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COUNTY SCHOOL NEWS.

The common school graduates are requested to meet me in my office Saturday, August 25, at 1:30 promptly.

We want every one, whether you have been here or not to come that afternoon, and I will give you the invitations and possibly the programs. Be sure to bring the 25c. for each graduate as that goes toward paying for printing and other expenses.

Don't forget we have changed the date from the 18th to the 25th on account of the Ewing Fair, as several of the graduates want to attend next Saturday. Now, don't fail to be here the afternoon of August 25, at 1:30. If you do you will miss getting your invitations and hearing instructions.

Every trustee in the county is expected to meet in my office Thursday, August 30th, at 9 o'clock, promptly, to receive a list of supplies for their school, also to receive flag for their house.

We want every trustee to get busy and get every man, woman and child from his district here that day. We want every person who comes to have some kind of a flag, either small or large. At 10 o'clock, promptly, we are going to form the parade of trustees, teachers, patrons and school children of Nicholas county, including the city children, teachers, patrons, etc.

We will form this parade at the junction of Sycamore and Main streets between Bowen's Livery Stable and Judge Mitchell's residence.

Governor Stanley has been invited but we are not sure that he can come on account of the war conditions which require much of his attention, but several of the State officials have promised to come.

The city school board will raise the largest flag in the city over their school building that day at 10:30. They had planned to raise it before this time, but on account of the great patriotic day we had planned for the Teachers' Institute we asked them to postpone the raising of their beautiful flag until August 30th, which they kindly did.

Common school commencement will be held that afternoon at 1:30. There are forty-seven graduates.

The Teachers' Institute will begin August 27th. Dr. McAllister, Dean of the Normal Department, Berea College, will be instructor, assisted by Miss Mattie Ried, head of the English Department, Western State Normal, Bowling Green. She will instruct in English and story telling.

Every teacher expecting to teach in any school in Nicholas county or Carlisle is required by law to attend the full session. We are glad to say we have no trouble with the teachers along this line here in the institute.

Several of the business houses of Carlisle have sent their delivery boys to get permits to deliver. It is very dangerous to employ either boys or girls to work at any kind of work if they are under 16 years of age. Permits can be had by applying to this office.

LIDA E. GARDNER, Co. Supt.

SALTWELL

Rev. S. L. Moore and family returned home Friday after visiting friends at Tolesboro for several days.

W. R. Gaunce and wife spent Friday with E. T. Gaunce and family.

Miss Myrtle Gaunce is ill.

Noel Gaunce and Wm. Rule left Monday for Canada.

Johnson Snapp, of Barterville, and U. G. Mattox and family spent Sunday with G. G. Gaunce and family.

Mrs. U. G. Mattox and son, Arnold, and Miss Gladys Snapp spent Friday with John M. Snapp and family, near Blue Lick.

Floyd Barlow and wife visited Rev. R. E. Coleman and family at Visalia the past week.

That land has increased in value in Nicholas county within the past twenty years is shown by the sale of a farm on Cassidy creek last week. Twenty years ago, M. H. Vice bought a farm of 65 acres in front of the court house door for $580. Vice then sold the farm to William Cannon for $1,400; Cannon sold it to Stamper & Lawrence for $2,050; Stamper & Lawrence sold it to G. D. McLean for $3,250; McLean sold to J. R. Dotson for $4,250; Dotson sold to Bush Reed $4,792; and last week Reed sold to Frank Powell for $6,000. Since Mr. Powell purchased the farm, he has been offered a profit of $500, it is reported. This is certainly going some.

Plans for sending the first national guard troops to France have been perfected by the War Department with the organization of a division which will include troops from twenty-six States and the District of Columbia. Kentucky is not in the list.

NICHOLAS EXEMPTION BOARD BEGAN OPERATION TUESDAY

One plied the axe in the woods of morn,
One hoed the fields of the sprouting corn,
One balanced books in an office bare,
One lounged all day in an easy chair,
One loafed and fished in a forest pool
That mirrored the shadows long and cool,
When the notes of a bugle, sweet and shrill,
Rang suddenly out o'er vale and hill.

The axe was left in the woods of morn,
The hoe was dropped in the fields of corn,
Shut and locked was the office bare,
Overturned was the easy chair,
The rod remained in the forest pool
To rot and rust in the shadows cool,
For the men had answered the summons shrill,
And followed the flag o'er vale and hill.

—Minna Irving.

