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FOR GOVERNOR—William J. Fields, of Olive Hill.
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FOR SECRETARY OF STATE—Mrs. Emma G. Cromwell
FOR ATTORNEY GENERAL—Frank E. Daugherty
FOR AUDITOR—W. H. Shanks
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SUNDAY MORNING, SEPTEMBER 27, 1923

FIELDS "SHOWS HIS METTLE"

We of the newspaper fraternity are so used to political speeches in which the editor mouths and struts and bears a passing resemblance to a Roman, that it is refreshing to read such a speech as Mr. Fields delivered last Saturday at Madisonville. The Louisville Post says that it will make him popular in Kentucky. When one has read it, the state of the Post does not appear too enthusiastic.

Mr. Fields made a great speech. Even a partisan Republican must confess that, if not openly, at least in his own consciousness. It showed thought, which is a quality more than often absent in political speeches. It was expressed in simple, pleasing and vigorous English; and throughout its entirety it reflected the sincerity, the clear vision, the native honesty of the man.

When Mr. Fields was selected as the candidate of the Democrats of Kentucky, The Mercury made the prediction that, given the opportunity, he would make not only a good Governor, but an extraordinary good Governor. In his opening speech, Will Fields begins to show to the people of Kentucky what manner of man he is. He shows his mettle, so to speak, and we believe that tested there will be hundreds of voters, where there were scores three weeks ago, who will agree with us that we have a real leader in Mr. Fields, one who sincerely desires to serve his State, and one who can and will give the intelligent service so sadly needed at Frankfort.

That he will be elected Governor, there can be but little doubt. He will poll a united party vote and his straightforward declaration of intentions, his evident sincerity of purpose, his statement that he will not be a candidate for any other office, while Governor of Kentucky, his selection of Mr. James B. Brown, of Louisville, as the head of his tax commission and Mr. W. C. Montgomery, of Elizabethtown, as the head of the highway commission, are an earnest of his further appointments to membership in these two bodies, can not but arrest the attention and demand the vote of the thinking independent voters of Kentucky. And although a belting Republican is a rare avis, they do say that some of our friends in the opposing camp are showing signs of distress in their efforts to swallow the potion prescribed by the G-E-M Triumvirate. While not counting on these, we would bid them "welcome and three welcome" to the "Bill" Fields camp.

MAKING THE RIGHT KIND OF START

Mr. James B. Brown, Bank president of Louisville, announces that he will resign his position and make any sacrifices necessary, regardless of the hardships entailed, in order to accept office as a member of the State Tax Commission, in the event of the election of William J. Fields.

"I have given my word to Mr. Fields to accept this office," Mr. Brown is quoted as saying at Louisville last Saturday.

The keeping of one's word, while not an unusual attribute of the right sort of man, is a quality that always has attracted the admiration of one's fellows. Yet what is most unusual in this case and that which should command the plaudits of Kentuckians is that Mr. Brown does not seek to be relieved from a promise, which must mean financial loss to him. Here we have the example of a successful business man, willing to resign his position at the head of a metropolitan bank and accept an office, poorly paid, relatively speaking, subject certainly to criticism and annoying complaint, in order to carry out his State as well as to keep his promise. If it were not true that Mr. Brown wishes to be of service, he might quite reasonably have pleaded his stated ignorance of the fact that acceptance of a place on the Kentucky State Tax Commission would mean his resignation from all other business interests. But he does not do that.

The choice of James B. Brown as a pledge of the announced purpose of Mr. Fields to select the highest type of men and women available for each and every position to be filled by executive appointment, forecasts, in the event of his selection of Mr. Fields, a state administration that will be epochal in accomplishment.

A EUROPEAN MARKET FOR BURLEY

The Mercury is informed that the Burley Association is now taking action looking to the establishment of a foreign market. This is a wise step, and, we think, a necessary one. That the Association will be successful in its under taking we have no doubt, the arrangement for the disposal of surplus tobacco in Europe being but a matter of salesmanship.

The necessity for such a market was foreseen, and detailed in operation, as we remember, during the organization campaign of the pool. The work of organization, followed rapidly by the enormous labor of handling the first crops received by the Association, has no doubt prevented the execution of this plan sooner.

The question of disposal of the surplus, not the present stock held by the pool, understand, but any amount of tobacco above the normal demand in this country, is the only matter that should cause a member of the Association the least worry, so we see it.

