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Achilles Leaves His Tent.

The newspaper which voices any opinion at all necessarily has its detractors. We get used to lambastings and become somewhat impervious to the ordinary run of censure and abuse. But when we have an unusual epithet slung at us, and that by another newspaper, it jes natchelly riles us, and if we do not forget the scriptural injunction to "turn the other cheek," it is a consolation to remember that we have but two cheeks to turn.

Now Mr. Bingham's Courier-Journal and Mr. Bingham's Louisville Times have swatted us a resounding swat within the week. Not that The Mercury is singled out for chastisement. Dear me, no! We are not conceited enough to think that a "National Newspaper" takes cognizance of the small fry of the country press. We simply had the temerity to express an opinion, which placed us among those against whom Mr. Bingham's papers turned their broadside. A couple of flying derogatory classifications struck us, and they stung. We don't like to be stung; we abominate being stung undeservedly.

Early last week Achilles ceased to sulk in his tent. The Courier-Journal climbed down off the fence, following, on its editorial page, with an ardour belated, but not one whit abated, the four weeks' lead of its news columns. The Courier-Journal is now editorially against the bond issue and against its submission to a vote of the people. This is their privilege, and The Mercury, for one, has no desire to impugn their motives. Yet we do resent the fact that they impugn the motives of those of us, who honestly, if not infallibly, express the opinion that it best for the people to be permitted to vote on the question. We are put in the position of favoring a "crooked election," according to the Courier-Journal, at which the "bonds would be counted in regardless of the heaviest majorities against them." We do not believe that for a moment. We are having our faith in the sanity, the basic honesty and the common sense of the average man and woman justified each year we live. The Courier-Journal would have one believe that the voters of the state are credulous nincompoops. Possibly, the inference is drawn from local observation, in some of the "dark wards" of its city. That a correct conclusion as to the conditions throughout Kentucky may be drawn from particular instances of political corruption in the city of Louisville, we do not believe.

The Courier-Journal does admit that "unquestionably many honest, public-spirited Kentuckians sincerely favor this bond issue," but one must even believe that this admission is made grudgingly, for its evening edition, The Louisville Times, refutes this sentiment, by publishing an infamously unfair cartoon, in which those who favor the submission of the bond issue to the votes of the people, are portrayed as a ponderous, paunched individual of the ward-heeler type. We are political "spoilsmen," we are told.

Now, The Mercury has no desire to tilt at the Bingham papers with its puny lance, but we do resent being classed as a political spoilsman. Spoils of office have never been ours, nor are we seeking political preferment. This newspaper has not approved the bond issue plan. We do feel, however, that it should be voted upon and settled one way or the other, else will it remain a football of politics in Kentucky. If held in abeyance, it may serve as a tide, which taken at its flood, might float the "outs" into office and the "ins" out, which seems to be a consummation devoutly to be wished in some quarters. If there is any other purpose to be served by refusing us a vote on the question we are not aware of it.

"ship," brazen and conscienceless. The argument that there are good superintendents, good doctors and competent nurses in Kentucky, are to qualify under the requirements of this bill is no argument at all. It is true that those able to fill all of these positions may be found in Kentucky, having lived here six years and having voted in the State for two years, but in the care of our unfortunate children, our insane and our criminals, not only Kentucky, but the world should be our field of selection. There should be no restriction, in this case, either of party or creed; the only question that should be asked is, "is this man or woman the very best in his or her line that we are able to afford?"

The Mercury is a Democrat, but it most assuredly has no stomach for a spoils system of its own party or any other, which, as the Louisville Post aptly puts it, would "wade through the tears of little children" to accomplish its object.

The bill is indefensible and should not be allowed to pass.

An Indefensably Bad Bill.

A bill is pending before the Legislature to require the State Board of Charities to employ as superintendents of our prisons, hospitals for the insane and institutes for the feeble minded only those who have been residents of Kentucky for six years. No one may be employed as doctor, nurse, or interne, except those who have been voters in Kentucky for two years.

Now, here is "political spoilsman-

A Puzzling Argument.

The Lexington Leader takes issue with The Mercury on the question of submitting the proposed $75,000,000 bond issue to the voters. The Leader thinks the proposition a very bad one indeed, so bad that a vote of the people on the subject should not be risked. The Mercury, while it is willing to state frankly that it is far from being converted to the plan to bond the state for this amount, honestly believes that the very best way to settle the question is to go to the voters with it. It seems to us, from present indications at least, that the plan will be rejected. If so, it will have been decided more definitely than it is possible for a state legislature to decide it. The proponents of the measure and its opponents will have had their day in court, and far from creating the "bitternesses" and rancors," which the Leader fears, just that would be avoided, in our opinion.

