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The Republican form of government is the highest form of government: but because of this it requires the highest type of human nature—a type nowhere at present existing—Herbert Spencer.

Now For November.

Someone has said that folk refuse to get politically warmed up in hot weather, and the death of ballots cast in last Saturday's contest proves the wisdom of the observation. In this county, as throughout the State, the vote was extremely light, and in the successful candidates won by decisive majorities.

A close contest in a primary invariably leaves its "sore spots," and The Mercury is glad that Mr. Stanley and Mr. Vinson won their respective races by such handsome margins, for party harmony is necessary if Kentucky is to roll up an old time majority for the Democratic ticket this fall.

In Mr. Vinson's case combination is equivalent to election, and though Senator Stanley will be opposed by Fred M. Sackett, affable and agreeable gentleman and a good business man, The Mercury believes that Mr. Stanley should and will receive the united support of his party. The senior Senator has his enemies, which is to be expected. All public officials accumulate a collection, which increases as the political fortunes of the official advance. There are those who do not admire Mr. Stanley, but one never hears his intelligence, his ability, nor his honesty questioned, and that is saying a great deal in these days, when dishonesty runs riot in national politics.

The Primary is over, the real contest is yet to come. Differences of opinion within the party were honestly and conclusively settled last Saturday. Let us team them there and turn our faces toward November and a rousing majority for John W. Davis and the entire Democratic ticket.

Eight Happy Children.

Eight little children, sent out by the Fresh Air Committee of the Courier-Journal and the Louisville Times, with which papers The Mercury is co-operating in this movement, are enjoying a vacation from the Metropolis. They are well pleased with the response made by generous hearted people of Nicholas county, who have thrown open their homes to the little visitors, and we are sure that the pleasure the youngsters will have will prove ample payment to all those who have undertaken their entertainment.

More homes are needed for other children to be sent to the country during August. The Mercury is sure that there are yet a number of people who will be willing to give one or two girls or boys ten days' respite from the city's August heat. We hope that you will let us send in your name at once. All of those in the group now being entertained here are attractive and well behaved youngsters. We have an excellent photograph of the group here at The Mercury office.

Nicholas has proven to be a banner county so far in this movement, for out of thirty children leaving Louisville last Saturday for children homes in Kentucky and Indiana, eight came to Carlisle. Let's keep up our record.

A New Burley Customer.

The Italian Regie has placed an order for Burley with the pool. It is reported that the Italian Regie did not know they could buy from the Association, by reason of propaganda which pictured the pool as "organized to gouge the manufacturer."

We agree with the Courier-Journal that the Italians are "in for a treat." Whoever has smoked a popular priced foreign cigarette knows that when the Italian nose knows what has been heretofore been foisted upon it as tobacco is as rattan and dried cabbage leaves compared with the Burley product, the Regie will reorder to supply the demand. In that case a long step forward in solving the problem of the tobacco pool has been taken.

The size of this order, naturally, is important in measuring its immediate value to the Association, but the fact that an order has been secured and that we have, in Burley tobacco, a product that vitally sells itself, when established in the tastes of smokers, seems to The Mercury to prove that the trip of Mr. Stone and the other officials of the pool has borne fruit.

A Dream Coming True.

The Mercury is about to see another dream, one of the rather ancient dreams, come true. Nicholas county is to have a real Agricultural Fair early in October. Plans were laid at a meeting of the Chamber of Commerce Tuesday when Mr. Anderson, County Agricultural Agent, enlisted the support of the organization.

In our opinion, Nicholas county could and would support an annual county fair and the county fair this fall will show that that is true, we believe. Other counties have held successful annual county agricultural fairs and that such a movement here will prove immensely popular there can be no doubt.

The Mercury bespeaks the interest and co-operation of every farmer in Nicholas county in the project. We hope you will "aid Mr. Anderson in making the show attractive and we are sure that aside from its amusement features the exhibits arranged through the co-operation of the University will prove of inestimable educational advantage to the farmer and stock raiser.

Pitch in your county pride, boys, do your part and let's make the Nicholas County Agricultural Fair the best ever.

A Man-Size Conjunction.

