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During all the years the Ford Model T One Ton Truck has been on the market, we have never had one complaint of rear axle trouble. We have had no complaints of motor trouble. As the motor and the rear axle are the vital fundamentals in a motor truck, we have the right to conclude that the Ford One Ton Truck has not only met the demands of business, but has done so in a satisfactory and economic way. There is no other evidence so convincing as that which comes from long practical experience. Ford One Ton Trucks are serving along all industrial and commercial lines. You will find them everywhere. If these statements were not facts, the demand for the Ford One Ton Truck would not be as large as it is, because people are not buying trucks which do not give service. Coupled with the dependability of the Ford One Ton Truck has become an actual necessity. Come in and talk it over.

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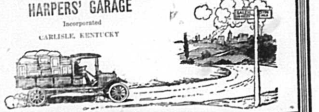
CARLISLE, KENTUCKY



WIDE AWAKE AND ACTIVE IS CLAIM OF LETTER MAN

ton, a well known letter carrier here WITH RENEWED VIM BECAUSE OF TRUTONA

Bowling Green, Ky.:—"I'm wide awake and active and really feel like working; seems as though I'm able to perform my duties with a new vim since taking Trutona," C. W. Howerquick thorough benefits I have gained who lives at 106 Fourteenth street, said a few days ago.

"I hadn't been feeling well and I was afraid to 'lag' along as 'flu' time was drawing near." Mr. Howerton continued. "My digestion was poor and although I slept well, my sleep didn't seem to be restful as I usually felt lifeless, tired and draggy. My liver and kidneys weren't acting normally either. I felt drowsy and sleepy most all day.

"After several of my neighbors had spoken to me about Trutona I finally decided to try the medicine. As I just said I can perform my duties with a new vim since taking Trutona. I'm wide awake and active and feel more like working, it seems. Trutona gave me quicker relief than any other tonic I have ever taken and because of the quick thorough benefits I have gained through it I am glad to recommend this medicine."

Trutona is now being introduced and explained in Carlisle at Tureman & Son's Drug Store. Adv.

IN LOVING REMEMBERENCE

February 8, 1920, will always be sacred in our memory, for on that Sabbath morning the Death Angel visited the home of Henry T. Gray and took from them their sweet little darling, Ethel Jane, the pride of the home. She leaves a father, mother, five sisters, one brother and a host of friends to mourn her loss. Ethel was loved by all who knew her. She will be sadly missed in our home, having been a patient sufferer for almost eight months. Realizing the end was near, she confessed her faith in Christ, saying the future was bright. She would have liked to have been with her loved ones longer, but if she could not she said she was ready to go. She told her loved ones not to weep after she was gone, but to shout for she would be safe on the other shore. Oh, how she will be missed in the home from which she was taken; the vacant chair around the fire side will be vacant. We will never hear her sweet voice calling "Mamma" again. Weep not, dear parents, as ones who have no hope, for we know Ethel is at rest. She was a good, Christian girl, having joined the Christian Church at Mt. Zion some seven years ago, and lived faithful until the end.

Ethel is gone but not forgotten
Never shall her memory fade;
Sweetest thoughts shall ever linger
Around the grave where she is laid.
Weep not, loved ones, for we know
Ethel is safe on the other shore
We'll never say goodbye in Heaven
For parting will be no more.

Written by one who loved her dearly
Adv. —M. L. R.

THE FARMERS'
WAREHOUSE

The Warehouse For The Farmer

WANTED

Young lady or boy to do office work. Should be able to write a plain, legible hand. Ability to use typewriter and some knowledge of book keeping desirable, but not absolutely necessary. Apply at office of the Carlisle Mercury, either in person, or by letter.

INFLUENZA WEAKENS THE BLOOD

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THESE ARE DANGEROUS DAYS

If In Doubt About Your Blood Take Pepto-Mangan, Famous Red Blood Builder

If you are just recovering from a fight with the 'Flu,' it will be weeks before you're really out of danger.

Your blood has exhausted its strength—it is in no condition to fight off other disease germs it may be exposed to. That is why doctors advise staying away from crowds as long as possible.

You can help your blood get back its strength—its stability to fight off disease—by taking tha splendid tonic Pepto-Mangan.

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Get Pepto-Mangan today. It may be had at any drug store in either liquid or tablet form. Make your own choice as to liquid or tablet. They are exactly the same in medicinal value. Take which ever you prefer.

But be sure you get the genuine Pepto-Mangan. Ask for "Gude's" and be sure that the name is on the package.

(Advertisement)

Machinery in Japan.

Japan's rapid industrial progress during the past five years is nowhere more conspicuous than in the development of the machinery trade. Japan imported in 1914 machinery to a value of somewhat more than $12,000,000; in 1918 more than $29,000,000. In 1914 the United States furnished 20 per cent of the total imports of machinery; in 1918 80 per cent. Japan's exports of machinery, chiefly to far eastern countries, have increased from $631,000 in 1914 to approximately $7,800,000 in 1918. Exports include electrical machinery, spinning and weaving machinery, lathes and printing machinery.

LOST—Two hounds, one male and one female. Female is black and white and male is black, white and yellow, wearing No. 6 tags.
ROBERT H. CAMPBELL

RENEWED TESTIMONY

No one in Carlisle who suffers backache, headaches, or distressing urinary ills can afford to ignore this Carlisle man's twice-told story. It is confirmed testimony that no Carlisle resident can doubt.

R. L. Curtis, blacksmith, E. Main st., Says: "My work calls for constant bending over, which affected my kidneys and caused a bad case of backache. My bladder was inflamed and the kidney secretions were too frequent in passage. I began using Doan's Kidney Pills, procured from Tureman & Son's Drug Store and they gave me quick relief."

PERMANENT BENEFIT

Over eight years later Mr. Curtis said: "I haven't had any need of a kidney medicine since I gave my last statement recommending Doan's Kidney Pills. I consider the cure permanent."

Price 60, at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mr. Curtis had. Foster-Milburn Co., Mfgrs., Buffalo, N. Y. Adv.

