POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

We are authorized to announce the following candidates, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

FOR REPRESENTATIVE
S. H. MOORE

FOR CIRCUIT JUDGE
JAMES C. DEDMAN

For Commonwealth Attorney
THOMAS KING

FOR CIRCUIT CLERK
L. S. HUGHES

FOR COUNTY JUDGE
A. B. TILTON
W. T. PARKER
JOSEPH E. WHALEY

FOR COUNTY ATTORNEY
FOSTER V. COX
JOHN F. MORGAN

FOR SHERIFF
JAMES F. GAUNCE
(With L. B. Barton as Deputy)
JAMES LEGGE
(With Charles. Ewell as deputy)

FOR COUNTY CLERK
JNO. A. WESTFALL

FOR TAX COMMISSIONAR
JAMES A. CAMERON
JNO. E. KING
ROBT. W. NEAL
JIM WILL MARTIN
E. J. SECREST

FOR JAILER
RUSSELL LAWRENCE
C. C. KOOKENDOFFER
H. C. WILSON
ED. M. HARDIN

FOR MAGISTRATE
F. M. BISHOP
In District No. 1
CHARLES F. BARLOW
In District No. 1
JOHN G. ALLISON
In District No. 1
JOHN W. BUCHANAN,
In District No. 2
GILBY MYERS
In District No. 2
S. J. ELDRIDGE
In District No. 2

We are authorized to announce the following candidates, subject to the action of the Republican party.

FOR SHERIFF
LEONARD HOWARD
(With Jack Thomas as Deputy)
Subject to the action of the Republican party

NEIGHBORING COUNTIES

BATH

Edgar Denton and Andy Jones sustained severe bruises when a machine driven by Miss Nellie Donahue ran into a door at the Denton garage in Owingsville, the door falling on them.

Sam Pettit was arrested at Owingsville last week and lodged in jail on the charge of stealing a set of harness from Harvey Carpenter.

John Otis purchased the Jno W. Corbin farm of 31 acres, adjoining Mr. Otis' farm at $75 per acre.

A ten year old son of John Reed, of Flat Creek, found some dynamite caps in his father's barn, which he exploded in some manner. A large hole was torn in the boy's side, the fingers on his left hand were torn off, and the sight in one eye was destroyed. It is feared the wounds will prove fatal.

Born—To Mr. and Mrs. I. B. Vice, of Forge Hill, a son.—To Mr. and Mrs. Turner Becraft, of Stepstone, twin sons.

Married—Miss Nannie Allen, of Owingsville, and Mr. James Stewart, of Lexington, at Covington.

FLEMING

An effort is being made to raise funds to secure the services of a county demonstrator in Fleming county.

The home of Ellen Wyatt, colored, in Flemingsburg, was totally destroyed by fire last week, together with all of its contents.

George W. Cooper has purchased the store of B. B. Markwell at Beechburg. Mr. Markwell will locate in Mt. Olivet.

Thieves entered the smoke house of Tom Bartlett, near Johnson, last week and stole five hams and several shoulders of meat.

The Maysville Boys Band has been engaged for the Ewing Fair this year.

Born—To Mr. and Mrs. William Kincaid, of Hilltop, a son.—To Mr. and Mrs. Charles Price, of Grange City, a daughter.

Married—Miss Nellie M. Byron, of Goddard, and Mr. Avery Ferguson, of Muse.

Died—Infant of Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Cropper, at their home near Flemingsburg.—Ab Story, an aged man of Flemingsburg, at his home in that city.

HARRISON

At the regular meeting of the Harrison fiscal court last week, a special comittee appointed some time ago to make an investigation of the county infirmary, reported and made suggestions for many needed improvements.

The directors of the Cynthiana Business Men's Club have requested the Harrison fiscal court to retain the services of the county demonstrator, Miss Jaqueline Hall.

J. W. Craig, who lives on the Mt. Vernon pike, near Cynthiana, claims the record for lambs. Mr. Craig has 33 ewes which have 60 lambs living.

Married—Mr. Frank Williams, of Newton, and Miss Nancy Davis, of Sadieville, at Cynthiana.—Miss Mary Stewart Offutt, of Leesburg, and Mr. Forrest B. Thompson, of Los Angeles, California, at the home of the bride.—Miss Mattie Patton and Mr. Claude Fitzwater both of Cynthiana, at the home of the bride.

Died—Mr. John J. Barnes, 53, at his home near Barlow.

MONTGOMERY

While playing in the court house yard in Mt. Sterling, William, little son of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Walch, sustained a deep gash in his head when he fell down a terrace, his head striking the concrete curbing.

At a meeting of the Montgomery fiscal court last week, C. T. Hazelrigg was re-elected county treasurer.

Harry W. Lockridge has been elected manager of the Farmers warehouse in Mt. Sterling to succeed Paul Essex, resigned.

R. C. Lloyd has been appointed policeman in Mt. Sterling to succeed Thomas Fitch, resigned.

Born—To Dr. and Mrs. P. K. McKenna, of Mt. Sterling, a son.

Married—Miss Peachie Fay Nealis, and Mr. Walter Blevins, both of Bath county, at Mt. Sterling.—Miss Lou Hutchison, of Montgomery county, and Mr. Carl Robinson, of Middletown, Ohio, at Little Rock.

Died—Prof. H. M. Gunn, former superintendent of the Mt. Sterling city school, at his home in Mapleton, Oregon.—'Squire John Trimble, 68, at his home near Camargo.—Mrs. John English, 78, at her home in Mt. Sterling.

BOURBON

The Parrakeet Grocery Company in Paris has been placed in the hands of a receiver.

Morris Stern has purchased the dry cleaning establishment of Sam Levy in Paris and has taken charge.

Beverly P. White, landowner and farmer, who formerly resided in Bourbon county, was shot and instantly killed near his home at Barbourville last Thursday by John Baily.

Eugene V. Elder, of Paris, has received a commission as Second Lieutenant in the United States army.

Married—Miss Bernadette Brannon, of Paris, and Mr. James Canan, Jr., of Georgetown, at Lexington.

Died—Mr. William L. Moore, formerly of North Middletown, at his home in Orange, Va.—Mr. James T. Stewart, of Paris, at the Lexington asylum.

ROBERTSON

The Robertson County Red Cross Chapter is erecting a one-story frame building in Mt. Olivet, which they will donate to the American Legion members as a club house.

At a meeting of the Robertson fiscal court last week the county levy was fixed at $1.77 on the $100.

For the first time in the history of Robertson county, there is not a colored resident of the Burika precinct.

C. C. Buckner, of Mt. Olivet, sustained a severely bruised hand last week when his automobile backfired while he was cranking it.