The Association has managed to finance itself this season without borrowing any money. It is in splendid condition and has added many members. The Carolina markets opened high and altogether the outlook is surely far from alarming. A cut-out may be necessary later, but we believe that talk of passing a crop is not timely at present. If a foreign market for the surplus above the normal demand in this country is secured, if it is likely that it will ever be necessary to cut out a crop in order to make the growing of tobacco profitable.

"THERE'S A DIFFERENCE"

Philadelphia, Sept. 22.—An agent of the Federal Prohibition Commission, it became known today, is moving among the prominent social clubs of the city using moral suasion in having their members observe the prohibition law.

Members of the "round the corner," "up the alley" and "behind the fence" clubs would doubtless appreciate a little application of "moral suasion" more than one hundred dollars and thirty days. But, there's a difference. Thousand dollars and 30 days are not profane and mean and all men are born free and equal—but they don't stay that way.

I have never seen beavers repairing a dam, but I am familiar with their procedure. They load their flat tails with mud and dump it in the breaches.

Which reminds off right now the Republicans are working like beavers to fill the holes in the Mellon administration's dam so that sustenance for another four years may be provided.

It can not be done. Their efforts would be more effective if they started an entirely new dam.

—Will Ansley, in Paris Democrat.

They'll start you after November 4th. Will, but one rather imagines, as the returns come in, they'll raise their arms to the 9th power.

Ain't-cha? Here we have been hoping and praying none of these Parisians would slip over here until we got our Main street fixed up and as soon as we get it here up, here they come—and bring a hand with 'em. Oh, well, here you do, Mayor Jamieson; here you do! Nicely, sir. Fine streets you have in Paris, marvelous streets. Yes, sir!

If the old saloon regime prevailed we wonder how many automobiles would ever reach their destination.

Judging from observation, that would be the destination of a large per cent of them.

Smoking fools, a Massachusetts woman offers to sell her husband to the highest bidder. He is described as "six feet tall and able-bodied," but she doesn't say whether he is harness-broke, trots or paces, or will stand when hitched.

Since the application "dirt farmer" has become such an open sesame to political preferment, we are contemplating running for inspector or something on the grounds that we are a "type pointer."

HIGH LIGHTS IN OPENING SPEECH OF W. J. FIELDS

The most important points in the speech of Mr. Fields are summed up in their paragraphs:

"I will select the highest type of men and women available for each and every position to be filled by executive appointment, men and women particularly fitted for the task for which selected and against whom no charge can be lodged or upon whose no suspicion rests, and who will be above the evil influence of lobbyists and special interests.

Mr. Fields announces the name of Mr. James B. Brown, president of the National Bank of Kentucky, as chairman of the State Tax Commission.

He announces the name of W. C. Montgomery, of Elizabethtown, as chairman of the State Highway Commission.

He asks the State to accept these appointments as evidence of his purpose.

Mr. Fields promises to support the State Board of Charities and Corrections, to prevent legislative weakening the power of that board, and to reappoint next spring Judge A. F. Humphrey and Mr. F. M. Burkett, the members of the board whose terms then expire.

Mr. Fields announces that he will not be a candidate for the United States or for any other office during his term as Governor, and will not solicit or accept under any condition any appointive office during that time. He will give his whole attention to the affairs of the State of Kentucky.

Mr. Fields promises, with the assistance of Mr. Brown, to thoroughly overhaul the taxes and finances of Kentucky, to equalize taxes, and to pay the State debt of state.

Mr. Fields announces a definite program for education of improvement in Kentucky, this having been worked out with the assistance of Professor Ebaugh, the Democratic nominee for Superintendent of Public Instruction. He will support the University of Kentucky and the Normal Schools.

Mr. Fields reviews in detail the painfully recent of Governor Morrow, asks pointed questions about the State penitentiary, asserts that Governor Morrow has "persons convicted for willful violation of the law need not apply for pardon and that subsequent developments involve the question of guilt."

"A DIRT FARMER"

(Elizabethtown News)

"I am a dirt farmer." These are the majestic and magnificent words about which a modern candidate for office builds his campaign. They confer statesmanship upon mediocrity, and lend dignitaries and honor to those without it. Under stirring enthusiasm among friends, they strike dismay, if not actual terror, to the hearts of the opposition. "I am a dirt farmer." The inspiring phrase finds itself anon-Food as to party, creed or geography. It rouses the settled legions of Democracy; it thrills the hosts of Republicanism. It serves as well in Maine or California—not to say Kentucky.