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Studebaker Automobiles. See us if you want to buy the best car on the market

Studebaker Wagons. Just received a carload of the wide old-fashioned wagon. Come on, we are ready for you

Buggies. Ames & Luth. Our buggies are the very best and our prices the lowest. Try us and be convinced

Plows Vulcan and Syracuse They stand for the best in plows. Let us supply your wants

Harness Work Harness Buggy Harness Breeching at $12.50 to $15.50 We will save you money on your harness

Harrows John Deere Brinley Chattanooga We will give you the best prices

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NICHOLAS CIRCUIT COURT

W. C. Crouch, Admr. etc., Pl'ff.
VS. Advertisement of Sale
A. D. Crouch, etc. Def't.

Pursuant to a judgment and order of sale of the Nicholas Circuit Court rendered in the above styled action at the February term thereof 1920, I shall proceed to offer for sale at PUBLIC AUCTION TO THE HIGHEST BIDDER ON MONDAY, MARCH 8, 1920 at 1:30 p. m., or thereabouts, same being regular county court day, upon a credit of six and twelve months, the following described property to wit:

A certain tract or parcel of land lying in Nicholas county, Ky., on the waters of Hinkston Creek, and bounded as follows:

Beginning at a stake corner with Samuel Booth, thence S 84¾ E 64.66 poles to a stake corner with Julia Crouch and Colgrove; thence S 1 W 31 poles to a set stone in Colgrove's line and corner to William Williams; thence N 70¼ W 19.44 poles to a set stone corner with Wm. Williams and R. C. Utterback; thence down Hinkston, N 20¼ W 10 poles to a stake corner with Utterback; thence N 67½ W 18 poles to a double sycamore corner with same in Samuel Booth's line; thence, N 7½ E 6.08 poles to the beginning containing 6 acres and 39 poles.

For the purchase price the purchaser with approved security or securities must execute bond bearing legal interest from date of sale, said bond to have the force and effect of a judgement. The bidders will be prepared to comply promptly with these terms.

U. M. Swinford, M. C. N. C. C.
Conley & McCartney Atty. for Pl'ff.

NICHOLAS CIRCUIT COURT

J. D. Gaunce's Admr. etc. Pl'ff.
Vs. Advertisement of Sale
Roy Snapp, Def't.

Pursuant to a judgment and order of sale of the Nicholas Circuit Court in the above styled action rendered at the February term thereof, 1920, I shall proceed to offer for sale at PUBLIC AUCTION AT THE COURT HOUSE DOOR IN CARLISLE, KY., ON MONDAY, MARCH 8th, 1920, at 2 o'clock p. m. or thereabouts upon a credit of NINE MONTHS.

The following described property to wit.

A certain tract or parcel of land situated in Nicholas county, Ky., on the waters of Crooked Creek and bounded and abutted by the lands of Armedia Williams, Joseph Wagoner, James Earlywine, and J. W. Hollar, and contains about 4 acres.

Also certain parcel of land lying across the Saltwell and Crooked creek turnpike from the above described tract and bounded by said turnpike and the land of Cliff Ritchie containing about one acre.

The interest of the infant Roy Snapp, shall remain a lien on said land until he is twenty-one or until his guardian shall execute a bond therein as required by section 493 of the Civil Code.

For the purchase price the purchaser with approved security or securities must execute bond bearing legal interest from date of sale, said bond to have the force and effect of a judgment.

Bidders will be prepared to comply promptly with these terms.

U. M. Swinford, M. C. N. C. C.
Morgan & Darragh, Attys. for Pl'ff.

NICHOLAS CIRCUIT COURT

H. S. Ritchie, etc. Pl'ffs.
Vs. Advertisement of Sale
C. C. Ritchie, etc. Def'ts.

By virtue of a judgment and order of sale of the Nicholas Circuit Court rendered at the February term thereof 1920 in the above styled action I shall proceed to offer for sale at PUBLIC AUCTION AT THE COURT HOUSE DOOR IN CARLISLE, KENTUCKY ON MONDAY, MARCH 8th, 1920 at 2 o'clock p. m. or thereabouts UPON A CREDIT OF SIX AND TWELVE MONTHS, the following described property, to wit:

Two certain tracts or parcels of land situated in Nicholas county, Ky.

First Tract.—A certain tract of land lying in Nicholas county, Kentucky, on the waters of Stoney creek and described as follows:

Beginning at a stone in Booker's Run, at "B" on the plat; thence S 29¾ W 16.72 poles to a stone; thence S 65¾ W 3 poles to a stone; thence S 4½ W 29.60 poles to a stone in the Cynthiana road; thence with said road S 67¾ E 16.80 poles, S 53½ E 24 poles N 71½ E 32 poles to a stone corner to No 1; thence N 49 W 56.40 poles to the beginning 9 acres, 3 roods and 15 poles. Being same property conveyed to Z. A. Ritchie by Mahala Shaw and F. L. Shaw, her husband, by deed dated May 10th, 1881 and recorded in D. B. 9 page 241 Nicholas County Clerk's office.

Second Tract:—Lying and being situated in Nicholas county, Ky., on the waters of Log Lick and bounded and described as follows.

Beginnin at a stake in Ingle's line and running thence S 45 W 76 poles to a dogwood bush in Ritchie's old line; thence S 50½ E 24 poles to a stake near a crooked white oak bush; thence S 65¼ E 15.65 poles to a large white oak bush; thence, S 85¾ E 18.28 poles to a large dead white oak tree; thence, S 81¾ E 38.36 poles to a stake on the North side of a hollow near a small poplar sapling; thence S 83¾ E 28 poles to a white oak sprout on the same side of hollow; thence N 27½ E 15.56 poles to a stake in Ingle's old line; thence N 45 W 101 poles to the beginning containing 34 acres 2 roods and 3 poles more or less, being the same property conveyed to Z. A. Ritchie by A. J. Ritchie Et. ux. by deed of date Dec. 23, 1881. See Deed Book 9 Page 242 Nicholas county Court Clerk's office.

