MICKIE SAYS—

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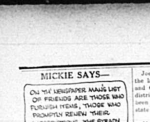

KENTUCKY NEWS BRIEFS

Poultry, eggs and butter brought Anderson county farmers $140,000 in the last year.

Plans for a new high school building at Georgetown, to cost $200,000, have been completed.

Monday was the 61st anniversary of the battle of Shiloh, one of the most terrific battles of the civil war.

Crude petroleum produced in Kentucky during February totaled 551,913 barrels, valued at $1,216,-351.

The new Woodland Christian church at Lexington was dedicated Sunday. The building is free of debt.

Government inspection on Mammoth Cave, a national park, will be made in June.

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Joe Morris, former secretary to the late Congressman J. C. Cantrill and Congressman from the Seventh district for the unexpired term, has been appointed special agent of the state revenue office.

Mystery surrounding the origin of an epidemic of small fires in Lexington was dispelled when Chief Griffin of the fire department, captured an 8 year old negro boy who admitted starting the fires.

David Owens, 25, was found guilty on a charge of voluntary manslaughter at Louisville growing out of the death of Mrs. Otis Conaghey, who was struck and killed by an automobile driven by Owen.

Captain J. Estes Keller, of Lexington, was elected president of the Affiliated Veterans Association of Kentucky to succeed Major F. C. Johnson, deceased, at the annual meeting held in Lexington Saturday.

E. L. Medlock, former cashier of the Bond State Bank at Bond, Lawrence county, was convicted Saturday on a charge of receiving funds when the bank was insolvent and sentenced to three years imprisonment.

Experienced miners last week started work to recover the body of Elmer Hall, 30 years old, at Jenkins where he was trapped by a falling slate January 30. Homer Hall, a brother, will pay the expenses.

Miss Florence Lowery, 21, was found bound and gagged in a burning building at Louisville used by a factoring plant by former lost Friday night. She took a dress from a bottle and remembers nothing else.

Charles Wellings, 55, tobacco buyer and landowner of Pulaski county, committed suicide by jumping in a creek near his home. He tied one end of a rope to his body and the other end to a sapling apparently to prevent his body floating away.

Rev. Jesse Farris and his twelve year old son, Ralph, narrowly escaped drowned in a river near Ashland Monday when a boat in which they were fishing capsized. Mrs. Farris, who was on the bank of the river, witnessed the tragedy.

The outgrowth of the Blue Grass Poultry Leader this year appears to be taller Monty Kemper, of Lexington, who is a member of the league and several reasons for its close relationship to the poultry industry. Kemper's home is on Bardstown road west.

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TO THE VOTERS OF THE THIRTEENTH SENATORIAL DISTRICT:

Having announced my candidacy for the office of State Senator from this district, subject to the action of the Democratic party at the August primary, I wish to state briefly a platform I wish you to consider.

SCHOOLS—As the boys and girls of today will be the men and women of tomorrow, I stand ready to assist them in the erection of any legislation that will give them better schools that they may be better prepared for citizenship.

GOOD ROADS—I believe each county in our state is entitled to good roads and that the license on automobiles and the tax on gasoline be kept in its respective county for the maintenance of its roads, and shall so work to this end.

RACE TRACK GAMBLING—Kentucky's outstanding disgrace is the pari-mutuel gambling carried on and fostered by the Kentucky Jockey Club, which evil has been upheld by the people of Kentucky long enough. It is time to stamp out this method and womanhood and drive out and for all time this octopus which is seeking to strangle the life of our fair state. So I wish to say here and now that I am against this evil. This does not mean I will dodge the issue, but say I am for all it would mean to me that I will work and vote for the repeal of this law.

I wish to say that I am now and have always been a farmer, and do know all the farmer's troubles and that any law that I can stand for will lighten the burden of the farmer or will help him in some way will be my first duty.

My action as Representative in the two terms which I served in matter of record and of which I am not ashamed for all to know and for the people of Kidder-ville who know me best, you have anything in my past that would cause me for the place I seek. I shall be willing to leave it to you.

Respectfully yours,
S. H. MOORE.

N. R. CUMBERS' PLATFORM

To the voters of the 70th Legislative District:

I take this occasion to announce my policies and to say race for Representative from the 70th District:

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The Thomas Hotel was entered by burglars last Saturday night and $100 in cash and $1,000 worth of jewelry stolen from the safe. The safe was blown open with nitro-glycerine. Entrance to the hotel was gained by breaking a window in the rear of the building.

Julian Kneerwald has given $50,000 to the development fund of the University of Chicago.

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MOTHER OF FOUR LAMBS

The mother of four lambs, all living and healthy, born on different days, is the remarkable record of a ewe belonging to E. O. Browning, well known farmer of the Goose Creek vicinity, according to an account of the unusual incident told The Mercury Saturday.

On last Thursday the ewe became the mother of two lambs. The next day she acted strangely and Mr. Browning confined the ewe and her lambs in a shed, where there were no other sheep. He went to his home a short distance away to get some medicine to drench the ewe and, returning a few minutes later found she had become the mother of two more lambs. She is making an effort to care for them.

