THE CARLISLE MERCURY

NEGRO BOY DOES STUNTS

Lexington, Ky.—Harry Waller, 13, negro of Fregtown, village in this county, attracted attention because of ghostly manifestations at his little home. He talks with "Job," presumably Job of Biblical history, then there are rocks which fall on roofs of houses thrown by an unseen hand; griddle cakes which jump from the top of a hot stove and fly through the air; buckets which leap from the floor and turn over in mid-air, spilling their contents, are among other mysterious happenings, all from an unseen power.

Harry, in the presence of his family holds conversation with a voice which seems to issue from the air above him. Recently this voice ordered Green Waller, father of Harry, to buy the boy a bicycle. Next day Waller bought the wheel. Some say a handful of silver money dropped from the ceiling, the negroes say and dropped at Harry's feet.

The villagers are frightened almost out of their wits.

Note: "I sent two of my best reporters to this house and they substantiated this story from various sources," says the managing editor of the Lexington Leader.

ORPHANAGES

That 500,000 children in the United States live in orphanages and poor houses under conditions "worse than those in the poorest homes," is the deplorable condition described by Secretary of Labor Davis. He brands his condition as "inhuman" and believes that the majority of the present day criminals are recruited among such ranks.

Poor houses and orphanages, as Secretary Davis suggests, cannot be abolished. They are integral parts of our present day congested society. Nor at the same time can all such institutions listed in Secretary Davis' category. But the great majority of them can be improved. If the orphanages in America house half a million children, it certainly must be fertile field for educational work, an opportunity for the federal government or the respective states to eliminate propitious breeding places of crime and in their places put firm foundations for good Americanism.

... to DIE WHEN TRAIN GOES THROUGH BRIDGE

40 people lost their lives last Thursday when a Chicago, Burlington and Quincy passenger train went through a bridge over Cole creek, near Casper, Wyoming.

The stream, ordinarily dry during the summer, was swollen into a raging torrent by rains of the day before and the roar of the rushing water over the coaches could be heard for three miles.

STUDEBAKER WINS PIKE'S PEAK HILL CLIMBING CONTEST

Charles H. Myers in Big-Six Establishes Record Time Over Hazardous Route

Winning Studebaker, 1921 Model, was Rebuilt After Being Badly Damaged in a Fire

Charles H. Myers, of Colorado Springs, Colorado, driving a 1921 Studebaker Big-Six, won event No. 2 in the recent annual Pike's Peak national hill climb.

The race was over a course of 12 miles with a climb of 2,000 feet. Myers' time for the distance, 19 minutes 21-2-5 seconds, is the fastest time ever made over the route by cars with a minimum weight of 2,000 pounds.

The competing cars were divided into three classes governed by weight and piston displacement. The Big-Six was entered in class three, which was open to cars with motors having a piston displacement of 300 cubic inches and over, and minimum weight of 2,000 pounds.

Many high powered racing cars and experienced drivers were entered. Before the race Myers was not considered as a possible winner by the large crowd which thronged the course. It was evident, however, as the powerful Studebaker dashed to the front at the first quarter, that the "dark horse" would finish among the leaders.

The victory of this Big-Six is all the more remarkable because of the unusual conditions under which it competed and the hazardous route covered.

Eight months ago this Big-Six was wrecked in Pueblo, Colorado, and was so badly damaged by fire that it was not considered worth repairing. Myers, however, rebuilt the stock motor, using light pistons and rings and a stock cam shaft. After making only six adjustments on the original design he was satisfied to enter it against factory entries and special cars of various makes.

A member of the techinal board, which inspects all automobiles the day previous to the race, made the statement that the Studebaker was the nearest stock car which contested in the event.

Although this was Myers' first race, he displayed the skill of an experienced driver—taking the sharp turns and steep inclines at a speed that would have done justice to a champion. His efforts were rewarded when he crossed the finish line with a lead of one minute and a half over his nearest competitor.

Myers won a purse of $500 for the fastest time in his class; honors for the second fastest time regardless of class, and the fourth fastest time that has ever been made over the route. He also holds the record for cars of this weight, viz: 2,000 pounds, there being no weight limit in past years.

Regardless of the gruelling test to which it had been put, the Studebaker Big-Six was in splendid condition after the race. Myers was enthusiastic over its performance and intends to enter it again next year. He expects not only to duplicate his feat but hopes to lower the record for the distance.

SMITH FAMILY REUNION

On Sunday, August 26th, the descendants of Bobbie and Polly Snodgrass Smith, one time prominent people of the Republican neighborhood, met near the Indian Creek church for a reunion and picnic.

The children of this worthy couple were Wesley B., Will, R. C., and Nattie, who married Dr. Dora, of Mattoon, Ill. All of these have long since passed over the Great Divide, but were represented by the following children and grand children: Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Robertson, their daughter, Mrs. Felix Blanford, and Mr. Blanford, of Louisville; Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Maffett, Mr. and Mrs. Fnelton Reed and son, Bobbie; Mr. and Mrs. V. L. Barton and son, Earl Barton, wife and sons, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Smith and their children, Forrest and John Smith, Mrs. W. H. Hardy, Mrs. Will Collier, Mrs. Jess Brown and Mrs. Franklin Conway and their families.

Other grand children present with their families were: Bob, Homer, Wesley, Sam, Orie and Baker Smith, Mrs. David Booth, Mrs. Pumphrey and Mrs. Jas. Burroughs. It was remarkable that all of the living descendants of Wesley Smith, familiarly known as "Uncle Wes," sixty in all, were present, even to the fifth generation. His family included also, Col. John F. Morgan, of Carlisle, a nephew, whom he and his wife raised from boyhood.