Chambers Perry has been elected county treasurer of Robertson at a salary of $100 per year.

Sherman Hemmger, G. E. Linville and M. B. Bradley, of Robertson county, have been summoned to serve on the federal jury at Covington.

EWING

Mr. and Mrs. Rash, of Maysville, were the week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Rash.

C. B. Morford was in Flemingsburg Monday afternoon.

Quite a number from here went to Paris Monday to hear Billy Sunday.

Mrs. Eva Adams and Misses Elizabeth and Hurst Adams are the guests of relatives in Paris.

Mrs. Jennie Ingram, of Flemingsburg, has been a recent guest of Lucien Caywood and family.

Mrs. Jennie Biddle, of Cowan, returned home Friday after a visit with Mrs. Maggie Biddle.

Mrs. Tom Clark and son, of Fairview, visited Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Morford this week.

A. J. Jolly has been quite ill but is much better.

Miss Annabell Burns had the misfortune to run a nail in her foot Friday afternoon.

Mrs. Nan Clark and Mrs. Harry Pettijohn are on the sick list. Mrs. Pettijohn was taken to a Lexington hospital Sunday.

Mrs. Robert Hammonds, of Paris, visited relatives here several days this week.

Rev. Delcamp was entertained over Sunday by Mr. and Mrs. John Lanum.

The Two Arts club met with Miss Ethel Warren Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Walter McDonald and children, of Flemingsburg, were guests of Mrs. Louise Teagarden Thursday night.

The last number of the Lyceum course was given Friday night. This number was considered by many to be the best of the course.

Miss Miranda Williams is in Cincinnati this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Gobel Ford, of Lexington, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. N. A. McCarty.

Don't overlook the coupon, good for a 30c can of Floorlac, and a 15c brush for 10c, at Hopkins Drug Co.

DO YOU REMEMBER?

The following was written by a former Nicholas county woman and is published in the Jenkins Recorder.

Do you remember the marble bench
there where the fountain plays?
There was a wonderful moon that
night and we sat where its silvery
rays
Played with the curls of your red-gold
hair making it burnished bright
Touching your face with loving hands
and filling your eyes with light.

Do you remember the scarf that you
wore, like a cloud of fluffy white?
The breeze blew it once right into my
hand and I sat and held it tight;
The air was laden with perfume sweet
from the roses down by the wall
And the fountain splashed and from
afar I heard a night-bird call.

Do you remember the things you said
as you toyed with your pretty fan?
I can't forget for that was the night
that my love for you began.
There isn't a thing that you said or
did that I don't remember, Clair,
And I hold in my hand the withered
leaves of the rose you wore in your
hair.

Maude Sparks Crawford

YOU'LL HEAR FROM US LATER

Strange, but true, there is not, as yet, an announced candidate for State Senator in the newly-arranged Bracken-Harrison-Nicholas-Robertson District. According to the old rotation rule, it is Nicholas county's time to furnish the Senator.—Mt. Olivet Tribune-Democrat.

MILLTOWN

W. E. Chrisman and wife spent the day Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Neal.

Avery Vice and family spent the day Sunday with Morris Vice.

Noble Hopkins and wife spent the day Sunday with John Brinegar and family.

Miss A. B. Gill, who has been on a business trip to Lexington, returned home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Perry Vice spent Saturday night and Sunday with Morris Vice, and wife.

G. H. Neal was elected Superintendent of the Maple Grove Bible school Sunday, there being 47 present on that day. We expect 75 next Sunday. Be sure and come.

Earl Clay and family spent the day Sunday with Harris Brinegar and wife.

DON'T RISK NEGLECT

Don't neglect a constant backache, sharp, darting pains or urinary disorders. The danger of dropsy or Bright's disease is too serious to ignore. Use Doan's Kidney Pills as have your friends and neighbors. Ask your neighbors. A Carlisle case.

Mrs. Belle Stone, 320 Dorsey St., says, "I have used Doan's Kidney Pills and from past experience I can recommend them highly. My main troublesome symptom was with my kidneys. At times they acted too often and then again not often enough. My back would ache for weeks at a time and the pain extended into my sides. My sight became affected and I could see black specks before my eyes. I read the accounts in the newspaper of those who had been benefited by Doan's Kidney Pills so I sent to Watkins & Squires' Drug Store and got three boxes. After using them I got better. My kidneys acted regularly and the backache has never bothered me since."

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

PUBLIC SALE

As administratrix of the estate of the late Jno. M. Shrout, I will sell at public auction at the late home in Moorefield, on

SATURDAY, APRIL 16
at 10 o'clock
the following:

1 Fairbanks Morse Gas Engine 12-horse power on truck
1 Hagan Gas engine 6-horse power, on truck
1 Ross Power cutting box
1 Hand power cutting box
1 Circular saw, in frame
1 double corn sheller
1 Herrin, Hall, Marvin safe
3 hand presses and type
2 show cases
1 desk
1 Incubator
1 1-horse breaking plow
3 double shovel plows
2 sets buggy harness
1 grind stone
Half barrel dry cell Batteries
1000 lbs. Shipstuff
25 bu. corn
Lot of farm tools
Household and kitchen furniture
Formula for making Donnell's Liniment

Terms made known day of sale.
Mrs. Jno. M. Shrout, Admrx.

PUBLIC SALE

Of Household Furniture

I will sell at public auction, at my residence in Moorefield, on

SATURDAY, APRIL 16, 1921

at 10 o'clock, the following described property

Davenette
Rocking chairs
Tables
Rugs
Other household and kitchen furniture

Terms announced day of sale.
4-14-1t* JAMES PERKINS

STATEMENT

of the Ownership, Management, Circulation, etc., Required by the Act of Congress of August 24, 1912.

Of The Carlisle Mercury published weekly at Carlisle, Kentucky for April 1921.

State of Kentucky, County of Nicholas ss.

Before me, a Notary Public in and for the State and county aforesaid, personally appeared Warren R. Fisher, who, having been duly sworn according to law, deposes and says that he is the editor of the Carlisle Mercury and that the following is, to the best of his knowledge and belief, a true statement of the ownership, management, etc., of the aforesaid publication for the date shown in the above caption, required by the Act of August 24, 1912, embodied in section 443, Postal Laws and Regulations, printed on the reverse of this form, to wit:

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Warren R. Fisher,

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 8th day of April 1921

Jimmie Henry
My Commission expires Jan. 24, 1922

SEALED BIDS FOR REPAIR OF TURNPIKE

It is ordered by the Court that sealed proposals, addressed to the Fiscal Court of Nicholas county, Ky., be received by said court at the court house in Carlisle, Ky., up to and including 12 o'clock (noon) of Friday, April 15, 1921, when they will be publicly opened and read, for the improvement of the Pleasant Spring Turnpike leading from the junction of said pike with the Lower Jackstown pike to Hinkston Creek, in Nicholas county, Ky., a distance of about 5 miles in length.

