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DEMOCRATIC TICKET

For President—John W. Davis, of West Virginia
For Vice President—Charles W. Bryan, of Nebraska
For United States Senator—A. Stanley, of Henderson
For Representative in Congress—Fred M. Vinson, of Lincoln

"OLD STONE HAMMER"

(Courier-Journal)

During the 1924 session of the Legislature a move was made to have the State erect a suitable monument at the grave of every governor of Kentucky now within the State boundaries. Nothing came of the attempt. Attention has recently been drawn to the neglected condition of the last resting place of Gov. Thomas H. McKinney, who lies at the edge of a cornfield and orchard at the highest point on the Wiggins Ferry in Hardin County.

Metcalfe, the stone mason who became Governor and died in office, was a Virginian who taught in the War of 1812 under Gen. Andrew Harrison, and later became postmaster of Clay and Crittenden and was generally known as "Old Stone Hammer," they called him in the days of his fame. This was especially during the campaign of 1840, when, attired in fringed hunting shirt and leggins and wearing at his belt the polished steel stone hammer given him by admiring friends of Chillicothe, Ohio, he canvassed the State as ambassador and denounced the Van Buren Administration.

General Metcalfe came to what is now Robertson County from Bullitt—just why in Fauquier County, Virginia, when he was a small boy. And, his father dying shortly thereafter, Tom, the eldest, became the support of the family. At 17 he was apprenticed to a stone mason and there learned the trade which afterward helped to make him a popular figure. When he came back from the War of 1812 he built the first brick court house in Carlisle, the jail at Bardstown, which is still standing, and the second permanent State Capitol, a two-story brick which cost $40,000, believe 1813 and 1816. After four years in the State Legislature, General Metcalfe was elected his County Governor as a Democrat, serving from 1819 to 1824, when he resigned to run for Governor.

In the gubernatorial campaign of 1840, "Old Stone Hammer" ran as a National Republican. In other words, he was a Whig. And, as he was the only one to be elected on that ticket with William H. Harrison, the Jackson party nominee, but the Governor's popularity helped the Lieutenant-Governor, John Breckinridge, to a little later make Jackson himself accept the State for President.

While Metcalfe was Governor he drove the first spike for the first Railroad in the State, the Lexington & Ohio, at Frankfort, from which point it was to run to Louisville. "Federal Hill," at the intersection of the Bardstown and Louisville-Shelbyville Pikes, where the Metcalfe monument stands, was originally built as a one-room cottage, after several years of which it was enlarged and painted and plastered and made into a two-story house. Here Metcalfe was appointed to the United States Senate by Governor Owsley, for which John J. Crittenden had resigned and held for a short time.

Gen. Crittenden and Metcalfe were close friends, and the latter's daughter Mary Ann married Crittenden's son, Thomas Metcalfe Crittenden, who was proprietor of the first Half Horse and Mounted Rifles Company raised for what is now Lincoln County, Kentucky, during the Mexican War. Thomas Metcalfe Crittenden was killed in action in 1847, when only 21 years old, was laid away in the family burying ground and is now almost forgotten.

KENTUCKY FARM FACTS

The Henderson county apple crop is estimated at 250,000 bushels, valued at $150,000.

Ten thousand sheep were treated for stomach worms in Grant county this year.

County Agent C. C. Hoott estimates that 100 acres of strawberries will be transplanted in Boyd county next spring.

Five hundred more were tested for tuberculosis in Muhlenberg county in August, and not one reacted. A total of 1,500 have been tested in that county in two years.

A 1,000-acre alfalfa campaign is being conducted by County Agent J. Watts Franklin in Todd county.

H. L. Nance, a Bullard county fruit grower, expects to harvest 20,000 bushels of apples from 32 acres of trees.

A carload of purebred Hampshires and Southdown rams were recently distributed among farmers in Hopkins county.

THEORY OF DISAPPEARANCE OF BLUE LICK WATER

(Falmouth Outlook)

An interesting version of the mysterious disappearance of the vein of mineral water which, years ago, supplied the sulphur spring at the lower Blue Licks in Nicholas company, who has just returned with the opening of the gas fields in county, was given a representative of the Outlook by Mr. S. A. Trotter of the Northern Kentucky Power Company that section, after having purchased leases on land, which will be flooded by the hydro-electric dam at Falmouth.

