Locals.

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

TONIGHT -- THURSDAY

Paramount, "Victory of Conscience," with Lou Tellegen an Cleo Ridgely. From "Sinner to Saint."

FRIDAY—"A Law of the Lumberlands," and comedy.

SATURDAY—A Triangle. A big war picture, "The Deserter," with Charles Ray and all star support. Boys, if you are thinking of joining the army see this picture first and you will know what to do.

MONDAY — Paramount. Fannie Ward in "Each Pearl a Tear." You should see this picture.

TUESDAY—We are going to give you a special name later.

WEDNESDAY — Bluebird. "The Price of Silence." A good one.

Listen! We are going to present one of the best pictures ever thrown on the screen. This is a picture that will make you laugh and cry; there are many heart touching scenes. Now if you want your children to see a picture that will be a charity lesson to them bring them. Also a good lesson to father and mother. If you don't cry when you see the Christmas scene I don't know what you are made of. We will present George Beban in "The Alien," 8 reels. "In the near future; watch for the date. Don't miss this one; it will come soon.

LYRIC THEATRE.

Next Wednesday is Decoration Day.

Your patriotic duty—buy a Liberty Loan Bond.

If you have a second-hand porch swing for sale, call this office.

Lewis T. Cole, of Robertson county, died last Monday, following a brief illness of consumption.

Two girls and a boy, children of G. R. Snapp, have been ill with scarlet fever, but are improving.

The case of Hurst Home Insurance Company vs. Deatley was affirmed Tuesday in the Court of Appeals.

It thundered on the 23rd of February, which forewarned us of the cool spell this week, the wiseacres say.

L. S. Hughes was appointed Trustee of the Jury Fund this week, to succeed the late Solomon Robertson.

The case of Herman Ockerman, charged with highway robbery, who was sentenced to two years in the State Reformatory, has been appealed.

We sell the best Shoes sold in the County. Walk-Over, Barker-Brown, and "Boy Scouts"
COLE & TUNE

We are expecting another Carload of ASHLAND BUGGIES this week. They sell fast. You'll have to hurry.
HOWARD HARDWARE CO.

Real Estate Agent C. U. Brambiett, sold for Howard Ogden his residence on Sycamore street to J. Brack Crouch, formerly of Bourbon, for $3,250.

Main St. Garage has brought in one Hudson Super Six and an Oakland Six this week. Also have sold a Hudson Super Six to Mr. J. C. Hamilton. Already delivered. It

S. P. Rogers, of Robertson county, purchased the A. P. Gooding farm in Mason county at a price of $176 per acre. This is said to be one of the best farms in Mason county.

The grand jury adjourned Wednesday afternoon, after returning 34 indictments. Several of these are said to be against the Adam's Express Co. for delivering liquor to a minor.

Hail as large as two and one-half inches in diameter fell in some parts of Bourbon and Fayette counties Tuesday, smashing greenhouse windows in some instances and wrecking garden truck.

Representative Reuben Hutchcraft of Bourbon county, has passed a successful examination for the officers reserve training and is now at Camp Benjamin Harrison, near Indianapolis, in training.

Mr. Coleman Hamm of Ellisville, employed on the farm of F. M. Rankin was painfully injured Saturday, while hauling wood. The horses scared and threw him from the wagon breaking his left limb and badly bruising his side.

Announcement was made at the graduation exercises at the Millersburg Female College that Miss Gladys Bowen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Bowen, had made the highest average of any student in the college during the past year.

The committee appointed by Judge Mitchell, which went to Frankfort last week to appear before the Board of Valuation and Assessment, succeeded in having the assessment on town property reduced 10 per cent. and on county property 5 per cent.

There are 17 regular boarders at the county jail and the capacity of that well known and popular resort is being somewhat taxed. Most of the guests are purveyors of liquid refreshments in dry territory, and most of them are being given daily exercise on the model roads of the county.

General W. H. Robb, of Helena, Commander of the First Kentucky Brigade, Confederate Veterans, was in Carlisle Tuesday to consult with Frank C. Taylor, who he appointed on his staff with the rank of Colonel, in regard to going to the reunion at Washington City, 5th, 6th, 7th and 8th of June. Col. Taylor will go with him, leaving Carlisle Sunday, the 3rd.

Mr. Jas. L. Donnell fell on the street in front of the store of Mrs. Angie Waugh last Thursday and at first it was feared that he had suffered a second stroke of paralysis. It developed later that weakness from his recent sickness coupled with a dizzy spell caused him to fall. He was able to sit up some yesterday and his friends will be glad to learn that he is much better.

Arris Pollard, a young white man, was arrested Tuesday by Sheriff Parker, on a charge of house-breaking and robbery. Pollard, it is alleged, broke into the meat house of Arris Wiggins on Monday night, taking three sides of bacon and a couple of hams, selling the meat later at Millersburg. The fact, it is said, that he was selling the meat so cheap aroused suspicion and his arrest followed. Pollard's trial has been set for the special term of court in June.

Personal

—Mrs. D. B. Pinney, of Knoxville, Tenn., was the guest of Mrs. Ada Lee from Sunday until Tuesday.

—Mrs. Logan Anderson is ill with typhoid fever.

—Mr. and Mrs. Kimbrough Hamilton of Paris, returned home Sunday after a few days visit with relatives in the county.

—Mr. William Bowen, of Lexington, was here Sunday.

—Mr. and Mrs. Walter Martin, of Paris, visited Mr. and Mrs. [illegible] over Sunday.

—Miss Anna Mitchell, [illegible] eighth grade of the Carlisle Graded School, left for her home at [illegible] Depot Monday.

—Mrs. Maggie Mortorf, of [illegible] visited her daughter Mrs. W. [illegible] ard, Monday.

—Mrs. Richard [illegible] ton this week [illegible] ious illness of her [illegible] son.

—Mr. Robert [illegible] spent from Saturday [illegible] with relatives at [illegible].

—Mrs. W. T. [illegible] day with relatives [illegible].

—Miss Delia [illegible] home after a [illegible] relatives in Paris.

—Mrs. Lizzie [illegible] from a several weeks [illegible] daughter Mrs. [illegible] Sharpsburg.

—Miss Eunice [illegible] mouth Ohio visited [illegible] Margaret Fulton [illegible] Monday.

—Miss Mabel [illegible] is the guest of Miss [illegible].

—Mrs. W. J. [illegible] day from a several [illegible] her parents, Mr. and Mrs. [illegible] Plummer, near [illegible].

—Mr. H. F. [illegible] Dry Ridge.

—Mrs. Kate [illegible] Concord, [illegible] the summer [illegible] son, Mr. [illegible].

—Miss Katie [illegible] in Millersburg [illegible] C. graduating [illegible].

Mr. and Mrs. J. [illegible] Mollie Feeback [illegible] ens, of Cincinnati [illegible] eral of Mrs. [illegible] the day with Mrs. [illegible].

—Miss Jennie [illegible] school at Salt [illegible] term has returned [illegible] spend the summer.

—Mrs. C. W. King [illegible] from several weeks [illegible] daughter, Mrs. H. [illegible] ville.

—Mrs Brooke [illegible] burg, W. Va., [illegible] Mr. and Mrs. W. T. [illegible].

—Miss Drucilla [illegible] a week with [illegible] Mrs. Carl Gillespie [illegible].

—Mr. Minor [illegible] in Cincinnati [illegible] Monday.

—Jesse Hinton [illegible] Corps Co. B, [illegible] ly of his uncle, Mr. [illegible].