For the purchase the purchaser with approved securities must execute bond bearing legal interest from date of sale, said bond to have the force and effect of a judgment. Bidders will be prepared to comply with these terms promptly.

U. M. Swinford, M. C. N. C. C.
F. V. Cox, Atty. for Pl'ff.
Wm. Conley, W. O., Atty.
Holmes & Ross, Atty. for C. C. Ritchie

NICHOLAS CIRCUIT COURT

George C. Barnes, Admr, etc. Pl'ff.
Vs. Advertisement of Sale
William Vancleave Def't.

By virtue of a judgment and order of sale of the Nicholas Circuit Court rendered in the above styled action at the February term thereof, 1920, I shall proceed to offer for sale at the court house door in Carlisle Ky., on Monday, March 8 1920 at 2 o'clock p. m., or thereabouts, same being regular county court day, upon a credit of six and twelve months the following described property to wit:

Situated in Carlisle, Nicholas county, Kentucky, and designated by the following boundary, to wit:

Beginning at a stake three feet north of a box elder, standing to the west of Norvel's house, now Metcalf's and on the north side of her picket fence; thence, with said picket fence on the north side thereof; N 79 W 5 poles to the turnpike road; thence, with the center of said road northeastwardly 11 poles to a stone in the center of the old dirt road and running up the hill; thence S 10 west with the center of said county road 13 poles to the beginning containing 2 roods and 10 poles.

For the purchase price the purchaser with approved security or securities must execute bond bearing legal interest from date of sale, said bond to have the force and effect of a judgment. Bidders will be prepared to comply promptly with these terms.

U. M. Swinford, M. C. N. C. C.
Holmes & Ross, Attys. for Pl'ff.

NICHOLAS CIRCUIT COURT

Hollis Taylor, etc. On Petition
Vs. Advertisement of Sale
IN EQUITY

By virtue of a judgment and order of sale of the Nicholas Circuit Court rendered at the February term thereof, 1920 in the above styled action, I shall proceed to offer for sale at public auction at the court house door in Carlisle, Kentucky, on Monday, March 8th, 1920, on or about one o'clock p. m. (same being regular county court day) upon a credit of six and twelve months, the following described property to wit:

Said land is located in Nicholas county, Kentucky.

Beginning at a set stake corner to Wade Taylor and Ilga Williams; thence with Ilga William's line S 64 E 30.68 poles to a set stake corner to same; thence S 48½ 51 E W 98.80 poles to the center of the Helena and Saltwell turnpike, corner to Gilbert Gaunce; thence, with the center of same N 25½ W 40 poles to the center of same corner to Wade Taylor; thence leaving the turnpike with the line of same N 56½ E 77.40 poles to the beginning, containing 18 acres 1 rood and 11 poles.

For the purchase price the purchaser with approved security or securities will execute bond bearing interest at the rate of 6 per cent annum from date of sale, said bond to have the force and effect of a judgment.

Bidders will be prepared to comply promptly with these terms.

U. M. Swinford, M. C. N. C. C.
Conley & McCartney
Morgan & Darragh,
Attys. for Petitioners.

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L. A. MARTIN, P 1(1
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Don't put off till the sun shines in early spring to give us that order for a Buick or Dodge Brothers car. Place it with us now and insure yourself of getting one as we have more orders now than ever before at this time of year. Remember the price is $1625.00 on a Buick delivered and $1185.00 on a Dodge Brothers, either in the touring car or roadster.

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SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 28, AT 2 O'CLOCK, P. M.

the houses and stables on the lots adjoining Harpers' Garage in order to make ready for building of addition to garage.

These buildings can either be moved whole, or torn down and moved, aud contain a choice lot of lumber.

Buildings to be moved from lots within month of March.

For further information, or to look at buildings, call at Harpers' Garage.

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Bob Harper

TOBACCO FERTILIZER

Swift & Company 3 per cent tobacco fertilizer has arrived. Get your order to us as soon as possible.

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NOTICE!

On account of the change in business on March 1, we will make the following special prices for cash:

$12.00 Rex Tex Rugs, 9x12	$9.50
6.00 Matting Rugs, 9x12	5.25
10.00 Wool Blankets	9.00
Congoleum, per square yard	.70
2.00 Work Shirts	1.50
1.75 Work Shirts	1.25
A. A. Tobacco Cotton, per yard	.09
Best Grade Overalls	2.75
$12.50 Mackinaw Coats at	11.00
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10 per cent off on all winter underwear, ginghams and other dry goods, and rubber shoes.
Odd line of shoes at a good price.
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We have a full line of Merchandise and will make good prices
All those who are indebted to this firm, will please call and settle by March 1.

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NEIGHBORING COUNTIES

BATH

The February term of Circuit Court convened at Owingsville Monday with Judge H. R. Prewitt presiding.

Charles Crain has sold his residence at Salt Lick to Merril Fowler for $1500.

A large crowd attended court at Salt Lick last Monday, and much stock was on the market.

A dwelling house occupied by Mrs. Sam Atchison, of Wyoming, was destroyed by fire last Sunday night, together with all of its contents. No insurance on either the house or the furniture.

Mark Thomas has been appointed Deputy Sheriff in the place of Walter Boyd, who was forced to resign the place on account of rheumatism. Mr. Boyd left for Martinsville, where he hopes to get relief.

MARRIED—Miss Thelma Coyle and Mr. Robert Coop.—Miss Lida Bruce Rolph, of Owingsville, and Mr. Leslie E. Weddle, of Fleming county, at the home of the bride.—Mrs. Mildred Crouch and Mr. J. A. Crouch. This couple had been married and divorced, but agreed to make up their differences and try it over.

Died—Mrs. Sam Maze, 66, at her home between Polksville and Salt Lick.—Miss Dora Hamm, at her home at Salt Lick.

ROBERTSON

Small crowd in Mt. Olivet court day and very little business transacted.

The following men have been named as the Board of Supervisors for the ensuing year: L. T. Jett, S. H. Moore and Oscar Browning.