The Leader writes fairly; those who disagree with it are not dubbed "political spoilsmen," yet we must admit that we are unable to follow its argument in favor of squelching the whole matter in the senate. Be it understood that we do not attempt to argue that the senate has not the "right" to vote as it pleases. It has. That it should vote to submit the question, is our opinion, not that it must do so. And that it should do so is an opinion only and not infallible, mind you. But to return to the Leader's view of the matter, in the issue of Friday, February 22, an editorial under the caption, "Defeat The Bond Issue," begins as follows:

A paragraph in the special correspondence in The Leader on Sunday reads as follows: "A majority of the Democrats voted against the Governor's $75,000,000 bond issue for the same reason that they voted for the pari-mutuel repeal. Their constitutents directed them, and the members who cast the deciding vote in favor of the bond issue explained that they will go home and fight it at the election."

The Senate has the bill before it, and if the men who must decide its fate are as fully aware of the ground-swell against it, of the views of the mass of their constituents, and as responsive to public opinion as are the members of the House, the blanket bond issue will not pass.

From the foregoing it would seem that the Leader believes that a majority of the people are opposed to the bond issue. The constituents of the members of the legislature are, of course, all the voters of Kentucky, and the views of the "mass of their constituents" may reasonably be taken to mean the majority of the voters of the state. So, aside from the fear the Leader feels that the campaign would be attended with unpleasantness, we are unable to understand the reason for an opponent of the bond issue objecting to its submission, under such conditions. The proponents of the plan are surely not such skilled magicians, as to be able to transform a substantial majority into a minority in a few months. And surely the Leader can not believe that a public opinion, thoroughly enough aroused to take the trouble to "direct" their representatives how to vote, will permit tricksters of either or both parties to steal the election.

But we are rather puzzled, when we read the last paragraph of the same editorial, which says:

From every standpoint the Senate has reason to believe that an adverse vote on the bond issue would not only meet with public approval but at the same time would best serve the interests of the State and save the people a vast sum of money in interest which on the pay-as-you-go basis can be invested in permanent improvements.

The senate, by an adverse vote, money in interest, which on the pay-as-you-go basis can be invested in permanent improvements." Which is to say, one may reasonably infer, that if the senate submits the question, it will carry. So, there you are; you pays your money and you takes your choice. This bond issue question is the dad-burndest thing!

At a meeting of the board of directors of the recently formed Chamber of Commerce, held last Thursday night, officers were chosen for the ensuing year. A committee was appointed to secure a professional secretary and another committee to arrange for a luncheon, which will be given in the basement of the Baptist church on March 6. It is not obligatory upon members to attend this luncheon, but every member should do so. Whatever we put into the Carlisle Chamber of Commerce in personal enthusiasm and co-operation will be the measure of its success.

FIGHT YOUR OWN BATTLES

During the past few weeks The Mercury has received a great number of unsigned communications, which were ignored. If you have anything to send to the paper, sign your name, not for publication, but to guarantee the authenticity of the article.

We have received complaints from contributors, especially correspondents, because their articles were not printed as sent in. All articles published in The Mercury are edited, not necessarily as a criticism, but in order to make them conform to a certain standard which this paper endeavors to maintain. Often the phraseology is changed in order to make a sentence more explicit. Often items are omitted from letters of correspondence because they have no interest.

Another annoyance with which every newspaper office has to contend is the letter writer who sends in an article to be published to "get even" with someone. If The Mercury had published every letter of this kind which we have received, the civil dockets of the courts in the county would be filled with suits for libel and slander. The person who tries to take advantage of a newspaper to "get even" with his neighbor is the worst kind of a coward. We have repeatedly refused to publish letters of this kind and will continue to do so. If you have a grievance against some one and you feel the only way to "get even" is to tell the world about it, "hire a hall."

WORTH WHILE THINGS

All adults who lived the year around on farms, in their youth, but who are at the present time incarcerated in cities, find that much of the conversation of their contemporaries relating to the stage, popular plays, actors and actresses of a decade or two ago, has few associations for them. Sometimes they feel keenly the fact that they were deprived of the glamour and fascination of the theatre.

There were, however, two substitutes for the magical amusement they missed. One of the most worth while things of life is the family reading circle. On many a winter evening the writer remembers listening to the father of the family read aloud to the mother who was busily sewing or knitting, and to the children who sat enthralled in the simple farm living room, while Howard Pyle's stories of Robin Hood or Mary Mapes Dodge's Donald and Dorothy kindled imaginations and made the coming of bed time a dreaded event.

The library was a meagre one, but Christmas and birthdays added to its size and the books were so persistently and devotedly read that they were "reduced and worn to the very threads and glues of their binding;" the best of it was that the whole family read and loved the same book.

Then there was the ride in the straw-filled sleigh, generously supplied with old blankets, to the school entertainment in which the older children took part, and the babies who were just learning to walk, ambled around at their own sweet will. The pantomime of Maud Muller read aloud, thrilled the audience. How lustily the children applauded the silent performers!