—Mr. B. V. Robinson [illegible] turned yesterday [illegible] visit with relatives [illegible].

—Dr. N. H. McNew [illegible] terday from a [illegible] trip to Chicago.

Miss Wingate [illegible] Mary Vaughn [illegible].

—Mrs. F. C. [illegible] tives at Helena [illegible].

—Miss Mattie [illegible] Sterling, visited [illegible] from Friday [illegible].

—W. J. Kennedy, [illegible] Tuesday for Detroit.

—Mrs. C. H. Ratliff [illegible] the guest of relatives [illegible].

—Dr. O. S. Kash [illegible] ence Kerns to [illegible] to consult a specialist [illegible] Kerns also went down [illegible].

—Miss Mary Crates [illegible] graduating exercises at [illegible] week.

—Taylor Mathers and [illegible] were in Cincinnati [illegible] nesday.

—Mrs. Allie [illegible] Ind., who underwent [illegible] for tumor at a [illegible] is last week [illegible] along very nicely [illegible] of this city went [illegible] was present during [illegible].

—James Henry, and [illegible] of the U. S. Army [illegible] port, were at home [illegible] ents from Friday [illegible] James is the son of [illegible] B. Henry, and [illegible] and Mrs. T. C. Asbury.

—Mrs W. S. Potts [illegible] a six o'clock dinner [illegible] night and the following [illegible] guests enjoyed [illegible] Judge L. P. Fryer, [illegible] Attorney J. C. Dorsey [illegible] neys I. B. Ross, Samuel [illegible] M. Swinford and W. [illegible].

—Mr. Earl Hardback [illegible] Ind., is the guest [illegible] R. Dean Squires.

SOCIAL

A musicale by the [illegible] Jo Henry was an enjoyable [illegible] the week at [illegible] Henry has been teaching [illegible] school year.

A party of friends [illegible] home of Mrs. [illegible] evening while [illegible] show. The [illegible] day. After her return [illegible] of Five Hundred were [illegible] delicious refreshments [illegible].

The Mother's Club [illegible] afternoon at 2:30 [illegible] Hall. The program [illegible] is as follows: [illegible] and Girls of the High School [illegible] ing—"Why [illegible]" Mrs. Mike O'Connell [illegible] We Hold [illegible] Holmes. Election of officers for ensuing year.

RELIGIOUS

There will be regular services at Baptist church Sunday.

Rev. Peter Walker, of Sharpsburg, will preach at the [illegible] Methodist church Sunday morning.

The subject of the sermon at the Christian church Sunday [illegible] be "The [illegible]" [illegible] will be the third in the series of Sunday evening sermons to young people.

Mr. Farris Templeman's class of young men will have charge of the opening and closing exercises of the Christian Sunday School next Sunday morning. This plan is working splendidly and arousing marked interest. You are invited to attend the Sunday School next Sunday morning and to come early.

The first Sunday in June will be observed at the Christian church as Children's Day. A special program for the occasion is being prepared under the leadership of Miss Mary Frances Fisher and is promises to be very interesting. The program will be rendered in the evening at 7:30 and an offering for Foreign Missions taken.

The Eighth District C. W. B. M. and Sunday School Convention of the Christian church will be held at North Middletown Monday and Tuesday, May 28 and 29. E. H. Bourland of the local Christian church is President of the convention. An interesting program has been arranged and many Carlisle and Nicholas county people are planning to attend.

MARRIAGE

INSKO-CRUMP—Miss Olive Insko, of Spencer county, and Mr. Willie Crump of this county, were married in Taylorsville, on May 17.

MOORE-DALZELL. — The Paris correspondence to the Lexington Herald Tuesday has the following: "H. C. Dalzell and Miss Sallie Moore, prominent young people from Nicholas county secured a marriage license here Saturday afternoon from county clerk, Pearce Paton."

BARNETT-MOORE—Mr. Melvin W. Barnett and Miss Nettie May Moore of this county were married last Thursday at the Central Hotel in Maysville, Rev. W. B. Campbell, Pastor of the First M. E. Church, South, of that city, officiating. The groom is a son of Mr. and Mrs. James Barnett, of near Piqua, and one of our county's best and most industrious young farmers. The bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Moore, of south of Jacksontown, and an attractive and intelligent young lady.—Mt. Olivet Democrat.

DEATHS

HINKLE—Anna Hinkle, six weeks old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thurman Hinkle, died on Friday, May 11, at the home of her parents near Little Rock, Bourbon county. Burial took place in the Carlisle cemetery. The young parents have the sympathy of a large number of friends in this, the loss of their second child.

RITCHIE—Sanford Ritchie, aged 15 years, died at a hospital in Paris, Missouri, last week, of gangrene, following the removal of ulcerated teeth. Deceased was born near Paris, Ky., his parents having moved west about [illegible] years ago. Young Ritchie is survived by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. K. [illegible] Ritchie, five brothers, J. R., Silas, [illegible] and Carson Ritchie, of Paris, [illegible] Ritchie, of North [illegible] and two sisters, Lucy [illegible] Lee Ritchie, of Paris, [illegible].

Will You Be One?

The Mother's Club is the most vital department of Woman's Club as it touches on everything pertaining to the home and its development along spiritual, moral, mental and physical lines.

All mothers should be enough interested to contribute one afternoon each month from their busy lives to the study and discussion of these problems. The programs for each meeting will be made out by a program committee and they will be varied and interesting.

The requirements for membership is interest enough to attend each meeting and when you are given a duty to gladly do your part. No dues. Our last meeting for this season will be Monday afternoon, May 28, at City Hall, at 2:30. There will be an election of officers for ensuing year, commencing in September. Can we hope for fifty members?

ANNA K. POTTS,
President Mother's Club.

[illegible] Meal and New Perfection Oil Stoves will save a coal bill and save the cook.
HOWARD HARDWARE CO.

KAVANAUGH CAMP!!

Do you want to know what Kavanaugh Camp is? Let me tell you a [illegible] interesting fact. This summer, [illegible] whole week, July 30th to August [illegible] there is to be a Young People's Conference at Kavanaugh Camp, [illegible], Ky. Did you ever go there? Then without doubt this [illegible] will appeal to you for it gives [illegible] opportunity for rest, recreation, education and inspiration. Last summer fifty Kentucky girls attended the camp, besides a number of boys and grown people. Did a girl in your community go? If so ask her to tell you about one of the happiest times she ever had. If not, watch for articles that will tell more about this week of camp at Kavanaugh.

Our Blue Serge Suits at $12.50 to [illegible] are splendid values
COLE & TUNE

Chautauqua Meeting

A meeting of the Chautauqua guarantors for the 1917 Chautauqua was held in the county court room on last [illegible] at which the organization begun on the 11th, was completed. The officers for this year are as follows: E. H. Bourland, President; Wyatt Insko, Secretary; Jno. F. Sugg, Assistant Secretary, and Jno. N. Ross, Treasurer. The officers of the Association, together with Sam T. Howe, constitute the executive committee and were empowered to select the working committees. After adjournment the executive committee held a meeting and selected the following committees to conduct the business of the Association for this year.

Committee on grounds and general arrangements: H. R. Ewing, Chairman; E. O. Dorsey, E. J. Beers, R. O. Duncan.

Committee on advertising: Sam T. Howe, Chairman; I. B. Ross, W. R. [illegible], A. B. Tilton.

Committee on decorations: Mrs. F. C. Taylor, Chairman and all members of the Women's Clubs.