A movement has been launched to secure for Mt. Olivet a new fire engine to cost $2,300. Already $800 in $10 subscriptions have been received, and it is believed there will be no trouble in raising the remainder.

The roads of Robertson county are said to be in worse shape than for many years.

At the sale of Samuel Jacobs held last Thursday the farm containing 144 acres was purchased J. W. Conner at $11 per acre. Horses sold from $150 to $207; cows from $135 to $150; 26 sheep at $23.75 per head; corn $2.18 per bushel; hay $42 to $50 per ton.

Born—To Mr. and Mrs. Hildreth Woodward, of Central Ridge a son.

Died—Mr. Robert Cooper, 102 years old, a native of Robertson county died at his home in Kansas.—Jeremiah Craycraft, 79, at his home near Abigal.

Married—Miss Edna Toomey, of Kentontown, and Mr. Bentley Tilton, of Santa Fe, in Mt. Olivet.

FLEMING

Last Monday near Plummers Landing William Stickrod and his tenant, Richard Stanfield, got into a dispute over a settlement and Stanfield shot Stickrod in the arm with a shotgun, inflicting painful but not dangerous injuries.

John Teck has purchased of J. J. Dickey his residence in Flemingsburg for $4,500.

Deputy Sheriffs Powel and Arnold returned from Columbus, Ohio, last week, where they had been looking for Grant Smith, the negro who is wanted in Fleming county for an attack on a 15 year old white girl near Johnson Junction. They could find no trace of the negro.

R. L. Dudley bought of George Carpenter 60 acres of timber land near Wallingford for $1500.

The tobacco market at Flemingsburg Monday was lower than it has ever been. It is thought the market will close March 1.

Miss Mary Dean Harbeson, of Flemingsburg, has been engaged as soloist at a revival at the Presbyterian Church in Brunswick, Ga.

Born—To Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Prather, of Mason county, formerly of Ewing, a son.—To Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Williams, of Flemingsburg, a daughter.

Married—Miss Clela Purvis and Mr. Holman McDermott, both of Fleming.—Miss Addie M. Weddle and Mr. Lester E. McIntyre, both of the Hilltop vicinity.—Mrs. Isa Cochrane and Mr. S. Armstrong.—Miss Minnie Bell and Mr. Mike Heflin, both of the Ewing vicinity.—Miss Mary M. Schwartz, of Flemingsburg, and Mr. Chas H. Harrison, of Odangeburg, at Maysville.—Miss Eva G. Glover and Mr. Elijah Story, of Ewing, at Maysville.—Miss Anna M. Landigram, of Nepton, and Mr. Henry F. Jefferson, of Mayslick.

Died—Mrs. Maud Adams, at her home at Cowan.—W. H. Arnold, 72, at his home near Gilead.—Mrs. Arie Kenner Harris, 28, formerly of Flemingsburg, at her home at Washington, D. C.

MONTGOMERY

Robert Howell, L. L. Bridgeforth, M. A. Prewitt, B. P. Jeffries and Albert Welch have been named as the Board of Supervisors for the coming year.

Ted Black, of Mt. Sterling, was arrested in that city on the charge of passing cold checks on Huntington, W. Va. merchants, but friends put up the money to make the checks good.

On account of the inclement weather only a small crowd was in attendance at February court. About 1200 head of cattle on the market; the market was slow and the prices were 50 to 75 cents per hundred lower than on the January market.

In Montgomery Circuit Court the jury in the case of the Commonwealth vs. Claude Salyers, charged with the killing of Green Cole, near Camargo, last June, failed to agree.

The bottom has dropped out of the Mt. Sterling tobacco market, and the average this year will not be as good by five dollars as it was last year.

The country home of H. C. Prewitt at Klondike Station, was damaged by fire last week.

The Board of Directors of the Montgomery Fair Association have selected July 21, 22, 23 and 24 as the days for the fair this year.

Married—Miss Mattie Hoffman, of Mt. Sterling, and Mr. W. W. Sowards, of Versailles, at Cincinnati.—Miss Julia Stull, of Bourbon, and Mr. Albert Hedges, of Lexington, at Mt. Sterling.—Miss Eliza T. Lockhart and Mr. Stewart C. Sharp.

Died—Mrs. Adolph Moses, 69, well known in Mt. Sterling, at her home in Louisville.—Mr. William Steel, a former service man, who saw much active service in France, died in Mt. Sterling. Mr. Steel was severely gassed and never fully recovered from the effects of it.

HARRISON

Oscar Price, a well known farmer of Sunrise, was found on the pike near his home paralyzed last week and is in a serious condition.

A Cynthiana physician calling on a colored family named Hawkins on the Leesburg pike last week found one of the most distressing places he had ever visited. On reaching the place he found an infant child dead, the mother dead, the father dying, while five remaining children were seriously ill with influenza or pneumonia. The father died a short time after the doctor arrived.

H. C. Clifford sold 40 acres of land at Jacksonville to George Withers for $12,000.

A slight improvement was noted on the Cynthiana tobacco market last week, although growers are far from satisfied.

Born—To Mr. and Mrs. Goebel Taynter, of Foster, a daughter.—To Mr. and Mrs. Raymond McHenry, of Cynthiana, a daughter.

Married—Miss Sarah Frances VanDeren and Mr. Harold Poindexter, at the home of the bride in Cynthiana.—Miss Virgie T. Rose and Mr. Howard Hayes' both of Cynthiana, at Covington.—Miss Addie Kimbrough, of Orlando, Fla., and Mr. Henry F. Meadors, of Danville, at the home of the bride.—Miss Pearlie Lee Roberts and Mr. Clyde Haley, at Cynthiana.—Mrs. Laura Mattox, of Barefoot, and Mr. R. F. Ritchie, of Bourbon county, at Cynthiana.—Mrs. Myrtle Rankin Kearns, of Cynthiana, and Mr. James Quinn, of Sunrise, at Cynthiana.—Mrs. Mabel Barnhill, of Harrison county, and Mr. Joseph L. Lusby, of Georgetown.