But it was a family reading circle! A family sleigh ride! And the memory of these events is so vivid that the writer believes this little noted or greatly valued service rendered by farm homes in making it possible for the family to enjoy recreation in common, should be magnified until its practice becomes more nearly universal.—Exchange.

Of a total of $478,000,000 of minerals mined in Alaska, 328,000,000 was in gold.

Medical prescriptions in France must be written in the language of that country.

According to some authorities the surface of the human body is about sixteen square feet.

The liner Majestic is about 1,700 times the size of the Santa Maria, flagship of Columbus.

Three American buffaloes have been given to the Mexican Government by the United States.

Prunes will soon be dried by electricity instead of by the present sun-drying process, according to a California agricultural expert.

Ninety per cent of the silver fox pelts sold now are from ranch-bred animals.

"What town is this?" All tourists have asked the question hundreds of times. Progressive towns put the name of their city on signs at the city limits, just as they also put "through arrows" to guide the traveler.

"What road is this?" as asked almost as often, especially on the less traveled highways. Main traveled roads are rapidly being marked, so that the visitor from afar is not confused.

"What river is this?" is often a matter of wonder to the motorist, who passes over several branches of the same stream, alongside a lake, or over a bridge without knowing what body of water it is which he crosses or passes.

The League of American Pen Women is asking the various State Highway Commissions to place suitable markers near famous streams to inform the traveling public. It is a laudable work, but why, the traveler wants to know, stop at famous streams? Why not mark all bodies of water on or near any and all roads, so that the traveler may get better acquainted with the country through which he passes?

Municipalities find it pays to welcome the tourist, to guide him surely and quickly, to make him feel at home. The "Stop! Ten miles an hour under penalty of the law" sign is disappearing in favor of the "Our speed limit is fifteen miles an hour; please observe it, as we make you welcome" type of sign. With the latter goes the courtesy of road markers and steam labels, worthy work for any civic club to take up, that the municipality be visited with joy and remembered with pleasure.

REFORMERS WOULD PROHIBIT TOBACCO IN ANY FORM

According to the New York Times, plans are being made by the Non-Smokers Protective League for a devastating invasion of the smokers' paradise. The campaign will open with an intensive membership drive in every part of the country.

Three thousand members are already enrolled in the league, according to Dr. Charles G. Pease, the president. Each of these members will be asked to enlist as many friends as possible in the movement.

"When we feel that our organization is adequately prepared," Dr. Pease said, "we shall launch our campaign for legislation that will prohibit the growth, importation and sale of tobacco.

"In view of the fact that fully 75 per cent of the men of this country and a growing proportion of the women smoke, it can be readily perceived that we have a difficult task before us.

"We look for a national revulsion against tobacco. We believe that this will come with the unfurling of our standards and a broadcast notice that we are in the field.

"The prohibition of tobacco will come suddenly, just as the prohibition of liquor did. For years there was waged a consistent campaign against strong drink, and, while this seemed to make but small inroads at times, it culminated sharply in national prohibition. A tidal wave of protest against tobacco will inundate the proponents of it and will put our programme into effect."

Dr. Pease felt certain that many confirmed smokers would join in the movement, knowing that with no tobacco available they could the more easily break off the habit. He was confident also that the campaign of education to be waged by the league would be a powerful factor in winning recruits to the cause.

The league plans to secure the introdution of anti-tobacco legislation in cities and States wherever possible as a preliminary step toward a drive.

CROP ROTATION IN GARDEN

The same crop should not occupy same space in the garden from year to year. There are several reasons for this. One of the chief ones is to avoid perpetuating disease which may have afflicted some of the vegetables the germs of which may carry over in the soil. As members of the cabbage tribe and the bean and pea family suffer from different ailments, their positions should be switched in order that any such pests may be discontinued.

A good plan is to reverse last year's plan and then change it back again next year thus furnishing a rotation of crops. If this is not done, at least the arrangement should be changed by moving the sections devoted to one vegetable this year to some other position in the garden removed a few feet at least next year.

A good rule would be to plant the root crop next year where the leaf crops such as lettuce and spinach have grown this year or to give the root crops the space next year where the legumes, a term applid to members of the pea and bean family have been this year. It will not be a difficult matter to study out this arrangement with a little practice.

Planting the taller growing crops such as corn and tomatoes on one side of the garden one year and then moving them over to the other side the following season will be a convenient method of securing rotation. If rotation cannot be conveniently arranged because of the small size of the plot, the best way is to make up for the deficiency by careful fertilizing and orasional liming of the soil to sweeten it up.

There are 200,000 square miles of uncultivated land in China.

$354,000!

Shippers marketing lambs at Cincinnati last year might have realized $354,000, more if they had done certain things. The same principles apply this year. Succeeding issues will explain.

ONE THING-- CASTRATE BUCK LAMBS

Castrate! It Pays!