Committee on tickets: Wyatt Insko, Henry L. Carter, M. T. Ruddell, Ed. [illegible], F. E. Darnall, W. H. Frey, [illegible] Swinford, W. E. Darragh, F. [illegible] Henry, C. H. Fisher, Allen Hopkins, John Mathias, Jas. W. Myers, H. M. Potts, Taylor Mathers.

The members of the ticket committee will serve as the chairman of the various teams of guarantors, each team being composed of five members. The members of the different teams will assist in the sale of all tickets allotted to their team and we would like to see some friendly rivalry developed in these sales to determine who can make the best record for the year.

Just think! 40 CENTS per pound for Butter fat at the TRI-STATE this week. No Commissions — No middlemen to accomodate. The farmers most valuable product fully [illegible], higher than any preceding year. See the advertisement in this paper of the TRI-STATE BUTTER CO. CINCINNATI, OHIO.

Shumate Razors
"The Manly Way to Shave." Absolutely guaranteed and honed free of charge. Prices from $1.00 to $6.00.
HOWARD HARDWARE CO.

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THE MOST NOTABLE VALUES EVER OFFERED BY THIS ESTABLISHMENT UNDER EXISTING CONDITIONS

At this time of the season—just when women desire fashions for immediate wear—a most unusual opportunity for the women who wishes to practice economy, yet desires apparel of the latest style.

Beginning Thursday, May 24,
Tailored Suits
AT
50% OFF
Smart Tailored Suits, Ready-to-wear, at
HALF PRICES
We mean by this that we simply cut the price in two and give you the very best of the season at half what you ordinarily pay. These suits are
SERGES, POPLINS, CHECKS and TWEEDS.

Cloth Coats Reduced
One Third
From Former Prices.
For street, motor and semi-dress and the materials are
Serges, Twills, Summer Velours, Tweeds, ETC.,
all beautifully tailored. ONE-THIRD OFF the price of these fine coats.

While Carpets, Rugs and Mattings are still advancing we are trying to keep our prices down and showing very large selections. It is a fact that we could not buy these carpets, rugs and mattings at the prices at which we are selling them. But, while they last, we will continue to sell them at the prices we now have on them.

W. F. TUNE
PROPRIETOR

A Correction.

(The article referred to below was clipped from an exchange just as it appeared in several papers in this section. We take pleasure in publishing Mr. Jackson's letter and regret any embarrassment its publication may have caused him.—Editor.)

East Maysville, Ky., May 19, 1917.

Editor of Carlisle Mercury,
Carlisle, Ky.

Dear Sir:—

In your publication of the 17th inst. I find that someone has given in material purporting to be truth that is everything opposed to truth. I, Rev. E. E. Jackson, with whom the article dealt, am not pastor of the First M. E. church south of Maysville, Ky., but am pastor of the Second M. E. church south, at the above named place. I wish you to give the public, through your paper, a true version of the affair, offer to them an apology for misrepresentation, and state that the aforementioned article of date 17th inst. is not a true report. Many influential persons are nearly concerned in this and it will be for your personal interest in several ways to follow instructions, if I mistake not.

The affair of the food being brought to the church is, as fully as I recall, thus:

An Evangelist was with us assisting in a series of meetings and planned an old fashioned Methodist pounding for the pastor, same to be given on the last night of the meetings.

The announcement was made several times in an appealing and forceful manner by the Evangelist, (Rev. T. P. Roberts) of Wilmore, Ky., and when on the last evening of the meetings the hour arrived for the delivery of the evening's message the pulpit was pretty heavily loaded with good, substantial edibles, for all of which the pastor gave thanks to God, a well wishing to the evangelist, and implored blessings on the heads and hearts of the numerous contributors.

This is the truth, the whole truth and nothing but the truth in regard to the report of services being adjourned to bring food to a starving, emaciated pastor. I will appreciate it if this is published, all of it.

Yours to be obliged,
(Signed) Rev. E. E. Jackson.

Wilson Bros., Knee and ¾ length Union Suits
COLE & TUNE

Migrate Long Distances.

The Arctic tern holds all records for length of migration. When the young are full grown the entire family leaves the Arctic regions and several months later is found skirting the edge of the Antarctic continent.

Our Hudson film has arrived. Those car owners who saw the Free Show should now attend as this will be quite a treat Friday.
MAIN ST. GARAGE

If you are one of the few who have not visited our store this spring, you owe it to yourself and family to come at once. Trade at the store that saves you money.
R. T. Kirkland & Co.

Some Consolation.

Even if a woman is sorry she married a man, she can find some consolation in the thought that she kept some other woman from getting him.

Farmers.
I have the tobacco Fertilizer for you if you don't use it, it is your fault.
F. B. HENRY

Rheumatism
If you are troubled with chronic or muscular rheumatism give Chamberlain's Liniment a trial. The relief from pain which it affords is alone worth many times its cost. Obtainable everywhere.

Kirkland's, the place to buy.

Special values in men's shoes at Kirkland's.

A leak in your roof may ruin many dollars' worth of furniture. We can stop that leak. Call phone 153.
The Howard Hardware Co.

YOUR ATTENTION
We have just received a fresh supply of LIME, and of CEMENT. Give us a call.
Dorsey Bros. & Fisher

Grow Buckwheat

Washington, D. C., May 23.—Buckwheat should be grown in larger quantity this year in New York, Pennsylvania, Ohio, Michigan, Wisconsin, New England, and in the mountain sections of Maryland, West Virginia, Virginia, Kentucky, North Carolina, and Tennessee, where it is known to be a safe crop. It should be sown on land where other crops have failed and on old meadow and pasture lands where the yields of hay and grass promise to be small. This is the advice given by the United States Department of Agriculture to farmers in all States named, but especially to those in New York and Pennsylvania, where about two-thirds of the buckwheat crop of the country is now grown. In the more northern States buckwheat can be sown almost anywhere without reference to elevation, but farther south it is best adapted to the uplands and mountainous sections.

Buckwheat should be sown on land prepared as for corn. It is an excellent crop to sow where corn or some other crop has been planted but where a stand has not been secured. Best results are obtained where the land is plowed early and is well prepared, but good results can be obtained by sowing immediately after plowing and harrowing.

USES OF BUCKWHEAT

Buckwheat is valuable as a human food. It is also an excellent feed for poultry. The middlings remaining as a by-product after milling are, on account of their high protein content, a valuable feed for dairy cows. The production of buckwheat will help to provide food in many districts this year for local consumption and thus help to avoid the danger of shortage due to possible lack of adequate transportation facilities.

Panama Hats $3 to $5. New and Staple Shapes
COLE & TUNE

Hammocks, Porch and Lawn Swings, at prices to suit every pocket book at
HOWARD HARDWARE CO.

Get that good Shelburne Fertilizer from Insko & Norton.

FOR RENT—Four rooms. Electric lights and telephone. [illegible] Davis 5-23 2tp

FOR RENT — Three down stairs rooms newly papered, with [illegible] store room. Apply to W. J. WISE West Main St.

Spring Bulbs, Flowers and Flower Pots at Firth's Tin Shop.

You will find the Royal Worcester Corset the most comfortable and one that holds its shape at WAUGH DRY GOODS CO.

R. C. King will lend anyone buying a quantity of Fish Brand [illegible] a fertilizer drill to drill it in right [illegible] one or two horse. [illegible] can distribute it all over the ground or in rows as you wish. [illegible] you will make a yield [illegible] what you will raise without fertilizer. 5-23

Nicholas county people know quality in merchandise, that's why we buy quality goods, and that's why we sell them. See us and you'll find the price right too.
R. T. Kirkland & Co.