At the noon hour a buffet dinner of all the good things dear to the heart of "picnickers" was served to the 98 present in the beautiful woods the use of which was so kindly given by Mrs. Nancy Bailey and son.

Other guests were a cousin, Mrs. Nora Scrivner, Rev. and Mrs. Turner and father, of Morning Glory. It was regretted that so many were absent, owing to illness and the distance of their homes.

It seems especially appropriate that this meeting be held at Indian Creek, where so many of this family made the good confession and in past and present time have served in the work of this splendid church.—Cynthiana Democrat.

PRESBYTERIAN BRANCHES MAKE NO MOVE TO UNITE

No mention of any plan for merging the two churches was made when the Northern and Southern Presbyterian Synods of Kentucky met in joint session at Maysville last Thursday. Discussion centered on plans for evangelistic campaigns throughout the state.

Each year thirty Americans consume 4,000,000,000 bottles of soft drinks.

One of the largest aluminum bearing deposits in the world has been discovered near Topolesa, Hungary.

COMMISSIONER'S SALE

Nicholas Circuit Court

Dan P. Thomas, etc. Plaintiffs

Vs. Advertisement of Sale

O. S. Kash, etc. Defendants

By virtue of a judgment and order of sale rendered by the Nicholas circuit court in the above styled action at its regular May term of court, 1923, I shall proceed to offer for sale at the court house door in Carlisle, Kentucky, on Monday, October 8th, 1923, on or about one o'clock p. m., upon a credit of six and twelve months the following described property, to wit:

A certain tract or parcel of land, with all the improvements thereon lying on the waters of Somerset creek in Nicholas county, Ky., and bounded and described as follows: Beginning at a point in the center of the Moorefield and Carlisle Model turnpike road corner to Jones; thence with the center of same N 82 W 5.88 chs; N 78 W 3.85 chs., to a point in the center of same, a corner to Mrs. Blake; thence with her line S 11 W 24.90 chs., to a fence post N 84 W 3.35 chs., to a fence post; S 9 W 3.33 chs. to a fence post corner to Allison, thence with Allison's line S 10.71 chs., to a gate post on the ridge S 4 W with a wire fence, or nearly so, 16.88 chs., to a fence post corner to Mrs. McClure, thence with her line S 80 E 7.56 chs., to an old set stone S 82 E 15.89 chs. to a fence post corner to Stone, thence with Stone's line N 7 E 23.5 chs. to a stake below fence, a corner to Jones, thence with Jones several lines N 80¾ W 8 chs., N 81½ W 8.22 chs. to a fence post; N 10 E 27.72 chs. to a coffee bean tree at the barn lot, thence around the barn lot S 75 E 3.88 chs. to a fence post, N 9 E 4.71 chs. to the beginning containing eighty and ninty three one hundredths (80.93) acres, a portion of the above described property being the same property conveyed to James B. Thomas by D. R. Thomas' heirs by Commr. deed dated Dec. 9th, 1872 and recorded in Deed Book No. 7, Page No. 4 Nicholas County Court Clerk's office.

This sale is made for the purpose of realizing the sum of $5,395, with interest thereon from March, 1920, at the rate of six percentum per annum, subject however to a credit of $161.85 of date March 1st, 1922, and also the further sum of $5,395, with interest thereon from March 1st, 1920, subject however to a credit of date March 1st, 1922 of $161.85. And the further sum of $212.55 court costs and the sum of $109.35 taxes due for year 1923, against said land. Taxes for year 1924 $———. Or so much of said property as may be necessary to sell to pay said debts, interests and costs. The purchaser must execute bond bearing legal interest from the date of sale until paid, said bonds to have the force and effect of a replevin bond on which execution may issue. Bidders must be prepared to comply promptly with these terms.

Conley & McCartney, Attys. for Plaintiffs.

U. M. SWINFORD, M. C. N. C. C.

It Takes Lots of Money To Run A Railroad

Few people—even good business men—know the tremendous amount of money it takes to run a railroad. The items of equipment, extensions, upkeep and operation make a total far greater than the casual estimate that would be made by those uninformed as to railroading; and the item of taxes is one which is generally overlooked entirely.

The railroads of this country have not been getting enough money from traffic earnings to meet expenses and provide for the extensions and improvements in service which the public demands and has a right to expect. The railroads must have more money, in order to meet the ... improvements; and, to get this money they must have the confidence and co-operation of the public. The L. & N. Railroad joins the other railroads in asking that you consider the facts in the case before reaching any unwarranted conclusions based on wrong information. We are giving you the facts in these newspaper advertisements. Please read them.

"ARE YOU THERE?"

The Englishman says, "Are you there?" when answering the telephone. The average American answers with "Hello!" Both are wrong. Hello, who's this, and what do you want? like "Are you there?" are time killing and annoying phrases that only help to slow down the service. Answer your telephone by saying, "This is Brown & Co. Mr. Smith speaking," and doubtless you will hear in reply, "Good morning, Mr. Smith, this is Mr. Jones." Try out this plan. It's a good one.

The Nicholas Home Telephone Co.
INCORPORATED

TIMOTHY SEED!

JUST ARRIVED-- A carload of Timothy Seed. Prices have advanced since our purchase and we are in position to quote you a very low price.