The work as described and shown in the plans and specifications to be seen at the office of the Clerk of the Nicholas County Court.

Bids for the work to be done in accordance with the plans and specifications to be approved by the Fiscal Court of Nicholas County, Ky.

Each bid shall be accompanied by cash or certified check payable at sight to order of the County Treasurer for 10 per cent of the amount of the proposal, which check shall be held until the execution of the contract.

Before the contract is awarded the successful bidder will be required to furnish a bond equal to the amount of the contract for the faithful performance of the work in accordance with the aforesaid plans and specifications.

The Fiscal Court of Nicholas county expressly reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

Jno. F. Sugg, Clerk,
Nicholas County Fiscal Court
4-7-2t By Jno. A. Westfall, D. C.

The Fine Percheron Stallion
BLACK SAM
Registered N. 23891

foaled May 1st, 1910, bred by J. Clinton McGovney, West Union Ohio; weighs 1750 pounds; 16 hands high; black as a raven. He is a breeder and is claimed by many to be the best type of a Percheron stallion they have ever seen. I consider myself to be a good judge of the heavy draft horse, and Black Sam is the best that I have ever seen. He will make the season of 1921 at the John O'Connell place in Dorseyville, at

$10 TO INSURE A LIVING COLT

BLACK SAM is by Padis 15860 (46698); he by Jules (37987) out of Poule (28217) she by Vulcain (4722) Jules (37987); he by Villers (8081); he by Briard (1630); he by Brilliant (755) he by Brilliant (756); he by Coco II (714); he by Vieux-Chaslin (713); he by Coco (712); by Mignon (715); he by ean-La-Blanc (739).

BLACK SAM'S dam was Suze 9854; she by Cabestan 5401 (10752) out of Virginia 6098; she by Dillion 2155, Cabestan 5401 (10752); he by Romulus (4443); he by Sansonnet.

At the same time and place I will stand 5 good jacks at

$10 TO INSURE A LIVING COLT

Lien retained on all colts by the above stock until season money is paid. Money due when colt comes, mare parted with or bred to other stock without my consent. Care taken to prevent accidents but not responsible should any occur.

A. J. DUNCAN,
4-7-6t* Carlisle, Ky.

NICHOLAS KING

The great all-purpose sire. He was sired by Wilson King, dam Nellie by Clark Chief.

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Nicholas King will stand at the stable of D. W. Booth, two miles North of Carlisle on the Parks Ferry pike.

Also at the same time and place the famous mule jack

NICHOLAS LAD

will make the season at

$10 TO INSURE A LIVING COLT

Care taken to prevent accidents but not responsible should any occur. Lien retained and money due in all cases on the produce of above stock until season money is paid, mare parted with or bred to other stock without our consent. These terms are positive.

4-14-4t* OLLIE FINCH

Tired

"I was weak and run-down," relates Mrs. Eula Burnett, of Dalton, Ga. "I was thin and just felt tired, all the time. I didn't rest well. I wasn't ever hungry. I knew, by this, I needed a tonic, and as there is none better than—

CARDUI
The Woman's Tonic

. . . I began using Cardui," continues Mrs. Burnett. "After my first bottle, I slept better and ate better. I took four bottles. Now I'm well, feel just fine, eat and sleep, my skin is clear and I have gained and sure feel that Cardui is the best tonic ever made."

Thousands of other women have found Cardui just as Mrs. Burnett did. It should help you.

At all druggists.

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STEPHEN

The Percheron Stallion

Will make the season of 1921 at my barn, 1 mile north of Barterville, at

$8 TO INSURE A LIVING COLT

Also, 1 jack, 15 hands high, with white points, good bone and action, will make the season at

$10 TO INSURE A LIVING COLT

Lien retained on all colts by above stock until season money is paid. Money due when colt comes or mare is parted with, or bred to other stock.

Also, 1 jack, 14 hands high, well pedigreed good style will make the season at the same time and place.

Your patronage solicited.

4-14-4t ALLIE DOTSON

'You gain from 3c to 10c per pound on your butterfat by Selling Direct."

Mrs. Allen Shoemaker, Sinking Springs, O. writes—"We have three cream stations here in our town that I could sell my cream to, but you have given us such good satisfaction that we ship to you all the time. We haul our cream 9 miles to Peebles to ship it to you. You see what we think of you."

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Jno. F. Sugg, Clerk,
Nicholas County Fiscal Court
4-7-2t By Jno. A. Westfall, D. C.

ADVERTISEMENT FOR THE APPOINTMENT OF A COUNTY TREASURER

Sealed bids addressed to the Fiscal Court of Nicholas county, Ky., will be received up to and including 12 o'clock (noon) of Friday, April 15, 1921, for the appointment to the office of County Treasurer of Nicholas County, Ky.

Each person desiring to be elected to said office will file with this Court on or before the above date and time sealed bids setting out the terms and the conditions under which they will accept such appointment. On said date said Court will open and examine all bids submitted and will elect as such Treasurer that person whose bid is regarded by said Court as being the lowest and best bid, provided the person making such bid possesses the other qualifications required by law.

The person selected as Treasurer shall receive for his services the compensation named in his bid, and if no compensation is asked in such bid then the terms of the bid shall define the mutual obligations of the Treasurer and the Fiscal court.

Said Treasurer will be elected for a term of Four (4) years.

Jno. F. Sugg, Clerk,
Nicholas County Fiscal Court
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FLORA

A few friends of Miss Mile Bishop gave her a surprise dinner Tuesday in honor of her 8th birthday. Those present were: Mrs. Pearl Crump, Mrs. Nancy Crump, Mrs. Hat Harbett, Mrs. Annie Briggs, Misses Inez Vaughn, Clara Martin, Louise Bishop, Myrtle Martin and Chester Martin. All had a nice time and left wishing her many more happy birthdays. She received several nice presents.

Miss Myrtle Martin spent Thursday afternoon with Miss Louise Bishop.

Mrs. Earl Letcher and baby, Wilma Ruth, and Miss Allene Tapp spent Thursday at Frank Crump's.

Mrs. Julia Lawson is on the sick list.

Hickok's Celebrated bulk candy at Pioneer Pharmacy

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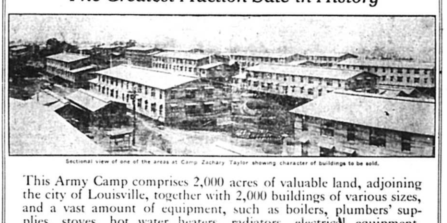

Sectional view of one of the areas at Camp Zachary Taylor showing character of buildings to be sold.