"Give me liberty or give me death," said Patrick Henry, whose impassioned oratory set afire the spirit of independence in the colonies. At Taylsipe, the British navy was spurred on to greater valor when Lord Nelson exhorted it that "England expects every man to do his duty." Then shall not crafty mankind upon a cross of gold, crucified a nation in '96 and sent William J. Bryan into the most thrilling Presidential campaign of the age, hurling these pale lists insignificance beside the latest battle cry, "I am a dirt farmer."

Woodrow Wilson was merely a college professor before he became Governor of New Jersey. Abraham Lincoln split rails and later was a lawyer. Lloyd George was likewise a lawyer, and studied for the ministry. Wherever and women as we contemplate what their achievements in the nation of statesmanship might have been if only they had possessed a broad education in agriculture. What wizardry Lloyd George might not have accomplished in Downing Street if he had been a finished Burley tobacco grower of Kentucky. And who believes that if Woodrow Wilson had properly understood crop rotation the League of Nations would ever have fallen before a recal citrant Senate.

But these are only warnings for the future against the carelessness of early instruction. No aspiring parents will now permit their offspring to be without the full benefit of agricultural training. The boast of heredity and the pomp of power will summon their mentals from the farm. All other avocations will be proscribed. The conception in some quarters as to the Lord's chosen people will be altered to that of the farmer, and the banner of the dirt farmer will be more magical than that which bears the name, "Excelsior," in the days of old.

In the meantime, this form of demagogy being particularly prevalent and prolific herabouts, we wonder what Jesse James Mulligan, who once described politics as "the damnedest in Kentucky," would have to say on the subject now?

STATE FAIR, POLITICAL ASSET?

Some protests have been made by persons who attended the Kentucky State Fair at Louisville last week on finding blazoned across the tops of several pages of the "official program" a series of advertisements "calling" the race for Governor and praising Harmon the winner.

Inquiry is made whether the event of Louisville was conducted a State Fair or a Republican Campaign Assembly. Good taste, it is said, should have suggested to the management of the fair, which is in the hands of the Republicans, to seek reference to the political campaign, even in advertisements. The State Fair is supported by the whole people, whatever expense is entailed is paid by the whole people, and an observance of ordinary propriety should have kept reference to politics out of an "official program" or any other official medium.

The advertisements in the "official program" stressed across the top of pages in this sequence:

"THEY'RE OFF in the Big Race For GOVERNOR.

"THEY'RE AT THE QUARTER." Darwin is the lead but Fields is creeping up.

"AT THE HALF, Darwin in Front Running Easy. Fields Don't Like the Going Quite So Fine."

"AT THE THREE-QUARTERS, Darwin a Length in Front, Fields in a Hard Drive Trying to Overtake Him. Fields' Jockey is Using Every Ounce of Whip. But He Can't Get Up."

"THE FINISH, Darwin Wins by Two Lengths. Fields Trails in a Bad Second."—Cynthiana Democrat.

SKETCHES OF CANDIDATES

If experience will make a clerk of the Court of Appeals than John A. Goodman will be the highest bidder for the position.

Mr. Goodman began as a deputy under Hon. Thomas Z. Ward, in 1894. He served in this capacity at Bryan's Station from 1894 to 1902 when he was elected circuit clerk. He completed a year term which had been shortened by the act of the legislature creating the court.

Then he was recalled for three successive terms—the record for making a second third reelection is unpublished—and he was finally succeeded by his brother, Will Goodman, who served four years, when Mr. Goodman was again called to the office. Will Goodman, in the meantime, had been appointed Circuit Judge of Appeals, but was defeated in the Republican primary, for the election this year, defeating Goodman by more than 25,000 votes.

Mr. Goodman is a native of Todd county, a Mason, and a member of the Christian church.

5,000 KENTUCKIANS TO WORK FOR ROAD BONDS

More than 4,000 persons, many of them women, will be actively working in every precinct in the state for the passage of the $50,000,000 road bond issue when the engagement now being formed is completed, according to the campaign plans of the Kentucky Good Roads Association, announced by Eustace L. Williams, executive secretary of the association.

The immediate object of the campaign is to get the legislature in 1924 to pass an enabling act permitting the bond issue for completion of Kentucky's primary system, and ready to be submitted to the voters and to educate the people of Kentucky into the benefits to be derived from good roads, and to show that passage of the bonds will mean increase in the tax rate. For this purpose a campaign fund of $125,000 is being raised in the state.

A thorough canvass of the newspapers of the state who have been asked to assist in drafting the proposed amendment, shows that practically every newspaper in Kentucky is behind the move to complete the 4,127 miles of the primary system. However, many are opposed to any increase in taxation and favor the plan to have the state government forbidden to use the gasoline and automobile license fees. It is pointed out by the association that the total of about $7,000,000 a year is applied to the state road fund, the bonds being paid for by means of a sinking fund for the bonds, notwithstanding a constitutional amendment has been immediately result in a big increase in the state road fund, because a big gain in revenue from both gasoline and license fees is expected.