Died—Mrs. Mattie T. Baseman, 81, at her home near Berry.—Mrs. Susan Marshall, 83, formerly of Hardison county, at the home of her daughter in Muncie, Ind.—Mrs. Rebecca Wilson Van Hook, 33, at her home at the mouth of Cedar.—Mr. John W. Furnish, 38, at the home of his uncle in Cynthiana.—Cecil Coleman, 16, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Coleman, formerly of Harrison, at his home in Columbia, Mo.—Robert, the one-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Vaughn, at their home near Poindexter.—Lillian Duncan, 11, at the home of her uncle near Connersville.—Mr. Ben Deavors, 74, at the home of Martin Turner.—Mrs. Maria Victor, 82, a native of Cynthiana, at her home in Covington.—Mrs. Josephine Barnes, 58, at her home near Poindexter.—Mrs. Sudie P. Mathers, 81, at her home near Oddsville.—Miss Ruby Hehr, 16, at her home near Broadwell.—Mrs. Mary Bell Estes, 55, at her home near Shawhan.

BOURBON

Mrs. Anna Merringer, an aged woman of Paris, was severely burned about the face and hands when a gas cooking stove in her home exploded.

31 Mexicans from Laredo, Texas, arrived in Paris last week, enroute to the Xalapa farm where they have been engaged to work for the contractors. They caused much amusement in Paris.

The old Ficklin building on Main street, Paris, which is being torn down, will remove one of the old landmarks of Paris. The building was erected about 1796, and for some time was used as an amusement place. It is thought that modern hotel will be erected upon the site.

Bourbon county boasts the honor of having had the youngest census enumerator in the State during the recent canvass. She is Miss Jennie Fisher, of the Ruddles Mills precinct, and is only 15 yeads old.

Burning coals from a grate in the home of Lucy Hayden, colored, set fire to the building, which is in Ruckerville, and the house and contents were totally destroyed.

Born—To Mr. and Mrs. Mason McCord, of Paris, a daughter.—To Rev. and Mrs. W. B. Cropper, of Paris, a daughter.—To Mr. and Mrs. Kimbrough Duvall, of Mt. Holley, New Jersey, formerly of Paris, a daughter.

Married—Miss Minerva Neal and Mr. Stoner Keller, bot hof Paris.—Miss Clara Touk and Mr. Luther Houk, both of Bourbon, at Jeffersonville, Ind.—Mrs. Nannie Maher and Mr. John W. Brierly, both of Paris.—Miss Helen Sallee, formerly of Paris, and Mr. M. W. Clarkson, at the home of the bride in Covington.—Miss Bessie C. Prather, of North Middletown, and Mr. William F. Hamilton, Jackstown.

Died—Mr. David Pence, 69, at his home near North Middletown.—Miss Verna Belle Wilson, 12, at her home near Paris.—Barry Reynolds, 47, at his home on the Clintonville pike.—Henry Conway, formerly of Paris, at his home in Atlanta, Ga.—Mr. Moses Baerlo, 84, at the home of his daughter in Paris.

PROMINENT STOCKMAN DIES AFTER LINGERING ILLNESS

After a lingering illness of more than three months duration, Mr. Gano A. Stone died at his home near Miranda last Friday afternoon of a complication of diseases. Death was not wholly unexpected, as his condition had been critical since he was taken ill last Thanksgiving, complications developing which caused grave fears of his death. Despite all that medical skill and loving hands could do to alleviate his sufferings, he continued to grow gradually weaker. Although suffering much pain he bore his affliction bravely.

The death of Mr. Stone is a shock, not only to his immediate family, but to the entire county, as he was one of the most widely known farmers and and stock traders in Nicholas county, and was a man who was liked wherever known. He was very successful in his chosen field. Several years ago he formed a partnership with Mr. Bruce Hughes and they were very close friends both in business and social life.

Born near Moorefield April 4, 1872, the son of S. F. and Sarah Stone, Mr. Stone had lived in practically the same community all of his life. On April 9, 1896, he was united in marriage to Miss Minerva Templeman, who together with one daughter, Miss Marguerite Stone, survives. He is also survived by two brothers, R. L. Stone, of Kansas City., Mo., and Walter Stone, of the county, and two sisters, Mrs. Fannie McCray, of Moorefield, and Miss Loula Stone, of this city, his parents having preceded him to the grave several years ago.

Mr. Stone united with the Christian Church when quite young, and lived an upright, Christian life, faithful to the teachings of this church. He was a charter member of the Moorefield Christian Church.

The funeral services were conducted from the late residence Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock by Rev. L. A. Tripp, pastor of the Moorefield Christian Church, after which interment took place in the Carlisle cemetery. The large crowd in attendance at this service attested the high esteem in which he was held. The active pall bearers were: Bruce Hughes, W. W. Riggs, Herdy Myers, G. W. Taylor, W. W. Scott, and O. B. Wilson. The honorary pall bearers were: J. E. Whaley, T. C. Asbury, J. D. Craycraft, Clay Crouch, G. F. Templeman and Henry Reed.

The Mercury extends its most heartfelt sympathy to the bereaved family.

LOCAL GIRL PLAYING ON U. OF K. BASKETBALL TEAM

Miss Kattie Henry, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Henry of Carlisle, Nicholas county, who is a student at the University of Kentucky, has recently received the distinction of making the girls' basketball team of the University. Miss Henry, who is an excellent player, holds the position of guard on the varsity team and has played this season in games against Union College, Cumberland College, and the University of Cincinnati. Her athletic prowess has been shown in many hotly contested games in which she has displayed great pluck and endurance.

ADMR. PEARY DIES

Washington, Feb. 20—Rear Admiral Robert Edwin Peary, 64, retired, Arctic explorer and discoverer of the North Pole, died at his home here today, of pernicious anemia, from which he had suffered for several years. Arrangements for the funeral have not been completed, but he will be buried with full naval honors.

Admiral Peary submitted to a blood transfusion at a hospital here ten days ago. He gradually grew weaker, however, and the end came early this morning. Dr. H. F. Strine, the Admiral's physician, disclosed that the transfusion this month was the thirty-fifth to which Admiral Peary had submitted within two years.