"It is my opinion," said Mr. Trotter, "that the vein disappeared in eastern Kentucky. It is a well known fact among geologists that the sulphur taste in water from mineral springs, comes because the gas deposits in the ground. This gas is formed by petroleum deposits, and the sulphur is formed by the gas, which mixes with water in the ground, and issues forth from fissures in the earth's crust.

"I am sure," declared Mr. Trotter, "that the fissure/channel of the old blue lick vein was in the higher country around Wellington and to the east, and just as soon as gas was struck there, and the supply formed into pipes for commercial purposes, the spring failed."

There is much romance woven about the old Blue Lick Spring in the Kentucky country. Traces of its historic existence have been found in Indian mounds, and bones taken from the earth around the spring. Wild animals which roamed the forests in the days of the aboriginals—mastodons and other huge beasts—came there to lick the salt which was deposited about the mouth of the spring. Many of these bones, the hunter animals. It is evident, were mired in the soft mud about the spring, and died. Ages passed and their remains were covered up by the deposits of the centuries.

One of the most valuable contributions to geological science was given to the world by an early resident of the Blue Licks neighborhood, a Mr. J. W. Hunter, who, in digging about the spring in the hope of restoring the lost vein of sulphur water, found a vast deposit of prehistoric bones, many of which were petrified. The remains of these bones ponderous animals Mr. Hunter donated, presented to the Smithsonian Institution at Washington, D. C., where they form an interesting and valuable collection.

Into the dawn of history, and with it the advent of the redskin. The dark and bloody ground became the favorite hunting place for the Indians. The wild things of the forests, as had their pre-historic predecessors, trekked to the spring through the forests to the Blue Lick springs, for all animals require a certain amount of salt in their daily ration. Paths were thus formed through the dense forests by the herds of buffalo, deer, elk, and wild boar. They chose as their pastureland the vicinity where they could come at intervals and satisfy their desire for the salt that was deposited near the spring by Nature's hand.

And so this came to be the favorite hunting spot for Indians. They lurked in the undergrowth, and with their crude weapons, killed as living, thereby supplying themselves with food and clothing. And supply their daily needs.

Then came, and with the opening of the years came the palefaces from the east, to encroach upon the hunting-ground of the aboriginal.

It was here that Daniel Boone came to make salt for his settlements at Boonesboro, and here it was that the Indians followed him, and fought, and captured, and carried him to their settlement in Ohio. The country roundabout bears yet the scars of bloody warfare between the red-skin and his pale-face enemy. Many were the fierce struggles that ensued at the Blue Licks, conflicts which history does not record.

Even after the close of the Revolutionary War, Blue Lick springs was the scene of one of the bloodiest battles ever fought "on" Kentucky soil. A party of about 150 settlers, headed by Daniel Boone, his son, Israel, his brother, Squire, and Col. Trigg and Col. John Todd, followed a retreating band of Indians from an attack on Bryan's Station. Nothing was seen of the Indians until the Kentucky lake reached the Blue Licks. Here, just as they arrived at Licking River, a few Indians were seen on the other side. The Kentuckians held a consultation, and the more experienced backwoodsmen declared the situation critical, as Indians were hidden everywhere in the surrounding knobs, ready to attack from ambush when the opportunity presented itself. A young officer, Major Mc[illegible], dashed into the river on horseback, and called upon all who were not cowards to follow him. The next moment the whole party were advancing to attack, but without any order whatever.

The Indians soon had their enemy surrounded, and in a few moments, Col. Todd, Col. Trigg, and young Israel Boone were killed, and the latter was tred with blood. The Indians fell upon the disordered ranks of white men, and slaughtered them without mercy. The few who were left returned to Bryant's Station. While more than half of the whites were killed, history records that the Indians lost four men for every scalp they took.

In later years, Blue Lick Springs came to be a favorite recreation spot. A large hotel was built there, and people from many distant points came there to drink of the health-giving waters that issued

WHAT KIND OF PROSPERITY!