A number of the road government officials have been worked up over the issue to take the stump for the road bond issue, and have taken up the fight for the voters.

Chairmen of organization committees of state-wide campaign committees have been appointed in each county of the 120 counties of the state, and plans are being made for the participation of women and women's organizations in the campaign. Every effort is being made to make the campaign a success.

LEGION APPROVES KEEPING OF CHICKEN WINGS

Keeping the hand of politics off the State Board of Charities and Corrections, and the state of Kentucky's charitable institutions, is the main plank in the platform of the Legion's program for the coming campaign.

The Legionnaire groups to those who are working actively in behalf of the two last-named boards—the Board of Charities and Corrections and the Board of Kentucky's charitable institutions—are not to be pre-dated and they may be made targets and subjected to a hot fire of Legion criticism. The text of the resolution follows:

"Be It Resolved, That the Legion of Kentucky, of the American Legion, in convention assembled, does hereby reaffirm its position of last year and pledge our influence to support the State Board of Charities and Corrections, and the State Board of Health, pledge our influence to the continuation of the same and fixed for their selection as have prevailed in the past, that the work of each development as will carry the benefits of the state to the people, so that, commencing sickness and poverty may be prevented and life may be made happier and more worth living for the people.

"Be It Further Resolved, That the Legion Pledge its support to a non-partisan State Board of Education with a view to providing every child in the Commonwealth the opportunity for all the training for life which it can assimilate and that we reiterate the several parts of the State to bring these resolutions to the attention of candidates for the General Assembly, with a view to securing their support, and that the Legislative committee be instructed to convene to the organization having endorsed for state officers, and to the general Assembly."

KENTUCKY HOLDS OWN IN G. O. P. DELEGATES

While every state hankering or Kentucky at any price will be given increased representation in the next Republican National convention, according to a plan of the Republican National Committee announced, Kentucky will not be given an increase in its delegation. Tennessee will have 24 delegates instead of the 20 it had last time. Virginia will gain one, and each of Kentucky's other neighbors will get two additional delegates. While practically all of the northern states are given increased representation.

A cut of 32 delegates is made in the Southern states, Georgia and Tennessee will each lose eight delegates, South Carolina seven, Texas and Louisiana three. Kentucky will go into the national convention with 26 delegates, the same number it had in 1920. There is a total of 64 delegates, scattered pretty equally in large Northern States which will gain in the Southern states making the net increase in the size of the convention 32, but largely increasing the power of the Northern States in the selection of candidates.

NEXT SALE OF THE
Community Livestock Sales Co.
Will be Held at the Myers & Ham Stable
CARLISLE, KY.
THURSDAY, OCTOBER 4TH AT 1:00 O'CLOCK, P. M.
We will have Ewe Lambs, Good Stock Ewes, Bucks, Cattle, Milk Cows, Veal calves, Stock Hogs, Shoats.
We will have 30 good feeding cattle weighing 1000 lbs.
Anyone who has stock to sell, bring it in, we will have a buyer. For information or trucks of any size call Myers & Ham, Phone 177, Carlisle.
Stock Must be in Before 1 o'clock, P. M. day of sale.
CHARGES— For cattle 50c per head, Sheep and Lambs 15c per head, Hogs 15c per head, single sheep and hogs 25c. Charges include pens and weighing. Weighing must be done on our scales at stable day of sale.
JAMES W. MYERS & H. H. HAM

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List your property for taxes before the time limit expires.
It will take but a few moments of your time.
Don't Put It Off!
Do It NOW
JIM WILL MARTIN,
Tax Commissioner

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YOUR WASHING---
YOUR IRONING---
YOUR COOKING---
YOUR SWEEPING
You can now buy in Carlisle nearly any electric appliance you might wish, from Hair Curlers to Washing Machines.
ON DISPLAY AT VEACH'S STORE
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THE MOST COMPLETE LINE OF
HARDWARE, FARM IMPLEMENTS
BUGGIES, HARNESS RANGES, COOK STOVES, HEATING STOVES
To Be Found In Nicholas County.
OUR PRICES ARE RIGHT
Come in and see us.
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IT'S THE SERVICE
That's Built In Them That Sells
STUDEBAKER
All we ask is that you ride in one before you buy a car.
Main St. Garage