The Lexington Leader believes that what is needed in Kentucky, first of all, is a reformation in government, more efficiency, more business sense and downright, straightforward competence in handling the affairs of this great corporation we call Kentucky, and that the resources of the State, and the taxing power, are sufficient to enable the people of this Commonwealth to meet their obligations, to pay their bills as they go, and to keep out of debt if they will send an administration to Frankfort that is in every sense intelligent, capable, and devoted to the public welfare. This is what this newspaper stands for and proposes to work for.

The Leader's "if" is a man-size conjunction, in this case, a gigantic little word which the counsels those voter alains into with hopeful enthusiasm on election day and comes out of his coma later in the same old political world. It makes no difference which party is leading on the fleshpots, at Frankfort or any other State capital, an adjustment that is in every sense intelligent, capable and devoted to the public welfare" is out of swift sail for dreams are made on. Perhaps the Leader will join in our old dream of a State Machinery Act and a legislative board of directors. We read that the City Manager of Knoxville, Tennessee, has actually "refuted taxpayers"—paid a dividend, as it were. Why not such a system applied to a state? Let's dream magnificently while we are a-dreaming. What do you say?

The Courier-Journal says:

The Carlisle Mercury, which made up its mind last week that the $75,000,000 bond issue is a bad business proposition, claims that it had not previously supported it, although favorably editorialized of the matter to the voters. The Mercury has come to the company of those who know the truth and who proclaim it.

We not only claim it, but we do now and we hope to say it. Part of the business that we've had such a devil of a time "making up our mind," this week has forced to console ourselves with Mark Twain's observation, that he had lots of it, for it took him so long to make it up.

Kentucky should have at least two State parks, one at Mammoth Cave and one in the Cumberlands. The co-operation of the establishment of park sites, being fostered by Dr. Jillson, chairman of the State Park Commission, should have the support of every Kentuckian who loves the natural beauties of old Commonwealth and wishes to see its beauty spots preserved from the rapid encroachments of commerce.

BOOSTING

30 YEARS AGO

Thursday August 9, 1894

Boosting is the cheapest commodity on the market. And yet it does more actual good for the individual and the community than the expenditure of thousands of dollars.

Some people are natural born boosters. Others have to cultivate the art. But whatever it takes, it is certainly worth the effort.

But boosting doesn't consist simply of talk. The real booster has also a "game." It means to be in the fellow who is leader in the civic program. He is the man who attends more meetings, reads the paper and otherwise keeps himself informed on what is doing. The booster is slow to criticise. There are plenty of things with which he is not in hearty accord. But he takes the time and pains to equip himself with the facts before he starts talking.

The booster knows there are two sides to every question. And he knows the other fellow may be right at least part of the time. For that reason he tries to get the same perspective on any question which concerns others besides himself. He is forever asking himself the question, what is fair and right for the general good of the community.

The smallest individual in the community is the man who, for various reasons is forced to live on a place about which he hasn't been one good thing to say. The fellow who is forever making disparaging comments about the place he lives in but a very few looks at it.—Springfield Sun.

THE COUNTY AGENT

There was a time when the county agricultural agent was not welcome everywhere. Many farmers looked upon him with suspicion, even fear, and in some places. Many thought he was going to try to tell them something different about farming than what they were following the practices their fathers and grandfathers back.

Gradually the attitude of the farmer changed until he began to view the county agent not as a tangral part of the farm program, a necessary asset in intelligent agriculture development.

There is one danger to the situation, however, that threatens to take up too much of the county agent's time in organizing and promoting production, marketing or social activities among the farm women.

This is not the real duty of the county agent, and the purpose of establishing this agency in rural communities will be defeated if farmers lose sight of the purpose for the county agent.

He is essentially a teacher and his work is educational. Whatever He is a public official, representing the state College of agriculture and the United States department of agriculture.

His duties lie along extension lines, rather than in organization work, and the more intelligent farmers appreciate this fact, just as they appreciate the work, with greater benefits, because relieved from tedious organization work, the county agent will be enabled to distribute more helpful information in all fields of farm work which is his real function.—Lancaster Record.

FISH FOR THE FARMERS POND

"What is the best variety of fish to stock my pond with?" This is a question which is most frequently asked the Game and Fish Commission by farmers. Without hesitation we answer, the Crappie. This fish has many vernacular names, Speckled-Perch, Calico Bass, Silver perch, Bachelor, Calico Bass, depending largely on the region where found.