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For years building has been at a practical standstill. The high cost of material, especially lumber, and the scarcity of labor have compelled a stoppage in the erection of homes, storehouses, barns, etc. That time has now passed. Workmen have been released by the hundreds of thousands and Camp Zachary Taylor will release lumber and [illegible] pay. Come to this greatest of bargain sales and buy what you want at your own figures. Join with your neighbors in making up car lots to save freight rates. A vast number of cedar, white oak, chestnut and creosoted fence posts, water troughs and grain bins will be [illegible] fencing. Two grain elevators, completely equipped with motors, conveyors and chutes.

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This is an absolute sale. You win or you lose on April 25th. We sell no one privately, but do an exclusive auction business. No set price, no reservation, no by-bidding, no private sale. This has been our motto for the twelve years we have been in business, during which time we have operated from the Great Lakes to the Gulf, and have never failed or refused to sell a single piece of land, or property of any kind, after it was placed under the hammer. You make the price. The Government makes the deed. That's all.

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THE CARLISLE MERCURY.

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COMMENT

Clean up, and paint up—and close up the open sewers!

"Daylight dancing is like near beer," says a Lexington divine. Has the kick removed?

"Oldest Sewers In U. S. In Kentucky," says a headline. "Openest" sewers in Kentucky in Carlisle.

Under the head of "Spring Warnings," Cartoons Magazine says: "Have your Blue Book taken down and tightened all around and missing parts put in. Leave the car alone. You may want to run it."

Judging from the present size of the mosquitos which are now Swarming from our open sewers, they'll be large enough to use No. 6 shot on this summer. Get your shot-gun ready, for it seems the powers that be are going to take no steps to remove this menace.

Who says it doesn't pay to advertise? A Missouri man who advertised his misfit false teeth for sale, received numerous inquiries from prospective purchasers. A woman in California writes: "Have you sold your teeth yet? Will they fit a lady who wears No. 4 shoes, weights 109 pounds and has dark complexion?"

A merchant in a nearby town—a non-advertiser—ran an ad in his home paper recently. Two days later his store was broken into and robbed. Evidently people had just learned he was in town.—Stonewall (Okla.) News.

Could it be that fear of a like fate causes some of our local merchants to shy at advertising?

At Smithfield, Ky., members of a "Holy Roller" organization have been indicted by the grand jury for having persuaded a poor, ignorant mother to dispense with medical services for her 5-year old child, who had received serious burns, and trust to "joint prayer." After ten days of terrible agony, the child died. Every time we get altruistic on the subject of capital punishment, a crime like this convinces us that it is the only cure in some cases.

Mrs. Fannie Lemaster, aged 106 years, the oldest woman in Eastern Kentucky, died at her home at Falcon, Magoffin county, last Friday.

At Williamsburg Saturday afternoon, an intinerant preacher, name unknown, was showered with eggs while making a speech in the court house yard. No arrests were made.

Ferdinand Sayre, charged with the murder of James McHatton, a Lexington merchant, was convicted by a jury in the Fayette circuit court last Thursday and sentenced to death. The jury was out but fifteen minutes Sayre will ask for a new trial.

Brigadier General Henry T. Allen, a native of Sharpsburg, has been appointed to the permanent rank of Major General in the United States Army. General Allen has seen more active service than any other officer in the army, according to news dispatches.

Four persons were killed and six injured, four seriously, when an automobile carrying ten persons crashed into C. & O. engine at Pike and Russel streets crossing in Covington last Wednesday. The party was returning from the Cedars, a roadhouse near Covington.

C. H. S. TAKES FIRST GAME ON LOCAL DIAMOND 4 TO 1

Carlisle High was victorious in their first game played on the local diamond last Friday afternoon when they defeated the Sharpsburg high school by a score of 4 to 1. The game was won on errors of the opposing team. Crockett, pitcher for the Sharpsburg team, gave three men bases on balls. Effron knocked a two-bagger, bringing in the three men and later scored himself.

The game was draggy throughout, and both teams showed need of practice. Had either side been able to hit the ball, the game would probably have been one-sided.

The local nine has the material for a winning team, but show lack of team work. This is the first year six of the boys have played on the team, and no doubt they will show up in better style after they have played a few more games.

REV. CROUCH RESIGNS AS PASTOR CHRISTIAN CHURCH

After the morning service at the Christian church Sunday, Rev. W. P. Crouch, pastor of the church, tendered his resignation to the official board. No action was taken on the matter, and a meeting of the board will be held next Sunday at which time the resignation will be discussed.

Rev. Crouch gave no reasons for his resignation.

Rev. Crouch has been pastor of the local church for the past three years, coming here from Louisville. During his stay here he has made many friends who will regret that he has decided to labor elsewhere. His services have been very acceptable to the members of the congregation, and it is to be hoped he will re-consider the matter.

FISCAL COURT ORDERS $25,000 BONDS BURNED

J. H. Wilson Re-Elected County Treasurer Several Hundred Dollars Appropriated for Road Repairs

At the regular April meeting of the fiscal court held last Friday, seven Turnpike Funding Bonds, series from 1 to 7 inclusive, of $1,000 denomination each, were ordered burned, they having been paid. Forty road and bridge bonds, series 1 to 40 inclusive, of $500 denomination each, were also ordered burned.

J. H. Wilson, Moorefield banker, was unanimously re-elected county treasurer, his bid of 4½ per cent interest for the county funds, computed monthly, being the best bid received. The term is four years. His bond was fixed at $50,000. Mr. Wilson filed his report as county treasurer from April 1, 1920, to April 1, 1921, which was received by the court and ordered to be published in one issue of The Mercury.

Two bids submitted for repairs on the Saltwell & Morning Glory turnpike were rejected. Two bids submitted fort repairs on the Pleasant Springs turnpike were also rejected.

$250 was appropriated for repairs on the Headquarters & Summitt Station turnpike, the work to be under the supervision of Frank Caldwell.

$500 was appropriated for repairs on the Convict pike, work to be done under the supervision of J. D. Tirrell and W. C. Lane.

$1500 was appropriated for repairs on the Headquarters & Hooktown turnpike from Headquarters to the Bourbon county line, the work to be done under the supervision of Carl Long and L. M. Gaffin.

$500 was appropriated for repairs on the White Chimney & Stoney Creek turnpike, the work to be done under the supervision of Mike Berry.

All appropriations heretofore made and not expended for repairs on the Pleasant Valley & Ellisville turnpike were set aside and in lieu thereof $750 was appropriated for repairs of the pike from Licking river to the Fleming county line, the work to be done under the supervision of E. T. Flora.