The Nicholas Board of Exemptions under the provision of the drafting act, began their work Tuesday of making a physical examination of the 130 men summoned before them. Forty of the number were summoned for Tuesday and forty for Wednesday and fifty for today. Tuesday fourteen out of the forty called for military service did not claim exemption, ten were found to be physically unfit, one physically deficient temporarily and twelve plead exemption on the ground of dependants, wives, children, aged and infirm parents, while others made the claim of industrial workers and farmers. John Wells was one of the number called but had previously enlisted. Joe Harrison Miller was another called but is now in Arkansas and has applied for examination in that State. The fortieth man was R. L. Baker (Singlefoot), a printer whose whereabouts are unknown. The Board, composed of Dr. R. F. Reynolds, County Clerk Jno. F. Sugg and Sheriff W. T. Parker, began their work Tuesday at eight o'clock and before five in the afternoon had examined the thirty-seven. By seven o'clock the young men gathered in town and in many cases fathers and mothers accompanied them. It was certainly the most important day in the lives of these young men. Uncle Sam has called the youth of our Nation to defend its liberty and it behooves Nicholas county to furnish its unit. Those examined Tuesday, who waived all right of claiming exemption and who are ready to defend the flag at any cost, were:

William Chalmers Hammond
Earl K. Seamonds
William Noel Cain
Clincie Cleon Jones
Harvey McFarland
Earl C. Colliver
James Kash Shanklin
Jesse Thomas Ockerman
Henry C. Moore
Wm. Herndon Brooks
Cecil David Scott
Sanford Carpenter Watkins
Thomas Rennie Brierly
James Rile Fryman

The following were those who were examined Tuesday:

1. Russel Guy, physically fit, claim exemption.
2. Joe Harrison Miller, applied for examination in Arkansas.
3. John Parker Ham, physically unfit.
4. James Martin Smedley, physically unfit.
5. William Chalmers Hammond, physically fit, claims no exemption.
6. John Thomas O'Connell, physically fit, claims exemption.
7. Harrison Blaine Rogers, physically fit, claims exemptions.
8. Earl K. Seamonds, physically fit, claims no exemptions.
9. Henry Allen Palmer, physically unfit.
10. Willie Arthur Queen, colored, physically fit, claims exemptions.
11. William Noel Cain, physically fit, claims no exemptions.
12. Alpheus Curtis, physically unfit.
13. Nathan Shaw, physically fit, claims exemptions.
14. Clincie Cleon Jones, physically fit, claims no exemptions.
15. John M. Wells, enlisted.
16. Willie Wilson, colored, physically fit, claims exemptions.
17. Harvey McFarland, physically fit, claims no exemptions.
18. Earl C. Tolliver, physically fit, claims no exemptions.
19. William Mason Swartz, physically fit, claims exemptions.
20. James William Norton, physically unfit.
21. William Henry, physically fit, claims exemptions.
22. Robert W. Mers, physically fit, claims exemptions.
23. James Kash Shankland, physically fit, claims no exemptions.
24. Roy D. Letcher, physically unfit.
25. Jesse Thomas Ockerman, physically fit, claims no exemptions.
26. Lane A. Martin, physically unfit.
27. Clarence Alexander, physically unfit.
28. James W. McCracken, physically fit, claims exemptions.
29. John Clifton Donovan, physically unfit.
30. Henry C. Moore, physically fit, claims no exemptions.
31. Wm. Herndon Brooks, physically fit, claims no exemptions.
32. Cecil David Scott, physically fit, wife claims exemptions.
33. Sanford Carpenter Watkins, physically fit, claims no exemptions.
34. Thomas R. Swartz, physically deficient temporarily.
35. John Milton Sosby, physically fit, claims exemptions.
36. James L. Dentley, physically fit, claims exemptions.
37. Estill W. Ockerman, physically fit, claims exemptions.
38. Thomas Rennie Brierly, physically fit, claims no exemptions.
39. James Rile Fryman, physically fit, claims no exemptions.
40. R. L. Baker (Singlefoot), failed to appear.

3 CLAIM NO EXEMPTIONS IN WEDNESDAY'S EXAMINATION

41. Walter Crump, physically unfit.
42. Ernest Alexander Seamand, physically fit, claims exemptions.
43. Charles David Kingsolver, physically fit, claims exemptions.
44. Perry Harrison Bowles, physically fit, claims exemptions.
45. Joseph William Wasson, physically fit, claims exemptions.
46. Henry Ernest Vice, physically fit, claims exemptions.
47. Ira Hunter, physically fit, claims exemptions.
48. Homer Ward Anderson, physically fit, claims no exemptions.
49. George Reynolds Honican, physically fit, claims exemptions.