As a game fish the Crappie is held in high esteem, in the south as well as the north; it takes a good rod and reel to land the game, will frequently bite on artificial minnows, however, it will take a fly. As a table fish it is unsurpassed, as a prolific breeder and has no cannibal tendencies. The Crappie breeds in profusion in ponds and sloughs and will thrive well in muddy water as well as in clear water, and to some extent even at the surface. A large variety of food (plankton) is obtained in the fish taking the water in its mouth and expelling through the gills which act as a strainer; thereby catching all of the minute animals and crustacians.

Bass are not recommended for small ponds, because they are voracious feeders and begin to eat their own young as soon as the young become two or three inches in length, besides they are so free feeders and will only bite at stated periods, consequently only year a few large bass are left in the pond and a larger part of nearly batch is destroyed.

Where ponds are stocked with Crappie, a few pikes or brush should be placed in them, as it provides a spawning bedding place for the fish as well as furnishing breeding grounds, for worms, bugs and insects, which constitute a large part of the food supply.

Little May Billie, 4 years old, of Commonwealth and wounded in the shot and instantly killed by her brother, Albert, 9 years old, while playing with an old shotgun Saturday.

WHY IS HAY FEVER!

An eastern newspaper suggests that men of medicine turn their attention to hay fever. There is no doubt that a remedy for this distressing and mysterious malady would prove a great blessing for a large number of persons throughout the world. We call it a mysterious malady because it is so. What is its cause and why must its victims suffer annually at the mid of July in present its recurrence? Those who have been said with hay fever know almost to a day when they will be called upon to endure its agonies.

Perhaps hay fever is more prevalent in August than in any other month, it is popularly supposed that grass pollen is responsible for the cause. But why pollen from August's flowers and not from those blooming in other months of the year? To answer that the sufferers of the pollen theory pick on the golden rod. But hay fever claims its victims in places where there is no golden rod and residents of large cities who never are within miles of that popular wild flower, are as liable to attack as anyone severely. And if pollen is the cause of the disease why are not all who live in the country afflicted with it, which is the only immunes.

Some writer who suggested that physicians turn their attention to hay fever may or may not be a sufferer, but in any event he pays up to them a pounds worthy of consideration. Unquestionably it is not ordinarily a fatal malady and people who are afflicted seldom lose important. The fact that it comes only once in a single and more or less harmless affliction makes it seem that lower to Hercules.—Cynthiana Democrat.

A FAT MAN'S LAMENT

"How do you enjoy the heat?"
"That's the almost hourly blow,
Of the globe that comes my way
Every dooling summer day."

I could gleefully molest,
Yes efface the dogmas poet
Who starts every interview:
"Is it hot enough for you?"

When the sun with fiercely blaze,
Pitches—hitches—with its rays,
How I long for cooler cities,
Give me bright winter times.

I hear neither chill nor snows,
Show nor sleet nor Artic breeze.
From the cold there's always shelter,
Summer means just sweat and sweltor.

Guys are always dropping in,
Saying with their dee'lish grin,
"You feel hot because you're fat,
"Hot—you'll get rid of that."

I admit that I am stout,
Not enough to fret about,
Head-foed gays just get my goat—
How they jabber, jest and gloat.

When does ends their mean career,
May they never come to hear
As they toast where flame is blue:
"Is it hot enough for you?"

—O. W. S.

HANGING HUSBANDS

When Frank Allison was hanged for murder at Meridian, Miss., Friday, it was the second time that Mrs. Allison had been hanged, in the same way. Her first husband, Allen Woodrock, was hanged four years ago for the murder of her father and mother. Suppose marriage vow for the widow—"Until you actions do part." Suppose on this picture scenario: "Hangies, Husbands."—Cynthiana Democrat.

LOCAL

PROGRAM

Tonight, Thursday, Gloria Swanson in "Zaza."

Friday—Death of the Range, Pathe News and a good comedy.

Saturday—John Gilbert in "Cat Of Broadway." A great picture. Also a comedy.

Monday—Conrad Nagel, Hunter and May Mackaye in "Wont of the Water Tower." You don't have to miss this one at the

LYRIC THEATER

J. C. Truman has greatly improved the appearance of his drug store building with a coat of paint.

Hainsfords at this time of year are breeding places for mosquitoes and should either be emptied or removed.