A. R. JOHNS SUICIDES

A. R. Johns, the Paris photographer, who was committed to the Asylum at Lexington about a month ago, committed suicide at that institution Monday morning by making a rope out of the bed clothing and tying it to a window sill. The case of Mr. Johns was a most pathetic one, as he was one of the best photographers in the State, and it is claimed overwork unbalanced his mind.

February 22nd coming on Sunday, Monday was observed as a holiday, and the banks being closed and no R. F. D.

"Uncle John" Schell, aged 131 years, who attracted nationwide attention when he attended the Blue Grass Fair at Lexington last summer, will attend a meeting of the fathers and sons at Louisville this week, bringingwith him his five year old son. The old man has been a father for over a hundred years, and has had several wives. He was married the last time after he had passed the century mark.

The case of Thomas Marksberry, charged with the murder of Jesse Glenn, will be tried at Brooksville at the April term of Circuit Court. Marksberry's attorneys made an effort to get a change of venue but were refused. This case has attracted much attention from the nature of the case, Glenn's body having been dissected and buried. The head and arms have never been found. Marksberry has been in the Covington jail every since his arrest, it being feared he would be lynched if kept in Bracken county.

CARLISLE TRAVELING MEN MENTIONED IN SAMPLE CASE

The Blue Grass Sample Case has the following to say about our fellow-townsmen: —Sterling Vaughn, of the Ratliff Grocery Company, Carlisle, Ky., was in Lexington, Friday. Mr. Vaughn assisted Billy Clark in handling the large class of candidates. Mr. Vaughn is a very prominent Mason in Carlisle and always brings over a bunch of candidates in the Shrine ceremonial.

Will Ross, of Carlisle, Ky., representing the Bourbon-Russell Grocery Company, of Maysville, was seen at Elizaville last Wednesday night and from the size of a bunch of orders he was mailing in, business is certainly coming his way.

"Lucky" Mathias, representing Bryan Hunt & Company, of this city, was seen down in Fleming county this past week and says business is splendid in his line. Some of the boys have started the report that he has gotten married, but it is all a mistake since it was his brother. He remarked that there was "no such luck" as he had been trying, lo, these many years to find the girl that will take him.

WARNS RETAIL MEAT MEN PRICES MUST COME DOWN

Chicago, Feb. 22—Retail meat dealers throughout the country must reduce their prices as the wholesale price of meat declines or else submit their books to federal agents for investigation of their profits.

This definition of the government's attitude was announced tonight by Attorney General A. Mitchell Palmer. Instructions to serve the notice on all retail meat dealers have been sent to every United States district attorney, he said.

"For three months the price of meat has been falling," said Mr. Palmer. "The retail dealers have claimed that their supplies were old stock purchased at the higher prices. The old stocks should be exhausted by this time and unless the price to the consumer comes down we will have to look into the question of the dealers' profits."

Mr. Palmer's pronouncement on the meat price situation followed the publication by the Institute of American Meat Packers of a bulletin announcing the present cessation of foreign trade as a result of the adverse exchange situation. Wholesale meat prices at the Chicago yards dropped to pre-war levels for some grades following the pronouncement.

LAST NUMBER OF LYCEUM COURSE GIVEN MARCH 9

The last of the Lyceum course of entertainments under Parent-Teachers Association will be given on March 9th., Tuesday evening, at 8 o'clock at school auditorium. The entertainment is one of the best on American platform. Mr. Sidney Landon an impersonator of rare ability. Subject, "Speaking Likeness of Great Men."

Admission, Adults, 35 cents Children, 25 cents.

There's going to be a rare assemblage of departed great, when Sidney Landon presents his famous entertainment, "Speaking Likeness of Great Men."

Longfellow, Bill Nye, Holmes, Victor Hugo, Mark Twain, Poe and many others will greet you, and Landon's impersonations are so perfect that these men seem almost to be present. It is a performance that touches the highest pinnacle of platform art, unique in conception, brilliant in execution.

If you want your money's worth go to the school auditorium March 9, at 8 o'clock p. m. Enjoy a good laugh, good company and a consciousness that you have helped a good cause the Parent-Teacher Association.

PRODUCE REVIEW

(Prepared by Swift & Co.)

Butter prices in the eastern consuming markets worked higher due to the fact that imports fell below expectations. Considerable butter was kept out of the market by delayed shipments, heavy storms slowing down transportation. Production is showing a gradual increase but not enough to affect the present market which is steady.

The higher markets for eggs are due to fact that storage eggs are just about used up and trade is now working on fresh stock, which has not been quite heavy enough to take care of the demand. As production increases, however, prices will gradually work to a lower basis.

Movement of live poultry continues light. There is no material change in the general market for dressed poultry. Stocks of frozen poultry, according to government reports, are 27 per cent lighter than a year ago, which ought to hold the poultry market steady to firm.

Martial law was declared at an end in Lexington Sunday morning and all of the soldiers who have been stationed there left for Camp Taylor.

Dairy Feeds

Containing whole grains ground, cotton seed meal, molasses

Also Dairy Feeds containing no molasses

HORSE FEEDS
Containing 80 per cent crushed grain

CLOVER SEEDS
Red Clover and Sweet Clover of Highest Germination and Purity

TIMOTHY SEED
Of Highest Germination & Purity

ALFALFA & BLUE GRASS
Seeds of Best Quality

Ear Corn — Shelled Corn

Seed Oats — Feeding Oats

Alfalfa Hay
Mixed Clover & Timothy
Timothy Hay

GENUINE KANAWAH SALT

F. B. Henry & Sons

INTERESTING LETTER FROM F. B. LINDSAY OF MONTANA

Gibson, Montana, Feb. 9, 1920
Mr. Warren R. Fisher.

Dear Sir:—Herein please find renewal to the Good Old Mercury always welcome in its weekly visits for many years but now doubly so in this immense West of vast distances. News from home (was there ever a Kentuckian who forgot) is always a treat indeed. Allow me to say that I do not think the good old paper has suffered at all from change of proprietors. To keep it to the standard of that Prince of men, G. R. Keller, is an achievement.

