaunce surveyed the farm of the late H. G. Taylor Thursday containing 165 acres.

Forest Taylor and wife, of near Ewing, was here the past week.

R. H. Taylor had a severe spell of neuralgia of the stomach the past week.

Rev. S. L. Moore filled his appointment here Sunday.

The Nicholas County Sunday School Association, will meet in called session of the officers Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock in Grand Jury Room, April 8, 1916.

H. S. WEAVER, Pres.
U. G. MATTOX, Sec'y.

FOR SALE—Several pieces of good furniture. Come quick before we move.

MRS. JNO. N. ROSS

Has Your Subscription Expired? *Come in and renew it next time you are in town.*

RELIGIOUS CENSUS TAKEN HERE ON LAST SUNDAY.

Christian Church Leads In Membership With Methodist Second And Presbyterian Is Third.

The religious census taken by a committee from all of the churches of Carlisle last Sunday afternoon, resulted in the return of 1,579 names. 16 cards were returned, with the note that families or individuals were not found. The cards bore the following questions: Name; Age; Street; Church Membership; Where; Church Preference; Sunday School; Sunday School Preference.

The census takers assembled at the Christian Church Sunday afternoon, and went out by twos to the streets assigned to them. The census taking was completed Sunday afternoon and the following result has been compiled:

Church Membership:	
Christian Church	622
Methodist Church	483
Presbyterian Church	167
Baptist Church	142
Catholic Church	94
Listed, but information incomplete	33
No Church preference	15
Families and individuals not found	16
Jews	7
Episcopal Church	5
Christian Scientist	1

Of the 16 reported not at home, some are probably whole families.

SCHOOL NEWS

All of last week except Monday was spent in the office. The schools are all closed now except where high schools are attached.

The trustees are requested not to return the census until they receive notice from me as we want them all returned the same day in order that we may acquaint the trustees with the new law relative to school matters.

Trustees are requested this year to take the census of all adult people over 20 years of age who cannot read and write. Don't put these in your census pads or blanks for school children but copy their ages on another piece of paper and bring to me. You don't have to get the month and the day of the ages of the adult people over 20 years, simply get them to give you their age. But don't fail to get the month and day of the children from 6 to 20 years.

We are delighted to know that so many of our teachers are going to K. E. A., and quite a number of the trustees and practically all of the county board are going. The city school teachers are all going this year, headed by their wide awake superintendent Prof. R. Dean Squires. Their board will enroll, too, and some of them go.

Teachers who do not attend normal school, K. E. A., nor do anything from year to year to improve themselves cannot expect, when the salary schedule is made up, that they will get the same that the progressive teacher does. This year teachers are expected to attend K. E. A. at least three days. Not just go one day and back the next, and not to simply to go to Louisville and then not hear the splendid things discussed there by the association. Of course they should see Louisville, should see the many places of interest that is a part of their broadening, but there is plenty of time between sessions for that.

The month of May is the time for deciding on buildings, repair, painting, etc. We have some addition to build at Moorefield high school, a high school room at Barterville, and Henryville must have something done for it this year. The colored people pay school tax and their school house is located on a back alley, behind a stable and a number of outbuildings and the drainage from all this filth runs over their yard and under their school house. The inspection of the school children in this school showed only 10 per cent. of the children normal, and this year disease of some kind was in the school over half the time.

Last Friday the county board met and transacted quite a lot of business, changed a few boundaries, went in a body up to Henryville to look at two lots which the Henryville people were considering as probable sites for their proposed new school building. The board decided on one and the Henryville people will purchase the lot and deed it to the county board and a new school house will be placed on it. After the board had seen the dreadful site of the old house they were sorry that they had had to stay there so long. The board was delighted with the school and as it was serving day for their domestic science class they treated the members of the board to a bountiful supply of ice cream in their nicely arranged domestic sbience room. The teachers and the school have purchased a beautiful organ and are paying for it with the help of the domestic science class. Wednesday evening, April 12, the Henryville commencement exercises will be held in the Court House at 8 o'clock. One section will be reserved for white people. They have nine graduates. The teachers and their trustee join me in extending a cordial invitation to you to attend.