John Harvey, Democrat, and Gin D. Scott, Republican, have been proposed unofficially as candidates for Nicholas county.

The clock in Hopkins Drug Co. window stopped at 4:45 p. m. on August 4. The nearest guess was 4:31 made by Mrs. Rula Sudduth of Lexington.

Nicholas county people have been swelltering from the hot weather for the past three days being the hottest of the summer. The thermometer has registered as high as 96 in the shade.

"Aunt" Lucy Owens, one of the oldest and best known colored women in Henryville, fell while returning from a prayer meeting in Henryville Sunday morning, badly spraining her hip.

Stockholders of the Coulson-Oil Company, have received stock from C. C. Bosworth, receiver of the company, which is the beginning of an assessment to pay the indebtedness and dissolution.

John Harvey, George L. Scott and James F. Gaunce, election commissioners, met Tuesday and tabulated the vote cast in the primary Saturday. The official count made no change in the result published on page 1.

The Bracken Association of Baptist churches met at the Lenox Grove Baptist church Wednesday morning. Rev. Lee Anderson, A large number of delegates from the churches of which the association is composed are attending.

John Charles Holland, six year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Holland, of the county, while playing at the home of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hinton, on West Main street, last Thursday, fell and fractured his arm.

Tickets for the Kentucky State Fair have been placed on sale at the local banks at $7 for season tickets. This is a reduction of fifty cents from the regular price, which is made to encourage a season of the rural sections to attend.

A heavy iron railing which stood at the step leading to the basement of the City Store prevented a serious accident last Thursday night when the driver of a Buick automobile with a Bourbon county license lost control of the machine and it struck the railing, twisting it from its foundation.

Q. T. Gatewood has installed in his confectionery a Frigidair plant, which will insure a supply of ice cold without the use of ice. The plant, which has a capacity of eight packers of cream, will also make enough ice to serve a family drinks. It is operated by an hydraulic motor and the first units of the kind installed in Carlisle.

Quotation on the Cincinnati live stock market Wednesday: Hogs, 25c to 75c higher, with prime ranging from $11.25 for heavies to $8 for fat sows. Cattle, slow and steady; steers, from 10.25 for weights, to $4 for common; heifers, from 10 for choice to $4 for common. Lambs, slow and steady, prices ranging from $14.50 for choice to $8 for seconds.

In county court Wednesday morning Judge A. B. Tillson fined Joe Kenney $200 and costs and 60 days in jail on a charge of shooting and assisting his father, Bruce Kenney, in violation of the Volstead act. Bruce Kenney, charged with selling whisky to Paris police, was not present when his jury was called for trial. A jury was impaneled and he was tried and acquitted.

Won't others need in their names to The Mercury a correction in a city child for ten days? It is hot here, but that hot cannot compare with the oven-like temperature of other streets. The next group will be sent out Saturday. The following of Nicholas county people have agreed to take children during this month: Mrs. Wallace Tapp, route 2; Mrs. Bruce Kenney, Carlisle; Mail Pike Mercury, either phone, if you are willing to aid in this humane work.

After a lengthy trial in which a dog was on trial for his life, Judge A. B. Tillson imposed the death penalty on a "hound" dog belonging to George Plack, of the Myers vicinity, in county court Wednesday. The dog, accused of killing sheep belonging to William Buchanan, was represented by counsel and numerous witnesses were introduced to prove his "character," some testifying it was good, others less favorable. Sheriff Gaunce will officiate as executioner.

PERSONAL

WHAT BECAME OF A LIE

First somebody told it
Then the room wouldn't hold it,
So the busy tongues rolled it
Till they got it outside;
Then the crowd came across it,
And it grew long and wide,
From a very small lie, sir,
It grew deep and high sir,
Till it reached the sky sir,
And it frightened the moon;
For she did her best, sir,
At the dreadful disgrace, sir,
To hide it beneath a cloud;
But it soon burst through it,
Left its sister and brother,
And futzers and mothers,
A terrible crew;
And with howling they hurried
The people they flurried,
As lies always do.
And so evil bodied
This monstrous lie goaded,
Till at last it exploded
In smoke and in shame;
While from mouth and from mine
The pieces flew higher
And killed his good name.

—Exchange

—Miss Opal Stewart has returned from a visit in Lexington.