SOLDIER'S CHANCE IS "16 TO 1 IN FRANCE, STATISTICIAN SAYS.

Roger W. Babson, statistician, sends this message to mothers of soldiers from his studies of figures of the French army.

Don't worry if your son is drafted.

Fifteen men out of every sixteen have been safe from death this far.

Under present conditions, where man power is being saved, not more than one in thirty is killed.

Disease has taken no more than in peace times.

Only one man in 500 loses a limb, a chance no greater than in hazardous occupations at home.

50. George Martin Johnson, colored, physically unfit.
51. Seibert Poole, physically fit, claims exemptions.
52. William Isaac Samuel Earlywine, physically fit, claims no exemptions.
53. John Thomas Biggs, physically fit, claims exemptions.
54. John Hamm, physically fit, claims exemptions.
55. William Stanfield, physically fit, claims no exemptions.
56. Joe Harrison, enlisted.
57. Sylvanus Vice, col., physically fit, claims exemptions.
58. John Lee Bailey, physically fit, claims exemptions.
59. Hamer Miller, physically fit, claims exemptions.
60. Luther Jones, physically fit, claims exemptions.
61. Clarence Pumphrey, physically fit, claims no exemptions.
62. Charley W. Sparks, physically fit, claims no exemptions.
63. Grover C. Fitzpatrick, physically fit, claims exemptions.
64. Victor Snapp, enlisted.
65. Gilbert Reed, physically fit, claims no exemptions.

BLUE LICK SPRINGS

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Martin and two sons of Maysville, are spending a couple of weeks at Pavilion Hotel.

Mrs. Leslie Wood and baby are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Wood at Myers.

Mrs. Myrtle Physter and little son of Bradner, Ohio, are here on a visit with her mother, Mrs. Maggie Thomas and other relatives.

Mrs. Nathan Ormes is spending the week with the family of her daughter, Mrs. Frank Tucker, in Bourbon county.

S. K. Maffett attended Lexington Fair a couple of days last week.

Wm. Ferguson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Luther Ferguson, went to Maysville last week and enlisted in the U. S. Army. He is now at Ft. Thomas.

Miss Lillian Mae Ormes is spending the week with relatives at Millers Station.

Mrs. Oney Leet, who has been ill at the home of her parents, near Ewing, is much better and has returned to her home here.

Those from a distance who attended the burial of Mr. J. W. Kenton were Robt. Bundy, wife and mother, of Mason, Ohio; Jas. Porter, of Louisville; Dr. G. W. Spencer, of Winchester; Will Kenton and wife, of Mt. Olivet; Simon Kenton, sons and daughter of Fayette county, and Mr. Harry James of Paris.

Royce and Jean Ball have been quite sick for several days threatened with typhoid fever. They are reported as some better.

Mrs. Sallie Bostwick and daughter Marie, of Portsmouth, Ohio, came last week to visit the family of John Sundys for several weeks.

Bruce Stanfield has been quite sick for several days.

John Sundys and two little sons will go to Portsmouth, Ohio, Thursday for a visit with relatives.

Clyde and Russell Stewart were in Lexington several days of last week attending the Fair.

Miss Irene Caywood of Flemingsburg, is visiting relatives in this community.

Rev. J. D. Redd, of Millersburg delivered an able sermon at the church here Sunday. Meeting is still in progress conducted by Rev. Herrington.

J. M. Cole visited the Irvine oil fields this week.

Misses Lucille and Rosa Tucker of Osgood, returned to their home Tuesday after a three week's visit with Miss Allene Ormes.

MT. ZION

The protracted meeting announced to begin on the 18th has been postponed.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Vinson and little son, Paul, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Jim Shrout.

Lottie and Anna Clavell spent Thursday with Mrs. Gay Neal.

Misses Margie and Mary Barbee are visiting their brother, Ben Barbee of near here.

Miss Leila Jackson, of Sherburne, is visiting her cousin, Miss Inez Jackson.

Everett Neal and Frank Moran, of Fleming, and Stanley Cameron, of Myers, were guests of Forde, Clay and Banks Vice Friday and Saturday.

Mrs. Lula Thompson, of Lexington, is visiting friends and relatives in Nicholas.

Mr. and Mrs. McMohan and Miss Rena Henson of near Carlisle, visited Miss Lada Henson one day the past week.