What Is The Coal Situation Going To Be This Winter?
ANSWER-- If we have no mine or railway troubles,
If the mines have plenty of cars,
If the railroads are able to handle the heavy freight traffic they usually have in the late fall,
If we do not have a severe WINTER,
If general winter conditions are different from last year,
THEN-- There will be no coal shortage.
BUT
If conditions are the same as they have been in recent years we may reasonably expect a shortage of coal during the winter. You can help prevent a car shortage and consequent coal shortage, also render a distinct service to yourself and community by BUYING NOW At present we are able to furnish the highest grade of GENUINE JELLICO RED ASH. Elkhorn and Hazard coals at the most reasonable prices. Each different coal is handled in a bin to itself and you get the coal you buy. It will pay you to look our coals over for we are sure we can give you the coal best suited for the purpose you intend its use for the least money.
Carlisle Coal & Feed Company
PHONE NO. 20. FISHER B. HENRY, Mgr.

LOCALS

PROGRAM

Tonight, Thursday, comes Mabel Normand, in "Molly O." This is some good picture; come and see it.

Friday—"Sport," also "The Sleep-Walker," with Constance Binney.

Saturday—Come one of these spectacular pictures, full of action and thrills, "Adam's Rib."

Monday — Comes Nita Naldi, in "You Can't Fool Your Wife."

We are just back from Cincinnati where we have been to see about new new pictures. We are going to make a change in some of our program. Come and see.

LYRIC THEATRE

Arthur Allison and Teddy Fox have purchased Goodwin's Restaurant in the Kimbrough hotel building.

Two meetings of the Ku Klux Klan are advertised for next week. One at Carlisle Monday night and at Moorefield Tuesday night.

Harry Vice, colored, who was sent from here to the Lexington state hospital for the insane a few days ago, died at the institution Monday.

Postmaster Insko has received a consignment of the Harding Memorial stamps, which are of the same denomination and printed in black ink.

A called meeting of Marie Chapter, Eastern Star, will be held at the Masonic hall Friday night at 7 o'clock at which time there will be an initiation.

Miss Maude Booth has been appointed school attendance officer for Nicholas county and Mrs. Gertrude Woodall has been appointed school superintendent.

The statement of the First National Bank is published elsewhere in this issue. The large deposits are carried shown in the statement prove this popular institution to be an excellent institution.

The traffic committee of the city council is considering the matter of distances relating to operating of automobiles and trucks and City Marshal Ewell has been instructed to arrest all violators.

Three car loads of whisky passed through here on the freight last Thursday enroute to Maysville, where they will be stored in a concentration warehouse. Each car was in charge of two armed officers.

Mrs. Lulu Terry brought to this office Saturday a Republican coin bearing the date of 1772. The coin, which has a hole in it, was found in a barn of Mr. Oscar Ham. It was minted during the reign of Charles III.

Five applicants for elementary certificates took the teacher's examination at the court house last Friday and Saturday. The applicants were: Lucy Gertrude Woodall, Miss Tevie Kerns, Miss Sadie Dayton, Miss Lorene Booth and Miss Frances Woodall.

Hogs were quoted 10 to 15c lower on the Cincinnati livestock market Wednesday, with prices ranging from $8.25 for packers and butchers to $8.75 for packers and butchers to $9.50 for common to medium grades and heavy weights, with prices ranging from $9.50 for choice steers to $9.25 for fair cows.

William Gibson made an assignment Monday to George C. Myers for the benefit of his creditors. Mr. Gibson has been conducting Carlisle Cash Grocery on East Main street for the past several years. No schedule of his assets and liabilities has been filed. C. J. Frey, W. C. Talbert and S. C. Vaughn were appointed appraisers of the stock.

The community sales of live stock held by Myers & Ham at their barn on West Main street last Thursday was a success in every way. A large quantity of stock was offered and brought good prices. A big crowd attended the sale, buyers being present from Lexington, Cynthiana and Paris, besides a number of local buyers.

Upon their promise to keep out of trouble, they their parents and attend school regularly, two youths accused of stabbing a microscope from the city school and a telephone and battery charger from the city hall, were given suspended sentences in the reform school in juvenile court last Thursday morning before acting Circuit Judge John Harvey.

The weather this week has been most favorable for housing tobacco and farmers have taken advantage of it and housed a considerable portion. At the beginning of the week it was estimated that at least 50 per cent of the tobacco crop in Nicholas county was still in the field, but with fair weather the remainder of the week very little will be left standing.