—Mrs. R. N. Brock is visiting relatives in Lexington and Versailles.

—Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Herndon, of Lexington, have been here for the day.

Miss Louelle Bustin spent the week end with relatives in Lexington.

—Hackett Robbins has returned from spending the summer in Richmond.

—Ed Howard Starr, of Georgia, is visiting his cousin, Mrs. Ollie Dudley.

—Mrs. Frank Hoff spent the week end with Mrs. C. A. Pitman in Mt. Sterling.

—Walter Jones, of Lexington, was the guest of Mrs. Mary Johnson, Tuesday.

—Dr. and Mrs. E. L. Crystal motored to Richmond, Sunday to visit relatives.

—Mr. and Mrs. Jno. Archdeacon, of Lexington, were here during the week end.

—Mr. and Mrs. J. Edgar Freeland left for a visit at New Castle and Israel, last week.

—Miss Frances Turnman has returned from a visit to relatives in Louisville.

—Miss Jessie Kerr, of Maysville, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Frank Conley.

—Mr. P. R. Powers, of Knoxville, tennessee, is visiting his uncle, Mr. H. B. Powers.

—Mr. and Mrs. Leslie S. Hughes spent the week end at relatives in Lexington.

—Mr. W. E. Stone, of Georgia, is spending a few weeks with her brother, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hinton.

—Mr. and Mrs. George Bunton, of Lexington, are spending a week with R. Burton and family, Thursday.

—Mrs. Ollie Arrington, Mrs. Geo. Long and son, Curtiss, of Clarke county, are guests of Mrs. F. V. Cox.

—Mrs. Joseph Wagner, of Lexington, was the guest of Mrs. Byrn Hillock and Mrs. Ollie Tipton for the week end.

—Mr. and Mrs. Frank Darnall and son, Sam Veach, of Dayton, Mo., are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Sam K. Veach.

—The Fortnightly Book club met with M. R. Burton on Tuesday night, at his home on North Byrn street.

—Mrs. Virgie Parsons and daughter, Miss Ruth, of Lexington, visited Mr. and Mrs. Will Banta Sunday.

—Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Clark have moved into their wedding tour. and are guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Clark, on the Upper Jacksonville pike.

—Misses Jane Mary and Ruth Wagnmills, of Lexington, are guests of Mrs. Jane Letton, on the Pleasant Spring pike.

—Cole Conyers and daughter, Miss Louella Conyers, of Lexington, are guests of Mrs. J. R. Carter, on Mt. Auburn.

—Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Collins and daughter, of Columbus, Ohio, and Mrs. Lucy Wright and son, Charles, of Latonia, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jas. H. Collins.

—Roy Potts, of Newport, joined Mrs. Potts, who has been visiting here for the week end.

—Mrs. Ethel Wright and son, Charles, left Saturday in a visit with her Misses Cora, near Mt. Sterling, and Ger. W. Taylor this week.

Dr. Stanley P. Strickland is able to be back in his office after an absence of three weeks, following his an operation for appendicitis.

—Mrs. James Henry and little daughter, Helen Jane, have returned from a two weeks visit with Mrs. Lon Letton, in Paris.

—Miss Lucy Letton and Mrs. Robert Letton have returned home from a visit with their sister, Mrs. Ed Alexander, in Wisconsin.

—Mr. and Mrs. Hiram Hendrickson and son, of Taylorsville, spent from Friday until Monday with Mr. and Mrs. Ben Alexander.

—Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Hill and daughter, Louise, will leave Saturday for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Gayle, in Morganfield, Ky., and Mr. and Mrs. C. Kingsolver, son and daughter, Roy and Mary, left Monday for a two weeks motor trip to Hickory Texas, to visit relatives.

—Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Allen, Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Allen and daughter, spent last week with Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Bell, on the Maysville road.

—Mrs. J. S. Walton and three children, of Brandenburg, are visiting Mrs. Walton, at the home of Capt. P. M. Rankin, on the Maysville road.

—Mr. and Mrs. Carl Bailey, of Millersburg, and Miss Mildred Sparks, of Bald Hill, were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Hector Sparks near Headquarters.

—John Mathias and family left Saturday for their new home in Amarillo, Texas, where he has been for a year in the grain and lumber business.

—Miss Anne Price, Chas. Glass, of Nicholasville, and Miss Anne Carl Overstreet, of Paris, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. James Pat Price, Sunday.