The Republican party boasts of the prosperity in the country, and there is a certain kind of prosperity, but it is not a healthy brand. It is so poorly diffused as to make it unhealthy instead. A town is very much better off from an economic standpoint if all the merchants do a reasonably good business than if one store does an immense business, and the others are barely able to keep open. The same is true of the country. There is one class that is making more and larger profits than they ever made before. It is the manufacturing class and in the manufacturing centers there is great prosperity. High wages are being paid, extra dividends are declared, surpluses grow, and that are all the usual marks of a thriving business. But what is the situation of the farm? There just the opposite conditions obtain. Where bankruptcy and assignment do not threaten, there are depleted resources, and only the strongest grading and thrift will keep the wolf of failure away.

How much better off the country will be if a little of the prosperity that the Republican party, through its tariff wall, has heaped upon the textile mills of New England, the steel mills of Pennsylvania and Ohio and all the other various protected industries, was scattered among the whole people nation. That would be a real prosperity that would make for a happy contented and progressive America.—Hendersonville News.

FORD'S KENTUCKY FARM

(Exchange)

It is not generally known that Henry Ford owns a farm near Ransom, Ky., known as the Fordson Fruit Farm, which is designed as an object lesson not only to Kentucky, but for other farmers in surrounding states. In less than a year Mr. Ford has spent $125,000 in making this farm a model vineyard. The farm consists of 1,500 acres, 1,500 grape vines, 2,000 cabbage plants, a carload of fruit trees and other nursery stock in proportion have been set out. While Mr. Ford is teaching the Kentucky farmer he will doubtless learn something about farming. Perhaps that is his chief intention. He may be getting ready to tell the world how farm difficulties can be solved.

PREVENTION BICKETS

Baby Health Talks by Dr. Juanita Boyd, Jennings, Assistant Director, Bureau of Child Hygiene, State Board of Health, Louisville, Ky.

Rickets is a disease occurring in children under two years of age in which there is softening of the bones causing bowing, pressing in abdomen due to relaxed muscles and nervousness with sensitiveness to touch. Rickets is a deficiency disease, the cause being lack of sunlight and a diet lacking in lime salts and fat vitamins.

The prevention of rickets therefore these essentials: First, the baby must be strong and well at birth. To insure this the expectant mother should have prenatal care and diet every day before it. The baby is born and during the nursing period should include plenty of green vegetables and milk. Second, the baby should be breast fed, because rickets is less frequent in breast fed babies. If the mother does not have sufficient milk she should continue to nurse the baby and supplement the feedings with artificial cow's milk. Third, the baby must have fresh air and sunlight. He needs it as much as the plants and flowers that become pale and wilted if denied sunlight. A certain amount of direct exposure to the sun's rays is needed to prevent rickets.

Specialists and the Bureau of Child Health advise that every baby after three months of age be given five drops of Cod Liver Oil twice a day after feeding. This may gradually be increased to one-half a teaspoonful three times a day after feeding. Plain Cod Liver Oil is best for babies—it may be given in orange juice or fruit juice diluted, for children do not object to the taste,—usually they like the oil. If given in small amounts at first there is practically no danger of upsetting the digestion. Cod Liver Oil is rich in the phosphorus and lime salts which are necessary for bone growth; also it is valuable as a food and is used as such in preventing rickets.

"GRAB 'EM YOUNGO"

(Exchange)

In this speedy era the "grab 'em young" part of the foregoing popular saying seems to be popular in this section of Kentucky, as thirty-three of the 121 brides in Letcher County during the past three months were between 13 and 17 years of age. The records of the county clerk show also that twelve of the brides were between 17 and 19 years of age, twenty-four ranged in age from 19 to 24 years, while the remaining thirteen brides whose ages were 45 years and over.

From the spring.

When the vein of water was lost, however, the resort declined in its popularity, until it was destroyed by fire some years later. It was never rebuilt.

Numerous attempts have been made to restore the vein, but with out effect. It is said that a large flexure opened up in the bed of Licking River, and the rich vein of sulphur water was lost in the stream.

This is only theory, however, and it is possible that Mr. Trotter's opinion is correct.

30 YEARS AGO

Thursday, October 11, 1894

About 200 mule colts sold here Monday at prices ranging from $25 to $65 per head.