COAL

We think it a good time to buy your winter coal. Our brands are DIXIE GEM, PIONEER BLOCK, DUDLEY NO. 4.

Ratliff Bros. Co.

Ready for quick application in an inexpensive way, because they come in roll form—

Ready for your selection, because a style and a weight have been provided to meet every roofing need for temporary or permanent buildings—

Ready for every kind of weather or condition—resistant to sun, snow, rain, ice, gas, smoke, wind, fumes or cinders—

Ready because they are right.

"A Roof for Every Building"

Ratliff Bros. Company
Carlisle, Ky.

Have you shined your shoes today with 2 in 1 Shoe Polish

It improves your personal appearance and saves the leather.

For Black, White, Tan, Brown and Ox-blood Shoes

F. F. Dalley Company Inc. Buffalo, N. Y.

A Letter From a Friend

Isn't it fine to get a letter from an old friend you thought had forgotten you?

The other day we had a letter from Mrs. T—— who now lives in Oklahoma. She referred to her childhood in Ohio and her pleasant remembrance of Mabley's—the "Good Store."

It made us all feel good to get a letter like that. Thanks. Mrs. T——.

The Mabley and Carew Co.
CINCINNATI

On crisp green lettuce, cool fresh fruit or cold vegetables—French Dressing—the simplest and yet quite the most sophisticated of all salad dressings.

6 tablespoonfuls of Wesson Oil
2 tablespoonfuls of lemon juice or vinegar
½ teaspoonful of salt
A few grains each of paprika and pepper
Stir Well!

Add a little chopped onion or cheese or the crumbled yolk of a hard boiled egg or chives or mustard or Worcestershire Sauce or any seasoning, to give this dressing a new relish whenever you want a change.

For Delicious French Dressing

Wesson Oil is so pure, clear and light in color that it would be mighty pretty in a glass bottle. Have you ever wondered why, then, we put it in a tin can? The fact is that sunlight—or daylight for that matter—gradually spoils the delicate flavor of an oil. Would you rather have a plain tin can full of the finest oil you ever tasted—and the most delicate in flavor—or a handsome bottle of oil that wasn't as good as we know how to make it? You vote for the tin can, of course. So do we.

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STATE BRIEFS

701,754 barrels of crude oil were produced in Kentucky during August.

This week has been designated as fire prevention week by Governor Morrow.

Date for the execution of Frank Thomas, Louisville slayer, was fixed at December 8.

Mike Wink, 72, father of ten children, suicided by hanging himself in a barn at his home near Owensboro Monday.

Practically all of the $10,000 stock in the new Mt. Sterling country club has been subscribed and the project is assured.

Mrs. Elizabeth Power, of Maysville, was probably fatally injured in an automobile wreck near Georgetown, Ohio, last Friday.

Georgetown will vote on the question of issuing bonds to the amount of $130,000 for the purpose of installing a light and water plant.

Virgil Chapman, candidate for Congress from the Seventh district, has been admitted to practice law before the United States Supreme Court.

A spider bite on the hand, from which blood poisoning developed, caused the death of Catherine Smith, two years old, of Marion county last week.

1439 acres of the Hereford farms, the home of the late Col. E. H. Taylor, Jr., near Frankfort, was sold Monday at an average of $205 per acre.

Judge Walter Evans, of Louisville, federal judge for western Kentucky, announced Tuesday that he will retire from the bench not later than January 1.

Arthur D. Allen, of Louisville, has been elected president of the Kentucky Good Roads Association to succeed W. A. Montgomery, of Elizabethtown, who resigned.

183 defendants will face trial during the present term of the Nelson circuit court, which convened at Bardstown Monday, on charges of violation of the prohibition laws.

In the Grant circuit court at Williamstown last week, Harry Smith, 17 years old, was found guilty of an attack on a young girl and sentenced to two years in the penitentiary.

At Louisville Friday, Harry Stephany, 6 years old, was struck by a truck and so badly mangled that amputation of both hands and both legs was necessary. Physicians say he may recover.

Carl Webster, 7 years old, had the thumb and forefinger of his left hand blown off by the accidental discharge of a shotgun with which he was playing at the home of his parents in Winchester Saturday.

A tribute to James Campbell Cantrill and his works as a public servant have been expressed in resolutions passed by the Kentucky State Society of Washington, of which the fallen leader was a member.

Involuntary bankruptcy proceedings have been instituted against the Green River Jockey Club, operating the Dade Park race track at Henderson. Liabilities were listed at $237,400.47, while the assets were listed as "unknown."

James Vititoe, 25, son of a former sheriff of Nelson county, was shot and seriously wounded last Friday by Tom Greenwell, 34, at the latter's home near Bardstown. It is alleged Greenwell objected to Vititoe's attentions to his thirteen year old daughter.

A surgical charity service, as a memorial to Dr. Woolfolk Barrow, killed in an automobile accident two months ago, will be established in St. Joseph's hospital, Lexington, by his father, Dr. David Barrow, of Lexington, one of Kentucky's leading surgeons.

A petition signed by Rev. Father Gerald Connolly, pastor of the St. James Catholic church in Brooksville, was presented to the Bracken fiscal court last week requesting that the Ku Klux Klan organization in that county be disbanded. Action on the matter was deferred.

Price Innes McLean, 20, died at the Good Samaritan hospital Sunday night from injuries sustained about the head in a football game between the University of Kentucky and the University of Cincinnati at Cincinnati Saturday. McLean was a member of the U. K. eleven.