—Henry Keller, who has been with the W. M. Ritter Lumber Co., for the past three years, left last week for a position in Louisville.

—Mr. Silas W. Mathers, who has been in Lillian Smith's drug store, has been confined to his home for a week, Saturday, suffering from complications.

—Miss Dorothy Kennedy has gone to Lexington for a visit with her aunt, Mrs. C. F. Jones, before entering Miss Lily Bell's school, Danville, Calif., Thursday.

—Dr. Zella Asbury, of Mayo Clinic, Rochester, Minn., and Mrs. W. F. Asbury, of Campbellsburg, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Asbury, near Butterville.

—Mrs. Mary Newt Gorham has been ill for the past few days at her home on Archdeacon avenue, and Dr. Money, of Lexington, was called in Sunday to see her.

—Mrs. Mack Whitaker, of Fayetteville, Tenn., and Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Henry, of Paris, were here to attend the funeral of Mr. J. o. Burnam, Wednesday afternoon.

—Mrs. W. T. Hughes returned Saturday from a weeks visit with relatives in Covington. She was accompanied home by her accounts, Marion Alexander, for a visit.

—Mr. and Mrs. Cutcille Talbert, Mr. and Mrs. Orlando Gayle, Mrs. C. B. Huffington, Misses Annie B. Talbert, Mary and Annie Lee Gayle, Burr motored to Dix river dam Sunday.

—Mrs. Fred Perkins an baby daughter, of Cave Springs, Ga., and Mrs. Harry S. Darnall, who has been guests of Mrs. Jim Will Martin for several weeks, left Sunday for Georgia and Lexington.

—Mrs. Zella South has been in Cincinnati the past week, purchase her fall millinery and attend the wedding of her sister, Mrs. R. D. Thomas, of Huntington, W. Va., are visiting her mother, Mrs. Ella Kennedy.

—Among those from a distance who attended the funeral and burial of Mr. Tolliver Kerns last week were: Mrs. Ed Kerns, Mrs. Jesse Kerns, James P. Hinton, Lexington; and Rev. Ross and Floyd Stephenson, Ill.

—Miss Frances Thomas was taken to St. Joseph's hospital in Lexington Tuesday, and is under the care of specialists. She was accompanied by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. K. Veach. John Veach attended to an operation Wednesday morning for the relief of deafness and is reported to have withstood the operation well.

—Mrs. A. H. Gill has as her guest, her home on East Main street, her sister, Miss Blanche Conway, who is taking nurses's training at the University of Louisville in the hospital at Louisville. Also Mrs. Nell Taylor, of Tuscaloosa, who has been C. M. T. C. bonnee at Camp Knox during the past two months. Miss Taylor is a veteran of the World war, having served with the Red Cross in France.

—Virginia Ross, nine year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ross, of East Main street, who was injured Monday night when her car was automobile driven by Joe Beatty on July 25, is getting along nicely and believed to be out of danger. Unless complications develop she will be able to be brought home in a few days. Mr. and Mrs. Ross are with her at a Lexington hospital, where she was taken following the accident.

—Miss Gionale Fisher entertained with a bridge party Tuesday morning at her home on Chestnut street, in honor of Miss Mabel Campbell, of Ontario, California. The prize for highest score was given Mrs. Hiel Asbury and prize for second score went to Mrs. Jno. M. Wells. The guests were served on the spacious veranda and at the close of the game the hostess served. Miss Fisher was assisted by her mother, Mrs. C. H. Fisher, and cousin, Miss Catherine Frey. The guests were: Mrs. H. F. Asbury, Mrs. John M. Wells, Mrs. W. Nathan Veach, Mrs. Floyd Clark, Misses Lillie C. Taylor, Mayme K. Reed, Catharine Taylor, Bessie Booth, Adaline Bastet, Virginia Martin, Ruth Kennedy, and Marion Campbell, of California.

