THE MERCURY.

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LAD WALKS IN SLEEP IS SHOT BY FATHER

Rallying that a burglar was aboard, a father home on Avon Avenue in Lawrence E. Clough, an employe of the L. & N. Railroad, fired a shot through a window Saturday morning, fired the contents of a shot-gun at the supposed intruder who proved to be his own eight-year-old son. The shots struck the boy in the left arm, the charge passing entirely through the upper part of the other, and tearing away part of the mouth, chin and one cheek. Attending physicians, however, believe the boy will recover from his wounds.

The lad had enjoyed a happy day at play Friday and retired early, but slept very soundly. Getting up in his sleep he left the house without attracting attention from his parents and was returning still asleep, when his father, hearing a noise and fearful as to cause a sound similar to one which might be caused by a burglar inserting a key in the door.

Mr. Clough was awake at this time and grabbing his shot gun, called aloud: "Who is there you devil?"

No answer was made, nor did a second or third warning bear forth a reply.

Thereupon the father pointed his shot gun at the window and fired. Hearing a short cry and said "Daddy you've shot me."

When the lights were turned on it was discovered that one eye was destroyed, the mouth and chin of the face was badly torn. The charge was substained to the nose and one cheek. He was taken to the Maxon Memorial Hospital where every effort has been made to save the boy's life. Hospital reports indicate that the lad is resting easy and will recover.

The boy's parents are overcome with grief over the unfortunate accident.—Kentucky Post.

R. F. REYNOLDS JR. MAY BE NICHOLAS CANDIDATE

R. F. Reynolds, Jr., of Carlisle, being urged by his friends to make the race for the Democratic nomination for representative from Nicholas county, according to a friend of his who was in Lexington Thursday. Mr. Reynolds is the son of the late Dr. F. D. Reynolds, who was a member of the Legislature from Nicholas county in the 1918 session and if he announces will be without opposition.—Lexington Herald.

OLDHAM AND BLACK AT LATONIA RACES

R. C. Oldham, Democratic candidate for Lieutenant Governor, and Governor J. D. Black will journey to-day to the Latonia race track to open Wednesday. Governor Black's health is much improved.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

WEEK OF JUNE 8 to 14 BOY SCOUT WEEK.

Linking up with the nation-wide movement, Mayor Thomas issued the following proclamation Saturday:

"I, Alois Peters, Mayor of the city of Petersburg, hereby proclaim the week beginning Sunday, June 8 to 14 Flag Day, as Boy Scout Week.

Alois Peters, Mayor.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE

Persons having claims against the estate of H. T. Dammon, dec'd, will present them to me, and persons owing same to have to settle immediately. Respectfully,

C. H. Holmes, Executor.

Also, at once, all those indebted to said estate will call upon the undersigned and settle same without further notice.

Taylor Mathews
Executor of H. T. Dammon.

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is the Tri-State policy and that price is good for a week. We don't change our price just to fit the day, neither do we put a higher price on Saturday.
The Tri- State Butter Company
Direct with producers. Our dealings are all business men. Look over the Tri-State prices to date this year as shown below and see where it is to your interest to deal with THE TRI-STATE.

TRI-STATE PRICES FOR 1919

Week Beginning	Price	Week Beginning	Price	Week Beginning	Price
Jan. 6th	52c	10th	45c	April 7th	61c
13th	52c	17th	45c	14th	64c
20th	52c	24th	45c	21st	67c
27th	55c	31st	52c	28th	67c
Feb. 3rd	55c	7th	52c	May 5th	67c
10th	55c	14th	52c	12th	67c
17th	55c	21st	52c	19th	67c
24th	55c	28th	52c	26th	67c
March 3rd	55c	April 1st	61c		

WE PAY THE FREIGHT and guarantee the cream and cane against loss

This Week's Price Is 55cts.
JUNE 2nd to 8th, INCLUSIVE
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Tag your cans or if you need cans write for 24 day Trial Cans.

BOY SCOUT WEEK JUNE 8 TO 14 IN NATION

In America there are 10,000,000 boys between the ages of 14 and 21 who should be given the benefit of scouting. Physical development, training, and guidance.

The membership of the Boy Scouts of America is now 400,000 which is a small proportion of 10,000,000 boys. The week of June 8 to 14, inclusive, by proclamation of President Wilson, has been designated as the week for purpose of organizing and extending the Boy Scout movement so that it may be given to the country every Boy Scout Week.