Clark county banks must pay state taxes on an assessment of 80 per cent of their book value, according to a decision rendered by Judge W. R. Shackelford in the Clark circuit court at Winchester, on a case appealed by three banks of that county. The lower courts had ruled that the banks must be assessed at 100 per cent.

JURY EXONERATES WALTER CROCKETT

Sharpsburg Youth Acquitted In Bath Court For Killing Everett Stanfield

OCCURRED ON MAY 4TH

After only about fifteen minutes deliberation, the jury trying Walter Allen Crockett, Sharpsburg, charged with manslaughter in connection with the slaying of Everett Stanfield, of Moorefield, this county, returned a verdict of not guilty.

Stanfield, who was about sixteen years of age, died from injuries inflicted by Crockett at the school grounds in Sharpsburg on May 4. With other members of the Moorefield high school ball team he had gone to Sharpsburg to play in a base ball game with Sharpsburg high school.

Shortly before the schedule time of the game, Stanfield and a younger brother of Crockett are said to have had an argument, and Stanfield made a remark which Crockett resented, it is said.

Crockett, it is said, struck Stanfield, knocking him to the ground. In the fall he sustained a fracture of the skull, which caused his death several hours later. Stanfield was removed to the home of his parents after the occurrence.

Walter Allen Crockett is about 20 years old. He is the son of Mr. J. R. Crockett, prominent Bath county farmer. He is a graduate of the Sharpsburg high school and attended the University of Kentucky last year. Following the slaying he surrendered to the Bath county authorities and was released on bond. He was indicted for manslaughter at the June term of the Bath circuit court.

Young Stanfield was the son of Mr. and Mrs. John Stanfield, of the Moorefield vicinity, and was a student in the Moorefield high school. He was the oldest of a large family of children.

The case was called for trial in the Bath circuit court last Thursday and consumed most of the day. The trial took place four months to the day of the slaying.

A large number o Moorefield citizens attended the trial.

VICTORY SEEN IN STATE BY DEMOCRATIC PARTY

Reports from the registration in Kentucky last week continue to enthuse the Democrats and point to the election of William J. Fields by an overwhelming majority. Almost every county in which a registration was held reports have shown an increased Democratic registration, with a corresponding Republican decrease.

These gains are not confined to any one section of the state. They are reported everywhere.

DR. COWAN ELECTED OFFICER OF B. Y. P. U.

Dr. G. T. Cowan, of this city, was elected third vice president of the Baptist Young Peoples Union Association at the closing session of the annual convention at Frankfort last Friday. Other officers elected for the ensuing year were: President, George M. Jewell, of Georgetown; vice president, Miss Adelia Hammond, of Frankfort; second vice president, Jas. Carroll, of Versailles; reporter, Frank Ogden, of Winchester; choirister, Rev. G. B. Crawford, of Lexington; secretary-treasurer, Miss Amy Perry, of Stamping Ground.

SWEET POTATOES NOT HURT BY A FREEZE IF VINES CUT

Sweet potato digging soon will be under way throughout Kentucky and if a freeze should come before the entire crop is harvested growers can avoid heavy losses in the stored tubers by cutting off the vines just before or after the frost, according to A. J. Olney, a member of the horticultural department at the College of Agriculture. In tests at the college experiment station there was no loss from rotting of the stored tubers when the vines were taken off immediately before or after a freeze, but 88 per cent of them rotted when the vines were left on for five days following a frost. The experiments also showed that there was more rotting when each potato was wrapped separately than there was when they were left unwrapped. It also was brought out in the tests that rotting is worse in an open package than it is in a closed container.

MRS. WAGNER GIVEN LIFE SENTENCE FOR MURDER

Mrs. Henrietta Wagner, 57 years old, was adjudged guilty of the murder of Mrs. Rosetta Warren and her unborn child in a dynamite blast in April of this year, in the McCracken circuit court at Paducah Saturday and sentenced to life imprisonment. The verdict was reached after several hours deliberation, the jury standing seven for life imprisonment and five for the death penalty for several hours.

Mrs. Wagner, it is charged, dynamited the home of Mrs. Warren, killing her instantly. Jealousy over Mr. Warren's husband is said to have prompted the deed.

BIG CROWD COURT DAY

Varied Attractions Offered To Court Day Visitors

Monday brought one of the biggest court day crowds Carlisle has had for several months, although there was little activity in the stock market. Community sales of live stock in this and other towns have almost put a stop to the sale of live stock on court day.

Three political speakings in the afternoon probably caused many persons to come to town. Farmers reported practically all tobacco housed, and many have started cutting corn.

A lot of plug horses were on the jocky ring, but there was little demand for them. One dealer bought ten or twelve head at one to two dollars each for the purpose, it is said, of killing them and selling their hides.

Three political speakings, two patent medicine vendors, a Salvation army meeting and a Holy Roller meeting provided entertainment for the crowd throughout the day.

GUNMAN'S WIDOW MAKES CONFESSION OF PLOT

Complete confession of her part in the plot to smuggle arms to her husband, Monte Walters, killed in the Eddyville prison riot, was made to Louisville police by Mrs. Lillian Walters Monday.

IMPROVEMENT ON BATH COUNTY NEWSPAPER

The first number of the Bath County News-Outlook, which succeeds the Owingsville Outlook, was published last week by the new owners of the paper, R. W. Kincaid and H. J. Lacy, and is quite an attractive paper. The publication has been changed to four pages, all home print.