At a meeting of the Democratic County Committee last week, Mr. Clem D. McLean, well known farmer of the Sunshine Creek neighborhood, was selected as the nominee of the party for the office of jailer, to succeed Mr. A. J. Dale, Republican, who is going to the Blue Grass penitentiary for following the resignation of S. J. Estridge, such appointee will serve at the November election.

West Main street, from the Peoples warehouse to traffic while it is being repaired, requiring a detour of about fifteen minutes, which can easily be made in fifteen minutes in automobiles in order to reach town. The detour is made out the lower Jacksboro pike to the farm of Tom Hamilton and across a short road to the Jacksboro pike. This part of the street will probably be completed and opened to travel by the first of next week.

PERSONALS

—Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Howard, Sr., spent Sunday in North Middletown.

—M. E. Steffen and I. B. Ross spent a few days in Cincinnati last week.

—Mrs. W. B. Willett was quite ill week at her home on West Main street.

—Mrs. H. B. Bryson has been ill for several days at her home on Chestnut street.

—Mrs. H. J. Daily, of Owingsville, is visiting her sister, Mrs. C. B. Huff.

—Mrs. Reynolds and Mrs. McCoy, of Elgin, were in town last week.

—Mr. C. A. Duncan was in Cincinnati this week in the interest of his business.

—Miss Martha Dudley spent Monday with her sister, Mrs. H. A.-Kashley in Flemingsburg.

—George H. Spencer, of Lexington, was the guest of his aunt, Mrs. Martha Dudley, Sunday.

—Mrs. J. H. Carpenter, of Millersburg, is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. U. M. Swinford.

—M. E. Steffen and family were guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Howe in Winchester Sunday.

—Mrs. Anna McKee, of Cynthiana, is the guest of Mrs. Henry S. Letton on the Pleasant Springs Pike.

—Mrs. Sam Bishop, Phillips, of Helena, was the guest of Mrs. Brownlow Hoffstetter for the week end.

—William Fisher left for Billy, of Louisville, were week end guests of his mother, Mrs. Alice Fisher.

—Miss Henrietta Evans, of Lexington, was the week end guest of Miss Chas. Smith on Sycamore street.

—Rev. and Mrs. Harry Hanks, of Lonestar, visited Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Hanks on Chestnut street last week.

—Mrs. Mellie Darnell and Miss Bettie Darnell returned Wednesday from a ten days' stay at Martinsville, Ind.

—Mr. and Mrs. L. Dudley Taylor, of Lexington Monday to see their daughter, Mrs. Albert Anderson, who has returned from Asheville, N. C.

—Dr. A. T. Gardner left for his office after being confined to his home for several days with influenza.

—Mrs. Clyde Stewart, of Covington, spent the week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Z. T. Alexander.

—Mrs. Henry M Putts was in Lexington Tuesday at a meeting of the executive board of the State W. C. T. U.

—Nisson Amelia and Jesse King, of Lexington, were week end guests of their grandmother, Mrs. T. H. Pickett.

—County Attorney Foster V. Cox and Tax Commissioner Jim Will Martin went to Frankfort Wednesday on business.

—Mrs. William R. Smith, Jr., and little son, of Newport, are the guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. M. Curry.

—Oliver Lambert and Jno. Squires Reed who are attending Transylvania University spent the week end at home.

—The Ace You Like It club will meet with Mrs. John W. Tilton on next Thursday afternoon, October 4th, at 2:30.

—Mrs. A. L. Shindeldower and son, Edward, of Lexington, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Sparks, Sunday.

—The Men's Fortnightly rook club was entertained by W. R. Kennedy at his home on Sycamore street on Tuesday evening.

—Jay Sanders and family, who have been residing in Carlisle for the past year, will leave Monday for Lexington to reside.

—Mr. and Mrs. John Ratliff, of near Battle Creek, Mich., are the week guests to be at the holiday of Mr. Sidney Ratliff, who is ill.

—Mrs. W. T. Crump and daughter, Miss Mary Crump, will leave Friday for a ten days trip to Eastern Kentucky and Virginia points.

—Mr. and Mrs. Taylor Mathews, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Louie Potts will return this week from a motor trip to New York City and points north.

—Mrs. C. F. Jones and daughter, Miss Miss Morgan Jones, of Lexington, were guests of Mrs. Mary Jones and family last week.

—Mrs. W. H. Arnold, of Clay, Ky., Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Ogden and Mrs. Laura Ogden, of Bald Hill, were guests of Mr. Elbridge Miller last week.

—Mr. Robert Harper is attending the annual meeting of the Synod of Kentucky at Myrtle this week as representative of the local Presbyterian church.

