HON. WILLIAM J. FIELDS CANDIDATE FOR RE-ELECTION

In the proper column of The Mercury this week will be found the announcement of Hon. W. J. Fields, of Olive Hill, as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for Congress from the Ninth District, subject to the action of the Democratic party at the primary to be held Saturday, August 5, 1922.

Mr. Fields is serving his fifth consecutive term as Congressman, having taken office in 1912. He has made a very creditable record during his term in office and comes to the voters of the district with a clean slate. He has served on several important committees during his term of office and was especially active in affairs of the Lower House during the late war.

Mr. Fields has always polled a large vote throughout the district, especially in the mountain counties, and no doubt his friends will continue to rally to his support.

Nicholas has always been a banner county for Mr. Fields, and he will more than likely receive a large vote here. He has often visited Carlisle, having made speeches here upon numerous occasions in the interest of his party, and has many warm personal friends throughout the county.

## CITY COUNCIL HOLDS SHORT SESSION MONDAY

Very little business of importance was brought before the city council Monday night, and the session was of short duration. All of the members were present.

The Carlisle Band was given the use of the City Hall for Friday and Saturday nights, May 12 and 13, for a home talent minstrel.

O. L. Harrison was before the body asking that a light be placed at the Bridge near the Carlisle Milling Company's plant. The matter was referred to the light committee.

The water works committee reported that the extension of the water works main had been made on McCracken street, Dorseyville, at a cost of about $450, including hose and other appurtus.

The electric light committee reported that an electric light would be installed between the residence of F. V. Cox and the city school building on School avenue.

A petition signed by several citizens was presented asking the council to have sidewalks and crossings established on Elm street.

City Clerk S. C. Vaughn reported licenses collected during the month of April to the amount of $60.

W. H. Frey, City Treasurer, reported a balance on hand in the city treasury of $1,429.34.

W. H. Frey, treasurer of the water works, reported a balance on hand in the water works fund of $285.26.

The street committee was instructed to have the city marshal enforce the ordinance prohibiting chickens running at large.

## M. M. I. MEMBER SCHOOL ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION

In our last issue we made the statement that the Millersburg Military Institute was not a member of the Kentucky High School Athletic Association, which the Athletic Association of M. M. I. has asked us to correct.

We were erroneously informed that M. M. I. was not a member of the Association and we are pleased to make the correction.

## FLEMING COUNTY MERCHANT SHOOTS NEIGHBOR IN FACE

Tuesday afternoon, near what is known as the Chalybeate Spring, about two miles east of Hillsboro, Wm. Helphinstine, known as "Little Billy," shot Clarence Gardner in the lower part of the face with a shotgun, the charge tearing away a portion of his chin and jaw, inflicting a wound which will almost certainly cause his death, though he is still alive at this writing Wednesday forenoon.

It seems that Helphinstine runs a small country store at his home, and that Gardner had come in to settle a small account, and a dispute arose over 30c worth of tobacco, which Gardner claimed he had not bought, but which had been bought by Gardner's son, and the result was the shooting. Just what led up to it and who was to blame we cannot say, but as Mr. Helphinstine came to Hillsboro Wednesday morning and gave himself up to Deputy Sheriff W. P. Saunders and was brought here to answer to the charge, the matter will be sifted out in court.—Flemingsburg Times-Democrat.

Saturday's Lexington Herald says:

Clarence Gardner, 40 years old, of Fleming county, died at the Good Samaritan hospital yesterday of gunshot wounds, said to have been inflicted by a merchant following a dispute over the sale of 55 cents worth of tobacco to Gardner's son.

Gardner was brought to Lexington Thursday afternoon for treatment of wounds in the face and head. The body was taken to Flemingsburg yesterday afternoon for burial.

According to the story of persons here to attend the wounded man, Gardnerwent to the store of William Helphenstine, merchant at Ringos Mill, to pay his account and found the 55 cents worth of tobacco on the bill which he claimed he did not owe but which the merchant said had been charged by Gardner's son. When the father attempted to punish his son in the store the merchant is said to have remonstrated and the men engaged in a quarrel, which resulted in the shooting of Gardner.

J. L. Williams and W. P. Dye were in Maysville Friday on business.

Mrs. Thomas Scott was in Carlisle Tuesday.

Mrs. Lou Hood is here from Flemingsburg the guest of John Hood and family.

R. H. McVey and wife returned Thursday from Craintown where they visited J. C. McVey and family.

Mrs. Lida McLean, Mrs. Lida Stout and Mrs. C. L. Grannis were in Maysville Tuesday.

Mrs. Charlie Fleming, of Marshall Station, visited her brother, W. T. Grover and family, this week.

J. H. Gifford and wife, Ray Ritchie and wife and Mrs. Josephine Gifford attended the funeral of the latter's sister-in-law, Mrs. Wheatley, at Shannon, Thursday.

Mrs. Phoebe Powell came from Maysville this week and is the guest of Rupert Powell and family.

Mrs. Jennie Rice, of Lexington, is the guest of Mrs. Evan Umstattd.

Born—To Mr. and Mrs. Will Hysong, the 28th, a daughter, Lucy Augustine.

Tom Pell returned Saturday night from a business trip to Lexington.

Howard Raymond, wife and baby were guests of relatives at Mayslick for the week end.

Quite a number attended the home talent play at Mayslick Saturday night.

Herbert Hysong and family, of Latonia, are guests of S. J. Hysong and wife.

Mrs. Amanda Cole, of Dayton, Ohio, Mrs. Laura Ellis, of Covington, Mrs. Etta Sims and Mrs. Alice Stickel, of Newport, came Wednesday afternoon to attend a lodge meeting at Hill Top.

Mr. Bruce Moore and wife, of Fairview, spent Friday with Dr. W. W. Dye and wife.

C. A. Hammonds and wife, Mesdames J. H. Thompson, H. C. Pettijohn and T. H. Talbott went to Mt. Olivet Monday to attend a meeting of the Eastern Star lodge.

Several from here attended the funeral of Mr. Will Parker Monday whose death occurred Saturday at his home near Germantown. He was a brother of E. S. Parker and has a number of other relatives here.

At the debate Friday night at Elizaville, between the two societies of the high school pupils, a loving cup was awarded the society that had the best argument, and also a medal for the boy who made the best speech on "Resolved, that good roads should be sustained by voting bonds." Raymond Daugherty son of M. F. Daugherty and wife, won the medal, and his society, The Utopian, also won the loving cup. They were on the negative side.

### BLUE LICK SPRINGS

Mr. and Mrs. James Wood and little grandson spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Wood.

Mrs. Miner Snapp is suffering with a bruised hand.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Maffett and Mr. and Mrs. James Maffett spent Saturday in Paris.

Mrs. Allene Dickey has returned home after a few days stay with Chas. Cole here.