DEATHS

BURNAM—Mr. James D. Burnam, aged 74 years, died at the home of his brother, Mr. Harry B. Burnam, near town, at 4 o'clock last hour Monday morning, following a long illness. About five weeks ago Mr. and Mrs. Burnam came to Carlisle in the hope that Mr. Burnam would regain his health. His condition grew steadily worse until the end came. Mr. Burnam, who spent, the greater portion of his life in Carlisle, moving from here to Paris and later to Lexington, where he resided for about 20 years. He was a traveling salesman for the Mosby Tobacco Co., of New York City. For over half a century he was a traveling salesman and was one of the best known men in Central Kentucky. Deceased was born May 27, 1850, and was united in marriage to Miss Sallie Clary, who, with two sons, Miller Burnam, of Chicago, and Maurice Burnam, of New York, survive. Maurice Burnam is turf editor of the New York Telegram and Evening Mail. Funeral services were held at the late residence Wednesday afternoon, conducted by Rev. R. L. Crystal, following which the remains were laid to rest in Carlisle cemetery. Services at the grave were in charge of the Masonic lodge, of which order Mr. Burnam was a member. Pallbearers were: Mr. Burnam's nephews, Harry B. Burnam, Jr., Lexington, Ky., Harry T. Burgess, on the Maysville road, after an illness of four weeks. Mr. Kerns was born and reared in the Upper Licks vicinity, near Bald Hill, where he lived six years ago has made his home with his son, Lee Kerns, and daughter, Miss Addie Kerns, near Headquarters, for the past three years. Surviving are seven children, Mrs. H. T. Burgess and Miss Fannie Kerns, of Carlisle, Mrs. W. C. Hawkins, of Cincinnati, Lee Kerns and Miss Addie Kerns, near Headquarters, Mrs. Ollie Frankfort, Ind., and Mrs. Lloyd Stephens, of Marion, Ill. Mr. Kerns was also survived by two brothers, Jesse Kerns, near Headquarters, and Kerns, of Fleming county, and one sister, Mrs. Mary Kennedy, near Moorefield. Funeral services took place at the Moorefield Christian church Saturday afternoon, conducted by Dr. E. L. Crystal, followed by burial in the Bethel cemetery. Services at the grave were in charge of Daughertty Lodge, Mr. Kerns united with the Christian church when a boy and was always a regular attendant. He had been a member of the Masonic lodge for 54 years, joining at Egbert, and later transferred his membership to Daugherty Lodge.

BIRTHS

TERRELL—To Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Terrell, of the county, on July 28, a six pound daughter, who has been named Lillian Bazter Terrell.

RELIGIOUS

Circle No. 2, of the Presbyterian church will meet at the home of Mrs. Ed Kerr, Thursday afternoon for a picnic supper on Wednesday, August 13, from 4 to 6 o'clock. All members are urged to be present.

FRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Ed. W. J. Vaughn, State Sunday School Secretary, will speak at the Presbyterian church Sunday morning. He will also address the members of the Sunday schools of the four Carlisle churches at the Christian church Sunday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

METHODIST CHURCH

Wm. M. Bryant, Pastor

Sunday school 9:30 a. m. Mrs. Bible class 9:45 a. m. Preaching 10.45 a. m. Subject, "What is the Church Doing?" Epworth League 6:45 p. m. Preaching 7:.. p. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday 7:30 p. m.

BOOSTER MEETING

A booster meeting, sponsored by the Men's Bible class of the Christian church, will be held with the Moorefield Christian church and Sunday school Sunday afternoon at 3 p. m. The program will be composed of music and short addresses, a social interlude is intended to all the Sunday schools throughout the county.

ST. JOHN'S CHURCH

Large numbers of Protestant and non-Catholic are attending the Missionary services being held this week at St. John's church. The subjects for the remainder of the week will be as follows: Wednesday evening at 7:10—"Two Views of Death." "Are we saved all men same to die." Thursday evening—"Catholic Doctrine of the Eucharist." Several questions of interest will be discussed at this time. Friday evening—"Christ our Mediator." Saturday evening—"Mary's Share in the Redemption." Opening of the Mission Sunday evening at 7:30 with Benediction of faith and renewal of baptismal vows will follow at this service. All are welcome.

BEAVER

Mr and Mrs. H. D. Gaunce spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. D. P. Vaughn, at Ellisville.

Little Miss Ada Green is on the sick list.

Mrs. Hanson Kennay and Mrs. Arthur Keaton, of Paris, were guests the past week with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Green.

Mr. and Mrs. Hanson Kennay and three daughters, spent the week end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Small, of Paris, spent Sunday with Carl Green and family.