By mutual consent, the partnership existing between J. W. Myers and R. B. Owings is dissolved.

Cray Martin, of the county, leaves for Louisville to enter the Kentucky College of Medicine.

Will S. Dudley engaged as solicitor for the Glover & Durrett Tobacco Warehouse Company, of Louisville.

William Lipscomb and daughter, Clayton, Harrison county, Kentucky, when their horse becomes frightened, throwing them from their buggy, near Carlisle.

Governor Brown appoints Hon. Hanson Kennedy, of this city, a delegate to the Immigration Congress which meets at Louisville on [illegible].

Died—Mr. John B. Gray, 55, at his home in Carlisle on the 9th.—Mrs. Campbell, 74, at her home near Carlisle on the 8th.—Mr. John Steele Parks, 48, at his home in Carlisle on the 9th.

Married—Miss Lucy T. Layton and Mr. J. P. Gilvin, both of the county, on the 4th.—Miss Annie V. Everman and Mr. W. H. Threet, both of the county, on the 4th.—Miss Olive B. Bland, of Mason county, and Judge H. Holliday Hill, of Carlisle, at Maysville on the 3rd.

44 YEARS AGO

Thursday, October 14, 1880

Residence of George Linville on Sugar Creek destroyed by fire, with all its contents.

John McCabe building residence on lot which he recently purchased from Mrs. Hutchcraft.

Rev. W. J. Howe, of Georgetown, to begin revival at the Christian church Thursday night.

Eli M. Ewing leaves for Wheeling, West Virginia, on the 15th, as of firm for the practice of law.

New iron fence around the Presbyterian cemetery. Funds contributed by the ladies and proceeds of the church.

Fine saddle horse stolen from James Gilbert, of near Paris, found at Higley, Ohio, by Jailer Kincaid, of Bracken county, who arrests a negro driving near Millersburg on the charge of stealing the horse.

Married—Miss Annie Collins and Augustus Hemphill, both of this county, on the 5th.—Miss Lyda Ann Hutchcraft and Mr. Jacob Gosney, both of this county, on the 5th.—Miss Nannie Lee Hutchcraft and Mr. Thomas Lewis, of Millersville neighborhood.—Miss Belle Curtis and Mr. Samuel Young, both of the county, on the 7th.—Miss Henrietta Lockwood and Mr. Thomas Hutchcraft, both of Carlisle, on October 7th.—Miss Nannie Lee Hutchcraft and Mr. B. Nortain, both of Carlisle, on the 12th.

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(Bath County News-outlook)

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Each evening sees a mark picked up.
Each morning sees him broke.

And so thru life she lightly gives
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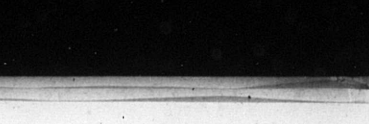

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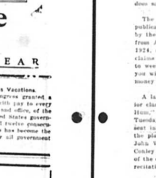

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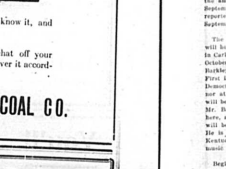

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Friday—Charles Ray in "The Taller they are, the Harder they fall." Come and see for yourself.

Saturday—Dustin Farnum in "The G...H." Also a comedy.

Monday—Mae Murray in "The Red Rose." Come and see what you are at this.

LYRIC THEATRE

Next Monday will be our second court day. Come in and know your self-help on while in town.

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At a meeting of the Nicholas fiscal court Tuesday, $500 was appropriated for the purchase of the Nicholas County Fair Association's Home Society near Jacksonville. Fourteen acres of land and several buildings are included in the deal.

Mrs. J. T. Potts, who has been in Kelley's Island with her daughter, Mrs. Ben Ford, for a short time, has gone to Detroit, Mich., to visit her son, Joe Potts, and family, before returning home.

Miss Lucile Bruce, of Cynthiana, was in Carlisle Sunday the guest of Miss Mary Jane Parrish.

Mrs. C. W. Hazlebaker, of Finley, was in Carlisle Tuesday, the guest of Mrs. P. D. Burnell.

Mrs. Burnell, of Cincinnati was the guest of her mother, Mrs. Riley Parrish, Sunday