Local conditions may interest you somewhat. All records, except one, were broken the latter part of November to the middle of December when we had a continuous blizzard of weeks with temperature never up to zero and down to 40 below. In the period our local weather bureau recorded 82 inches of snow falling. There was but little, if any suffering from fuel shortage, but considerable loss of stock lacking needed feed and shelter, for following an unprecedented dry year feed was nil. Few have much shelter for their stock for our valleys are so free from snow that all stock range on the open grass all winter, and at nearly any time a fat mutton or beef can be picked up. The climate is so dry that grasses cure, as standing, into natural hay.

Every prospect now is for a bumper crop year and all are jubilant. We need it, for last season was a failure. Many and many a fellow got into a financial hole, but none knocked out.

Diversified farming is now the rule, exclusive grain farming giving way for grain and stock. First crop of grain, and the only one, I saw here nine years ago was but 225 bushels by the first settler. This season's seeding, from conservative estimates, will run over 200,000 acres in the same territory.

Well, having said my say, I finish by wishing one and all a happy prosperous year.

Sincerely,
F. B. Lindsay

P. S. Will you kindly give me the name and address of a subscriber of the old Gore family of Nicholas, now in Oklahoma or Kansas. I lost the address after some correspondence. If more than one are on your list give me all names.

A DESPERATE SITUATION

The Daily Register is unable to print more than four pages today for the simple reason that it cannot obtain 6 or 8-page paper rolls. It may be able to print two four-page sections. The paper situation was never so desperate for the small country papers as today. Through the kindness of the Winchester Sun, which has a fairly good supply on hand, the Daily Register has been able for the past two weeks to print the larger sized paper. The Winchester paper let us have two rolls and that helped a lot.

Our Cincinnati paper supply house writes that it does not know when it will be able to get any of the larger sized rolls. And it says further that prices are advancing every day, and it will not be surprised to see news paper sell at 12 cents a pound very soon. Few country papers can pay such prices and live at present subscription and advertising rates. Revenue will have to be tremendously increased to meet the situation.

Just about one year ago we bought paper at four cents a pound and before the war, the usual price was about 2½ cents a pound. It takes about 300 pounds of paper for the Daily Register to print six-page paper one issue. That means at 10 cents a pound, the last price paid, a cost for white paper alone of $30 a day, or about $750 a month. We're not complaining, but feel that our loyal readers should know the situation that we and every country newspaper are facing. We're wiring every day all over the country to mills and dealers, trying to find some paper. Let's hope we can find it and at a price that will let the Daily Register live at present rates.—Richmond Register.

INCOME TAX PENALTIES ARE TO BE INVOKED

The Collector of Internal Revenue at Louisville, Ky., on February 20, 1920, issued the following statement with reference to the small number of Income-tax returns being filed this year.

"With approximately three weeks left in which individuals have to file their Income-tax returns for the year 1919, it is obvious from the small number of returns filed in this office up to the present time that this will be the banner year for delinquents.

"Realizing this fact I will, on the 16th of March, be compelled to start a vigorous investigation of all delinquents who failed to file their returns on or before March 15, 1920.

"I take this opportunity to notify all persons liable to make return that the full penalties, which are severe, will be invoked in every case.

"The Income-tax law has been in existence long enough for individuals to understand its primary requirements with reference to filing returns, and the Collector's office will be constrained to enforce all penalties provided in the law against all persons who have for any reason failed or refused to file their returns on or before the due date.

"Trouble and annoyance can be saved to all persons, and to the Government as well, if all taxpayers liable to make returns will do so at once."

L. P. SCOTT PROMOTED TO DIVISION ENGINEER

L. P. Scott writes the Mercury from Salina, Kansas, as follows:

On March 1st I become Division Engineer for our department in southeast Kansas with headquarters at Fort Scott. The new district is much smaller than my present territory but there is a great deal more doing in the road building line and the change carries with it a twenty five percent increase in salary. Federal aid to the extent of $2,310,000.00 has been allotted to the counties in my new district and since federal aid is for only about one-third of the total cost you may know that I shall be busy for some time to come.

You may be interested to know that the average price we are paying in Kansas for the construction of an eighteen foot concrete pavement is about fifty thousand dollars per mile. Brick is about ten thousand higher. It is exceedingly high and it is doubtful whether any more contracts will be awarded at such figures.

Very truly yours,
L. P. Scott,
Division Engineer

FAIR PRICE LIST ON CLOTHING AND SHOES

The Fair Price Committee, of which Col. Fred Levy is Chairman, after several weeks discussion and after conferring with authorities in Washington, because of a difference of opinion between the Committee and the Kentucky Fair Price Commission, regarding the margin of profit, to be allowed on the staples of clothing and shoes, met Saturday, February 14th and agreed upon the following:

These Are Maximum Percentages of Profit—and dealer may sell for less

Boys' Clothing, all suits, $15 and under, add 50 per cent to your cost.

Men's Clothing, all suits, $40 and under, add 50 per cent to your cost

Men's Shirts and Underwear, $3.50 and under per garment, add 50 per cent to your cost.

Men's Overcoats, $35 and under, add 50 per cent to your cost.

Men's Hats, $5 and under, add 50 per cent to your cost.

Ladies' Cloaks, $35 and under, add 50 per cent to your cost.

Ladies' Suits, $25 and under, add 50 per cent to your cost.

Children's Shoes, $4 and under, add 50 per cent to your cost.

Women's Shoes, $6 and under, add 50 per cent to your cost.

Women's Shoes, $7 and under, add 50 per cent to your cost.

Men's Shoes, $7 and under, add 50 per cent to your cost.

Boys' and Misses' Shoes, $4 and under, add 50 per cent to your cost.

The Kentucky Fair Price Commission objected to the percentages of profit as being too high for the staple and substantial lines which they represent feeling that 33 1-3 per cent was ample but they had been taken up with officials in Washington by representatives of the retail merchants and the above maximum percentage of profits were finally accepted by the Commission.