A number of Nicholas county people will attend the Montgomery Mr. which opened at Mt. Sterling Wednesday.

MARRIAGES

RING-VICE—A marriage license was issued by County Clerk Westfall Tuesday to Mr. Ernest Ring, Elizabeth, 19, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Ring, and Miss Carlton Kash Vice, 20, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Vice, all of the Upper Licks vicinity. The marriage will take place at Mt. Olivet today.

MCQUITTY-TEMPLEMAN—The marriage of Miss Anna McQuitty and Mr. Robert Powell Temperleman, both of the Moorefield vicinity, took place at Lexington last Thursday. Immediately after the ceremony they left for a bridal trip to Atlantic City, after which they will return and make their home with Mr. Temperleman's father, Mr. C. B. Temperleman. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. B. McQuitty, of Moorefield, and is attractive and popular young woman. Mr. Temperleman is one of the county's most popular and industrious young farmers.

PLEASANT VALLEY

Mr. and Mrs. James Curtis and three children spent from Saturday until Monday with Mr. Bud Hitch and family near Carlisle.

Mr. Lonzie Wilkonson and family of Latonia, spent Saturday and Sunday with relatives

Miss Mae Hitch is visiting in Paris Sunday.

Mrs. W. T. Furman and children, of Cranstown, spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jno. Tolliver.

The hot weather is scheduled for August 15, and will be celebrated Sunday.

Miss Lonzie Hollmonds spent Sunday with J. W. McCall and family.

There will be an ice cream supper Saturday night, August 16, a Christian Church at Pleasant Valley, for the benefit of the church.

BALD HILL

Protracted meeting is in progress at Bald Hill church. Mr. Hilton, of Tennessee, is conducting a good sermon. Come and hear him.

Mrs. Darrell, of East Union, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Ben Anderson, this week.

Mr. Lee Miller, of Dayton, Ohio, is visiting relatives here this week.

Mr. W. H. Arnold, who has been attending school at Pelhorn, came home last week, and took his family to Wilmore, where they are building a new home.

Mr. Mack Ogden and family and Minos Pannie and Minnie Leary, of Winchester, visited relatives here Sunday.

Mrs. Cora Ogden, of Louisville, is visiting her Dotson and Ogden relatives in this community.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Miller spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Tom Brayfield, of Carlisle.

DIRECTORS OF CHAMBER OF COMMERCE MEET

Dates for Picnic and Luncheon Set. Will Support Agricultural Fair

At the regular monthly meeting of the Chamber of Commerce, Tuesday morning, preparations for the picnic or Fall Festival to be sponsored by that organization here on Monday, September 1, were discussed and committees on arrangements appointed. A debate on the bond issue is to be a feature of the day. The speakers will be announced, very probably in next week's issue of The Mercury.

County Agent Anderson appeared before the board with plans for an agricultural fair. Mr. Anderson's plan was enthusiastically received and plans for holding a two-day fair, in October 11 and 12, were laid. A catalogue will be issued some time this month, giving the premium list in the various departments. Educational exhibits from the agricultural department of the University of Kentucky will be used and one or two exhibits from the State Fair will be secured.

The fair will likely be held in one of the warehouses, and it is expected to be one of the biggest and most enjoyable events that ever was attempted in Carlisle.

The next luncheon of the Chamber of Commerce will be held at East Union, the luncheon to be served by the ladies of the East Union church. Who date set for the luncheon is Thursday, August 14.

The next luncheon is scheduled for August 15, and will be held at Sharpsburg. Bethel, Ewing, Cowan and Elizabeth.

ROSE HILL

Everett Pryman, wife and daughters, Joan and Alberta, spent Sunday with Robert Lipscomb and family.

M. L. Hollar, wife and sons attended church at Salmond Sunday.

Rev. L. A. Pryman, wife and children, of Versailles, have returned home after several weeks stay with T. J. Pryman and family.

ITEMS OF INTEREST

Germany is buying American mules to replace cows in agricultural work.

Technical schools in Tokio are now holding special classes in architectural work.

Rhythm, the new anaesthetic, is used in California to cure brown lemons yellow.

Brickbayers lead the field of labor in wage increases gained in the last half-century.

Last year Canada produced more coal, lead, cobalt and asbestos than ever before.

Jugo-Slavia has the smallest navy in the world.

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