Mr. and Mrs. Butler McClanahan spent Sunday with her parents Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Hunter.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Conyers and three daughters spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. James Brayfield.

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Ring and two sons and Harry Holland spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Ed Wagoner.

Miss Pearl Overby spent several days with her sister, Mrs. Chas. Campbell, here.

Mrs. J. W. Purcell remains ill at her home near here.

Mrs. Chas. Kenton and Mrs. Willie Maffett spent Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. Victor Day, of Crayton.

W. T. Farnham, of Scott county, was arrested last week on a charge of burning his house. It is said he poured coal oil on the building and set it afire.


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We have a complete stock of SCREEN DOORS and SCREEN WIRE. Also we will gladly give you estimates on screen windows for your house in both metal and wood frames.

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FOR SALE—Dining room set, side board, china closet, table, six chairs. Phone 45-w. 3.27 2t*

FOR SALE— One large refrigerator, suitable for meat shop. Will sell at a bargain. Phone 293. R. L. Norton. 4.20 tf

FOR RENT—About 45 acres good land, or will erase stock at reasonable price. Mrs. Daisy Huddleson, Carlisle, R. 1. 4.20 3t*

Bemis Tobacco Setters. Wm. Howard, Son's.

WALK-OVER WISDOM

The secret of failure in seven words—knock, knock, knock, knock, knock, knock, knock. WALK-OVER WEARERS, Walk wisely.

C. C. COLE & CO., exclusive agent for the 45th season. 4.27 2t

BEFORE FLIES COME

Screen every door and window. We have a complete line of screen windows and doors. Also screen wire in all widths. 4-27 tf Tilton & Roberts

LADIES

The snappiest styles and best qualities in oxfords and pumps, in Peters Diamond Brand, at Jos. Gordon's

FOR SALE—Good Ford roadster body, top and windshield, all in good condition. Plate glass in back curtain. John J. Archdeacon. 4.27 2t*

FOR SALE—Rhode Island Red eggs from penned chickens, $1 per setting of fifteen eggs. J. A. Butler, Millersburg, Ky. 4-27 3t

FISHING time is here. Our line of tackle is the most complete you will find. Get ready for the season, at 4-27 tf Tilton & Roberts

Door Screens and Window Screens at Wm. Howard, Son's.

HEADQUARTER'S For Peters Diamond Brand Shoes at Jos. Gordon's

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PLAY BALL—But first get your bats, balls, gloves and all base ball supplies. We have them, a complete line. 4-27 tf Tilton & Roberts

Seed corn $2.50 bushel. Reids Yellow Dent, Boone County White. S. T. Barlow.

A beautiful line of linen, ratina, voile, tissue and French ginghams at Waugh Dry Goods Co.

Beautiful line of Millinery for ladies, Misses and children, Florence Barlow, trimmer, at Model Store.

W. T. Roberts, special tax collector of Nicholas county, will give special attention to any accounts placed in his hands for collection. 4-20 3t

Jack Tar suits for boys and girls, also middies at Waugh Dry Goods Co.

Stylish Millinery. For best values see S. T. Barlow

See what will suit you at the bargain table at Waugh Dry Goods Co.

Hemstitching and Picot Edge Work. We do this work in the best manner on all kinds of material. Ten cents per yard. Customers furnish silk thread. Parcel post packages will receive prompt attention. 4-20 tf Gertrude Evans

STOCK FOODS

Dr. Hess Poultry PAN-A-CEA for your chickens. Also for horses, cows, sheep and cattle In all size packages, at 4-27 tf Tilton & Roberts

POCAHONTAS COAL

We have in transit one small car of Pocahontas lump coal. Will make attractive price for delivery of same. Dorsey Bros. & Fisher.

Fresh Fish Friday. Bread, Tuesday and Friday. S. T. Barlow.

GRASS should be kept trimmed to make your lawn beautiful. Our stock of lawn mowers, grass hooks and shears will help you make a lawn beautiful. 4-27 tf Tilton & Roberts

Red Comet and Straight Creek Red Ash coal. Henry & Harvey, assignees of F. B. Henry & Sons.

SALVET for your poultry and in fact for all of your stock. You all know this old reliable powder. In all size packages at 4-27 tf Tilton & Roberts

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Tires of quality, at the lowest price. New Spring stock just received. You can't go wrong on Fisk Tires. C. U. Bramblett, Dealer 2-9 tf


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### NOTICE

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### Graded Common School Election

An Election for our trustee for Carlisle Graded School Dist. No. 26 will be held at City School Building Saturday, May 6th, 1922 from one o'clock to six o'clock p. m.

This 19th day of April, 1922.

I. B. Ross, Pres.
4.20 3t Sam K. Veach, Secty.

I will make the season of 1922 with my spotted Shetland pony, Cock Robin, at Crayton, Ky. Phone 635-3 rings. Nick Westfall. 4-13 6t

### COMMISSIONER'S NOTICE

Nicholas Circuit Court.

W. H. Frey etc. Plaintiffs
Vs. Notice
Farmers Bank of Carlisle etc Deft.

All persons having claims against the estate of J. P. Banta deceased are hereby notified to file same with the undersigned Master Commissioner. All claims must be proven as required by law.

Persons failing to file claims will be bared from participating in distribution of proceeds.

U. M. Swinford, M. C. N. C. C.
Holmes and Ross. Attys. for Plff.

### ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE

All persons having claims against the estate of Lucy E. Worlledge, deceased, will present the same properly verified to the undersigned administrator. All persons owing the estate will come forward and settle.

4-20 3t Thos. M. Worlledge, admr.

### STEPHEN

The Percheron Stallion

Will make the season of 1922 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.

ALLIE DOTSON
4-10 22 *

### The Fine Jack AUGUST J.

a black jack, with white nose, 15 hands 1 inch high, big bone, with lots of style, not yet 3 years old, will make the season of 1922, at my farm, known as the Massie place, on the Stony Creek pike, at

$8.00 To Insure A Living Colt
At The Same Time And Place
The Combined Shetland Pony
BLOSSOM
will make the season, at
$7.00 To Insure A Living Colt

Blossom is a beautiful bay and white, 50 inches high and weighs 570 pounds. Foaled May 1910. Sired by the champion prize winning Saddle Pony, "Cock Robin." Dam, Jessie M. by Conrad. He is a combined saddle and harness pony, with lots of action.

Lien retained on all colts till season money is paid. Money due when colt comes, mare is parted with or bred to other stock without my consent. Care taken to prevent accidents, but not responsible should any occur. No service on Sunday.