All appropriations heretofore made and not expended for repairs on the Pleasant Valley & Lower Blue Licks turnpike were set aside and in lieu $300 was appropriated for repairs of the pike from Pleasant Valley to Sims' Store and from Sims' Store to the Fleming county line, the work to be done under the supervision of W. H. McCarty.

$500 was appropriated for repairs on the Barterville pike from the Maysville & Lexington pike to Barterville, the work to done under the supervision of I. C. Taylor.

$150 was appropriated for repairs on the Morning Glory & Hooktown pike, work to be done under the supervision of Gran Ross.

HOLY ROLLERS INDICTED AFTER DEATH OF CHILD

Shepherdsville, April 16—Several indictments were returned by the grand jury against members of the Holy Roller church in connection with the death of a five-year-old child near this place. The child was severely burned when its clothing took fire from an open grate. Members of the faith persuaded the mother, also a member, to dispense with the services of a physician, it is charged, and trust to joint prayer for a cure. The child lingered thru ten days of terrible suffering and died. The grand jury charges the mother and her advisers with cruel and inhuman treatment.

LOCAL GIRL MAKING GOOD AT UNIVERSITY OF KY.

The press bulletin of the University of Kentucky has the following complimentary notice of a local girl:

"Miss Katie Henry, captain of the women's basket ball team of the University of Kentucky, is the youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Henry, Carlisle, Ky. She has been on the Varsity team three years.

"Miss Henry is a student in the Arts and Science College and is a member of the Chi Omega fraternity. She belongs to the Philosophian Literary Society, the Psychology and English Clubs and is a member of the Y. W. C. A. and the Strollers, dramatic organization of the University. Miss Henry is a charming young lady and very prominent in all school affairs."

PRODUCE REVIEW

(Prepared by Swift & Co.)

The movement of live poultry is seasonable, and prices are on a little higher basis, especially for fat, heavy hens, due to demand for the approaching Jewish holidays. It is expected that as soon as this demand has been supplied, prices will work lower.

Fresh eggs are being marketed freely, but storage holdings exceed those of the same time last year. The United States Department of Agriculture, in its report of the 14th, shows the following comparative stocks in Chicago, New York, Boston, and Philadelphia:

April 14 1921 .... 1,338,108 cases
Corresponding day, 1920 .. 140,247 cases

Excess .... 1,197,861 cases

The demand for current is not especially heavy, and in view of the large amount in storage, lower markets are expected to prevail in the immediate future.

SAM K. VEACH URGED TO MAKE RACE FOR SENATOR

Prominent Local Man Promised Support of Many Citizens Should He Decide To Become Candidate

Mr. Sam K. Veach, widely known citizen of this city, is being urged by Democrats in the county to become a candidate for State Senator from this district, composed of the counties of Nicholas, Harrison, Robertson and Bracken. Mr. Veach has the matter under consideration and will make a decision within the next few days.

Mr. Veach is eminently qualified to fill this place should he become a candidate and be elected. He is Past Grand Master of the Grand Masonic Lodge of Kentucky, Past Grand High Priest of the Grand Chapter of Kentucky, and is at present Vice President of the Old Mason's Home at Shelbyville. He is one of the leaders of the Masonic fraternity in Kentucky, and is one of the most widely known men in the State.

For many years he has been secretary of the Carlisle city school board, and has always been intensely interested and active in school affairs. No man in the entire district is better qualified to fill the position than Mr. Veach and no doubt if he should become a candidate and be elected he will fill the office in a very creditable manner and bring honor to the district.

The Mercury has received through the mails the following communication, urging Mr. Veach to make the race:

To Mr. Sam K. Veach:

We, the Democrats of Nicholas County, regarding the present time as one propitious for making of laws that will be of benefit to the State, to the County, to the farmer, merchant and other business men generally, and for the repealing of laws that have been enacted in times when present conditions did not prevail, and therefore not applicable at this time, and believing that to do these things a business man should be at the helm,—a man who has studied the economics of the County; who has the interests of the farmer at heart, as well as the business man; a man who makes a success of every effort, and one whose earnest work has been seen in the schools, and many other enterprises of our County,—therefore for this place urge you to make the race for State Senator, representing the Counties of Nicholas, Harrison, Robertson and Bracken; and we pledge your our loyal support.

MANY DEMOCRATS

JORDAN

Mrs. Jeff Vice spent Wednesday afternoon with her son, Chessie Vice.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Wade spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Gudgell, at Miranda.

Mrs. Jim Kingsolver and daughter Mary, of Carlisle, spent Wednesday with her dahghter, Mrs. Chessie Vice.

Born—To Mr. and Mrs. Chessie Vice, on the 10th, an eight-pound son, Merrell Martin.

Mr. and Mrs. Ollver Clay, of Miranda, spent Sunday with Mr. aand Mrs. Charlie Reid.

Clay Wade and wife spent Friday with Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Wade.

Dr. Walter Irvine and wife, of Carlisle, spent Monday with Mr. and Mrs. Howe Blount.

UPPER LICKS

Claude Moreland and family spent a few days with his father the past week.

Mrs. Clint Cox and Mrs. Charlie Burke are on the sick list.

Mrs. George Ellington spent Monday with W. T. Ellington, near Moorefield.

We are going to have Sunday School at the Upper Lick school house Sunday afternoon, April 24, be sure and come.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Mitchell spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Hughes and family.

Mrs. George Ellington spent Friday afternoon with Mrs. Charlie Burke.

Mrs. Thomas Mitchell spent Thursday afternoon with Mrs. Clint Cox.

Carl Clay and family spent Sunday with Mrs. Alexander, of Milltown.

PLEASANT VALLEY

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Herndon and Mrs. Grant Wilcoxson were in Carlisle Saturday.

Mrs. Hannah Vaughn and children, of Ewing, visited relatives here Saturday and Sunday.

Chas. Lawhun, of Garrison, Ky., is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Carver.

Rev. Carver filled his appointment here Saturday night and Sunday.

Jas Clay and family have moved to Licking.

There will be an ice cream supper at the school house Saturday night, April 23. Everyone invited.

LOCUST GROVE

David Smart and wife spent Saturday night and Sunday with relatives at Paris.

Mrs. Jim Rice is spending a few days with her mother, Aunt Mary Booth.

Raymond Call was a business visitor at East Union last Monday.

David Booth spent Sunday with James Smoot.

Pansy Stone has recovered from an attack of the measles.