Reversing the decision of the Madison county court, the court of appeals held that jailers are entitled to one dollar per day for keeping prisoners.

MARDI GRAS NEW ORLEANS Feb. 28-March 4

Round Trip **$40.74** From Lexington

Two Trains Every Day
Leave Lexington 10:40 A. M. 10:30 P. M.
Arrive New Orleans 1:25 A. M. 9:00 P. M.
Reduced from other points
Dates of Sale- February 28-March 3 Inclusive
Good Returning Until March 11th
Ask for Free Booklet on New Orleans
City Ticket Office, 104 North Limestone Street. Phone 49.
H. C. KING, District Passenger Agent, Lexington, Ky.
SOUTHERN RAILWAY SYSTEM

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Cleanses mouth and teeth and aids digestion.
Relieves that overeaten feeling and acid mouth.
Its l-a-s-t-i-n-g flavor satisfies the craving for sweets.
Wrigley's is double value in the benefit and pleasure it provides.
Sealed in its Purity Package.

The flavor lasts

Combination Stock Sales

Next Sale Thursday, March 6th

On the above date we will have several good work horses, 2 pairs of mules, sows and pigs, etc.

We will sell at these sales, livestock, farm implements, or anything you have for sale. Terms reasonable. Sale rain or shine.

Sales held at my place just outside city limits of Carlisle, on Lower Jackstown pike. Plenty of shelter for stock and crowd. If you have anything to list and do not find me, leave list with H. B. Bryson or J. T. Jackson.

O. S. SMOOT.

THE CITY STORE

1 Pair Shoes $1
100 pairs Ladies' High Top Shoes
Values up to $12.50

1 Ladies' Coat $1
Ten Coats, Winter and Summer to select from

THREE DOLLAR DAYS

Thursday, Friday and Saturday
FEBRUARY 28th, 29th and MARCH 1st

1 Ladies' Gown $1 Large assortment Ladies Gowns Sold up to $3.00; Slightly Soiled — $1	**1 Pair Sport Hose** Wool and silk heather mixtures, plain and clocked, sold up to $3.50, Dollar Day price — $1	**4 Yds. 1-2 Wool Flannel** Half wool white flannel, 26 inches wide, formerly sold for 50; — $1
1 Ladies' Combination Suit $1 Ladies Combination Suits, Sold up to $3.00; Slightly Soiled — $1	**Bags and Purses** Choice of bags and purses and large vanity boxes, formerly sold up to $4.00 — $1	**6 Yds. Unbleached Cotton** Unbleached cotton, 39 inches wide, for sheets, worth 20c yard; Dollar Days price — $1
1 Ladies' Union Suit $1 Ladies Union Suits, Sold from $2.00 to $3.50 Dollar Day price — $1	**3 Pairs Men' Socks** Men's Lisle Socks, colors, gray, suede, black and brown; 50c values, Dollar Day price — $1	**8 Yds. Unbleached Cotton** 8 yards 36 inch unbleached cotton; Dollar Days price — $1
2 Ladies' Union Suits $1 Ladies Union Suits, sold from $1.50 to $1.75 Dollar Day price — $1	**1 Single Blanket** Grey with borders, full bed size, $1 day price — $1	**6 Yards Outing** Very best quality, dark or light quality, extra heavy fleeced; Dollar Days price — $1
6 Yards Hope Cotton $1 Yard wide, a standard quality, soft finished without any starch. Good for all household purposes — $1	**5 Turkish Towels** Large size, measuring 20x40, all white or with blue or red borders — $1	**4 Yds. Kimono Crepe** Medium and dark figured, best Windsor quality Dollar Days price — $1
5 Yards 32 in. Gingham $1 Extra good quality Gingham, 32 inches wide. 20 patterns to select from — $1	**8 Huck Towels** White, with red borders, medium size Dollar Day price — $1	**1 Ladies' Kimono** Large assortment, formerly sold up to $3.00; Dollar Days price — $1
5 1-2 Yards Percale $1 Choice of either dark or light or medium colorings, yard wide and standard quality — $1	**Bed Comfort** 1 Bed Comfort, 68x75, regular $2.50 value Dollar Day price — $1	**2 Ladies Union Suits** Ladies Summer Union Suits, sizes, 40, 42 and 44; comfy-cut shell knee — $1

Many Other Bargains During the Three Days of Special Prices.

THE CITY STORE
W. F. TUNE, Proprietor

LOCAL

PROGRAM

Tonight, Thursday, comes Richard Barthelmess in "The Bright Shawl." This is sure some picture, don't fail to see it.

Friday—"Tinker Queen." Pathe News and a good comedy, "Down to the Sea in Shoes."

Saturday—Comes Dustin Farnum, in "While Justice Waits," a western, and a Harold Lloyd comedy.

Monday — Douglas MacLean, in "Bell Boy 13." This is another one you can't want to miss.