—Mr. Jno. M. Dennell who has been living in Bourbon county for the past six years, and who has been very ill for several months, has suffered a relapse and is very ill.

—Rev. R. E. Elmore and family left Monday for their new home in Cincinnati. Mr. Elmore will return the last of the week and will continue his work on Sunday until his successor is elected.

—Dr. T. M. Smith returned to New York City last week after a week end visit with his wife's parents, Dr. and Mrs. B. B. Fisher, and his sister, Misses Ella and Anna Mae Smith, of Lexington.

—Miss Kathleen Collyer left last week for Hobart, Arkansas, where she taught last winter and lived at the home of her sister, Mrs. D. W. McQuem. Mrs. Ida Collyer has also been there for several weeks on a visit.

—Dr. T. P. Scott writes The Mercury that he hopes to be able to leave Battle Creek and go to Cincinnati the latter part of next week, where he will be the guest of his brother, Robert Scott. Dr. Scott is recovering nicely from a serious operation.

—After a visit with his wife and daughter at the home of Dr. S. B. Fisher at Headquarters, C. O. Powell left last week for Morehead, where he will spend the remainder of the term at the Morehead State Normal School. Mrs. Powell's health is greatly improved and she will be able to join her husband in a few weeks.

RELIGIOUS

The Woman's Missionary Society will meet at the Christian church next Wednesday afternoon, October 3rd, at 2:30 o'clock. Subject, "The New Jerusalem Church."

The Worker's Conference of the Christian church will meet next week with Miss Mary Frances Fisher on Tuesday evening, October 3rd, at seven o'clock.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Sabbath school 9:30 a. m. Lesson review for the quarter. A large attendance is most earnestly requested.

Congregational meeting immediately after Sunday school to consider matters important to each member.

U. C. M. S.

The Women's Christian Missionary Society Auxiliary of the U. C. M. S. will meet with Mrs. W. G. Irvin Wednesday, September 3, at 2:30 o'clock. Mrs. I. E. Sims leader. Theme, "The Negro Here and There."

Study theme, "Remembering the past we Build for the Future."

CHRISTIAN CHURCH

R. E. Elmore, pastor

Sunday school 9:30 a. m. Christian Endeavor 6:30 p. m.

Preaching 10:45 a. m. and 7 p. m. Morning subject, "The Man with a Gospel." Evening subject, "Heart Diversion."

Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 7 o'clock.

REVIVAL CLOSE

One of the most successful meetings ever held at the Mt. Zion church closed Sunday night. Rev. E. V. Spicer, of Carrollton, was in charge for the revival, which lasted one month. His sermons were strong and forceful. 24 additions were made to the church during the meeting and the church membership was raised to expenses of the meeting.

METHODIST CHURCH

Wm. S. Bishop, pastor

Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Morning class at 9 a. m.

Preaching at 10:45 a. m. by Presiding Elder M. B. Cubbins, followed by the Lord's Supper.

Quarterly conference at 3 p. m. Preaching by Dr. Clark at 7 p. m.

We want to thank the Mercury for its splendid pulpit center and a cordial welcome to the people of the town.

BAPTIST CHURCH

Joseph Cassidy, pastor

On Friday evening, September 28, at seven o'clock, the Carlisle Baptist church will give a banquet to the members of the church and congregation. This occasion marks the formal opening of the new basement and other improvements made on the building during the summer. All members of the church and Sunday school are expected to be present. A splendid program has been prepared and Dr. George Ragland, of the First Baptist church of Lexington, will make an address.

Sunday will be observed as home coming day, and all former members as well as present members are invited to worship with us.

Sunday school 9:30 a. m. Preaching 11 a. m. B. Y. P. U. in charge of evening service.

Mr. J. A. Coffey, Linden Avenue, filled a mineral well 257 feet deep and found blue lime which has been lost for a number of years.

Several samples have been furnished to the experiment station at Lexington which reported that it was an excellent grade of water.—Winchester Sun.

In an account of the fall style show at Lexington Tuesday, the Lexington Herald has the following: "Misses Grace and Clara Hughes, 10 and 7 year old daughters of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Hughes, of 347 South Spring street, made an instant hit with the audience last night. Grace wore a beautiful blue and white plaid dress while her little sister displayed a turquoise chiffon frock. The little crepe de chine silk bonnet trimmed with wide fur." The children's parents recently moved to Lexington from Blackford. Mrs. Hughes was graduated from Mt. Sterling College.