Anna, Lottie and Alice Clavell, Noble Hopkins and Harry Kingsolver spent Sunday afternoon with Forde and Clay Vice.

Mr. and Mrs. Eli Crockett, and Mr. and Mrs. Chessie Vice and baby spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Vice.

Alice Clavell returned Friday from a week's visit with Nora Shrout.

Charley Tucker and Warren Johnson attended the Lexington Fair several days last week.

All of this community were sorry to learn of the death of Mrs. William Brinegar, of Carlisle. Mrs. Brinegar lived near Mt. Zion for several years and was loved by all who knew her.

M. Espia Achison sold his part of his store to Mr. Wil Shields.

Mrs. Charley Flora spent Monday with Mrs. Andrew Vinson.

Don't forget to come to Bible school next Sunday.

A few of the Summer Hats left over at a VERY LOW PRICE, at WAUGH DRY GOODS COMPANY

OAKLAND MILLS

Rev. Moore will preach a series of sermons here beginning on August 28. Let everyone come.

STONY CREEK

Herman Conyers, wife, and baby spent Saturday night and Sunday with W. L. Wilson and family.

Miss Lucy Hardin and little Louise Kinney, of Cincinnati, are visiting the formers relatives here.

Ira Sellers spent Sunday with Ruth Edd Hardin and family.

Christine Snapp spent Sunday with Ruth Sugg.

Elizabeth Massie spent Sunday with Grace and Bertha Wilson.

MOOREFIELD

The protracted meeting closed Sunday night with 35 additions to the church.

The Tent Meeting will commence at the Union church Wednesday night. Everybody cordially invited to attend.

Russell and Moran Day, of Sherburne, were guests of G. E. Perkins Sunday.

Mrs. Bettie Vice, of Bethel visited W. G. Irvin Monday.

Mrs. Eva Humphreys was called to the bedside of her sister-in-law, who is very sick at her home in Flemingsburg.

An up-to-date dry goods store will open for business in Moorefield Lodge building the 20th of August.

C. S. Vice and son will erect a concrete building on their lot in the near future.

Quite a large crowd from here attended the Blue Grass Fair in Lexington last week.

Miss Holmes of Mt. Olivet is visiting her brother, Dr. L. B. Holmes.

Mrs. Nan Clark, of Wilmore, is the guest of her son, T. L. Clark.

Mrs. Charley Reed, of Mt. Sterling, is visiting her father, Will Rice Hazelrigg.

Miss Mamie Humphreys, of Oklahoma, is here the guest of her father, Rev. C. M. Humphreys.

MILLTOWN

Misses Lottie and Anna Clavell spent Thursday of the past week with Mrs. G. H. Neal.

Messrs. Morris Vice and Leo Neal were fishing several days the past week. They had real old-time fisherman's luck.

Mr. Clarence Watkins and wife visited relatives at Sunset Saturday and Sunday.

TO OUR COUNTY CORRESPONDENTS.

Our county correspondents will do us a great favor by writing their items on one side of the paper only and by paragraphing each item. When separate items are "run in" together without paragraphing, it makes the copy difficult for the printer to handle. We appreciate the good work of our correspondents and know they will be glad to help us this much.

Mrs. Mollie Gill and daughter, Miss Anabel, and little John Young Christman visited relatives at Nepton Sunday.

Mr. W. W. Roberts and wife, of Locust Grove spent the day Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Neal.

Mr. John Watkins and family and Sterling Jackson visited Chas. Sapp Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Tout visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. B. Roberts, near Carlisle, last week.

Mr. R. W. Neal and family spent Sunday with Robert Colliver and family.

Mr. Walker Jackson visited friends in Lexington last week and attended the Fair.

Mr. Ed. Collins was in Lexington last week.

Wanted—Men for men's jobs. Work for all who apply. Can use promoters, boosters, singers, job bosses, talkers, advertisers, good mixers, and fifty-even other varieties. Jobs for men of one talent and for men of ten talents. For full particulars apply in person next Sunday at 10 a. m. at the Mt. Zion Bible School.

CANE RUN

We are in need of a good rain.

Mrs. R. E. Neese and two children, of Indiana, are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Shrout. Mr. Shrout and Mrs. Neese spent from Friday until Saturday with Mr. Woodford Shrout, near Moorefield.

Frank Davis spent Sunday with Sterling Smoot.

Mr. Will Rose and family and Mr. Maurice and wife visited T. B. Rose and wife Sunday.

Frank Davis and daughter visited Mr. and Mrs. Don Davis at Cynthiana last week.