LYRIC THEATRE

George Randolph Chester, author and playwright, died at his home in New York Tuesday.

Something to be thankful for: The groundhog has only two more weeks to dictate to the weather man.

Daugherty Lodge No. 65, F. & A. M. will confer the third degree on three candidates on Thursday evening, March 6.

The Carlisle high school basket ball team lost to Bourbon county high at Millersburg Tuesday night by a score of 21-16.

Regular monthly meeting of the city council Monday night. Bids for oiling the streets of Carlisle will be opened at this meeting.

Farmers generally throughout the county report bad luck with their lambs. Many lambs born during the cold weather of the past ten days perished.

In the vernacular of the correspondent, "moving is the order of the day." During the next ten days the roads will be lined with wagon loads of household goods.

Although corporations have been granted until June 15 for filing income tax returns, the tentative returns must be submitted by March 15 and marked "tentative returns."

Judge James C. Dedman adjourned the February term of the Nicholas circuit court last Thursday after holding one days' session, equity cases only being disposed of.

F. E. Darnall who recently sold an interest in his coal business, has been appointed agent for the Interstate Business Men's Accident Insurance Company for eastern Kentucky.

Henry Bramblett and George Reed have opened a general merchandise store at East Union, making two stores at that place. The store of Bramblett & Reed is located in the Knights of Pythias building.

A construction crew for the Home Telephone Co. has been engaged in installing cables on the poles on the principal streets. All wires are being removed from the poles with the exception of the cables.

The prospect for the wheat crop in Nicholas county is the worst in years, according to some farmers. The severe cold weather without a protecting covering of snow froze and killed the wheat where it had come up.

The house by a tie vote of 43 to 43 Tuesday refused to take from the committee on taxation and revenue the bill providing for a production tax on coal and give it its first reading. Representative Stamper voted in favor of the bill being reported.

The board of tax supervisors reconvened Tuesday to hear complaints from 175 taxpayers whose assessments had been increased. The increases were made on property which owners had reduced from the year before in giving in their lists.

The Carlisle Cemetery Company has purchased the residence opposite the cemetery gate from Jno F. Sugg which will be used by the sexton of the cemetery. The building now used by the sexton, at the gate, will be moved away and a handsome gate built.

Quotations on the Cincinnati live stock market Wednesday: Hogs, steady to 10 cents higher, with prices ranging from $7.75 for packers and butchers to $5 for sows. Cattle, steady; steers, from $9.50 for choice to $4 for common; heifers, from $8.50 for choice to $3.50 for common.

The Christian church parsonage on Sycamore street was sold at public auction Saturday afternoon to Nathan Young for $6,000. The board of the church has rented the residence of Harry King adjoining the church and will use it as a parsonage for the new pastor, Rev. Crystal.

The Bryson Farm Agency reports the following sales during the past week: Residence of Dr. A. Bradley, near Ellisville, to Geo. B. Sampson for $2,700; 30 acres of land near Mt. Carmel church for R. M. Smith to Ora Caswell for $4,000; 51 acres at Headquarters for Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Smith to S. T. Barlow for $4,080; 24 acres near Headquarters for W. H. Earlywine to Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Smith for $5,000.

Beginning this morning, the Studebaker Big Six Bus Line, operated by Cole & Edwards, of Lexington, will establish a bus line between Carlisle and Lexington. Two round trips per day will be made, leaving Lexington at 7 a. m. and 1 p. m., and leaving Carlisle at 9.30 a. m. and 3.30 p. m. A Big Six touring car will be used, seating seven passengers. If the business justifies, another car will be put into service later.

PERSONAL

—Mr. and Mrs. John Milton Wells spent the 22nd in Lexington.

—Mr. Robert Brierly has been confined to his home for the past ten days.

—Mr. and Mrs. Wm. T. Norton left Friday to spend two months in Florida.

—Mr. Thomas Crouch has been ill at his home on College Hill for the past week.

—Miss Mary Darnell Potts, of Lexington, spent Sunday with her parents here.

—Mr. E. Frederick, of near town, is under treatment at a hospital in Cincinnati.

—Mr. Holland Dills left Tuesday for several days business trip to New York City.

—Mr. Albert Huff, of Huntington, W. Va., spent Saturday with F. H. Huff and other relatives.

—Mr. and Mrs. Carl Long, of Cynthiana, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. George W. Taylor Sunday.

—Mrs. H. J. Dailey and son, Frank, of Owingsville, spent the week end with Mrs. C. B. Huffstetter.

—Mrs. Edna H. Miller, of Danville was the guest of Mrs. T. C. Collings from Thursday until Saturday.

—Miss Lizzie Lawless, who is bookkeeper for Liggett & Myers in Paris, was at home for the week end.

—Mrs. C. S. Thompson of Manchester, Ohio, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Baldwin.

—Miss Emma Henry, of Lexington, spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clay Henry.