REPRODUCTION OF PHOTOS CREATING MUCH INTEREST

Photograph Last Week was That of Colonel T. S. Parks, Founder Parks Hill. Many More to Follow

The series of the reproduction of photographs of men who helped to make Nicholas county history, the first of which was published last week, is creating much interest among our readers, and from present indications they will prove to be one of the most popular features The Mercury has ever established. Each week we will print a picture and give the name of the picture of the preceding issue.

The photograph last week was of Col. Thompson S. Parks, one of the pioneers of Nicholas county, who died at his home at Parks Hill on June 30, 1898, aged 93 years. Col. Parks, who is the father of Mrs. Picket Scott, of this city, was the founder of Parks Hill. He represened Nicholas county in both houses of the General Assembly a number of times.

The September issue of the Lyceum Magazine contained a very interesting article entitled "Memories of Old Parks Hill," which we feel would be very timely to reproduce while discussing the founder of the institution which made Nicholas county famous all over the United States. The following is the article:

"At Carlisle, Kentucky, a grizzled old boy of seventy-seven took us up on his big veranda and spread out old programs and photos of the chautauqua they used to run nearby—Parks Hill. He was H. M. Taylor, who for twelve years managed this assembly where the people for counties around used to gather for picnic, social and cultural purposes. For a couple of hours we looked at platform people's pictures who looked pretty young then and are now grayer or under the sod. Musicians and entertainers came to Parks Hill and they love to remember them, but we cannot find them today.

"The Bureaus twenty years ago used to send a great deal of young talent down there just to try it out. That's the way they first heard Denton Crowl. He was beginning to portray Sam Jones. Sam fathered this chautauqua. Back in 1873, a year before the chautauqua, the Methodists started a camp meeting here and ran it along until the auditorium fell down. Then Mr. Taylor went over to see Sam Jones and got him to agree to come to Parks Hill and try to revive the languishing assembly. Sam came and drew such a crowd they took in $1,800 at the gate, and that enabled them to make a new start.

"The assembly ran until 1912 before it finally went on the rocks and disintegrated. Now Carlisle is on a circuit and the territory once served by Parks Hill is dotted with perhaps a dozen circuit tents. Today very many more people are being reached.

"It was wonderful," said Mr. Taylor, "how the influence of Parks Hill spread over our county and influenced it. It was a center of culture and education. You could notice refinement, better dressing, neatness and improvement among all the people." Mr. Taylor was a Confederate soldier, one of Morgan's men, and the Morgan soldiers used to hold their annual reunions at Parks Hill. Col. Bain was one of its promoters. George Stuart came. Wickersham, Beauchamp, Bingham, Seeds, Vanda Enos, Scorer, Plattenburg, Miles, Bob Taylor, Ned Woodman, Bellharz, King—in fact the roll of yesterday's chautauqua favorites dotted these old programs."

The following poem, the author of which is unknown, was printed in The Mercury several years ago:

Take me back to dear Kentucky,
Set me down at old Parks Hill;
Let me see once more the river,
Hear the noises of the mill.

Let me sit on grassy hillsides,
Under beeches whispering leaves,
Looking back upon the fabric,
Time, with busy shuttle, weaves.

May I see again the sunlight,
Slanting through the sheltering trees?
May I feel the balmy freshness
Of a Licking River breeze?

I would sit beneath the shed there,
Where kind nature laid the floor,
Hear the morning invocation,
Listened to from every door.

Dear old cottages and benches,
Walks and trees, and stones and gates,
Fountain, pump, and e'en the grasses
Where the chigger sits and waits!

Friends we saw there, gay and happy,
Cross Death's river day by day,
And our cottages we loved there,
Are decaying, fast away.

But a little place we'll keep here
In our hearts, as years go by;
And 'mid cares and daily trials,
In the last week of July.

We'll remember how we hiked us,
And in rainment fresh we dyked us,
To sign up for Cottage Seven
Lest they catch us on the fly.

Cold water pumped into a dry boiler at a sawmill near Mayfield Saturday caused an explosion that completely wrecked the plant and instantly killed Wesley Holland, the fireman, and seriously injured three other employes.

PIONEER CITIZEN DIES AT HIS HOME IN THIS CITY

Mr. Elias Westfall, Aged 77 years, Dies At Home In Carlisle. Was Born In Prussia.

After an illness of several weeks with a complication of diseases, Mr. Elias Westfall, aged 77 years, died at his home in this city last Thursday morning. Although Mr. Westfall had been in bad health for several weeks, his condition was not considered grave until about a week previous to his death.

Mr. Westfall was born in 1844 in Prussia, and with his parents came to this county when twelve years of age. His parents settled in Robertson county. In 1866 he was united in marriage to Miss Sallie Harney, of this county, who survives him. To this union ten children were born, eight of whom survive, as follows: Phillip, of Indiana, Nick, George, Dan, Thomas and John, of this county, Charley, of Lexington, and Mrs. Pearl Plummer, of Winchester. Mr. Westfall was the youngest of a family of thirteen children all of whom are dead.

After Mr. Westfall's marriage he moved to Nicholas county and purchased a farm near Miller Station, where he lived until about five months ago when his residence burned. Since that time he has been a resident of Carlisle.

Mr. Westfall was once of the most widely known farmers in the county and had a wide circle of friends to whom the news of his death causes much sorrow. He was keenly interested in politics, being a staunch Democrat. He served as deputy county clerk under the late John A. Campbell, and for several years was commissioner of the county infirmary.

Interment took place in the Carlisle cemetery Saturday morning after short services at the grave by Rev. W. P. Crouch, pastor of the Christian church.

EWING

James Bramble was here over Sunday from Lexington.

Arlie Stockdale was in Lexington Tuesday on business.

Miss Lida Ray and Mrs. Homer Stout were in Maysville Tuesday.

Miss Ethel Warren returned Monday night after a short stay in Lexington.

J. H. Thompson went to Flemingsburg Thursday morning on business.

Mrs. H. C. Hawkins returned to Lexington Sunday afternoon after a few days visit with her mother at Snow Hill.

C. O. Hammonds and wife, Mesdames T. H. Talbott and J. H. Thompson were in Maysville Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. Lula Stout is the guest of relatives at Fairview.

Quite a number from here went to Maysville Monday to hear Billy Sunday.

J. M. Jones was in Maysville Wednesday on business.

Mrs. Lida Powell is the guest of Mrs. Clyde Adams in Cincinnati.

Mrs. Grover Art returned Thursday night from Lexington where she had been to visit her father, C. F. Hysong, who has been quite ill for sometime.

The Good Will Book Club was entertained by Mrs. A. L. Williams Saturday afternoon.

Dr. W. W. Dye returned Saturday from a visit with Will Fitzgerald and wife in Covington. He attended Billy Sunday's services while there.