COURT CONVENES AFTER A RECESS

No Important Cases To Be Tried And Term Will Be Short

GRAND JUPY IN SESSION

The September term of the Nicholas circuit court reconvened Tuesday after a recess of two weeks. The recess was taken to allow farmers on the jury and witnesses in trials to finish housing tobacco.

There are few cases of importance on the docket, and it is probable that court will adjourn today.

The grand jury reconvened Tuesday morning and probably will adjourn Wednesday afternoon.

LOCAL MAN MAKING FINE PROGRESS IN SCHOOL WORK

Below is a part of a clipping taken from the Paintsvile Herald that the people of this county will be much interested in.

Prof. C. V. Snapp has always been a wide awake educator. In the past, he has been a very successful teacher in this county. He is now doing a splendid work at Van Lear, Ky.

Van Lear schools have been in session since September 10 and the enrollment on Friday had reached 518. The schools are headed by Prof. C. V. Snapp, of Carlisle, Ky., and he has the hearty co-operation of a corps of well trained teachers.

The school board has equipped the grounds at central school with play ground apparatus and prepared an additional plot near the school for volley ball, basket ball, etc. The literary will begin work in earnest in a short time and if present plans carry a glee club will soon begin reheasing. The board will soon complete a new physics laboratory and domestic science room.

Everything seems to indicate a prosperous and progressive school year.

DEEDS AND TRANSFERS

Henry L. Carter, administrator of Mrs. Mahala Becraft, to Julia Tune, house and lot on Sycamore street.

W. W. Scott to Henry Reed, 7 lots in Liberty Heights.

Henry A. Palmer to H. C. Reed, house and lot on North street.

Raymond King to M. S. Wasson, house and lot in Dorseyville.

James A. Allison to Grace T. Hutchings, house and lot on West Main street.

SCHOOL HEADS TO MEET IN LEXINGTON FRIDAY

All school superintendents of Kentucky cities of the first, second, third and fourth classes have been asked to attend a two-day conference of the Central Kentucky Lyceum Association to be held at the Phoenix hotel in Lexington Friday and Saturday, October 12 and 13.

The association is composed of superintendents of schools in 14 central Kentucky cities which are organized for the purpose of bringing lecturers of national prominence on educational subjects to their respective counties to speak. Carlisle is one of the cities which compose the association and three splendid lecturers were brought here last winter.

An extension in the scope of the lyceum course will be discussed at the conference.

CAMPAIGN OPENED BY BOTH PARTIES

Daugherty And Carroll Speak For Democrats, Swope For Republicans

GREETED BY CROWDS

Both the Democrats and Republican campaign committees formally launched their campaigns here Monday.

Hon. Frank E. Daugherty, of Bardstown, and Hon. A. J. Carroll, of Louisville, addressed fair sized audiences at the court house Monday afternoon in the interest of the Democratic party.

Hon. King Swope, of Lexington, spoke for the Republicans following the Democratic speaking.

Hon. A. J. Carroll, of Louisville, spoke briefly, sounding a warning to the Democrats of Kentucky against political domination in the state by the negro population.

"The vital question in this campaign is whether you want the state of Kentucky ruled by the white men and women of Kentucky or by the negroes. There is only one way for the people to decide this, and that is by going to the polls on November 6."

Mr. Carroll was introduced by Attorney I. B. Ross, who urged the Democratic women of the county, especially, to vote.

Following Mr. Carroll's address, Dr. B. F. Reynolds, who served in the last senate with Mr. Daugherty, introduced Hon. Frank E. Daugherty, of Bardstown, Democratic nominee for Attorney General.

"During the last four years there has been an absolute vacancy in the state offices at Frankfort.

"Ed Morrow is the best promiser and the worst performer I have ever known," he said.

He scored Governor Morrow's pardon record, giving many instances of the pardon of desperate criminals. He charged that every promise made by Governor Morrow in his campaign had been broken with the exception of the pappointment of a non-partisan board of charaties and corrections.

"True, the tax rate in Kentucky has not been raised in the last four years, but the assessment has been doubled. Your land is now valued at twice what it was under the Democratic party."

Speaking of the Governor's promise to abolish useless offices, Mr. Daugherty charged that there are more offices in Kentucky now than ever in the history of the State.

"If you want a continuance of the Morrow administration, vote for Charlie Dawson, he will give it to you. In every speech during his campaign he has given his endorsement to the Morrow administration."

"We want an honest, upright plain man as Governor of Kentucky. You know as well as I do that you have that type of man in the Representative from your district, Hon. William Jason Fields."

Mr. Swope was introduced by H. B. Bryson, chairman of the Republican committee.

Mr. Swope reviewed the achievements of the Morrow administration, laying special stress on the progress made by the schools during his administration. The per capita tax for children of school age was increased from $6.10 to $8.10 during Governor Morrow's administration, he said.

He defended the State Textbook Commission, and stated that through the efforts of this body the citizens were able to buy books much cheaper than they had heretofore.

The accomplishments of the State Highway Commission were also reviewed at length by Mr. Swope. The bi-partisan Board of Charities and Corrections, appointed by Governor Morrow, has done much for the unfortunates in Kentucky, Mr. Swope declared.

He defended Governor Morrow's pardon record, scored the pardon record and administration of Governor Stanley, and also scored the administration of Woodrow Wilson.

The broadcasting of motion pictures by radio has been almost perfected.