Too Much.

"I thought you [illegible] that man an encyclopedia. [illegible] interested." "He was too [illegible] ested. I couldn't spare the [illegible] complete the sale." "How's that?" "He wanted me to tell him what was in it."

Obey Nature's Laws.

Illness and sickness come through neglect or refusal to obey Nature's laws of health. It is the penalty she imposes for disobedience. The wise will learn and observe her laws. Then drugs and cures will not be needed.

Apt to Come.

"I expect it any day now with white paper as high as it is." "What's that you expect?" "An embargo on poetry."—Louisville Courier Journal.

Fell Right Into His Arms.

A Kentucky judge holds that candy is not a necessity. That judge must have married his wife on the same day he first met her.

STRAYED or STOLEN—From our home on the Headquarters pike, a male pup, part poodle, white with black spots on his head. Long straight hair, slightly curly about the face. Liberal reward for his return or information leading to his recovery.
CLARINE HILLOCK, Rid. 5.
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1882 SAM K. VEACH 1917

Spring is a bit
Backward this year

But the people have not been a bit backward in nabbing up the good things almost as fast as we show them.

1882 SAM K. VEACH 1917
The Store for Boys.

A Dangerous Enemy
Because the fly is small and does not roar like a lion [illegible] its prey at a mouthful, little attention has been paid to it. The fly is really a most deadly foe.
He Is Treacherous
He buzzes into the house, drops his deadly disease germs and buzzes out again to pick up a fresh cargo. Protect your lives. Screen every door and window. We can supply the best wire
The Howard Hardware Company
INCORPORATED
Carlisle, Kentucky.

Auction Sale
Groceries, Hardware Tinware, Queensware,
Saturday, May 26, 2 p. m. and 7 p. m.
Also good family horse. Come one; come all
Alexander & Powell
East End Grocery

Buy a Liberty Bond

NOW IS THE TIME
TO BUY A FORD IF YOU WANT ONE ANYTIME THIS YEAR.

We have sold our full estimate [and over] for year ending August 1st, and are selling right along for delivery after August 1. Now as we told you last winter, the only way to yet a FORD this fall is to get in your order right now, for if you don't you will have no chance at all. We will not have another new car in our house in the next year but what was sold at least two months before we received it. REMEMBER THIS.

NOW is the time to buy your tires, as there will be another advance in a few days. We have bought heavily with idea of advance, and are in position to make you good price on United States, Goodyear, Firestone, Kelly-Springfield and Lee Puncture Proof. Remember we have told you, so get busy and save advance.

We have the agency for the Excelsior Motorcycle, the only machine holding an official record of 100 miles per hour. If you are interested ask for demonstration. Price $275 and $300.

We have a full stock of everything for the Automobile, and prepared to give good service whenever needed. Auto Livery, with nice passenger truck that will carry eighteen persons, and will give special attention to Picnic and Excursion parties.

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INCORPORATED

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COMMENT

"Business as usual" will help win the war.

A Liberty Bond is a certificate of patriotism, as well as a splendid investment.

The Czar now plants potatoes, but the imperial Paranoiac of Potsdam continues his planting of dead men.

The State Board of Health is making an effort to have the birth of every child recorded. The war that we have entered has changed conditions greatly in this country and the fact that your baby's birth is not recorded may be a serious handicap to him in future years. Do your part in having your child's birth recorded in the Big Family Bible of Kentucky.

A prominent Lexington banker thinks that the rate of interest paid on a Liberty Bond may advance rapidly, if the war should end sooner than expected. Also this banker argues that if the war is long, issue of higher rate bonds may be found necessary, when the three and one-half per centers may be converted into those drawing a higher rate of interest. If you can not feel patriotic enough to invest in these bonds, perhaps you are a good enough business man to recognize a good investment when you see it.

We hope the local banks will see fit to purchase a Liberty Bond for the man who wishes to do his part, but has not the ready money. City banks are purchasing bonds for customers of moderate means and lending them the money with the bond as security. Other banks are allowing the purchaser of a one hundred dollar bond to pay ten dollars down and five dollars a month for eighteen months, the bank taking the three and one-half per cent. interest on the bond until the amount is paid. It nets about four and one-half per cent. for the bank. Our banks are as patriotic as any, we are sure, and we trust that they will soon announce the adoption of this plan.

Surely the people of this county are as patriotic as any Kentuckians. Surely they realize that we are at war with the most brutal enemy of democracy the world has ever known. Surely they are aware of the fact that if the Kaiser's dream of world dominion is realized, through our failure to help in this fight of the people against autocracy, ours easily may be the fate of Belgium. And yet we have heard that there are men in Nicholas county who can say "Liberty Bond! What is that?" It is up to us to furnish the sinews of this war in money as well as men and guns. We have the money in this country; we have fattened upon the misery of Europe since August, 1914 and the per capita of wealth is probably greater than ever before. Then why, in Heaven's name, should not each man who can possibly afford it be patriotic enough to lend his government money at 3½ per cent. on a non-taxable note, for the purpose of enabling the government to protect his own home? There is but one answer. The war hasn't touched us yet; there is no empty chair at our fireside; our crops have not been destroyed, nor has our pocket-book been pinched by war levies. Our wives and children are safe from the pirates of the air and seas; we sit in snug security at home and say, "Well, I'll think about it; it ain't much interest on your money." Germany has said that we as a people will not fight; that we are interested in nothing under Heaven but money. Is Germany right? Shall we, by our refusal to contribute to a war loan, which our government has told us is absolutely necessary, prove ourselves "American pigs," and stupidly contribute to our own ruin. Wake up folks; let Nicholas county's allotment of these bonds be subscribed before another week passes.

NICHOLAS AGAIN IN PATH OF A WESTERN TORNADO.

Cyclonic Twister Wreaks Havoc In All Sections of County. Much Damage at Sharpsburg.

Shortly after 10 o'clock Sunday night this immediate vicinity was visited by one of the most severe windstorms and heavy down-pour of rain that has been experienced here for several years. More than a dozen tobacco barns were razed in that section lying west of Carlisle and the damage to lands cannot be estimated so badly was it washed, and the crops out, are in many localities destroyed.

The communities about Headquarters, Barterville, Forest Retreat and as far down the Maysville & Lexington turnpike as Oakland Mills appear to have been in the path of the tornado and Monday morning found barn after barn torn from their foundations and scattered about fields over a wide area.

In and near Forest Retreat, the large tobacco of D. F. Caswell was blown down and his stock barn was badly damaged. A few hundred yards up the road and at the intersection of the Maysville & Lexington pike and Barterville pike, the big tobacco and stock barn of Arris Wiggins was totally destroyed. Two big tobacco barns belonging to W. I. Dorsey were blown down. A tobacco barn belonging to D. B. Mitchell was destroyed and a stock barn belonging to him was badly damaged. Two tobacco barns and a silo were swept from foundations and wrecked on the farm of Forest Dalzell. A. B. Smathers lost a big tobacco barn and not far from the Smathers place the roof was lifted from the residence of Elias Westfall. A barn belonging to Robt. Berry was wrecked. The roof was blown from the I. C. Taylor store at Barterville. On the farm of T. C. Asbury, known as the Shannon place, large trees were uprooted, coal house blown over, garage demolished and the Ford car of Dick Ritchie, occupant of the farm, was found many hundred feet away lodged against a tree. The Shannon dwelling was greatly damaged by falling trees.