J. R. BOOTH,
Carlisle, R. F. D. 3.

### ARE YOU UP TO DATE?

Do you load it at the muzzle
When you want a shot or two?
Do you wind it with a watch-key
Like your father used to do?
How'd you like to hop a horse-car
Like you did long years ago?
Don't an auto beat an ox-cart?
Well, I rather reckon so.
Do you argue that an hour-glass
Beats a Waltham all to smash?
Do you use the same old system
Keepin' books and countin' cash,
Do you trim a goose quill neatly—
When you want the ink to flow?
Don't you think there's been improvement
In the last decade or so?
Tell us, are you advertising
In the same old foolish way
That your grand-dad did before you
And persist, "It doesn't pay?"
Think the whole world knows your address
"Cause it hasn't changed in years?
Wouldn't the pathos of such logic
Drive a billy goat to tears?
Just a card is all you care for?
Hidden, lonesome and unread,
Like the sign upon the tombstone
Telling folks that you are dead.
Wake up, and take a tonic,
Bunch your hits and make a drive,
Run a page and change your copy,
Advertise and keep alive.
—Endeavor.

Lexington's ten day race meeting started last Saturday and will continue for ten days.

The annual interscholastic tournament for Kentucky will be held at the University of Kentucky, Lexington, on Thursday, Friday and Saturday of this week.

### NICHOLAS CIRCUIT COURT

W. H. Frey and O H. Fisher, Admrs. etc. Plffs.
Vs. Advertisement of Sale,
Farmers Bank of Carlisle, Ky. Defts.

By virtue of a judgment and order of sale rendered in the above styled action by the Nicholas Circuit Court at the May Term 1922 I shall proceed to offer for sale at public auction at the Court House door in Carlisle, Nicholas County, Ky., on

FRIDAY, MAY 12, 1922

at 2 o'clock p. m. or thereabouts upon a credit of six and twelve months.

The following described property: The first tract of land—which is "Parks Hill" tract, is hereinafter described as a whole, and said ground should be sold as a platter piece of ground with the rights reserved to the owners of the lots heretofore sold, and in the lots which may be sold by the purchaser of this tract to the use of the roads, passways, alleys, and etcs. as is shown by said plat, all other rights and privileges as to water is given in the deed to the lot owners. This lot is subjejct to the occupancy of Jos. Gibson until March 1st, 1923, also to the right of occupancy of C. Thompson to the house on the point until March 1st 1923.

Said "Parks Hill" tract is described as follows.

"A certain tract or parcel of land situated on the waters of Licking River, in Nicholas County, Ky.,—Which said tract is known as Parks Hill Camp ground tract of land, and is bounded as follows:

"Beginning at a small elm sprout on the North Martin of the Mill switch, known as the short time, thence with the North margin of said switch so as to leave it on the Mill Tract S 39 W 37 poles S 31 W 19 poles S 10 poles to the junction of center of the Parks Ferry and Lower Lick road, thence with the said turnpike road 78½ E 39 poles N 80 E 27 poles to a point in said pike—in the party of the first part, (Washington M. and M. Co.) mill lot—thence S 23½ E2.28 poles to a black Locust tree on the point corner to the said Mill lot; thence S12½ E 2.44 poles to a small black walnut, corner to said mill lot—thence S 29 W 9.60 poles to the beginning, containing 12 acres 3 roods and 16 poles, more or less. But excepting out of and from the foregoing boundary a small tract of land conveyed to Maybell Scott by W. S. Feeback, by deed of record in Deed Book No. 30 page 534 of Nicholas County Court Clerk's office, D." Also lots heretofore sold being Nos. 2 to Wm. Owings. 3,4 to W. I. Dorsey. No. 5 to Mrs. C. H. Fisher. No. 6 to Mrs. W. H. Frey. No. 47 to Mrs. Clara Johnson. No. 34 to P. D. Darnall.

The remainder of said land is to be sold in two tracts, and then as a whole—best bid or bids to control.

Second Tract—A certain tract or parcel of land with all the improvements thereon lying on the waters of Cassiday Creek Nicholas County, Ky.,—and bounded and abutted by the Cassiday Creek turnpike and the lands of Myers and Parish—George Blake, Has E. Craycraft, David Zilson and Mrs. James Stone, containing 73 acres and ten poles more or less.

The third tract is in two parcels and they are described as follows:—

Beginning at a set stone in Stone's line and corner to Tract No. 2 hereinafter described, thence with Stone's lines S 1 W 4.70 chains to a fence post; S 74 E 44 links to a fence post corner to Shanklin, thence with Shanklin's lines S 72½ 15-100 chains to a fence post S 9½ E 1.77 chains to a walnut to which the fence is hung S 12½ E 78 links to another walnut S 26½ W 4 69-100 chains to a fence post, corner to Smoot, thence with Smoot's lines S 76¼ W 7 30-100 chains to a hackberry; S 79 W 5 23-100 chains to a fence post S 77 W 7 47-100 chains to a walnut S 70½ W 4 78-100 chains to a fence post S 80 W 2 60-100 chains to a fence post corner to Minton, thence with Minton's line N 3 E 20 30-100 chains to a fence post S 76 W 4 95-100 chains to a fence post corner to Dale, thence with Dale's lines N 3 E 10 46-100 chains to a fence post, N 80½ E 5 25-100 chains to a fence post N 3 E 8 22-100 chains to a locust corner to Craycraft, thence with his line S 84¼ E 9 67-100 chains to a fence post corner to Banta, thence with Banta's of same S 87 E 10 [illegible] chains to a set stone on ridge S 82 E 8 52-100 chains to a marked hickory, thence S 31¾ W 10 3-100 chains to a marked hackberry, thence S 3¾ W 10 3-100 chains to the beginning containing 100.57 acres.

The second parcel of the third tract is contiguous to No. 1 and is described as follows:—

Beginning at a set stone in Stone's line a corner to No. 1—thence with the line of No. 1 N 87 W 10 40-100 chains to a marked Hickory, N 82 W 8 52-100 chains to a set stone on Ridge N 31¾ E 10 3-100 chains to a stake in Banta's line, thence with same S 86 E 13 72-100 chains to a fence post in Stone's line thence with Stone's line up the branch S½ W 9 25-100 chains to the beginning, containing 15 20-100 acres.

The purchaser to pay the taxes due in the year 1922 against the property sold. And the purchaser is to pay the Admrs. for the seed clover furnished by them, one half of the clover seed sown on said land amounts to $70.80. The purchaser is to assume the landlord's rights in properties sold.

For the purchase price the purchaser with approved security or securities must execute bond. Said bonds to have the force and effect of a judgment, and to be with good and sufficient security. Bonds to bear interest from date of sale until paid.

. Bidders will be prepared to comply promptly with these terms.