THREE DEPERADOES ARE FOUND DEAD

After 81 Hour Battle With Guards At The Eddyville Penitentiary

THREE GUARDS KILLED

Monte "Tex" Walters, Lawrence Griffith and Harry Ferland, three life termers in the Eddyville penitentiary, who since last Wednesday had held prison authorities at bay, killing three guards as they fired from the mess hall, were found dead late Saturday afternoon when besiegers entered the bullet-torn stronghold, after flooding the building with ammonia fumes.

Walters, fully dressed, apparently had been killed by bullets fired during the siege. Griffith and Ferland, his companions, stripped to the waist, died of bullet wounds through their hearts. Griffith and Ferland, it is believed, killed themselves to escape ammonia fumes.

Authorities succeeded in entering the convicts 'stronghold after a spectacular siege of 81 hours, in the course of which prison guards, reinforced by two details of Kentucky National Guardsmen, riddled the building with barrages of steel-jacketed bullets from machine guns and rifles.

The three desperadoes attempted a spectacular escape from prison last Wednesday morning, following the killing of three guards at the penitentiary. They barricaded themselves in the mess hall, and, with an apparently unlimited supply of ammunition held prison authorities at bay.

Authorities have been unable to determine where the convicts obtained their pistols and ammunition.

MRS. JOHN G. SOUTH TO SPEAK HERE SATURDAY

Mrs. John G. South, wife of Dr. John G. South, minister to Panama, and daughter of the late Governor-Senator Wm. O. Bradley, will speak at the court house in Carlisle Saturday, October 13, at 2 o'clock, in the interest of the Republican party.

Mrs. South is said to be one of the finest women orators on the platform, showing many of the characteristics of her late distinguished father, who was considered one of the greatest orators Kentucky ever produced.

She is prominently mentioned as a candidate for the Republican nomination for United States Senator.

BOND ISSUE CAN BE VOTED WITHOUT INCREASING TAXES

A bulletin sent out by the Kentucky Good Roads Association, which is promoting the fifty-million dollar bond issue, explains how the bonds may be retired without increasing taxes.

The purpose of the bonds is to build the roads in five years, $10,000,000 in bonds being issued each year for this purpose during this period, and the current revenues for roads used to pay off the bonds in 30 years time, and also provide sufficient funds for maintenance.

The state road revenues for the year ending June 1, 1923, were as follows: Automobile tax, $2,657,619; gasoline tax, $586,188; 3¢ apportionment, $700,000; total, $3,943,807.

This money is now being spent in building 50-odd patches of roads at widely scattered points on what the legislature has termed as Kentucky's Primary Road System of 4,175 miles, linking up every county in the state. This patchwork approximates 1,000 miles, less than one-half of which has been brought up to the required standard of construction. At the present rate of progress the system will be completed in about 30 years.

By employing this same revenue in another way, Kentucky would have to pay only 2,830,000 a year to meet the interest and sinking fund installments on a $50,000,000 bond issue, bearing 4½ per cent interest, and retire the whole issue within 30 years. With this bond issue and the money already voted by the various counties, together with the aid of the federal government, the state road system can be completed in five years.

POOL ELECTION HELD

All Officers Reelected At The Annual Meeting

Officers of the Burley Tobacco Growers Co-operative Association were reelected by the new board of directors of the association at the regular monthly meeting held in Lexington last week, and H. Kirby Bourne, farmer and laywer, of New Castle was chosen to take the place made vacant by the resignation of John B. Winn, of Woodford county, from the executive committee.

The officers of the association elected for the coming year are: President and general manager, Jas. C. Stone, of Lexington; director of warehouses, Ralph M. Barker, of Carrollton; vice presidents, James N. Kehoe, of Maysville, and Bush W. Allin, of Harrodsburg; secretary and treasurer, H. Lee Earley, of Louisville; chief of field service, William Collins, of Paris; general counsel, Aaron Sapiro, of California; executive committee, James C. Stone, Jas. N. Kehoe, Bush W. Allin, Judge Robt. W. Bingham and H. Kirby Bourne.

MILLERSBURG AGRICULTURAL FAIR TO BE HELD FRIDAY

The third annual fair under the auspices of the Bourbon county high school will be held at the school grounds at Millersburg today. This affair, which has become an annual one, consists of large exhibits of livestock, farm products, domestic science and domestic arts, with a long list of prizes and honors.

A football game will be played at the grounds in the afternoon between Millersburg and Flemingsburg high schools. Music for the occasion will be furnished by the Greendale band. Dinner will be served in the administration building.

C. H. S. TAKES ANOTHER GAME

Cynthiana High Defeated By Local Team By 37-0 Score Last Friday

GEORGETOWN FRIDAY

In a one-sided contest at Cynthiana last Friday afternoon, the Carlisle high school football team took the second victory of the season by defeating Cynthiana high by a score of 37-0. Smith, on the offensive, and Cook, on the defensive, starred for the locals. Bryson, also played a star game. In thirty seconds after the kick-off Carlisle had scored the first touchdown, Insko receiving a long pass from the side and sprinting behind perfect interference. Two more touchdowns were made during the quarter.

Six touchdowns were made by the local gridders, most of them being made by line bucks.

Carlisle high was able to hold the line at all times, and never throughout the game were their opponents near the goal. Pass after pass was intercepted.

Both teams were penalized on several occasions for fouls.

A large crowd of local boosters went to Cynthiana to see the game.

The next game of the season will be played at Georgetown next Friday afternoon, when the local high meets the fast Georgetown team.