Traffic was blocked on many of the roads leading to this city on account of large trees being blown across roads. At the old Brayfield toll-gate it was several hours Monday morning before a large tree blown down from in the Mathers woods could be gotten from the road.

As the excursion train approached this city on its return trip from Cincinnati it ran into a tree in the Foster cut near Millers Station and while the train was not derailed as many as five persons were injured by glass being hurled into the coaches as the train passed the heavy branches. Of those injured, Judge Samuel Holmes possibly received the most severe wounds. He received three cuts on the face, two on the cheek and one on the neck. The wound on the neck was said to have been caused by a piece of wood and was about an inch deep just missing the jugular vein. Small pieces of glass pierced the left eye of Maude Ritchie, white, and the left eye of a negress by the name of Spencer. Practically every window glass on the west side of the train broken and the headlight of the engine was put out of commission. There were several passengers on the train and excitment ran high as particles of glass and wood were dashed through the coaches. One young lady who resides in the county was so frightened that she swooned and it was some time before she could be revived.

From all sections comes the distressing report of land being badly washed. It is said by many that the corn land will necessarily have to be harrowed and corn be replanted. The ground prepared for tobacco has all been washed and will have to be placed in shape again. The small quantity of tobacco that was planted will have to be reset. Numerous reports are heard that tobacco beds have been totally destroyed, which will cause a necessary decrease in the tobacco industry in Nicholas for the year. All creeks and small streams were higher than were ever known and bottom lands were therefore flooded and crops destroyed. Fencing and such other articles that rested in the path of these swollen creeks were all removed and carried away.

Every storm has its freaks and the freak in this one was the carrying of a one day old calf belonging to Johnson Snapp, more than a mile down Payne's Creek and safely depositing it on a small island.

In the communities of Sugar Creek, Blue Licks, Ellisville, Stony Creek, Cassiday Creek, Myers, Saltwell, Headquarters, Hooktown, in fact, all sections to the northeast, northwest, west and southwest, farmers were hit hard from damage to lands and crops that have been sown and planted. It would be a difficult task to form an estimate of the loss which will run into thousands of dollars.

The tornado passed from west to southeast, and while Carlisle was in its direct path, there was no serious damage here. Approximately two hundred telephones were put out of commission, large branches of trees were broken off, the arch glass in the court house blown out, two telephone poles belonging to the Cumberland Telephone Co. on Sycamore Street were blown down and a few chimneys leveled with roofs. The electric current was cut off and the town was in darkness save for the illumination caused by the incessant electrical display. In the majority of the homes the occupants remained up until the storm abated. Many expected the worst as during the afternoon reports of the Illinois cyclone where scores of lives were lost had been read with horror by our citizens who anticipated a like calamity.

HITS SHARPSBURG

Passing from this section, the tornado again swooped down upon the community of Sharpsburg lying twelve miles to the southeast, and to the south of the little city, the storm apparently wrought its greatest havoc. No lives were lost, however, but in one instance, a woman residing in a tenant house on the farm of Enoch Stone was severely injured when a large tree fell upon the house causing it to collapse and falling timbers struck her on the head. There were several occupants of this home and it was somewhat of a miracle that the family escaped death.

On the farm of the late James R. Shrout, three large tobacco barns were blown down and every tree in the orchard was uprooted. The roof on the dwelling occupied by Walter Shrout was partly removed and every window pane was shattered. Forty forest trees on the farm of B. T. Wright were leveled with the earth and two large silos were wrecked, besides two or three of his large barns being damaged. Other barns wrecked were, one for the Fisher sisters two for Elgin Sharp, three for Samuel Ralls and one for Abe Ockerman. At the Ockerman farm every frame structure on the place was wrecked save the dwelling in which he lived. His loss consisted of a tobacco barn, stock barn, corn crib, buggy house, hen house, and quite a lot of fencing. Two silos belonging to Samuel Ralls were overturned and demolished. In the storm stricken community there were more than three hundred trees that heretofore have braved many a storm that fell before the gale of the night. The Manager of the Sharpsburg Telephone Exchange reports more than one hundred telephone poles blown down, and that town, as were many others throughout the path of the tornado, was cut off from communicating with the outside world.

At Moorefield the tobacco barn belonging to J. J. Lambert was blown down and a barn on the farm of Charles Linville, northeast of Carlisle was twisted on its foundation. On account of the poor telephone service in the country it is impossible to ascertain the exact damage that has been wrought to property and crops.

Millersburg Suffers Heavy Loss.

The storm was especially severe at Millersburg, the business portion of the city receiving the brunt of the blow. The 110-foot steel flagstaff on the M. M. I. grounds, which was to have been dedicated with an imposing ceremonial flag-raising and exercises was blown down. The wind raising the roof of the M. M. I. building, placing the house in great peril for a time. The roof of the flat over Ingels Bros.' dry goods store was blown off, the terrific rain ruining their stock and the rooms above. The roof was blown off the Masonic Temple. The grocery stock of Jones Bros., who occupied the storeroom on the ground floor, was badly damaged. The roof of the building occupied by S. H. Phillips as a ten-cent store was partly blown away, causing considerable damage. Shade trees, water gaps, foliage, shrubbery, gardens, fencing, etc., suffered from the effects of wind and water.

A tobacco barn, two stables and a tenant house on the place of Mr. Ashby Leer, near Millersburg, were blown down, killing eight sheep in the barn. A tobacco barn on the farm of Thos. Marshall was blown down. The cadets at the M. M. I. were up at four o'clock Monday morning chopping fallen trees from the campus and drill grounds.

Sunday night's storm was the latest of a series of tornadoes that started in Kansas on last Friday. In that State more than one hundred persons were killed. Late Saturday afternoon one hundred persons in the State of Illinois lost their lives and Sunday night seventy lives were snuffed out in Kentucky. Hickman, Carlisle and Graves counties situated in the extreme western portion of the State gave up the greatest toll in lives.

$100,000 Is What This County Is Asked For.

Nicholas county's allotment of Liberty Bonds has been made.

We are expected to invest in $100,000 worth of these bonds to help our government fight the battles of democracy and at the same time save our own bacon perhaps.

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Bath County Girl Has Close Call From Death.

Myrtle May, a fifteen-year-old girl, residing near Sharpsburg, had a terrible experience on Tuesday night of last week when she reached Sharpsburg where she had gone to attend the musicale given by the pupils of Miss Jo Henry.

For years there has been a public well situated on the south side of the public square, and near the hitch-rack, that supplies water for quite a number of families. It is regarded by many there as being very dangerous in that the cover was a broad board and many were fearful lest children should be drowned therein.

Miss May arrived at Sharpsburg at about dusk with her younger brother and as she stepped from the [illegible] she plunged down the twenty [illegible] well that was walled with jagged [illegible] into water fully six feet [illegible]. The brother ran frantically to Main street and summoned aid and in the meanwhile the young girl, who had presence of mind to obtain a firm grip on a projected rock, told her rescuers to procure a ladder and by its use she was rescued from her perilous situation, without having as much as received a scratch.

Concord

Dogs made a raid on J. T. Ockerman's sheep Sunday evening killing two.....Farmers will be kept busy for some time rebuilding fences which were washed off by the heavy rain Sunday night.....Mrs. Harvey Hardwick of near Paris, was the guest of her parents, George Logan and wife Saturday and Sunday.......William Owens was the guest of George Wasson Friday.....Ernest Alexander and family visited friends at Pleasant Valley Sunday..... J. T. Ockerman and E. C. Alexander were the guests of Marion Ockerman and family Sunday.