Mrs. John Graves spent Tuesday with "Aunt" Lizzie Shannon.

Mrs. James Mitchell and two children, of Dover, spent the past week with her mother, Mrs. T. L. Wills.

Mrs. Mollie Gilvin of Sharpsburg, spent one day last week with Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Bromagen.

Bro. Frank Shields will preach here the third Sunday in August.

There will be prayer meeting here every Wednesday evening.

Mr. John Ring received a telephone message that his son's wife, Mrs. Jack Ring was in a critical condition and not expected to live.

Mr. and Mrs. Sterling Vice and children visited Mr. and Mrs. Henry Grey Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hardin, of Kansas, are visiting friends and relatives in Kentucky. Mrs. Hardin, who was very ill when she first arrived is much better now.

Mr. and Mrs. John Ring spent Thursday and Friday with Mr. and Mrs. Jack Ring at Fairview.

ROSE HILL

Rev. Moore will begin on Wednesday night, August 22, and preach here until Sunday, a. m., which will be his last appointment for this conference year. Let all come to these services.

MYERS

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HEADQUARTERS

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JACKSTOWN

[illegible]

Farm Land and City Property

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THE BRYSON FARM AGENCY
Carlisle, Ky.

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THAT PROPHECY.

Tulsa, Okla., Aug. 8, 1917.

The Carlisle Mercury,
Carlisle, Ky.

Dear Sir,

I have been trying to get a copy of the prophecy written by a French monk on the present war and I recently moved to this city and am rooming at Miss Lee's home, formerly of your city. She has a copy of your paper which contains this prophecy. I believe it is under date of July 12, 1917. I am inclosing 10c. in stamps and wish you would please mail one copy of this paper to Mr. August Derragowski, Route 8, Parsons, Kansas. Respectfully,

Clara Deragowski,
1316½ Baltimore Ave.,

CONCORD

E. C. Alexander has returned from Illinois where he spent the past month with his two sons and their families.

Mr. and Mrs. John Terrell were guests of J. T. Alexander and family Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Ockerman and daughter Ruth, spent Sunday with Lute Anderson and wife.

We are needing rain very badly.

Mrs. John Boardman spent the week with her parents.

Use Indian Gasoline and keep your motor clean of carbon.
Harper's Garage

PROMINENT MAN DIES.

Falmouth, (Ky.) Leader, Aug. 3.—Mr. Thaddeus W. Brock, one of Harrison county's most estimable citizens, died at the home of his son, Joe M. Brock, near Leesburg, at 8 o'clock Saturday night, July 21, after an illness of two weeks. He was a son of the late James and Nancy Brock and was born in this county on December 5, 1835. In 1859, at Aberdeen, Ohio, he was married to Miss Nancy Offutt. His wife died April 23, 1906. Two sons survive, Joe M. Brock of this county, and Remus Brock, of Carlisle, Ky.

WILL CANVASS RETURNS.

Frankfort, Ky.—The State election commission has been called to meet August 18 for the purpose of canvassing the election returns of the State primary. It is likely that on that date the county election commissioners will be selected. The lists have been received from the Republican and Democratic committees of most of the counties.

James Delaney, of this county, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Delaney, and Maurice Burnaw, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Burnaw, formerly of this city, will enter the new Officers Reserve Camp at Fort Benjamin Harrison on August 27th.

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Championship of America --$10,000.00-- Five Gaited Saddle Horses
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Ten Big Acts --HIPPODROME-- Band of Forty
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BEAUTIFUL BABY-SHOW PARADE
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Blue Bell Ginger Ale
Made for the palate of the critical. Drink it and note the snap, the sparkle of purity, but best of all that delicate, gingery, individual flavor. If you don't know the taste of Blue Bell you have a delightful surprise coming.
Blue Bell is sold by grocers, fountains and everywhere soft drinks are sold.
SHER-A-COCA BOTTLING CO.
(INCORPORATED.)
226 E. MAIN ST. LEXINGTON, KY.

MAMMOTH CAVE
$12.15 FOR AN ALL-EXPENSE THREE-DAYS TOUR FROM CARLISLE, AUGUST 29.
Personally Conducted by Excursion Agt. L. & N.
Round trip tickets $5.65. Board at the Cave Hotel, including the several tours in the cave for $6.50. Tickets on sale for morning trains. Phone L. & N. Agent.

FOR SALE—Bunch good bucks and ewes. HUGHES & STONE, Carlisle.

FOR SALE—NICE bunch of stock ewes. JOHN O'CONNELL, SR.