The object of Scout week it will be the effort of an organization of patriotic men and women, who will, by their influence, personality, example and leadership, help Hon. William G. McAdoo and Hon. Nathaniel Cosgrol Dodge, National Council Boy Scouts of America.

The fund has enjoyed a happy day at play Friday and Saturday and dropped very much. Getting on in life is sleep be left the house without attending afternoon from the power of and was returning still asleep, when his father, hearing a noise and fearful as to cause a sound similar to one which might be caused by a burglar inserting a key in the door.

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SALTWELL

Death has visited our community again and claimed for its victim, Mrs. Sylvia Marshall, who died early Monday morning. Mrs. Marshall was 70 years of age, her husband, Thomas Marshall, died about 18 years ago and since that time she has made her home with Mrs. Enoch and Elmer. Mrs. Marshall was a member of the Baptist church and all who knew her she was a devoted Christian, and her life and example was one to be emulated. She testified to her Savior even to the last moment. She leaves to mourn the loss of a large family of children of her own, she has reared the children of J. W. Marshall, who died in 1906. She was the grandmother of 30 grandchildren and 30 great grandchildren. Mrs. Marshall, who across the sea returned home, but God willed otherwise and he must bear in humble submission to His will and say "Thy Will Be Done Not Mine" She is survived by 2 brothers, Mr. Fox, of Carlisle, Samuel E., of Georgetown, and one sister, Mrs. Mary Cynthiana, and one sister, Mrs. Mary C. E. Snapp, of Carlisle. Aunt Sylvia was a good woman and her friends will seek the Lord whom she served so faithfully and meet her in the Mt. Pleasant cemetery.

Rev. E. Lee Allen will preach next here Sunday morning and night. Everybody welcome. Rev. and Mrs. Myers and Ruth Gannett and Mrs. Mary Allen Hilliard and wife, of Nine Lick Springs, spent Sunday with Mrs. Lucy Gannett and family.

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Mrs. Sam Cannon, Mrs. Claude Hamilton and Mr. Will Gallagher and Miss Jennie Tilton, of Carlisle, will meet with Mrs. Bramel Hill next Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock, their presence is requested.

BUCKTOWN

Miss Sallie Hamm entertained as her guests Sunday, Misses Mary Bell, Nell and Mrs. Bob Leonard, Miss Mattie Dalzell, Leona Bussell, Mrs. Sam Gallagher, Mrs. Rogers and Earl Bussell.

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CASSIDAY

The family and a number of friends gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Tedder, Sunday, May 25th, and spread a dinner at his home in honor of their 25th anniversary. The occasion being his sixty-first birthday, he was presented with a number of gifts. The day was spent in a most pleasant manner by all present. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Tedder and children, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Tedder and children, Mr. and Mrs. Rachel Campbell and daughter, Mrs. Cap Tedder and children, Mrs. Cap Tedder and children, Colgate and Emerald; Mr. and Mrs. Ben Tedder and children, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Wasden and daughter, Clemma and Mrs. Ben Sterling, Ky.; Mr. and Mrs. James Campbell and children, Mr. and Mrs. Will Campbell and children, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Markland and children, Arthur, Clarence and Narvell, Sharpsburg, Ky.; Mr. and Mrs. Ben Tedder, Ky.; Mr. and Mrs. Ben Tedder and children, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Wasden and children, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Sanford, Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Sanford and children, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Tedder and sons, Douglas and Sanford, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Tedder and sons, Edna Gray and Stella McLeod.

PARKS HILL

Mrs. Pickett Vaughn, of Cincinnati, is here visiting relatives and to attend the funeral of her sister, Mrs. Ford.

Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Talbert were guests Sunday of Mr. Talbert's sister, Mrs. Ford and wife Sunday.

Mrs. James Clancy, of Carlisle, is here visiting relatives and friends. Mrs. Clancy was very sick suffering from a severe attack of pneumonia, but is better at this writing.

Mrs. J. Hedges, of Carlisle, was the guest of Tom Payne the latter part of last week.

Everett Lawson, who now service in France, is home.

Mrs. Ed Hedges, of Carlisle, was the guest of Mrs. Lock Hedges Sunday.