U. M. Swinford, M. C. N. C. C.
L B. Ross, Attorney for Plaintiff.


# PUBLIC SALE

**BLACKSMITH TOOLS, SUPPLIES**

**MONDAY, MAY 8th, at 10 A. M.**

County Court Day

On Monday, May 8, 10 A.M., I will offer at auction, my entire stock of blacksmith tools and supplies. Everything must go and it will pay you to be here. The stock includes:

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| 2 Complete sets of tools. | About 16 kegs of shoes. |
| 8 or 10 boxes of nails. | Horse stocks. |
| Rubber tire machine. | Electric drill, 1 hand drill |
| 1 forge, 2 blowers. | 2 anvils, 2 vises. |
| 2 screw plates complete. | 1 grindstone with motor |
| Wagon maker's tools. | Saws, braces, bits, etc. |

Iron and wood materials, etc., etc.

SALE STARTS AT 10 A. M.

Make it your business to be here. Don't forget date.

**Jno. W. Myers,**

Carlisle, Ky.

TODAY, the only man who worries about tires is the one who is trying to "beat the game" with shoddy seconds or long-discount "bargains."

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# ASSIGNEE'S SALE !

## SATURDAY, MAY 13, 1922

Nicholas County Court.

In the Matter of the Assigned Estate of F. B. Henry:

By virtue of a Judgment and Order of Sale of the Nicholas County Court, rendered at its April Term, 1922, in the above styled cause, the undersigned will on

SATURDAY, MAY 13, 1922

at or about the hour of 2 o'clock, P. M., sell on the premises, in Carlisle, Nicholas County, Ky., first at the dwelling house property, and then at the business property, on a credit of six and twelve months, with the privilege to pay all cash, or any part thereof, the following described real estate, towit:

1st: "A certain tract or parcel of land lying in Nicholas County, Kentucky, in what is known as Dorsey's Addition to the City of Carlisle, and designated by the following boundary, to-wit: Beginning at the northeast corner of John W. Shankland's lot in the margin of High Street; thence eastward with the margin of same 180 feet to a stake; thence at right angles and parallel to and with Shankland's eastern line 242 feet to a stake; thence westward and parallel with said Street 180 feet to a stake; thence northward with T. A. Dorsey's line and with Shankland's line 242 feet to the beginning."

Being the same property conveyed to F. B. Henry by Jas. P. Rogers and wife, by deed of record in the office of the Clerk of the Nicholas County Court in Deed Book No. 26, page 223.

2nd: "A certain lot of ground, with all the improvements thereon, situated in the City of Carlisle, Nicholas County, Ky., and bounded on the south by Water Street; on the west by Lot No. 138 (now owned by Ratliff), on the north by South Street, and on the east by Walnut Street, Said lot hereby conveyed is known and designated on the plat of Carlisle as Lot No. 139."

Being the same property conveyed to F. B. Henry by James George and wife, by deed of record in said office in Deed Book No. 30, page No. 168.

They will also sell at the same time certain personal property pertaining to the coal and feed business, for cash.

Said real estate will be sold free from the homestead and dower rights of the assignor, F. B. Henry, and his wife, Lida F. Henry.

The purchaser to execute bonds, if he does not pay cash, with good security, for the purchase price, payable to the Assignees, bearing 6 per cent interest from the date of sale.

The first of the above real estate named is the ten-room brick house, with two halls, occupied by F. B. Henry and family. This is an ideal home, 1 acre of ground, 2 good cisterns and all necessary outbuildings. All in first class condition and in good neighborhood.

The second is the coal yard and feed store where Mr. Henry has conducted business for the last several years. This lot has on it a large warehouse, 100 feet deep, with stables, sheds, etc., also a brick residence of 7 rooms. This is well located in every way for anyone wanting to engage in business or for an investment.

Some of the personal property to be sold is as follows:

1 one-ton chain drive truck, in A-1 condition, with stock rack.
1 new two-horse wagon, three-inch, also shafts for one horse.
2 one-horse wagons
1 coal cart
Several sets harness
2 portable scales
1 1400 pound iron safe
Desk and other office fixtures
Coal shovels and many other things too numerous to mention.

This April 24th, 1922.
Holmes & Ross,
Attorneys for Assignees.

**B. T. HENRY & JOHN HARVEY, Assignees.**

The Kentucky Court of Appeals has issued a temporary injunction against the city of Lexington to prevent further interference with court day meetings on Cheapside, Lexington.


# THE CARLISLE MERCURY.

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### COMMENT

A stitch in time, to close a rent,
One must admit is fine—
It often saves embarrassment—
But when does it "save nine?"

That a Paris hen has adopted two baby kittens gets a headline. What's strange in that? Most "chickens" are "cats."

The swarm of bees, which infested our Main street last Monday afternoon, must have heard of our new "B-Puzzle Contest," about which we believe everyone in Nicholas will soon be talking. See page 8.

The Mercury is starting with this issue a "B-Word Puzzle Contest," which we believe will prove to be popular with all of our readers, and may easily be quite profitable to those who are fortunate in finding the most words beginning with the letter "B." Just turn to the last page, of this issue and study the puzzle picture found there for a few minutes. See how many objects, the names of which begin with "B," you can discover in those few minutes. You will find it a fascinating game. You will be surprised, also, how many words will add to your vocabulary, if you become sufficiently interested to consult the dictionary. Read the instructions carefully, if you decide to try for one of the prizes. Remember, this feature is conducted by The Mercury. No out-of-town manager will have any connection with it. We will be glad to answer any questions that prospective candidates for a prize may care to ask.

John Altmeyer, aged 58 years, editor of the Maysville Bulletin, died at his home in Maysville last Thursday after a lingering illness.

Dr. J. N. McCormack, 76 years old, chairman of the State Board of Health, and one of the country's foremost physicians, died at his home in Louisville last Thursday.

### CASTS FOR SCOTTI OPERA

The famous opera La Boheme, by Giacomo Puccini, will be the offering of the Scotti Opera Company for the matinee instead of Carmen as first announced. This change was necessitated in order that certain singers have a rest between appearances.

With the beactiful opera La Boheme the well known cast will be; Orville Harrold, Louis D'Angelo, Paolo Ananian, Marie Sundelius, Sante Mandelli, Alfredo Gandolfi, Italo Picchi, Paolo Ananian, Mary Mellish, Carlo Marino.

In the presentation of L'Oracolo and Pagliacci for the evening performances the cast for L'Oracolo will be; Antonio Scotti, Italo Picchi Louis D'Angelo Armand Tokatyan Clara Burns, Francesca Peralta Henrietta Wakefield, Giordano Paltrinieri.

The cast for Pagliacci will be: Anna Fitziu, Emanuel Salazar Renato Zanelli, Giordano Paltrinieri, Alfredo Gandolfi.

Gennaro Papi will conduct the three operas.

Tickets are on sale now at the Lexington College of Music. Season tickets are sold for the two operas at a reduction in price.