The enforcement department of the Commission has been instructed to see that no profits in excess of the above percentages are charged on any of the above goods and where any violations are found indictments will be procured immediately.

The Public is urgently requested to promptly notify the Fair Price Commission, Board of Trade Building, of any apparent class of overcharge and same will be immediately investigated by the Enforcement Department.

TRANSYLVANIA WOMEN OFFERED EMPLOYMENT

Lexington, Ky., Feb. 20—Professor E. C. Miller, of the Department of Mechanical Drawing of Transylvania College, has been asked to recommend women students for tracing work by the H. Koppers Coke Oven plant at Lorain, Ohio. The letter from the company states that the women can do the work more quickly than men and that they will be paid the same salary as male employes.

Not only was Prof. Miller offered employment for any of his women students now qualified to accept it, but future graduates were assured of profitable employment when ready to accept it. Four years ago the Koppers plant would not employ women in the drafting department.

A bill has been introduced in the State Legislature, which would pay common school teachers a minimum wage of $75 per month.

PERT AND PERTINENT

(Cynthiana Democrat)

A train rolled into a Nova Scotia station last Friday, just three weeks late. Even the L. & N. cannot hope to excell this record.

The only sentimental valentine received by the architect of this department came from some fair maiden of Louisville, and bore on the reverse side this legend: "Oh, if Jimmy-can guess who this is—With deepest love." Here is the tender sentiment, and they have been murdering girls for less in Louisville:

The Blue Bird's for
Happiness I know,
But look at the Pelican—
he's not so slow.
A wonderful bird
is this Pelican;
His beak holds as
much as his bellican.
Valentines in his beak—
Holds enough for a week—
Ain't it funny
how in the hell-'e-can?"

30 YEARS AGO

Thursday, February 27, 1890

Disastrous fire visits Mt. Olivet, totally destroying one block of the city.

Movement on foot to erect a new court house and a new public school building.

DIED—Mr. James Spencer, aged 90 years, at his home in the county, on the 26th.

Dr. R. J. R. Tilton & Son sell their famous stallion, Staunton, 3024, to D. M. Monacle, of Indiana, for $1200.

Ben Powers sustains badly fractured leg when he falls from wagon and gets the leg caught between the bed and wheel.

Riley Owens, of this county, taken to Mt. Sterling by Marshall McDaniel to face a charge of robbery, but is acquitted.

"Smart Alecs" have been smashing the lamps, and the City Marshall has been instructed to arrest anyone caught and bring them into court.

BORN—To Mr. and Mrs. William Earlywine, Feb. 16, a daughter.—To Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Kenton, Feb. 17, a son.

Mrs. Abbott, the female giant, appears at the Mozart Hall and amazes her audience by her wonderful powers. Although weighing only 108 pounds she lifted eight men above her head.

Sallie McAllister, colored, of this State, has been proclaimed the largest woman in the world. She is 19 years old and weighs 632 pounds. She washes for a living, having refused all offers to travel with circuses.

MARRIED—Miss Amanda Rice and Mr. Silas W. Mathers, both of near this city, on February 20.—Miss Bettie E. King and Mr. Matthew Jolly, both of the Pleasant Valley neighborhood, on the 20th.—Miss Marguerette Current, of Millersburg, and Mr. Jas. B. Cray, of this county, at the home of the bride on the 26th.

20 YEARS AGO

Thursday, March 1, 1900

BORN—To Mr. and Mrs. Grant Wilcoxsen, of Licking, Feb. 20, a son.

Mrs. Lou Hukle sells her residence on Market street to C. C. Dunn for $600.

W. H. Cottingham sells farm near Licking containing 80 acres, to W. G. Dayton for $1700.

Kansas City chosen as the meeting place of the National Democratic Convention, which convenes July 4th.

J. G. Blair appointed delegate from the State at large to attend the meeting of he Populists, which was held at Leitchfield February 22.

Passenger train derailed near Miller Station. Engine, baggage coach and one passenger car leave track, but no one seriously injured.

MARRIED—Miss Susan Buckler and Mr. W. A. Bowles, both of this county, on the 22.—Miss Stella Myers and Mr. Joseph McCord, both of this county, at Flemingsburg, on the 28th.—Miss Mary L. Bryant and Mr. Jack Frederick, of Licking, on the 22nd.—Miss Ida McClanahan and Mr. Charles Galbraith, both of Ellisville, on the 28th.

DIED—Infant of Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Sparks, of near East Union, on the 21st.—Mrs. Millie D. Booth, 97, at her home in Bourbon county on the 24th.—Mrs. Emily Norvell, 78, at her home in this city on the 25th.—Infant of Mr. and Mrs. Blair Stephenson, of near Concord, on the 25th.

"CORPSE" CASTS OFF SHROUD; NO FUNERAL

Raleigh, N. C., Feb. 20—While relatives and friends were engaged in an argument as to the kind of casket that should be bought for him, Sarkis Tady did the impossible comeback, pushed the shroud from his supposedly dead body and gave notice that the funeral ceremony would have to be postponed.

Reports of the man's death are said to have been sent broadcast over the state to relatives and friends and to several cities in South Carolina by Raleighs relatives who had witnessed Sarkis depart this life. These friends or relatives came to Raleigh to pay their last tribute to Tady.

S. F. Assad, of Apex, who says he was notified of the death, came to this city and with others purchased a floral tribute which he carried to a local hospital, where Tady had been under treatment for some time. And while the funeral arrangements were being discussed by relatives who had gathered about the bed Sarkis Tady gave due notice that neither a plush or silver-plated casket would be needed.

Relatives of the man had chalked off four days and the same number of nights that the spirit of Sarkis had flown, funeral rites having been deferred until friends notified could reach the city. One of the three physicians attending the sick man states that Sarkis had not been counted among the departed ones, but that for a time he was at death's door.

Sarkis Tady is an old resident of Raleigh, having lived there for a score of years. He is fifty-two years old and is none the worse for his unusual experience.