C. U. BRAMBLETT
REAL ESTATE BROKER

Locals.

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Personal

[illegible]

DEATHS

[illegible]

RELIGIOUS

[illegible]

SOCIAL

[illegible]

BIRTHS

[illegible]

20 YEARS AGO.

[illegible]

THE EWING FAIR.

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TO THE DEMOCRATS OF NICHOLAS COUNTY

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TAKE NOTICE !

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TAKE NOTICE !

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Respectfully,
Harper's Garage, Inc.

NOTICE!

All persons inhabiting lands adjacent to public highway, shall cut all weeds and trim all trees overhanging the highway during the month of August. This is a State Law and shall be rigidly enforced.

J. W. NORTON
Road Engineer.

1825 **THE CITY STORE** 1917

Our Mr. and Mrs. W. Fritts Tune are now in the East and will stop off at Cleveland on their way home; they are "shopping" for the City Store and we know they will not be satisfied until they have bought

THE VERY LATEST STYLES

and plenty of them for THE CITY STORE. Their idea is that there's NOTHING TOO GOOD FOR THE PATRONS of the City Store and we know that WHATEVER IS RIGHT in STYLE and QUALITY will be bought by them and sent on for our customers and friends.

BUT—while they are away, those in charge of the City Store are just going to DO THINGS, and as a starter we'll offer the entire stock of

FANCY READY-MADE SKIRTS

in silk, wool, and other materials at just half what we've been selling them. Just think of it—every skirt of this kind

REDUCED TO HALF PRICE

and we'd like to sell them all before Mr. and Mrs. Tune return. The skirts are strictly all right and up-to-date and this is your great opportunity to buy a nice skirt or more than one at HALF PRICE.

FALL SUITS

You had better step in and see the new FALL STYLES and materials: some styles are RADICALLY DIFFERENT and you want to be posted. See the new 3-4 length coats in the rich shades that will be so popular this fall: dark browns, blues and rich plum colored; the dark browns are especially good this season.

Also see our

NEW FALL SILKS

They come in stripes, plaids, silk-serges with satin stripes, a great variety of colorings and among these the dark browns are particularly popular.

Also a complete line of Georgette Crepes to match the new silks.

The young ladies who go away to school will want one of our TRUNKS. We have the STEAMER TRUNKS, WARDROBE TRUNKS, and everything of that charrcter. Take the advice of the CITY STORE—when you buy a trunk BUY A GOOD ONE. You'll probably never buy another one so get one that will be satisfactory when you do buy.

W. F. TUNE
PROPRIETOR.

1882 SAM K. VEACH 1917

Check over your needs for your vacation

Then tell them to us
And we'll show you how
To buy them at Mid-summer Prices
That will astonish you
We'll show you how
To cut the high cost of living
ON ALL SUMMER GOODS

1882 SAM K. VEACH 1917

LOOKING AHEAD

is good business policy. You should do that. Don't be afraid to buy what summer goods you may need for you can buy now at much lower prices than you can later on. Prices are bound to be higher than now. We are selling many things now at prices below what we would have to pay for them, so it is to your interest to purchase now.

Some of our fall shoes for women have arrived, call and see the new styles.

If you need suitcases, traveling bags or trunks we can supply you at popular prices.

R. T. KIRKLAND & COMPANY

LATEST FALL HEADGEAR

Having just arrived from the Millinery Openings I cordially invite the ladies of Carlisle and Nicholas county to see my new and complete line of

MILLINERY

now on display over the Brayfield & Patton store.

Beautiful line of Ready-to-Wear hats.

Misses and Children's hats a specialty.

Respectfully Yours,

NANCY SMOOT.

Mr. Thomas (Biscuit) Talbott, of Lexington, was a caller at the Mercury office yesterday. Mr. Talbott was in Carlisle attending the Nicholas County Sunday School Convention and in the afternoon gave an interesting address on "Some Do's and Some Don'ts in the Modern Sunday School." Thirty years or more ago Mr. Talbott was a fixture in the Mercury office, working alongside J. W. (Sheep) Powling and those of our citizens of their age can recall that they made a good team.

John Harvey sold to southern buyers last week a draft horse for $170.

The will of Hulda E. Waugh, wife of James Waugh, was probated in the county court Monday on oaths of W. L. Anderson and Herbert Hamilton. The will directs that all just debts be paid; that her husband be appointed executor without bond and that all of her property go to her husband.

See Howard Hardware Ad about the stove they are giving away.