A special price is also offered to students and teachers for the matinee when tickets are purchased in blocks of twenty or more.

### MORE OLD MONEY

Mr. James Dinsmore, of this city, has in his possession several old coins which doubtless would command a handsome premium from a numismatist. Among the money are two pieces of English paper money, one of the denomination of two shillings and the other of four shillings denomination.

The paper money was issued in 1772, and has the following printed matter upon it: "Issued according to the act of the General Assembly of Pennsylvania passed in the twelfth year of the Reign of His Majesty, George Third, dated this third day of April, A. D. 1772." Both of the bills are in splendid state of preservation.

Several more old coins are in Mr. Dinsmore's collection, among them being a silver piece bearing date of 1825, a penny of the same date, and a trade dollar of 1875.

This B is busy
So should you B
And win a prize
Quite easily.


## RURAL TEACHERS ELECTED BY THE COUNTY BOARD

At Meeting of County Board of Education Monday, Several Vacancies Yet To Be Filled

B. D. KNOX TRUANT OFFICER

The Nicholas County Board of Education met Monday, May 8, and elected teachers for many of the schools. State Supt. Colvin has advised that teachers be recommended by trustees. A majority of our Board heartily approves the plan. All teachers holding certificates, and who were elected, others who were recommended and do not hold proper certificates were appointed and will be duly elected when certificates have been made. The following will show schools which were filled:

Walnut Grove—No election.
Headquarters—Miss, Clara Shaw elected.
Hooktown—Mrs. Carl L. Long, elected.
Morning Glory— No election.
Saltwell—Mr. Otho Gaffin, elected.
Barterville— Primary room, Miss Grace Patrick, elected.
Small — Miss Grace Thompson, elected.
Rose Hill—Miss Robbie Richey, elected.
Sugar Creek—Mrs. Nelle Brayfield, elected.
Crayton—No election.
Barefoot—No election.
Mt. Carmel—Miss Etta McCann, elected.
Bald Hill—No election.
Banta—Mrs. F. A. Martin, elected.
Ellisville—No election.
Stony Creek—No election.
Goose Creek—E. Neville Browning, appointed.
Blue Lick—Mrs. J. W. Anderson, elected.
Hildreth — Mrs. Louise Linville, elected.
Pleasant Valley—Miss Ruth Dayton, elected.
Ishmael—Mrs Laura Pumphrey, elected.
Myers—Miss Laura Ogden, appointed; Mr. Stanley Cameron, appointed; Miss Blanche Fuller, elected.
Casiday—No election.
Locust Grove—No election.
Cane Run—No election.
Upper Lick—No election.
Mt. Zion—Miss Pearle Cassidy, elected.
Moorefield—Miss Gertrude Booth, elected; Miss Lena Hazelrigg, elected.
Bell—No election.
Maple Grove—Mr. Clarence Cassiday, elected.
Jordon—Mr. Leonard Cassiday, elected.
Wright—Miss Rena Henson, elected.
Miranda—No election.
Mt. Vernon—No election.
Henry—Miss Jane Clancy, elected.
Taylor's Creek—Miss Thelma Hamilton, prin.; Mrs. Jas. H. Stewart, elected primary.
Wilson—Mrs. John Wilson, elected.
East Union—Miss Wynona McNew, Prin. appointed; Miss Etta Kerns primary elected.
Parks—Miss Cordia Bell, appointed.
Judy—Miss Earl Botts, elected.
Miller—Miss Mayme Gore, elected.

Colored:—
Henryville—H. S. Skillman prin. elected; Clifton Prewitt, Intermediate elected; Mrs. H. S. Skillman, primary elected.
Moorefield—Florence E. Smith, elected.

Mr. B. D. Knox was elected Attendance Officer. He will devote his entire time to the schools of the county. Not only will he act as Attendance Officer, but will surpervise the schools.

County Diploma Examination will be held May 12 and 13.

Teachers Examination, May 19 and 20. Remember the dates.

Eda S. Taylor, Supt.

### 1,027 PERSONS ATTENDED SUNDAY SCHOOL SUNDAY

1,027 persons attended Sunday School at the four Carlisle protestant churches last Sunday morning, as follows: Christian, 498; Methodist, 333; Presbyterian, 105; Baptist, 91; total, 1,027.

The attendance last Sunday was an increase of 69 over the attendance on the annual Go to Sunday School Day last year, when the Carlisle Sunday Schools had 958 in attendance, divided as follows: Christian, 472; Methodist, 331; Presbyterian, 75; Baptist, 80.

The showing last Sunday is considered splendid in view of the fact that no special concentrated effort was made by the Sunday Schools.

### EXPECTS TO TAKE PAPER FOR REST OF HER LIFE

In renewing her subscription to The Mercury, Mrs. Celia Shankland, who resides at the Masonic Widows and Orphans Home, Louisville, says: "I have been in very poor health all spring and had forgotten to renew my subscription to The Mercury. I'm glad you reminded me of it. I expect to take it as long as I live. You will find check enclosed."

## "BLACK AND WHITE REVUE" ON FRIDAY AND SATURDAY

Rehearsals For Home Talent Minstrel For Benefit Of Band Being Held Every Night

MANY SEATS ALREADY SOLD

"The Black and White Revue," to be given Friday and Saturday nights, May 13 and 14, for the benefit of the Carlisle Band, is being rehearsed nightly at the Orpheum Theatre where the show is to be given and promises to be the best entertainmnt of its kind ever seen in Carlisle. The first part is "Ye Old Time Minstrel." This big opening act contains some beautiful songs as well as side splitting comedy songs and jokes.

"The Village Choir," the next act, is a quartet of comedy that makes even the police laugh. They get in for nothing and are hard to please. Then there is two big feature acts we say nothing about and leave as a surprise for those who see them. And last but not least is the act of all acts, in which an Alabama Coon, by mistake, brings a dead man to life. If you don't laugh when you see this act—see a doctor—you are in bad shape.

Mr. Carl Sinclair and Mr. Lee Wright are spending two weeks in Carlisle directing the show. Mr. Sinclair has been advance agent and business manager for a number of successful road shows and is an old hand at the game. Mr. Wright is a professional performer with quite a bit of experience and talent, having played such big-time vaudeville circuits as Keith's, Polis, etc, and has worked with the best in the minstrel business. He was formerly leading man for Beatrice LeRoy, now featured in musical comedy and stock.

The management of the show decided to give two nights in order that everyone in the city and county who desires may have an opportunity to attend. Tickets have been placed on sale at Turman's and are going fast.

A parade and band concert will be given at noon on both days of the show.