Mrs. Fannie Hildreth left Saturday morning for Norwood, Ohio, where she will visit her sister, Mrs. H. B. Marlow.

Mrs. Arch McCall eturned to her home at Snow Hill Thursday after a short visit with her mother, Mrs. Ellen Burns.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Morford spent Thursday in Maysville.

Will Conley returned to Carlisle Saturday morning having spent Friday night with Mr. and Mrs. Vaughn Adams.

Mrs. F. D. Walker went to Myers Saturday morning where she gives music lessons.

Miss Miranda Williams left Saturday afternoon for Mississippi, where she attended the wedding of her brother, Glover Williams, Wednesday.

Mrs. Mary Russell, of Chicago, is the guest of H. B. Cord and wife and other relatives.

Mrs. M. F. Daugherty is quite ill at her home near here.

Miss Margaret Logan Howard returned to Carlisle Sunday afternoon after spending the week end with Mrs. Maggie Morford.

Mrs. A. C. Fagaly was in Maysville Friday.

Mrs. Nancy W. Pepper is with Mrs. R. W. Roberson for a few days stay.

Miss Thelma Runyon entertained her Sunday School class Saturday afternoon. Games were played and delightful refreshments were served. The little folks had a fine time.

Morford Cord, of Ravenna, and Mrs. Jewel Tudor, of Lexington, spent Sunday with relatives.

Mrs. J. W. Mullikin was in Maysville Friday.

Miss Verna Warren entertained the following guests Sunday: Misses Edith and Una Caywood, Thelma Runyon, Ethel Grimes and Alene Williams.

Mrs. Harry Pettijohn is getting along nicely at a Lexington hospital.

Mrs. Nancye W. Pepper had as Sunday guests: Dr. W. W. Dye and wife, B. M. Williams and wife, Mesdames Maggie Fiddle and Mrs. Lida Stout.

PLAN SUGGESTED TO REDUCE NICHOLAS COUNTY TAX LEVY

County Attorpey Cox Offers Plan Which He Thinks Would Save Taxpayers $20,000.00

At the meeting of the fiscal rourt last Friday, a plan was suggested to the court by county attorney Cox, whereby Mr. Cox set out in detail how the county levy might be reduced, effecting a saving of approximately $20,000 to the tax-payers of the county and at the same time the financial demands of the county be adequately met.

No action on the plan was taken at the meeting, nor did any discussion follow the reading of the suggestion. It is probable that the matter will come up at the next meeting, when the county levy is to be fixed.

The plan of reducing the county levy, as suggested by Mr. Cox is as follows:

Gentlemen of the Fiscal Court.

I desire to call your attention to the financial condition and tax rate of your county at this time and hope that you will seriously consider the suggestions herein in fixing your County Tax rate for the present year.

You must realize that at the present time the question of taxation and taxes are most serious; that the property of our county is not only assessed high but the rate of taxation is high and many citizens will be unable to pay their taxes in the future due to the depression in the price of commodities they may have to sell unless there is relief from some quarter; there is none obtainable in decreasing the valuation of the assessable property on account of the fact that the State Tax Commission asked an increase rather than offering a decrease, hence the only relief that may be or is obtainable, is in your hands and that is to reduce the rate of taxation, to meet the financial depression our country and county is passing through. In my opinion this relief is obtainable and I hope to be able to demonstrate to your entire satisfaction and approval that it can be done, but before detailing how, I will give you a short statement of our bonded indebtedness that you may be better enabled to fully understand my idea and suggestion.

BONDED INDEBTEDNESS

There is a balance of $8,000.00 due on "Old Turnpike Bonds," the original issue having been 40,000.00; said balance is payable January 1st, 1924. These bonds bear 4 per cent annum interest.

There is a balance of $105,000.00 due on "New Turnpike Bonds," the original issue having been $125,000.00 $20,000.00 of the original issue was paid May 15th, 1920; the balance is due as follows:

$25,000.00 due May 15, 1925
$25,000.00 due May 15th, 1930.
$25,000.00 due May 15, 1935.
$30,000.00 due May 15, 1940.

These bonds bear 5 per cent per annum interest, payable semianually.

There is a balance of $21,000.00 due on "Turnpike Funding Bonds," the original issue having been $28,000.00; $7,000.00 of the original issue was paid December 30th, 1920; the balance is due as follows:

$7,000.00 due December 30, 1924.
$7,000.00 due December 30, 1928.
$7,000.00 due December 30, 1932.

Our tax rate last year outside of Carlisle Graded School District No. 26, was $1.35 on the $100, which was divided as follows:

State Tax rate .40 on the $100.00
School Tax rate .25 on the $100.00
County Tax rate .70 on the $100.00

Total .... $1.35 on the $100.00

The County Board of Education has asked that .30 on the $100.00 be levied by you for Common Schools of the County for the present year, which will make the rate of taxation $1.40 unless a reduction is made. I think it can be done. The taxable property in Nicholas county for 1921 including franchises will be something over $10,000,000.00, however for the purpose of estimate, we will call it that amount.

There was paid out of the "General Expense Fund" during the past year $14,541.68. By fixing the apportionment of the "General Expense Fund" at .16, the amount raised therefrom would be $16,000.00, a sufficient amount to cover the general expenses and would save .02, the "General Expense Fund" apportionment being .18 on the $100.00.

The Road and Bridge Fund was apportioned .25c last year and should remain the same, said amount being insufficient to maintain our turnpikes but being the Constitutional rate permitted.

.005c was apportioned to "Interest Fund (Old Turnpike Bonds)" last year. We have on hand in this fund $791.20, which amount is sufficient to pay not only the interest on the $8,000.00 of "Old Turnpike Bonds" for the present year but for 2 years hence, as the interest is $320.00 per year, so we can eliminate this apportionment.

.01c was apportioned to "Sinking Fund (Old Turnpike Bonds)" last year, and should remain the same as there is only $2,438.34 in this fund, and the Bonds are due as hereinbefore stated, January 1st, 1924.

.02c was apportioned to "Sinking Fund" last year and can be eliminated. There is in this fund $3,864.90.

.12c was apportioned to "Interest Fund (New Turnpike Bonds)" last year. We have on hand in this fund $16,919.04, which amount is sufficient to pay the interest on the $105,000.00 of "New Turnpike Bonds" not only for the present year but for 2 years hence, as the interest is $5,250.00 per year, so we can eliminate this apportionment entirely.

.08c was apportioned to "Sinking Fund (New Turnpike Bonds)" last year. We have on hand in this fund $10,681.40 and $5,000.00 Government Bonds. Reduce this apportionment to .06c, thereby saving .02c, and you will still increase this fund $6,000.00 this year.