—Mrs. G. W. Baldwin and little daughter, Ruth, have returned from a week's visit in Manchester, Ohio.

—Miss Martha Dudley went to Lexington Friday to spend several days with her brother, Col. W. S. Dudley.

—Miss Elizabeth Lawless, who has a position with Liggett & Myers at Paris, was at home for the week end.

—Judge and Mrs. Samuel Holmes, Miss Elizabeth Holmes and Mrs. R. N. Brock motored to Lexington Friday.

—Mrs. James Botford of Atlanta, Ga., arrived Tuesday for a visit with Mrs. Jesse B. Hamm and other relatives.

—Mr. and Mrs. J. Blair McIntire and daughter, of Lexington, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Boone.

—Mrs. Wm. R. Fisher and son, Billy, of Louisville, arrived Sunday for a visit with her mother-in-law, Mrs. Alice Fisher.

—Mrs. Harry S. King, of Lexington, will be the guest of Mrs. M. R. Burton today for the meeting of the As You Like It club.

—Wise Colliver and family will move to Maysville this week where Mr. Colliver will have a position with the Farmers Union.

—On Tuesday afternoon, March 4th, at 2 o'clock, Mrs. Wm. Howard will entertain the 500 club at her home on Chestnut street.

—Mrs. R. R. Mayes and two daughters, Misses Bess Dudley and Ruth, spent Friday and Saturday at the Dudley home on Sycamore.

—Henry Darnall, of Cincinnati, was in Carlisle, Sunday on business.

—Mrs. James Boyd was quite ill for several days last week.

—Mrs. Jos. A. Mayes returned to Lexington Saturday after spending the past two weeks at the bedside of Mrs. Ollie Tilton on Maple street.

—Mrs. John Clay and daughter, Miss Thelma Clay, of Upper Licks, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Moore from Thursday until Monday.

—Miss Okie Baugus, of this city, has been given a leave of absence from her work in Baltimore, Md., and is spending a month at Atlantic City, N. J.

—Miss Mary Lou Blake who underwent a serious operation at Georgetown was brought to her home on College Hill Thursday and is improving.

—Prof. Wm. F. Ramey, formerly principal of the Carlisle high school is reported seriously ill at his home in Bristol, Tenn. His four sons have been called to his bedside.

—Mr. and Mrs. John Clancy and children, Mrs. Frank Hughes and son and Miss Catherine Clancy, all of Lexington, spent Sunday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Clancy.

—Mrs. Mary Johnson, accompanied by her son, Dr. Hugh Johnson, went to Cincinnati Tuesday where Mrs. Johnson will be in a hospital under the care of an oculist for a few days.

—Mrs. E. A. Campbell was in Cincinnati this week to meet her sister, Mrs. George Noland, of Kansas City, who will visit Mrs. Campbell and her mother, Mrs. Mollie M. Holliday, for several weeks.

—Mrs. Byra Hillock, who is at the St. Joseph Hospital, Lexington, with a broken hip, is reported improving, and the doctors are very much encouraged over her condition and are entertaining the idea that she will be able to walk again.

—Mrs. John G. James entertained the members of her class in the Presbyterian Sunday school with a beautiful party, at the home of her mother, Mrs. Ida W. Colliver, on East Main street on Friday evening. Each member had the privilege of inviting a friend.

—The regular meeting of the As You Like It club was held on Thursday afternoon, with Mrs. Harry T. Letton at her beautiful home on the Pleasant Spring pike. There were four tables of players, and Miss Hallie Gillespie assisted in the entertaining. At the close of the game a delicious meat luncheon was served. The tally cards, favors etc, were in commemoration of George Washington's birthday, hatchets and cherries, were in evidence. The guests included Mesdames, B. T. Henry, Sterling Blake, I. B. Ross, Jno. M. Wells, Lillie Kennedy, Harry Kennedy, C. J. Frey, W. B. Stewart, F. V. Cox, C. C. Ratliff, H. A. Palmer, Wm. Howard, Jr., E. J. Beers, S. W. Willett, S. F. Hutchings, Chas. Smith, M. R. Burton, P. D. Darnall, F. E. Darnall, J. H. Tilton, Allen Hopkins, J. W. Tilton, J. W. Martin and S. W. Keller; Messrs. Harry Kennedy, C. C. Ratliff and M. R. Burton. In the evening Mr. and Mrs. Letton entertained about twenty friends from Millersburg with a beautiful six o'clock dinner followed by progressive rook.