### TRIAL OF REV. WHITE AND OTHERS POSTPONED

Trials of A. N. White, former Baptist preacher at Carlisle, and Jams McDonald, 84 years old, formerly of Paris, two veterans at the Confederate Home at Pewee Valley, on charges of insubordination, were postponed indefinitely by the board of trustees at the home last Wednesday. According to Col. W. A. Milton, president of the board, they will not be tried as long as their behavior is exemplary.

A third veteran, P. B. Bohannon, 81, of Shelby county, was tried on the same general charge in October found guilty, but permitted to remain at the home on the same condition. Six Baptist ministers, women and other visitors were present for the trial, but deliberations were held behind closed doors.

The resolution setting forth the postponement also repeated the board's belief in the ability and integrity of the commandant, Col. C. L. Daugherty and his management.

### DEEDS AND TRANSFERS

Th following deeds and transfers have been recorded in the county clerk's office the past week:

John Henry Ammerman to Hiram Jones 20.89 acres near Hooktown.

T. F. Dotson to J. R. Miller, 13 acres on Tanner's Branch.

J. R. Miller to T. F. Dotson, 23.-25 acres on Tanner's Branch.

R. L. Boone to Martha Boyd, 4 acres and 10 poles near Carlisle.

M. M. Snapp to Bettie A. Snapp, 1 acre at Headquarters.

F. M. Bishop and wife to Willie W. Scott, 29 acres and 9 poles near Panther Creek pike.

Mary Mathias to J. L. Stamper, lot on East Main street.

### OWINGSVILLE HIGH BEATS CARLISLE HIGH 16-15

In a game of base ball that belonged to either side until the final out in the last inning, the Owingsville high school base ball team defeated the Carlisle high nine at Jackson's park last Friday afternoon by a score of 16 to 15.

The game was featured by heavy slugging on both sides. Errors made by the Carlisle team when they counted lost the game. An easy fly in the eighth inning muffed by Walden allowed two men to score, giving Owingsville a lead of two, which Carlisle was unable to fully overcome.

The local team did not show up in its usual good form, errors being marked up against practically every one on the team.

Prof. Martin's boys are a hard working outfit, and at many times when it looked as if they were up against it they pulled themselves out of bad places and came to the front.

Gaunce, Carlisle high's pitcher, and Johnson, pitcher for the visitors, both pitched good games and deserve special mention.

The Campbell-Bailey Hutchison Circus will show in Mt. Sterling on May 29.

## BIG CASH PRIZES TO BE GIVEN IN MERCURY PUZZLE

Mercury's Bee Hive Puzzle Contest Begins This Week. Six Prizes To Be Awarded

CONTEST CLOSES JUNE 20TH

The Mercury this week presents a cleverly worked out word picture game for the edification of its readers. To add zest to the game, we are offering the cash prizes listed under the picture.

There is no game of chance about this picture puzzle. It is a test of good eye and quick wits. And the beauty about it is that the fellow with a lot of book learning doesn't stand more show than the fellow with only a practical education in the school of hard knocks. The former may know, in an abstract way, the existence of many things; but the latter knows a "bullhead" when he sees it. So there you are.

A any rate, when they get through with the puzzle they will both have increased their vocabulary and their knowledge of things "b." From an educational standpoint they will be ahead. This should be especially attractive to school students and teachers, but in the end they have no more chance than the man or woman who never saw inside of a school room.

From a financial standpoint entrants cannot lose even if they win no prize. They should have The Mercury anyway. Incidentally, The Mercury should get quite a number of new subscribers this way—also a very desirable result of the game.

While it is not necessary to send in a new subscription or renewal with your list of words, it will be found that it is much more profitable to do so. For instance, if two one year subscriptions are sent in with the answer, the winner of the first prize will receive $25 in cash. If only one subscription is sent in the first prize will be $15 in cash, while if no subscriptions are sent in he first prize will be only $3 in cash. It will be seen, therefore, that the logical thing to do is to send in at least one subscription with your answer. If you are already taking The Mercury and have your subscription paid up, you have some neighbor who should get The Mercury. See him and send in two dollars for his subscription for one year when you return your answer.

Renewals on subscription will only count where the time of the subscriber has expired, and in this case will be given the same credit as a new subscription.

Be sure and read the announcement on page eight of this issue. Complete instructions, together with the puzzle, are given. Begin working now and send in the list any time between now and the time the contest closes.

The Mercury decided to give its readers this contest only after a thorough examination of the merits of the proposition. It does not cost one cent to enter and absolutely no partiality will be shown in the contest.

We want it clearly understood from the beginning that this contest is conducted by The Mercury and not through a contest company. In this way we assume all responsibility and feel that better results and more general satisfaction will prevail.

The contest positively closes Tuesday, June 20, 1922. Lists received after that date will be given no consideration. There are less than six weeks in which to work on the puzzle. So clip out the picture and get busy today. You will find the puzzle-picture on the back page of this issue.

### LEXINGTON SENIOR HIGH TO PLAY HERE FRIDAY

Friday, May 12, the local team will stack up against the "Blue Devils," of Lexington Senior High at Jackson's field. The "Blue Devils" won the national championship in basket ball, defeating the best teams in the country. There will be five of these champions on the team which will journey to Carlisle Friday.

Elmore or Gaunce will take the mound for the locals, while McFarland, picked as the best forward in the United States, will probably twirl for Senior high. The game will be called promptly at 3 o'clock. Provision will be made to keep the crowd back from the lines.

Gossip and moonshine whisky are blamed for a battle at a mining camp near Middlesboro last Thursday in which two men and a woman were killed.

### HOW TO SPELL "CASIDAY"

For years we folks at The Mercury office have been uncertain as to the spelling of "Casiday Creek." Correspondents have spelt it with all variations possible — "Casidy, Cassidy, Cassiday, Cassity, etc.

Mr. Gilby Myers informed us Monday that the correct spelling is "Casiday."

The creek, which empties into Licking near the old Parks Ferry was named in honor of Col. Michael J. Casiday, soldier in the Revolutionary War, whose body now lies in an unmarked grave in the old burying ground on the Gilby Myers farm. This graveyard, which is on a bluff overlooking Licking river was once the site of a church, to which early settlers came in canoes to worship. It is located in a corner of the grant of 3,500 acres made to Col. Casiday in what was then the State of Virginia.

### MOTHER'S DAY TO BE OBSERVED NEXT SUNDAY

Next Sunday, May 14, will be observed in the Sunday Schools throughout Kentucky as "Mother's Day," and the various Sunday Schools of the county are preparing appropriate programs for the occasion.

On this day it is customary to wear a carnation in honor of the best friend you ever had, a red one for the more fortunate persons whose mother is still with them and a white one in honor of the mother who has gone to the better land.

A special effort is to be made to have a large attendance at all of the Sunday Schools Sunday to do honor to "mother."

"If I were hanged on the highest hill,
Mother o'mine, O mother o'mine!
I know whose love would follow me still,
Mother o'mine, O mother o'mine.