Jackstown

Children's Day June 3rd will be observed here, with an instructive program and offering. Everyone is cordially invited.

Mrs. Robert Parker, who has been ill at the home of W. T. Parker, is now much better and has been moved to her home.

Bourbon Co., is rapidly finishing the pike which leads from here to Paris, and Nicholas is doing her best to make a model road from Carlisle to this place, so when the highways are completed Jackstown people will have an "outlet" which has been badly needed.

Mt. Carmel

A heavy rain fell here Saturday and Sunday night and did much damage.....Victor Gaunce and family spent Sunday with S. L. Gaunce of Headquarters.....Dee Gaunce and family, of Barefoot, spent Saturday and Sunday with Ora Sparks and family.....Bess Shaw and family spent Sunday with George Jones and family of Headquarters.....Miss Virginia Smith spent Friday with Keller Hillock and wife.....V. P. Kerns and family of Carlisle, spent Sunday with R. E. Delaney and family.....Master Floyd Gaunce spent Saturday night with Carl Gaunce.....Marion Insko of Carlisle, is spending a few days with Frank Sparks.....Bess Shaw sold a mare to P. M. Bishop for $250 last week, and one sow and seven pigs for $40 to G. L. Asbury.....Rev. S. L. Moore sent a minister here Sunday night in his place to preach for us as Bro. Moore could not come, being in a protracted meeting at Bethel.....Everybody remember prayer meeting Tuesday evening at 7:30, and Sunday school every Sunday evening at 2:30.....Mr. Frank Snapp is improving slowly.....Monroe Sparks is very ill at this writing.

Barterville

Misses Rena and Bettie Feeback spent Monday with their sister Mrs. Johnnie Snapp.....Miss Christine Feeback spent Sunday with Ruth Taylor.....L. M. Feeback and Z. B. Ritchie spent from Friday until Sunday with Miles HoPar and family of Paris.....Ruth Taylor spent Monday with Addie Lee and Verma Ritchie.....Mr. and Mrs. Silas Feeback and children, Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Snapp and daughter and Mae Miller spent Sunday with L. M. Feeback and family.....Mr. MacPherson Ritchie who has been visiting his sister, Mrs. Maggie Feeback in Oklahoma, has returned home.....The worst storm that ever visited our community was Sunday night. It did much damage. D. F. Caswell's barn was torn to pieces and also Geo. Donahue's meat house.

Saltwell

E. T. Gaunce and family accompanied by D. E. Wilson visited Ora T. Wagoner and family near Paris Sunday.....Mrs. S. L. Moore and children and Miss Gertrude Eckler are visiting Thomas Eckler near Walnut Grove.....Miss Flossie L. Gaunce is attending the commencement exercises at Winchester.......Mrs. Dora Stege of Oklahoma, is visiting relatives here......A. J. Ritchie, of Myers, accompanied Rev. S. L. Moore home Saturday and attended the Decoration service at Rose Hill.....Rev. E. S. Wilson, of Clay City, will preach here Thursday night, June 7.

Mt. Zion

A good tobacco season now get busy farmers and get all your crop out. Mr. and Mrs. Ben Barbee spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mr. Barbee's father of East Union.....Mr. and Mrs. Russell Hickerson, of Wallingford, Ky., spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Hickerson.....Mr. C. L. Tucker sold a work mare for $175.....Mr. and Mrs. Hice Mitchell spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Elmo Peck.....Born to Mr. and Mrs. Tommie Kerns on Monday May 21st, a daughter.....Decoration Day will be observed the first Sunday in June at Zion.....Goebel Colliver spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Charley Flora.....Don't forget Sunday School every Sunday morning.

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Goebel City

Rev. Browning, of Haverfield, Mass., filled Rev. Trout's appointment at Union church Sunday.....Mrs. John Ratliff and children visited relatives in Carlisle last Tuesday.....J. W. Fields is preparing to add some modern improvements to his home and has engaged S. V. Kerns of Louisville, to do the work.....The painting of the church by Leslie Bratton has added greatly to its appearance.....Next Tuesday, June 5, is registration day, and all male inhabitants between the ages of 21 and 31 must go to their voting places and register. Failure to register is punishable by one year in prison.....Miss Lena Hopkins closed the unfinished term at the Bel school last Friday with a nice entertainment. Quite a number of patrons were present and acting upon her advice they out-lined plans for the promotion and betterment of the school. During her brief stay she demonstrated her ability to put life into a school that had grown callous and indifferent. The children and patrons very much regretted her departure.

Bald Hill

Miss Grace Ogden entertained the "Hustler" S. S. class, of which she is teacher, at the home of her parents Saturday evening. Croquet was played as long as they could see. Then various other games—duets, reading and recitations were enjoyed until the storm came. Mr. and Mrs. Homer Miller and Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Dotson were the guests of the latter's parents Sunday.......Mrs. A. F. Ogden and daughter Fannie were the guests of the Misses Daley at Headquarters on Thursday....Mr. and Mrs. John Miller visited their son, W. E. Miller Sunday.....Mrs. J. W. Jackson is visiting her son Will at Anderson, Ind......On account of the baccalaureate sermon to the graduates of Transylvania University at Lexington, Rev. Reagor will not be with us next Sunday evening. Services are announced for Saturday evening at 7:30 instead.....Rev. Reagor has volunteered for Y. M. C. A. work among the soldiers during the war. Should he have to go, our church and Sunday school would realize a great loss. For various reasons our "Children's Day" exercises will not be held in the afternoon in the woods. A few of the children are preparing a small program to be given at the usual service hour on the third Sunday morning in June.

Rose Hill

Mrs. Elizabeth Green and Mrs. Mary Martin of Cincinnati, O., were called to the bedside of their mother Mrs. Sosby, who is very ill.....Mr. and Mrs. E. Brayfield spent Sunday with the latter's sister, Mrs. Wm. Elrod.......Miss Grace Patrick was a week end visitor with her niece, little Miss Truman Rickey.....The Decoration Day sermon was well attended here Saturday afternoon.....Mrs. Mamie Purcell and two children of Georgetown, returned home Monday.....Misses Cecil and Dora Purcell of Paris are spending the week with Grace Harney.

Blue Lick Springs

John Sundys and family visited relatives at Moorefield last Sunday.....Mr. and Mrs Norm Hudson and Mrs James Rogers spent a few days last week with friends in Lexington.....Mrs. Mary Moss is visiting the family of her daughter, Mrs. Pollie Buckler near Flemingsburg.....Henry Campbell and family of Midway, are spending the week with relatives in this neighborhood.........George and Ed Sampson and families spent Friday at South Licking fishing.....The rain and hail of Saturday night did considerable damage to crops in this vicinity.

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Patriotic Meeting Saturday Afternoon.

A Patriotic Meeting will be held at the Court House Saturday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock, at which time it is planned to have out-of-town speakers of note to be present and deliver addresses. One spoken of in particular is Col. John R. Allen, of Lexington, who is one of Kentucky's most eloquent orators.

At the meeting the Registration will be fully explained and all Registrars are urged to attend so as to better enable them to conduct the Registration on June 5th.

At the two former Patriotic Meetings held at the Court House the attendance has been good but were attended mostly by the citizens of Carlisle and it is hoped that the people from the county will turn out at this one also.