—One of the loveliest parties of the season was given by Mrs. W. H. Frey and Mrs. C. H. Fisher on Friday afternoon, Feb. 22nd., at the latter's home on Chestnut street. The home was beautiful with many potted plants, and the Washington celebration was carried out in the menu, with cherries and hatchets, and also in tallies. Their daughters, Misses Glennie B. Fisher and Katharine Frey, Miss Lena Frey, Mrs. W. T. Roberts and Mrs. Taylor Mathers, assisted in the hospitalities. The guests were: Mrs. Wm. Howard, Sr., Mrs. T. B. Mathers, Mrs. Jim Will Martin, Mrs. Sterling Blake, Mrs. I. B. Ross, Mrs. F. E. Darnall, Mrs. James Tilton, Mrs. C. C. Ratliff, Mrs. P. D. Darnall, Mrs. C. J. Frey, Mrs. Lillie Kennedy, Mrs. S. W. Willett, Mrs. W. E. Piper, Miss Louise Smith, Mrs. Edna Keller, Mrs. J. W. Tilton, Mrs. M. R. Burton, Mrs. Clara Johnson, Mrs. James Henry, Mrs. Harry Letton, Mrs. Hicel Asbury, Mrs. Ben Henry, Mrs. Goebel Henry, Mrs. F. V. Cox, Mrs. Mayme Hutchings, Mrs. Will Howard, Jr., Mrs. John O'Connell, Mrs. John Mathias, Mrs. Anna Dee Mayes, Miss Lena Frey, Miss Louise Potts, Mrs. W. T. Roberts, Mrs. Harry Kennedy.

BIRTHS

DAY—To Mr. and Mrs. Sam Day, of Crayton, on February 10, a ten-pound son, Paul Warren Day.

PUMPHREY—To Mr. and Mrs. Ben Pumphrey, of Stony Creek, on February 23, a son, Ben, Jr.

HEDGES—To Mr. and Mrs. Letton Hedges, of the Ellisville neighborhood, on February 25, a son, Clarence.

GAUNCE—To Mr. and Mrs. Harmon Gaunce, of the Miller Station vicinity, on February 10th, a daughter, Pauline.

BUSSELL—To Mr. and Mrs. Omer Bussell, of the Upper Jackstown pike, on February 17, a daughter, Virginia Dare.

DEATHS

McDONALD—Mr. W. T. McDonald, aged 70 years, well known citizen, of the county, died at his home at Myers Station Monday morning after a short illness. The body was shipped to Lebanon, Ind., his former home, from which place funeral and burial will take place. He is survived by his wife.

WRENCH — William Wesley Wrench, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Homer E. Wrench, of Clinchfield, Va., died on February 17th, twelve hours after his birth. Mrs. Wrench was formerly Miss Ruby Buchanan, of Myers, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Buchanan. The body was buried temporarily in Clinchfield and will be removed to the Carlisle cemetery within the next few weeks.

WAGONER—Mrs. Mamie Wagoner, 22, wife of Harlan T. Wagoner, of Blue Licks, died at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Horace Snapp, in Lexington Tuesday, following a long illness. Besides her husband and parents she is survived by two children, William and Mary Wagoner, one sister, Miss Irene Snapp, and two brothers, Carl F. and Everett W. Snapp. Funeral arrangements will be made later.

COLLINS—John Henry Collins, aged 27 years, died at the home of his sister, Mrs. Forest McCann, in Latonia, last Thursday, after a lingering illness with Bright's disease. He was the son of Mr. and Mrs. John A. Collins, both of whom preceded him to the grave. He is survived by two sisters, Mrs. Forrest McCann, of Latonia, and Mrs. C. T. Dinsmore, of this city, and three brothers, William Collins, of this city, and Daniel and Leslie Collins, of the county. The body was brought to the home of his brother, William Collins, from which place funeral services were held Friday afternoon, conducted by Rev. Wm. S. Maxwell, followed by burial in the Carlisle cemetery.

HENSEY—Mrs. Elizabeth Priest Hensey, aged 85 years, died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. M. H. Vice, in Mt. Sterling, on Friday, February 22. Mrs. Hensey was a native of Nicholas county, well known here, and many relatives survive her. One daughter, Mrs. M. H. Vice, with whom she made her home, nine grandchildren, twenty-two great-grandchildren, one great-great-grandchild, and one niece, Mrs. R. J. Collins, of this county, survive. She was the last member of a family of ten children. Mrs. Hensey was a devoted member of the Christian church and for the past seventeen years a regular attendant at Sunday School. Funeral services were held on Sunday morning at the Moorefield Christian church, conducted by Rev. George Darsie, of Mt. Sterling, followed by burial in the Carlisle cemetery.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Walden will assume charge of the Central Hotel on March 1. The apartment now occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Walden will be used by the American Legion as club rooms, the building recently having been purchased. Mr. Walden will continue to conduct his grocery in the store room of the building. Charles Ewell will move his restaurant to the room in the Kimbrough hotel building formerly occupied by Joe Gordon.

MARRIAGES

TAPP-SHANNON — Miss Maude Tapp and Mr. James Shannon both of this county, were united in marriage at the home of the bride last Thursday, Rev. Joseph Connell, pastor of the Carlisle Baptist church, officiating.