—J. A. Power and family will move in the residence of Mrs. Ella McCarthy, vacated by H. C. Bruce, and Mr. Bruce will move to his residence recently purchased from H. M. Talbott. Mr. and Mrs. Talbott will move in with Mrs. Amanda Campbell.

—Mrs. Bishop and family have moved to their residence recently purchased from James Allison on West Main street.

—Mrs. E. J. Beers was hostess to the As You Like It club at her home on Thursday evening. Delicious dishes were served in the luncheon at seven. Carlisle, Lincoln and Sycamore streets. A business period was held at the close of the evening, and the club organized for another year, with Mrs. James H. Tilton president and eight members. The next meeting of the club will be with Mrs. John W. Tilton on Thursday, October 4th.

—On Thursday afternoon Mrs. E. J. Beers entertained from three to five o'clock in honor of her guest, Miss Miles of Ingram. The home was most attractive with quantities of autumn flowers. The hostess was assisted in entertaining by Misses Ann Lee Tilton, Mrs. E. H. Kennedy and Wm. Howard, Jr.; After the games a delightful sweet and salad course was served. The guests were Misses Frances Frank Lambert, Sallie T. Hall, Hunt Bishop, C. J. Frey, J. G. James, Wm. Howard, Jr., E. W. Keller, Misses Mabel Scott, Martha Dudley, Mary Newell, Louise Smith, Allie Price and Louise Tilton.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF
FIRST NATIONAL BANK
CARLISLE, KY.
DOING BUSINESS AT THE TOWN OF MOOREFIELD, COUNTY OF NICHOLAS, STATE OF KENTUCKY, AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS ON SEPTEMBER 14, 1923.

RESOURCES

Loans and discounts	$243,212.56
Overdrafts, unsecured	676.18
U. S. Gov. securities owned	25,000.00
Other bonds, stocks, securities, etc.	49,294.25
Banking house, $4,500; furniture and fixtures, $500	5,000.00
Lawful reserve with Federal Reserve Bank	24,588.79
Cash in vault and amounts due from national banks	38,847.98
Amount due from state banks, bankers and trust co.	3,376.57
Exchanges for clearing house	502.25
Checks and drafts on banks outside of town	40.00
Miscellaneous cash items	5.46 45.45
Total	390,002.01

LIABILITIES

Capital stock paid in	25,000.00
Surplus fund	25,500.00
Undivided profits less current expenses, interest and taxes paid	7,526.01
Certified checks outstanding	25.00
Individual deposits subject to check	331,951.00
Total	390,002.01

State of Kentucky, County of Nicholas, ss.

I, Henry L. Carter, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

HENRY L. CARTER, Cashier

Correct, attest: B. F. Reynolds, J. M. Berry, H. T. Letton, Directors

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21st day of September, 1923.

Jimmie Henry, Notary Public (My commission expires Jan. 17, 1924.)

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PUBLIC AUCTION
I will sell at public auction, Thursday, Sept. 27, at 2 o'clock p. m: One display counter 16 feet long and one pair Toledo computing scales. Sale to be held at the Boone Grocery.
Refrigerator Counter, 25 bbls. Flour
R. L. CURTIS,
ASSIGNEE.

DEATHS

LINVILLE—Mr. Jerry M. Linville, aged about 65 years, died at the home of his sister, Mrs. George Curtis, on East Jacksboro pike, last Thursday of apoplexy. Burial took place at Bald Hill Saturday with short services at the grave.

GEORGE—Miss Ella George, aged 24 years, died at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas George, near Inbonad, Sunday, after a long illness with tuberculosis. Funeral services were held at Inbonad chapel Monday by Rev. S. L. Moore, followed by burial in the nearby burial grounds. Deceased is survived by her parents and three brothers.

BISHOP—Mr. Josiah Bishop, aged 76 years, died at his home near Headquarters Sunday after a long illness with Bright's disease. Funeral services were held at the Salteff church Tuesday, conducted by Rev. S. L. Moore, assisted by Revs. Davis and Crossman. Burial took place at Rose Hill with Masonic services at the grave. Mr. Bishop was a native of this county and had lived in Carlisle until recently. He is survived by his wife, three daughters and four sons, and two brothers, Jeff and F. M. Bishop, of this county.

MILLER—Mrs. Jno. Miller, aged 53 years, died at her home near Flora at an early hour Tuesday morning, from the result of a stroke of paralysis suffered a few days before. A few days before her death Mrs. Miller took her daughter to school and while seated in the hall-way was paralyzed. Funeral services will be held at St. John's church in this city this morning at 9 o'clock, conducted by