If I were drowned in the deepest sea,
Mother o'mine, O mother o'mine!
I know whose tears would come down to me,
Mother o'mine, O mother o'mine.

If I were damned of body and soul,
Mother o'mine, O mother o'mine!
I know whose tears would make me whole,
Mother o'mine, O mother o'mine.

### BARN OF T. S. ROBERTSON NEAR BETHEL, BURNED

The tobacco and stock barn of T. S. Robertson, of near Bethel, 55 by 105 feet, together with four work mules, gears, harness and agricultural implements were a total loss by fire on last Wednesday morning between 5 and 6 o'clock. Origin of the fire is unknown. The loss was about $5,000.

## SATURDAY, MAY 20, TO BE JUBILEE DAY IN CARLISLE

Second Distribution of Funds of Burley Marketing Association To Be Made To Growers

OVER $280,000 TO BE PAID

Saturday, May 20, will go down in history as being one of the happiest, if not the biggest, day in the history of Carlisle. On this day about 1800 members of the Burley Cooperative Marketing Association in Nicholas county will be paid the second advance on their crop. The second advance will be the same as paid to growers when their crop was delivered and will amount to about $300,000 in this county.

Checks will be sent to Herdy Myers, county chairman, who is in charge of the arrangements for paying members. Large tables will be placed in the court house yard and a large corps of clerks will be present to deliver the checks.

In order to get his money, each grower must bring his participating certificate and register his name and address when the check is delivered.

Arrangements are being made for a banner day in Carlisle. A prominent speaker will likely be on hand to address the citizens and there will probably be a band concert. Full announcement of the program will be given in next week's issue.

The electoral board of Nicholas county has issued the following notice to members:

The Burley Tobacco Growers Cooperative Marketing Association will make a distribution Saturday, May 20, of an amount equal to advance made at the time of delivery of tobacco. It is best for the grower to come in person, as the clerks are instructed to take the name and address of each participant as the check is given out.

Come and join with your fellow tobacco growers in celebration of our wonderful success as an organization.

B. T. Henry
W. F. Clark
Forrest Dalzell
Herdy Myers

## CIRCUIT COURT ADJOURNS UNTIL MONDAY, MAY 15

All Of Civil Docket And Part Of Criminal Docket Yet To Be Disposed Of

11 INDICTMENTS RETURNED

The May term of the Nicholas circuit court adjourned last Thursday afternoon until Monday, May 15, after being in session for four days. The adjournment was made necessary on account of the illness of Attorney Jno. P. McCartney, of Flemingsburg, who is attorney in several cases yet to be tried.

Ernest Cameron was tried on Thursday on five counts charging him with violation of the prohibition laws. He was found not guilty on four of the charges, but on the other the jury found him guilty and fixed his punishment at $50 fine and 10 days in jail.

Bryan Sosby was fined $200 and 60 days in jail on a charge of having whisky in his possession. He will also be required to give a bond of $1,000 to keep the peace. This case was appealed to the circuit court from police court and the punishment was doubled. In police court Sosby was fined $100 and given 30 days in jail.

The grand jury Thursday afternoon and made the following report:

"We, the grand jury of Nicholas county, at the May term, 1922, have been in session four days, having examined 33 witnesses and have found 11 indictments.

"We have examined all public buildings and have found them in clean, neat and good condition.

"We recommend that the next grand jury require Magistrates of Nicholas county to report to the court.

"We hereby thank all officers of Nicholas county for their courtesy and the attorneys for their advice while we have been in session.

"S. W. Hopkins, foreman."

### COMMENCEMENT WEEK WILL START SUNDAY NIGHT

The annual commencement exercises of the Carlisle high school will start Sunday night and will continue throughout the week.

On Sunday evening at 7:30 o'clock, in the city school auditorium, Rev. W. S. Maxwell, pastor of the local Methodist church, will deliver the baccalaureate sermon to the graduating class. The congregations of the various churches will be dismissed to give everyone a chance to attend this service.

The first three days of next week will be taken up with examinations.

The eighth grade graduation exercises will be held in the city school chapel Wednesday afternoon, May 17.

On Thursday evening, May 18, at 8 o'clock, the Senior class will present their play, "Engaged by Wednesday."

This play is a three-act comedy, which you will enjoy from start to finish. Miss Frances Tureman and Oliver Lambert will take the leading roles, supported by the rest of the class. The play is under the direction of Miss Norvell, principal of the high school, who, for several years, has watched successful class plays. Tickets will be on sale at Tureman's drug store Monday afternoon. The price of tickets will be 35c and 25 cents. All seats are reserved. Show your appreciation of this excellent class by attending this play.

Friday morning, May 19, the grades will assemble in the school auditorium, at which time certificates of honor and attendance certificates will be given. An interesting program will be rendered by the grades.

On Friday evening, May 19, Dr. Crooks, of Centre College, Danville, will deliver the commencement address to the graduating class. Prof. Duke W. Young will deliver the diplomas to the fourteen members of the graduation class.

Immediately after the graduation exercises, the Carlisle High School Alumni Association will give a banquet and reception to the graduates in the Masonic hall. The tickets for the banquet have been placed on sale at Tureman's drug store, Hopkins drug store, and S. K. Veach's clothing store. All members of the alumni association who expect to attend will confer a favor upon the committee by purchasing tickets at once so the committee will know how many to prepare for. All members are requested to send their annual dues, 25 cents, to Mrs. Jim Will Martin, secretary.

### TO TRANSPORT DONATIONS FREE TO FLOOD SUFFERERS

W. B. Stewart, local agent for the American Express Company, has received the following letter from hadquarters of the company:

"It has been decided that in the interest of the suffering on the Mississippi River in Mississippi, we will transport free of charge shipments of donated clothing and other supplies to outside concerns when consigned to recognized organized relief committees. Please be governed accordingly until otherwise instructed."

## POPULATION OF TOWN IN 1825 WAS ABOUT 500

Plow and Scraper Ordered To Be Used On Streets. Second Taxation Shows $120,000 Valuation

FIRST CIRCUS HERE IN 1825

(Continued from last week.)

We now move forward one step and enter upon our third period in the history of Carlisle. At a meeting of the Board of Trustees held March 28, 1825, it was "ordered that Jacob Leer be appointed to prepare a scraper for the city of Carlisle." It does not appear exactly what the scraper was for, but we have no doubt Uncle Jake would have gladly employed it to scrape the backs of Jones, Smith and Brown, the recalcitrant citizens who had defied him in his ordinance against piling wood on the streets.

On the 19th day of April, 1825, the second valuation of town property was returned, and amounted to nearly $120,000. This was a gain since the first assessment in 1822 of $12,000. A list of those liable to capitation tax had been returned a short time before and amounted to seventy-one. Assuming this to be one-sixth of the total number, would give 426. Add to this probably seventy-five slaves, and the total population of the town in 1825 was about 500.