Georgetown high is said to have an excellent team this year, and will probably give the home team one of the hardest struggles of the season.

SWIFT'S PRODUCE REVIEW

The fine open weather throughout producing sections has brought a larger supply of fresh eggs to the market than is usual at this time of the year. The temperatures which have prevailed throughout the past week have caused many dealers to turn from storage eggs to current arrivals. This has stimulated demand and prices advanced a little at the close of the week.

There is a good demand for fine, fresh stock, but eggs which show "held" qualities are not wanted and sell at a discount. An egg is only fresh for a short time after it is laid and prompt collection and marketing will net better prices to the producer.

The demand for butter is about equal to the supply. There is no particular change in the market. Consumption is reported to be exceptionally good and while increased production may check any advance at present, yet there is every indication that the price will not go much lower unless there should be a material increase in the importation of butter from foreign countries.

Reports to the United States Department of Agriculture from county agricultural agents estimate that there are approximately 40,000 radio receiving sets on farms in 780 counties. This is an average of 51 sets per county for those reporting. The county agents' estimates cover every State. These farmers are receiving Federal weather forecasts, crop reports, and market quotations, together with agricultural news in the form of "agriograms" and talks on various phases of work in the Department of Agriculture, broadcast from cooperating commercial stations.

OFFICERS CHOSEN TO HOLD ELECTION

D.mocratic And Republican Officers Named To Hold Regular Election

NO WOMEN OFFICERS

John Harvey, Geo. D. Scott and James F. Gaunce, Nicholas county election commissioners, have selected the following officers to serve at the general election to be held on Tuesday, November 6:

Headquarters—A. R. Brooks, D., clerk; E. H. D. Allison, D., O. R. Gaffin, R., judges, C. M. Poisal, R., sheriff.

Taylor's Store—S. J. Fryman, R., clerk; J. R. Sidles, R., Hayden Small, D., judges; Firm Day, D., sheriff.

Barterville—I. C. Taylor, D., clerk; John Wagoner, D., Shell Feeback, R., judges; Butler Ritchie, R., sheriff.

Morning Glory—J. E. Bryson, R., clerk; M. T. Kennedy, R., Everett Cook, D., judges; W. L. Collins, D., sheriff.

Rafferty's Store—E. R. Sampson, D., clerk; Wilson King, D., Dan Wells, R., judges; Chas. Kenton, R., sheriff.

Myers Station—Jno. F. Campbell, R., clerk; Raymond Brothers, R., S. T. Cameron, D., judges; J. C. Black, D., sheriff.

Sims Store—W. C. Sparks, D., clerk; Claud Linville, D., Henry Flora, R., judges; Kenton Standiford, R., sheriff.

Buzzard Roost—Ed Clary, R., clerk; Avery Vice, R., W. E. Chrisman, D., judges; J. B. Jacobs, D., sheriff.

Moorefield—T. L. Clark, D., clerk; John Wilson, D., H. S. Weaver, R., judges; Hanson; Stephenson, R., sheriff.

East Union—Ed Swarts, R., clerk; Wm. Stephenson, R., Henry Bramblett, D., judges; George Reed, D., sheriff.

Weston—Herdy Myers, D., clerk; Oliver Clay, D., M. H. Myers, R., judges; T. J. Vice, R., sheriff.

Mayor's Office—J. W. Norton, R., clerk; D. F. Caswell, R., John O'Connell, D., judges; Everett Darnall, D., sheriff.

Engine House—Wm. McRohan, D., clerk; Henry Reed, D., H. C. Galbraith, R., judges; S. C. Vaughn, R., sheriff.

Sunnyside—Clyde Marshall, R., clerk; E. F. Parsons, R., Henry Fanning, D., judges; Thomas Alexander, D., sheriff.

Mathias Shop No. 1—Perry McClanahan, D., clerk; Everett Smith, D., O. L. Harrison, R., judges; Jesse Troutman, R., sheriff.

City Building—W. T. Barlow, R., clerk; O. S. Smoot, R., Chas. Simons, D., judges; J. W. Rankin, D., sheriff.

Donnell's Scales—W. D. Sparks, D., clerk; Fred Huffstetter, D., W. D. Bell, R., judges; W. A. Donavan, R., sheriff.

Mathias Shop No. 2—W. P. Hamm, R., clerk; Colie Marshall, R., J. W. Burnaw, D., judges; Clarence Jones, D., sheriff.

MANY FAILED TO INCLUDE PROFITS IN TAX RETURN

Investigations conducted by field deputies of the Internal Revenue Service indicate that hundreds of taxpayers in Kentucky have neglected, intentionally or otherwise, to include as income in their returns for 1920, 1921 and 1922, profits realized from the sale of real estate, according to Collector Robert H. Lucas who several weeks ago ordered a rigid probe to be made of suspected evasions of income regulations.

The Collector has ordered that a transcript be made of all doubtful transfers and a careful investigation will be made of all these files to determine whether or not the sales involved have been reported upon the income tax returns. Collector Lucas suggested that all persons who failed to include the profit realized from real estate sales all at his office, or file amended returns, as it is the policy of the revenue department not to assert heavy penalties when the disclosures of failure to include income are voluntarily made by taxpayers.