Mr. Lock Hedges and wife, of Hillsboro, attended the funeral of Mrs. Ford.

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MT. MARIAH NEWS

Mr. J. B. Summitt and wife, and Miss Sonia Sparks visited Mrs. Elizabeth Sparks Sunday.

Mrs. Stella Holder spent from Friday until Saturday with Mrs. Eddie Hollar and family visited Mrs. Ida Hollar Sunday afternoon.

Mr. Hanson Hodges, of Carlisle, and Miss Abbie Hodges and two children spent Thursday with Mrs. Ida Hollar.

Lorene King visited Emma Sparks Sunday.

Mrs. Orval Greene and Miss Lizzie Marshall spent from Friday until Saturday with Mr. Ivan Shaw and wife at Saltwell.

Mrs. Sarah Brooks, of Carlisle, is spending a few weeks with the latter's son, Mr. Jno. Brooks.

SALTWELL

Married in Lexington Thursday, May 29th, Mr. Ernest Hedges and Miss Ethel Gannett, Mr. Smith officiating. The bride is the youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lucy Gannett.

Mrs. Lucy Armstrong and daughter, Mrs. Sallie Sims and baby spent Sunday with Mrs. Lelia and Gladys Bell.

Harlan Lee is home from U. S. S. Ozark, Mr. Lee's ship, arrived in Saturday until Tuesday and was accompanied there to attend the Commencement.

Miss Ada Lee Ritchie spent Saturday night with her sister, Mrs. C. C. Cannon.

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CONCORD

Mrs. John Sandidge and Ruth Hazel Ockerman spent Saturday in Cynthiana.

Mrs. Claude Hamilton and Mrs. Will Kenney, Mr. and Mrs. Boardman, Mrs. Tom Hamilton and Mrs. Ben Hamilton motored to Cynthiana Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Ockerman and family visited Mr. and Mrs. Ockerman and wife, Wednesday.

Mrs. Ben Hamilton and grandson, Sam Hamilton, spent Saturday with Mrs. Claude Hamilton.

Mrs. Ben Hamilton is some better.

HEADQUARTERS

Prayermeeting here Sunday morning and night by the pastor.

Our Centennial subscription is over $2,000 now.

Mrs. Ella Shanks and wife, of Chantry, Ky., visited Mrs. Shanks' sister, Mrs. Ida Hall, Sunday.

Mrs. Chas. Wood, who has been very sick with pneumonia for the past two weeks is able to be up again.

Mrs. Ida Hall has purchased a home on a visit.

Mr. Ben Hall, Automobile left here Monday and was wrecked on the Dog Walk pike, near Cynthiana, by a wagon. Both machines were badly damaged but no one was hurt. Some make a dangerous combination.

SCHOOL NEWS

The election Saturday will be held in my office on Saturday, June 7. All persons desiring to vote will meet in Division B will meet at 9:30 A. M. Division A at 1:30 P. M.

E. E. Fox, Supt. Nicholas Co. Schools.

June 23-26. I hope many will take advantage of this opportunity to qualify of attending such a meeting.

Miss Mary Lou Hardin is improving after an attack of the "flu" at the close of the War and the Kaiser's defeat. Miss Mary Lou is one of the many who have felt the necessity of your being there to attend a helping hand. We are having a great shortage of teachers. Our forces have been depleted by enlistments and by the call of the Louisville June 23 and help make this meeting a success.

Eda S. Taylor, Supt.

THE BRYANT FARM AGENCY

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The following telegram was received by Fiscal Court on Monday afternoon:

"Washington, D. C., May 27, 1919.
1000 barrel well cased in Friday (Signed) CUALMENS OIL CO."

Fiscal Court ordered that the following sum of money be paid out of the road fund to the parties named for the purpose of building and repairing roads in the county.

Jerry L. Judd the stock at ten cents per head for the use of the bull and $5.00 for the use of the jack and $5.00 for the use of the stallion to go higher any day.

Any one wishing to use the bull, jack and I'm willing to let them do so. Any one wishing to use the bull, jack and will see with very little figuring that I am not getting rich off the stock. I have purchased them and I have put a great deal of money in them and I have a right to get some benefit from them. I am not a speculator and I am not going to sidetrack higher figure than the above mentioned. I am an AMERICAN and I am doing something about which I am willing to stand before the world and say that I will come to the front with what I consider a good deal