At the same meeting last named, it was "ordered that Greenberry Ross prepare and furnish a plow suitable and fit for plowing the streets and alleys in the town of Carlisle."

At a called meeting of the board on Thursday, May 5, 1825, it was "ordered that Cargil & Company pay a tax of five dollars for leave to exhibit theatrical performances the present evening, and three dollars for every succeeding evening, and that Redding Roberts collect the same."

We suppose that Uncle Jake and Peter had, by this time, grown weary of combatting the rapidly increasing tastes of the people, for the frivolous amusements of the outside world, and wisely concluded to admit them all for the sake of the revenue brought into the town treasury. It might be a matter of interest to know where all such exhibition were held in 1825. We will say for the benefit of the curious that the dining room of the afterwards Saint Cloud Hotel and the court house were the only two places in the town where they could be held. Small shows were usually seen at the hotel, and the larger ones at the court house.

In June, 1825, the first regular caravan of living animals made its entree into the streets of Carlisle. The Trustees imposed a tax of only two dollars a day on the managers for exhibiting it. It was customary then to travel the elephants by night, as they were regarded as too big a curiosity to be seen without pay. The elephant, on this occasion, was ushered in after midnight, and safely housed in the large stable then attached to the hotel. By daylight streams of people began pouring in to see the great sight, and there were from fifty to one hundred men and boys at each and every crack of the stable, trying to get a glimpse of the elephant.

When the grand entree was made, with the band of music at the head, the excitement rose to fever heat, and an eager throng of more than a thousand people rushed after the caravan pell-mell, each trying to secure the first ticket of admission to the exhibition.

On the first Monday in August, the following new Board of Trustees was elected: E. F. Chappell, George Robinson, T. M. Stephenson, James Dudley and Thomas Hadden.

At the August election during this year, it seems that a large quantity of mean whisky had been sold on the public square and in the stalls of the market house. The result was a general row all around the square. Some two or three dozen were stripped for fight, as was the custom then, at the close of the three days election. We suppose Henry Dampier, "Black Hawk" Myers, Drury Jones, Uncle Bob Elliott and all the other nose smashers, were on hand and frightened the town women into hysterics.

At all events, an earnest protest was made by the citizens at the meeting of the Town Board held August 18, 1825. It was "Resolved, by the Trustees of the Town of Carlisle, that hereafter they will strictly enforce the general law of the land concerning tippling houses and the selling of spirituous liquors without license upon the public square or at the market house in said town."

The year 1825 must have been a memorable one for shows, for on the 31st of August we find that the Board "Ordered that Mr. Palm pay the sum of four dollars in specie for leave to exhibit his wax figures, etc., in the town of Carlisle for one week, and that he pay the same into the hands of John Dudley, who is authorized to receipt for same." As commonwealth's paper was then at fearful discount, we suppose that Uncle Jake wisely concluded to bring Mr. Palm directly to terms.

(To be continued)

### 30 YEARS AGO

Thursday, May 12, 1892

Jno. G. Blair and Robert Barr attended Peoples party convention at Maysville Saturday.

S. A. Ratliff announces as candidate for Sheriff of Nicholas county, with Robt. P. Sparks as deputy.

Dr. H. M. Scudder returns from Pine Bluff, Ark., where he has just closed a very successful protracted meeting.

"The electric light plant engine has arrived and, barring accidents, the current will be turned on Saturday night."

Thomas Booth, of near Miranda, kicked in the face by a colt, sustaining a fractured jaw bone and other injuries.

While on her way to church Sunday morning, Mrs. James S. Huff suffers paralytic stroke and is in a serious condition.

"Mrs. Cresia Baxter, of this county, mother of E. D. Baxter, is very low. She is now in her 86th year and has lived on the same farm all her life.

In a popularity contest given by the Lyon Comedy Co. at Mozart Hall Thursday night, Miss Mamie Frey was awarded the prize for the most popular young lady present, and B. H. Robinson was awarded the prize for the most popular young man present.

### 20 YEARS AGO

Thursday, May 15, 1902

Old Settlers meeting to be held on June 14 this year.

Misses Ida Howard and Maude Dacres attending May Festival in Cincinnati.

Married—Miss Lettie Howard and Mr. W. H. Fitzpatrick, both of Myers, on the 15th.

Machinery for the new laundry arrives and the plant will be put in operation in a few days.

Circuit court enters third week of session. Grand jury adjourns after returning five indictments.

Dr. Jno. B. Glenn returns home from Cincinnati Friday night, having graduated from the Ohio Dental College.

Rev. A. N. White returns from Lexington, where he has been in a hospital for several months. He is much improved in health.

Died—Mr. Geo. W. Smith, 54, at his home at Jackstown on the 3rd. —Mr. John Kerns, 22, at the home of his father on the 6th.—Infant of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Vinson, near this city, on the 12th.

Born—To Mr. and Mrs. Charles Raidley, a son.—To Mr. and Mrs. Emanuel Crump, of the county, on the 11th, a daughter.—To Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Poore, of Montana, formerly of this city, a son.—To Dr. and Mrs. George B. Spencer, on the 11th, a son.

Citizens Electric Light and Power Co. of Carlisle incorporated, with a capitalization of $10,000 and purchase the electric light plant. Following officers elected: G. E. Smith, president; W. B. Ratliff, vice president; H. M. Taylor, secretary; Jno. N. Ross, treasurer; Boone Ingels, manager.

### 44 YEARS AGO

Thursday, May 16, 1878

"Adair & Brewington received 24,000 pounds of lake ice last week and ready to cool off the town."

At the baby show in Piper's hall county court day, the twins of Mr. and Mrs. John McIntyre carried off the prize.

"The wife of Mr. John Gardner, of this county, has a calico quilt made by herself which contains 14,745 pieces.

Mrs. R. S. Beck, Mrs. Horace Taylor, Mrs. Dr. Adair, Mrs. S. A. Berry, Miss Fannie Henry and W. T. Henry attending the May Festival in Cincinnati.

At the annual election of officers of Carlisle Commandery, Knights Templar, the following officers were elected: J. A. Chappell, E. C.; T. J. Glenn, G.; H. C. Metcalfe, C. G.; Morris Evans, Prl.; G. W. Adair, S. W.; H. C. Reed, J. W.; W. O. Saunders, Treas.; W. W. Howard, Rec.; William Norton, S. W.; Thos. Johnson, W.; Robert Kincart, Sen.

At Tompkinsville last week, the body of Mrs. Louisa Evans was found with the head severed. Two suspects were arrested and taken to Jackson, Tenn., for safe keeping when mob rumors were heard.