TEMPERANCE ADVOCATE GENERAL DENHARDT

During the primary and since his nomination for Lieutenant Governor on the Democratic ticket, General Henry H. Denhardt, of Bowling Green, has been the objective of false rumors of all kinds concerning his past history. A sketch of his career reveals the following facts:

General Denhardt, commanding the 149th Infantry, formerly the First Kentucky National Guard regiment, was in active service in France for eleven months during the world war, and was twice personally cited for conspicuous service.

It was during his last term as city prosecuting attorney that Bowling Green voted "dry" and he took the lead during the campaign and subsequently in prosecuting law violators. This work he carried on when he was elected county judge, serving in this capacity for eight years. He was county judge of Warren county when ordered to the colors.

General Denhardt is a member of the Cumberland Presbyterian church and for many years was superintendent of the Sunday school. He is an Elder in the church at present.

30 YEARS AGO

Thursday, October 12, 1893

S. T. Barlow appointed postmaster at Headquarters.

Hi Henry's minstrel to show at Mozart hall Saturday night.

About twenty-five Carlisle people leave last week for Chicago to attend the world's fair.

Large crowd in town court day and much drunkenness and disorder. Marshal has jail full before sundown.

Report of the city school for the first month shows an enrollment of 294 pupils, with an attendance of 82 per cent.

Carlisle Jersey Creamery resumes operations after being closed down for six weeks for lack of milk, caused by the drouth.

Democrats to hold primary Saturday to nominate candidate for State Senator, Representative and County School Superintendent.

Born—To Mr. and Mrs. John H. Soper, of the county, on October 5th, a son.—To Mr. and Mrs. I. E. Hunt, of the county, on September 6th, a daughter.

Married—Miss Etta J. West and Mr. Geo. D. McLean, both of the Myers vicinity, on October 5th.—Miss Lillian May Lindsay and Mr. Charles W. Wood, both of this city, on October 12th.

20 YEARS AGO

Thursday, October 15, 1893

Morgan & Hughes, attorneys, move their office to room over Colliver's store.

Home Telephone Company opens its lines in Nicholas county to the public.

R. L. Gilvin, an experienced hotel man, takes position as clerk at the Kimbrough house.

About 75 cattle offered on the local market court day, bringing from 3 to 3½ cents per pound.

Married—Miss Bessie McConnaughhay and Mr. Hollis Dalzell, both of the county, on the 14th.

Knights Templar from Paris, Cynthiana and Maysville to institute new commandery in Carlisle Friday night.

Prof. J. C. Jones, native of this city, accepts position of teacher of elocution at the University of Kentucky.

Rev. P. F. King and G. M. Brooks leave for Detroit, Mich., to attend the national convention of the Christian church.

Sam W. Berry buys farm of 150 acres from Thomas McClintock, near Millersburg, in this county, for $50 per acre.

Died—Mary, twelve year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Squires, at their home near Little Rock, on the 11th.

Born—To Mr. and Mrs. Edward Cheney, of this city, a daughter.—To Mr. and Mrs. Newt Myers, of this city, on the 10th, a daughter.

44 YEARS AGO

Thursday, October 16, 1879

On account of the advance in wheat, flour jumps to $6.50 per barrel on the local market.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Munger issue invitations to a celebration of their "tin" wedding anniversary.

C. W. Hamilton sells 64 head of fancy cattle to J. W. Kimbrough, of Cynthiana, at the high price of $4.50 per hundred.

D. Ellis Conner, formerly an attorney of this place, announces as a candidate for Commonwealth's Attorney in Bath county.

Banks Allen, Frank Adair, A. C. Brewington and James Mathers return from several days fishing and hunting trip in Rowan county.

Bob, little son of George Williams, the tailor, has one finger torn off and other badly lacerated when horse which he was attempting to hitch jerks rope.

Citizens circulating a petition to have city of Carlisle incorporated. The town is operating under the same form of government it had since its establishment 63 years ago.

Born—To Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Clay, of the county, on October 4, a daughter.—To Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Vaughn, of the county, on the 5th, a son.—To Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Tune, of the county, on the 15th, a daughter.

Married—Miss Annora Snapp and Mr. S. L. Barnett, both of the county.—Miss Rebecca A. Gaunce and Mr. Henry C. Marsh, both of the county.—Miss Nancy J. Thomas and Mr. Jacob Snapp, both of the county.—Miss Nannie T. Stone, of this county, and Mr. William McCray, of Bourbon.

Fire Prevention Week October 7-13

This week, October 7-13, has been set apart as national "Fire Prevention Week," when efforts will be made all over the land to educate the people to the dangers of fire and lessen the hazard to life and property.

Fifteen thousand deaths and seventeen thousand injuries resulted from fires in the United States in 1922. In addition to this startling loss of life, the thousands of fires caused property damage of $581,860,000, the largest on record for any year in the history of America, and far greater than the loss which resulted from the disastrous fire and earthquake that almost wiped out the city of San Francisco in 1906.

Fire insurance officials estimate that carelessness caused 85 per cent of all fires. This includes, among other things, the careless throwing away of lighted matches, cigarettes and cigars, careless control of fires in grates, stoves and furnaces in homes; careless installation of electric wiring and the careless use of inflammable material. The average fire loss to each person in the United States in 1922 was $4.75. In Great Britain it was only 72 cents.

Think of the fires in Carlisle that could have been avoided. How many can you think of that were caused from defective wiring, defective flues and other easily prevented causes.

The importance of "Fire Prevention Week" is too great to let it pass casually. With furnaces and fire places being started at this time of year, the fire hazard is especially great.

Carlisle and Nicholas county citizens should join the national crusade against this monstrous enemy to life and property.