LAWRENCE - FREDERICK — A marriage license was issued here Wednesday afternoon to Miss Ida Lee Lawrence, 15, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Lawrence, of this city, and Mr. Owen Frederick, 22, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Frederick. The marriage took place at the home of the pastor of the Methodist church in Paris Wednesday afternoon.

SNAPP-BOOTH—Miss Ollie Mae Snapp, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ora L. Snapp, of Fayette county, and Mr. Nathan F. Booth, son of Mr. and Mrs. N. Booth, of Woodford county, were united in marriage at the home of the officiating minister, Rev. Wm. S. Maxwell, pastor of the Carlisle Methodist church, on February 16.

RELIGIOUS

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

The Presbyterian Auxiliary will have a special meeting at the church on Friday afternoon at three o'clock. Business of importance, and each member is urged to attend.

U. C. M. S.

The Woman's Christian Missionary Society will meet with Mrs. Frank Henry at her home on March 5 at 2 o'clock. Theme, "Fidelity to the Kingdom." Luke 19:13-27. Mrs. J. B. Hamm, leader.

JUNIOR MISSION BAND

The Junior Mission Band of the Christian church will meet in the basement Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock. After an interesting program, a unique surprise will be given. Juanita Wells, leader.

WORKERS CONFERENCE

The Bible school workers conference of the Christian church will meet with Mrs. W. T. Roberts at her home on Sycamore street, Tuesday evening, March 4, at 7 o'clock. All teachers and officers urged to be present.

MISSIONARY SOCIETY

The Woman's Missionary Society of the Christian church will hold its regular monthly meeting in the church on Wednesday, March 5, at 2 o'clock. Toipc, "The Church in Philippi." Mrs. Bruce Hughes, leader. Supplemental study, social service.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH

R. E. Elmore, pastor.

Sunday school 9:30 a. m. Christian Endeavor 6:30 p. m. Preaching by the pastor 10:45 a. m. and 7 p. m. Morning subject, "The Transfiguration." Evening subject, "Christ's Plan of Church Government Versus Man's Plan."

METHODIST CHURCH

Wm. S. Maxwell, pastor.

Sunday school 9:30 a. m. Men's Bible class 9:45 a. m. Preaching 10:45 a. m. League 6 p. m. Preaching 7 p. m.

Those who missed hearing Dr. L. D. Patterson last Sunday night, on China and what missions and missionaries have done for that people, missed one of the best and most instructive sermons it has been my privilege to hear on China and the work of missionary efforts.

On Wednesday of this week Rev. M. S. Clark, P. E. of the Maysville district, has called for a group meeting of the pastors to meet in Carlisle for a day of prayer and inspiration.

O. E. S.

The School of Instruction for district No. 23 O. E. S. which was to have been held in Paris on Saturday, March 1st has been postponed to Wednesday, March 26th.

Betty B. Boone, W. M.
Marie Chapter No. 259

BUFFALO TRACE

Miss Lillie Gaunce returned home Saturday after a two weeks' visit with her sister in Winchester. Mr. and Mrs. Ross Morris and two children spent Sunday with Walter Snapp and family. Miss Hester Smith spent Thursday night with Myrtle Snapp. Misses Myrtle Snapp and Edna Smith, Stanley Feeback and C. J. Bishop spent Sunday with G. M. Jones and family. Miss Edna Smith spent Saturday night with Mrs. Minnie Snapp. Mrs. Emma Hollar spent Sunday with G. O. Gaunce and wife. Miss Myrtle Snapp spent one night the past week with Mrs. Claude Smith. Mrs. Minnie Snapp and two daughters spent Monday with Mrs. Lora Gaunce. Mrs. Calvin Gaunce and Miss Mattie Jones spent Friday with Mrs. Walker Gaunce.

BAREFOOT

Mr. Homer Morris was the guest of Raymond Coy Saturday and Sunday. The little son of Bill Henry Snapp, while on his way from school one evening the past week, laid a dynamite cap on a rock and knocked it off with another rock. He sustained a deep cut in the leg. Those on the sick list are Miss Violet Marshall and Mr. Claude Brunker. Mr. Ed Morris, while moving the past week, smothered twenty-five hens. Mr. and Mrs. Sammie Burden were the guests of Mrs. Clarence Earlywine one day the past week. Mr. and Mrs. Otis Weathers, of Paris, were the guests of her grandmother, Mrs. J. B. Livengood, a few days the past week. Mr. and Mrs. Willie Burden, of Lair, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Sammie Burden from Saturday until Sunday. Miss Dasie Bell Livengood is on the sick list. Miss Florence Mattox, of Millersburg, spent the past week with relatives at this place.

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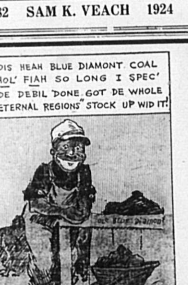

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