Dr. N. H. McNew To Lecture In County

It may be of interest to the people to know that Dr. W. L. Heizer, Executive Secretary of the Kentucky Board of Tuberculosis Commission has selected and secured the services of Dr. N. H. McNew, of Carlisle, to deliver a series of lectures in Nicholas and surrounding counties on "Tuberculosis and General Hygiene." These lectures will be delivered upon request of the members of any community, church or society by notifying Dr. Heizer, Frankfort, Ky., of their desires. These lectures are intended to enlighten people on the nature, prevention and cure of this dread disease and are well worth the time and trouble of any people to attend, listen and learn.

Some Horse Trade.

On March Court Day Bill Flora of the upper end of the county came to town with a mare belonging to his wife. His wife, it is said, gave him the liberty of trading the animal for another with strict instructions no doubt to better himself in the trade. During the day Bill traded the mare for a horse and later traded the horse for a mare. The latter trade was with a negro from Maysville and Bill and his wife thought the bargain was a bad one. Bill had the negro arrested at Maysville and bond was given for the animal until the trial was held Tuesday at the Court House. The jury rendered a verdict in favor of the negro on the grounds that the husband was acting as agent for his wife. The mare was brought to town the day of the trial and when the jury found for the negro he passed from the Court House and securing the animal sold her for $15 to Herrod Shrout. The money he received, it is said, would not pay his lawyers fee or his expenses to and from Maysville. Bill told the jury that he got drunk and therefore got the worst of the trade.

How One Lives At Kavanaugh

At this time when everyone is stirred with stories of military life, it will be interesting to know that at Kavanaugh Camp a bugle call announces rising time, meals, recreation, all meeting, in fact everything. Then besides there will be a class in First Aid work, where anyone who desires may be instructed by a competent doctor in the essentials of rendering service to the wounded soldiers. Dr. Ethel Polk will have charge of this class. Dr. Polk is just back from China, where she has had a large practice and has done a great work. Kavanaugh is a training camp for life, where one is drilled by competent officers of experience in life, "how to live." Itc

Registrars Named

Sheriff W. T. Parker and County Court Clerk John F. Sugg have announced the completed list of registrars for Nicholas county for the registration for the selective draft. It follow: Headquarters precinct—O. R. Claflin and Henry Barlow. Taylor's Store—S. J. Fryman and L. H. Small. Bald Hill—Daniel Wells and Gilbert Sellers. Goose Creek—Arthur Mulligan and H. Bowen. Sim's Store—J. M. Cole and Reuben Moore. Cassidy Creek—George McLean and L. B. Barton. Buzzard Roost—T. L. Clark and J. M. Campbell. East Union—K. B. Trimble and S. D. Kerns. Weston—J. G. Blair and Henry Myers. Mathias Shop—F. B. Henry and C. B. Williams. Mayor's Office—W. M. Insko and S. K. Veach. Engine House—E. J. Beers and U. M. Swinford. City Building—Judge F. V. Cox and Elias Westfall. All of the citizens who were appointed volunteered their services.

A Money Saver.

There is a great campaign for thrift being conducted all over the United States—thrift in production by the farmer and other producers, thrift in economy in use and consumption by all persons, and thrift in saving. This thrift campaign is nation-wide. Not only have business, manufacturing, agricultural, and other associations and individuals taken up this campaign, but it has been carried into universities, colleges and schools.

In connection with the last aspect of this thrift campaign, that of saving, the Liberty Loan Bonds of 1917 offer an ideal investment of savings for small investors. No other small investment, or large one either for that matter, has quite the advantages that the Liberty Loan Bond has. Savings invested in a Liberty Loan Bond are just as safe as it is possible to make them and will constantly draw interest. While the interest is only 3½ per cent, the bonds being nontaxable makes the investment the equivalent of a 5 or 6 per cent interest drawing investment in ordinary securities.

Not only is the investment absolutely safe but it is practically as readily converted into money as a United States Treasury note. To dispose of one of these Liberty Loan Bonds may require the owner to go to a bank instead of passing it over any counter. Yet this is an advantage. The trouble and time required to convert the bond into cash will give the owner time for thought and reconsideration, and it is not improbable that in many instances the result will be that the savings invested in a Liberty Loan Bond will be preserved intact where savings in money would be spent, in part if not in whole.

There is one other incident to be considered in regard to the purchase of a Liberty Loan Bond. The investment has a nature which should appeal to every American citizen. It is backing our Government, helping the winning of a victory for America in war. This has no money value, but it has a value not to be measured in dollars and cents.

CLOSING EXERCISES OF THE CARLISLE HIGH SCHOOL.

Commencement Closes An Interesting Week. Honor Roll For the Past Year.

Through an oversight the write-up of the Commencement Exercises of the Carlisle High School was omitted in last week's issue. This was due to the fact that the article was held up until the honor roll could be obtained, which up to our last publication day had not been received and in the usual rush to go to press the Commencement notice was lost sight of.

In our issue of May 17 the Commencement program was given up to the Senior Class play which was presented to a crowded auditorium on Thursday evening. The play, entitled "The Fifteenth of January," was so well rendered by the cast as to warrant the universal expression, "it was indeed a splendid entertainment."

The exercises held on Friday morning were perhaps the most enjoyable and at the same time the most impressive of Commencement week. After the audience had assembled and the pupils had marched into the assembly room, the curtain was raised and a very beautiful flag, 12x22 feet, was in full view in the rear of the stage. With Miss Bettie Shaw as leader, the whole school arose and after saluting the flag, gave in concert their pledge and sang "The Star Spangled Banner." The demonstration, coming at a time when the true young American blood is aroused to its highest tension, will be forever lasting in the minds and hearts of all present. This occasion was especially interesting and impressive to the children in that they had subscribed and paid $50 for the purchase of this flag, which is to be placed in the very near future on a 100-foot steel flag-staff to be erected on the campus. A pretty play was given by all the grades which consisted mainly of songs. It is well to say here that since Miss Shaw has had charge of the music there has been a wonderful advancement in the singing. A very attractive feature of the program was the Sun-bonnet-Overall Drill by the boys and girls of the first grade. The young lassies taking part in the morning program wore blouse waists with yellow ties, which dress was especially attractive for plainness and neatness.

Superintendent R. Dean Squires, in well chosen remarks, such as is characteristic of the man upon all occasions, presented the members of the eighth grade class their certificates for promotion into the high school, which was followed by the presentation of honor certificates and certificates of attendance to those in the school deserving them. Superintendent Squires made it known that there were several students that had not been absent nor tardy for from three to five years.

The Commencement exercises for the graduating class, were held in the school auditorium on Friday evening at eight o'clock. The class address was made by Dr. R. L. Telford, pastor of the Presbyterian church at Richmond, who confined his remarks solely to the present war situation, after which the diplomas were presented by Superintendent Squires.

The Carlisle Saxophone Orchestra furnished music on the evening of the class play and the evening of commencement exercises, which added materially to the success and enjoyment of these two occasions and it can well be said that their music will take with any audience.

Miss Gladys Bowe was the first honor pupil, the second honor went collectively to Miss Ruth Paris and Miss Lorena Campbell. The former receives a special scholarship to any of the colleges she may select in Kentucky and many in other States. Miss Paris and Miss Campbell are also entitled to scholarships to many colleges.

A short while previous to the opening of the commencement exercises a telegram from Prof. James Threlkeld of Atlanta, Ga., was received by Supt. Squires, congratulating the class and stating his inability to be present. The school as a whole was very glad to see in the audience on Friday evening two former students, Oscel Asbury and James Henry, who are now located in Company C, at Fort Thomas, Ky.