Friday afternoon Miss Nell Johnson, the county nurse, and I went to Bethel to address the Parent-Teachers Association of that place. We were entertained by Mrs. Bob Whaley and to say that we were royally entertained would be expressing it mildly. She is a true Kentucky hostess and has a beautiful modern home. Mrs. Whaley is president of the Parent-Teachers Association, which is doing so much to assist the teachers in their school work. The association has purchased a new piano. They have three teachers, serve hot lunches by their domestic science class each day. They teach manual training and music. Prof. Carter, of Nicholas county, is principal of the Bethel school.

We were delighted with the splendid audience and their deep interest in school. They want a better school building and they will get it, too.

Don't forget teachers meeting next Saturday, April 8, at 10 o'clock.

LIDA E. GARDNER,
County Superintendent.

30 YEARS AGO.

From THE MERCURY of Apr. 8 1886

On account of the large docket Circuit Court still in session.

Harry Smathers, colored, gets $25 and ten days in jail for resisting Constable Harvey.

Barton Rogers accepts a position with Burroughs & Potts, grocers.

Only one bar open in Carlisle. That license expires on July 1.

"Roger Neal's 'April Fool' was a good one—the rich and poor alike, stopped to grap the big, fat pocket-book, but Roger pulled the string."

20 indictments returned by grand jury. 9 of these for illegal sale of liquor.

Grand jury condemns the jail, as usual.

BORN—To the wife of Victor Martin, a daughter.

MARRIED—Mr. James Farran and Miss Jimaline Mitchell.

Chorus Girls Indulge In Hair Pulling Match.

The Arlington-Blanchard Musical Comedy Co., which recently filled a three-nights engagement at the Paris Grand, and at Carlisle the remainder of the week, were en route from Carlisle to Middlesboro, where they opened yesterday.

While waiting for their train at the L. & N. 10 st., station two of the chorus girls became involved in a war of words, and in the fracas that followed, there was a hair-pulling match that fairly filled the air with hair-pins, side-combs and handfuls of hair.

The combatants were finally separated by bystanders, and peace restored. It was understood that the cause of the rumpus was the shifting of a Paris boy's affections from one to the other.

The scrap created considerable excitement among the waiting passengers at the station.—Bourbon News.

Ed Bradley, colored, who has been in the county jail since last October, and is charged with highway robbery, made his escape from the jail on last Saturday night. Bradley made his escape through a ruse that he wanted some salt and when he stepped from the lockup to the corridor between the lockup and the kitchen he made a dash for liberty through the front entrance and was successful.

PROCLAMATION!

Clean Up And Paint Up.

Springtime is upon us, and the time for cleaning up and painting up. April 19th and 20th are set aside and are hereby proclaimed as CLEAN UP DAYS. All the citizens and property owners of the city are urged upon these two days to clean up their premises, and the portions of their streets bounding their property, placing all dirt and filth in receptacles, to be called for by the city and hauled away.

Anyone cleaning up before these days have only to notify the undersigned, or one of the city officials of that fact, and the city carts will call at once and remove same. But these two days are especially set apart for cleaning up and painting up.

Special attention is called to the ordinances of the City making it a severe penalty for the suffering or permitting pools of stagnant water on their premises; or privies that are permitted or suffered to become unclean and obnoxious; hog pens; suffering or permitting to remain on their premises any obnoxious or fetid matter or offal; or placing or causing to be placed upon the streets or alleys of the City, dirt of any kind; or the THROWING OF PAPERS upon the streets; or to throw, or cause to run from their kitchens or any other place, any nauseous or unhealthy or offensive water or liquid of any kind into or upon any sidewalk, or street or alley; or have hogs within the City limits at any time; or the placing of obnoxious slops in barrels or vessels on their premises.

Special attention is called by this Proclamation to the aforesaid Ordinances, and the citizens are enjoined and warned by this Proclamation to observe same strictly, and that upon the failure so to do, the City Officials have been commanded to enforce said ordinances to the letter. So all get together!

The city carts will help you clean up upon demand. Let us have the cleanest and most healthy little city in the State.

Done this 4th day of April, 1916.

J. H. FREY, Mayor

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Mrs. Angie Waugh