.015c was apportioned to "Interest Fund (Funding Turnpike Bonds)" last year. We have on hand in this fund $1,249.11, which amount is sufficient to pay the interest on $21,000 of "Turnpike Funding Bonds" for the present year, as the interest is $1,050.00, so we can eliminate this apportionment entirely.

.02c was apportioned to "Sinking Fund (Turnpike Funding Bonds)" last year. We have on hand in this fund $908.60. As $7,000.00 as this issue is due December 30, 1924, suggest that this apportionment remain the same.

By the elimination and detraction as stated, the County Tax rate will be reduced to .50c instead of remaining at .70c as it now is and the total Tax Rate outside of Graded School District will be $1.20 instead of $1.40, and more than $20,000.00 will be saved to the taxpayers for the present year and yet the proper demands upon all funds and obligations of the County will be and can be fulfilled and paid at a rate of .50c on the $100.00, if apportioned along the lines and as to the funds as stated.

I trust that you will give these suggestions your very earnest consideration.

Yours very truly,
Foster V. Cox
County Atty. for Nicholas county, Ky.
Carlisle, Ky., April 15, 1921.

CONDITION OF WHEAT AND RYE IS UNUSUALLY GOOD

Kentucky Crop Report Shows Condition of Grains all Over State to be Excellent, Nicholas Showing Good

The condition of wheat and rye in all the principal farming sections of Kentucky is unusually good; there are 5 percent fewer brood sows in the state than there were this time last year; and although the labor supply is only 8 per cent below normal the demand for farm labor is 13 percent below normal, according to the April crop and livestock report for Kentucky issued by the United States Bureau of Crop Estimates in co-operation with State Commissioner of Agriculture W. C. Hanna. The condition of wheat in Kentucky April 1 is given as 95 percent of normal compared to 62 percent April 1, 1920, and an average condition of 84 percent April 1 during the last 10 years. Rye condition in this State is 95 this month compared to 74 percent April 1 last year and an average condition of 87 percent April 1 for the last 10 years.

The acreage of wheat sowed in Kentucky last fall was approximately the same as that sowed in 1919 (625,000 acres) but rye was 42,000 acres compared to 44,000 acres sowed in 1919. The mild weather of this winter and spring has been very favorable for small grains in all parts of the State except in some parts of the southeastern mountain counties.

Farm labor is 10 percent more plentiful than it was this time last year, but still only 92 percent of normal supply, as many farmers can not afford to pay the wages demanded by laborers, and farmers report they have cut their demands for labor 17 percent below last years demands and 13 percent below normal. This is due to the general slump in prices of farm products, particularly tobacco. Farmers say in their reports that unsatisfactory prices for farm products and the high prices persistently demanded for manufactured goods are tending to reduce farm production.

According to the report the condition of wheat in Nicholas county is 99 percent; rye, 98 percent; number of brood sows compared with April 1, 1920, 94 percent; labor supply compared with a year ago, 110 percent; demand for labor compred with a year ago, 80 percent.

WHO IS THIS
(Answer will be given next week)

Sherman H. Stivers, 56, well known newspaper man of Paris, died at his home Monday morning after an illness of eight weeks.

30 YEARS AGO

Thursday, April 23, 1891

John McCune begins his summer work of sprinkling the streets of Carlisle.

W. S. Feeback to open grocery store in the store room in the Lamar building.

Mr. and Mrs. George W. Smart leave for Missouri to make their home.

Dr. Swango, of Hazel Green, moves to Nicholas county and locates at Bramblett.

BORN—To Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Herndon, Jr., of Weston, on the 14th, a daughter.

Mr. Thomas Colliver, 77, drowned Tuesday while fishing in Hinkston creek, near Jackstown.

Mr. T. A. Dorsey breaks ground for the foundation of his new home, which will be modern in every detail.

Fifty-three persons from here go on the excursion to Cincinnati last Sunday, it being the first of the season.

Dr. Harry Munger purchases a lot adjoining the residence of James Hillock and will at once begin the erection of a modern residence.

Contract for building the new Nicholas county jail awarded to the Pauly Jail Building Company of St. Louis, Mo., and work will be started at once.

Several of the inhabitants of Henryville go on the war path Saturday night, and as a result the "standing room only" sign was hung out at the jail Sunday morning.

While in Macon, Ga., last week on business, Col. Thomas Owens, of this city, visits the scenes of some of the battles in which he participated during the civil war.

MARRIED—Marriage licenses were issued Tuesday to Miss Annabell Miller and Mr. Tureman Richie and Miss Rebecca Alice Miller and Mr. Uriah Bruce Richie, all of this county.

20 YEARS AGO

Thursday, April 25, 1901

New ladies' coach added on the passenger train through this city.

H. P. Myers sells his farm near Myers Station and will leave for the West to locate.

William Donnell leaves for Atlanta, Ga., with car load of fine horses belonging to S. G. Carpenter.

School at Miranda forced to close on account of the prevalence of scarlet fever among the students.

MARRIED—Miss Myrtle Taylor and Mr. John R. Howe, both of the county, at Cincinnati on the 15th.

Eld. F. M. Tinder returns from New Richmond, Ohio, where he has closed a very successful revival meeting.

James L. Donnell sells to President Duke of the American Tobacco Co., a team of fine carriage horses for $800.

Miss Mabel Scott, of this city, offered principalship of Synodical College in Fulton, Mo., and will probably accept.

Saxton's celebrated orchestra, of Lexington, engaged to furnish music at the high school commencement next month.

Heavy snow and sleet storm sweep entire State last week, causing much damage. Fruit crop not far enough advanced to be damaged.

Rev. B. E. Lancaster, wife and children leave for New Orleans to attend the general missionary conference of the Methodist church, South.

Mr. Harry McDowell, 36 years old, a prominent Lexington merchant and well known in this city, commits suicide at his home by cutting his throat with a razor.

Harry Day purchases lot on corner of Archdeacon and Tureman avenues from the Carlisle Improvement Co. for $400 and will begin at once the erection of a residence.

DIED—Mr. James Huffstetter, 80, at his home near Jackstown on the 22nd.—One year old child of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Kenton at their home near Forrest Retreat on the 23rd.—Three year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles T. Bussell at their home near Davidson on the 19th.

Four hundred young people from Carlisle, Paris, Maysville, Augusta, Millersburg, Covington and other cities in the Ebenezer Presbytery met in joint conference with young people from Lexington, Winchester, Nicholasville and other cities in the Lexington Presbytery at Lexington Saturday.

The Mary Chiles Hospital in Mt. Sterling, just completed at a cost of $40,000 was dedicated Saturday afternoon in the presence of 1,500 persons.