The alumni banquet was served at the Masonic Hall after the Commencement exercises Friday night.

Below will be found the Honor Roll for the year:

FIRST GRADE—Hilda Booth, Anna Mae Conley, Fred Darnall, Roy Fredericks, Theodore Gordon, Frances Wasson, Celia Mae Waugh.

SECOND GRADE—Edith Allison, Evalyn Colliver, Chas. Daugherty, Dorothy Dorsey, Hamilton Feeback, Grace Gaunce, Christine George, Naomi Gordon, Beseliene Kerns, Wm. B. Parker, Martha Reed, Ellen Stewart.

THIRD GRADE—Alma Booth, Lida Frances Burgess, Jeanette Cox, Catherine Crowe, Florine Clark, William Darragh, Helen Marr Darnall, Freda Feeback, Elden Hutchings, Elizabeth Harrison, Margaret O'Connell, Teddy Poe, Frances Veach.

FOURTH GRADE—Lorene Booth, Harry Beatty, Frank Cummins, Minerva Lambert, William H. Martin, Ruth Nixon, Mary Edsell Ross.

FIFTH GRADE—Special: Louise Kennedy, 95. Honor: Parks Tilton, 93; Paul Bryson, 92; Joe Frank Conley, 91; Adrienne Palmer, 91; Frank Reed, 91; Ruth Kern, 90. Certificates of attendance: George Insko, Adrian Earlwine, Beulah Mann, Lillian Mann, Anna Lou Conway, Elizabeth Dorsey, Thelma Linville, Tempest Lawrence. Enrollment—Boys 21, girls 24, total 45. Promotions—Boys 14, girls 17, total 31. Average per cent. of those promoted—Boys 86 per cent., girls 87 per cent., total 86 plus per cent. Dropped from enrollment—Boys 6, girls 1, total 7.

SIXTH GRADE—Nealya Burgess, Idelle Clark, Lillie Mae Crouch, Rolla Dalzell, Chas. Fishback, Ruth Kennedy, Virginia Martin, Anna Marie O'Connell, Willie Paris, Fannie Steele Ross.

SEVENTH GRADE—Frank Alexander, Ruth Colliver, Louella Crowe, Howard Mastin, John Squires Reed, Lois Talbert, Stella Waugh, Ruth Woodward, Mabel Vice.

EIGHTH GRADE — Willie Barr, Maude Booth, Louella Clark, Catherine Claney, Elizabeth Cole, Rowena Collins, Winnie Clay Crouch, Glennie B. Fisher, Elizabeth Holmes, Ruth Lawrence, Anna Frances Myers, Nellie Paris, Mabel Reed, Edith Tune, Lillie Cecil Taylor, Harry B. Tilton, Florence Crates.

HIGH SCHOOL

SENIORS—Gladys Bowe, Lorena Campbell, Ruth Paris.

JUNIORS—Bernice Booth, Gladys Booth, Kathleen Colliver, Beulah Shaw, Clara Shaw, [illegible] Thomas.

SOPHOMORE—[illegible]

FRESHMAN—[illegible]

30 YEARS AGO.

From THE MERCURY of May 26, 1887

The issue of June 2, 1887, is missing from our files.—(ED.

C. M. Lambert sold last week to Moss Hendrix, of Bath county, 38 stock hogs at 13½ cents. Mr. Lambert also sold and delivered to McDonald & Hart of Montgomery county, thirty 900 pound feeding cattle at 10¼ cents the pound. This bunch of feeding cattle were said to be one of the best in the county and the price paid for them is the top. Mr. Lambert bought of T. J. Vice a holstein cow and calf for $175 and a holstein bull for $100. The bull was a yearling and the heifer had her first calf by her side.

Alfred Murray Announces As Candidate For Magistrate.

Mr. Alfred Murray, present Magistrate of District No. 4, announces this week as a candidate to succeed himself. Squire Murray, who is a large tax payer, during his term of office has endeavored to safe-guard the interests of the tax payer in all business relations coming before the Fiscal Court body, and if nominated and elected will no doubt continue to serve his people in the same careful manner.

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Did you ever have a SILENT PARTNER in your business? Our preacher suggested quite an idea to me in his sermon last Sunday evening, and I'm going to tell you about it.

This idea is that you ought to take into partnership with you, no matter what your business may be, your CONSCIENCE: make a kind of silent partner of your conscience, so when temptation comes along to do something a little "scaly," this silent partner speaks up and says "DON'T DO IT." This sounds good to me, and while THE BRYSON FARM AGENCY has been doing business right along this line all the time, I don't know that we ever had seen it in just that light; but from this time on our conscience is a full partner and when he says "DON'T," we are going to "DON'T." We want all the business we can find and we'll get up earlier, go farther during the day, and stay up and out later than anybody to get business but the business must be STRAIGHT business or there'll be no business done. Now, if you are looking for some so-called real estate man to help you put over some "crooked" deal see the other fellow: THE BRYSON FARM AGENCY is not looking for that kind of business. We belong to the "REALTOR" class of real estate people and nothing but straight business goes with us.

But, LA LA, how we do talk. I want to tell you again about the greatest farm bargain that ever came your way or anybody else's: 337½ acres of BOURBON COUNTY LAND, 3 big tobacco barns, each 108 feet long, a splendid stock barn, first class 9-room residence, 3 tenant houses, on model road, a natural BLUE GRASS BURLEY TOBACCO farm, and $100 per acre will buy it. Now, I KNOW this farm is worth MORE MONEY than the price I am making above and if you let it go by without even a look the fault will be yours and not mine. This is a case of "FORTUNE KNOCKING AT YOUR DOOR" and she's knocking hard, too. Let's go look at it, anyway. You can have your own time in paying for it—the owner doesn't need the money.

I've got a nice little "homey" place right close to town on the model road, 13 acres, 6-room house, stable, crib, buggy house, etc., orchard, and RIGHT NOW $2,600 will buy it. Possession next March. Above price good for one month only; after first month price will be $2,750. There's a reason.

Another good small place close to town has 46 3-8 acres, 7-room house, 2 good barns, good orchard, fine spring, well, cistern, and $100 per acre will buy it.

Been away from home for a week and naturally couldn't keep out of farm business; got prices on farms in other sections, and let me tell you, Nicholas county folks, prices in Nicholas are lots better than in some other sections. Saw a farm that a man paid $250 per acre for and then built a $5,000 residence on it. I am offering better land in this issue of The Mercury for $100 per acre.

Have 2 acres of good land and nice cottage at Myers. Don't you want it?

We have a farm of 130 acres in another county, 40 acres of which is in grass and the remaining 90 acres in timber; good 5-room house, new tobacco barn, and $40 per acre will buy it. Reasonable terms if you want terms. Isn't this the chance to buy a fair sized farm for a little money?

Here's the farm for your money: 102 acres, 2¼ miles from Carlisle, good pike, natural blue grass land and 65 acres in blue grass now; 9-room residence, good stock barn, crib and silo, 10-acre tobacco barn and a very low price. Don't let this one get away.

Also 162 acres as good land as anybody's: 7 or 8-room house, 2 tobacco barns and more good buildings than you ever saw on a similar place; beautifully located about 3½ miles from Carlisle at junction of several pikes. The price is as low as you can reasonably ask.

Some excellent bargains in City Residence property. Come in and look them over.

Monday week will be court day: let's get busy on our 600 Independent voters by that time and see if we can't arrange to give Nicholas county a set of county officers of whom we will be proud.

[illegible] ... Dr. King's New Life Pills at your druggist, 25c.