The ewe is two years old and has never raised a lamb. She was a gift at calling time from Mr. Browning's father-in-law.

The State Board of Health emphasizes the fact that a child who is underweight should see the work in school that a child of normal weight would be expected to do.

A large number of children having defective teeth, 3,478 dental attention. There are still a large number that should have their teeth attended to as soon as they possibly can do so.

A few whose eyes seem to need attention have come to notice the defect. There are still a large number of children who need the examination of their eyes.

Following is the report by grades of the gain in weight:

First grade, Miss Lizzie Cabelle Fisher, teacher—Number that have gained weight: one half pound, 7; pound, 2; pound and one-half pounds, 2; two and one-half pounds, 2; total, 13; number that are drinking milk daily, 24.

Second grade, Miss Mary Frances Fisher, teacher—Number that have gained weight: one-half pound, 2; pound, 4; pound and one-half, 1; 2 pound, 2, total, 15; number that are drinking milk daily, 14.

Third grade, Miss Hester Patrick teacher—Number that have gained weight: one-half pound, 3; pound, 3; pound and one-half pounds, 2; total, 8; number that are drinking milk daily, 24.

Fourth grade, Miss Mae Wells, teacher—Number that have gained weight: one-half pound, 5; pound, 2; total 7; number that are drinking milk daily, 24.

Fifth grade, Miss Ada Hoskins teacher—Number that have gained weight: one-half pound, 5; pound, 7; one and one-half pounds, 2; two and one-half pounds, 4; total, 18; number that are drinking milk daily, 22.

Sixth grade, Mrs. Tillie Feebank, teacher—Number that have gained weight: one-half pound, 5; pound, 7; one and one-half pounds, 2; two pounds, 4; two and one-half pounds, 1; total, 19; number that are drinking milk daily, 14.

Seventh grade, Mrs. Turner Thomas, teacher—Number that have gained weight: one-half pound, 3; pound, 2; one and one-half pounds, 1; two and one-half pounds, 2; total, 8; number that are drinking milk daily, 24.

Eighth grade, Mrs. Floyd Clark, teacher—Number that have gained weight: one-half pound, 2; pound, 2; one and one-half pounds, 1; total, 12; number that are drinking milk daily, 24.

Total in school that have gained weight, 111; number drinking milk daily, 134.

We expect to follow up the health campaign until we have raised our health standard to at least 90 per cent percentage as possible. This year there will be a health conference of the efficiency of our school work. It will also show the total number of failures at the end of the year. We have gained in the hearty cooperation of the parents and children in this health campaign. With continued interest there is no reason why we will not succeed in establishing a health record in the Carlisle City Schools.

BEGGING IS BECOMING NUISANCE IN CARLISLE

Saturday and court day at least half a dozen beggars were on the streets of Carlisle, asking money under many different pleas. Several begging letters were received by both the merchants and citizens. Saturday's week passes when $1.25 a dozen or more making a success of the town.

Many of them are deserving of help and sympathy, but a large per cent follow this as a profession and should be stopped. There is a city ordinance which provides that beggars secure a permit to solicit from the Mayor, and the ordinance is valid be enforced.

LOCAL GUARD UNIT FEDERALLY INSPECTED

Capt. D. B. Finley, of the United States Army, federally inspected Hawthorne Company last Thursday. The inspection of records and equipment was held in the afternoon while members of the organization were inspected in the evening. The unit was given a satisfactory rating by Captain Finley.

134 PUPILS SHOW GAIN IN WEIGHT

Examination held after Health Conference Shows Value Of Advice Given

DEFECTS CORRECTED

Prof. M. Erle Dix gives The Mercury the following result of the recent examination of the city schools:

In following up the health campaign, the grades were weighed for the second time on Monday morning to determine what had been accomplished thereby.

A large number of the children were found to be underweight at the first examination have been induced to gain in weight, and a few more or in the Penny Lunch.

Cakes Delivered To Orphanage

Louisville Paper Has Account Of Delivery of Cakes to Orphans And Old Masons

Last Friday's Louisville Courier-Journal contained a photograph of W. G. Henry, James Henry, W. C. Barnes, Jr., Mrs. Ben Mitchell, Clay Herrin, H. E. Veach and W. Bruce Scott, in the dining room of the Masonic Home and was taken to Louisville where they were delivering the cakes. The following write-up:

That the Easter bunny would pay his annual visit to the parentless children in Louisville's orphanages yesterday when an Easter caravan from Carlisle arrived.

An automobile truck with a cargo of home-baked cakes, 250 of them, all deliciously delectable, arrived in charge of a group of Carlisle's citizens and that's not all. In addition to the cakes, Carlisle citizens sent $100 in cash to the orphanages to "take the ice cream necessary to "take the cake" of the cakes.

Places visited by the "cake and cream" caravan included the Kentucky Children's Home Society at Lyndon, the Kentucky Baptist Orphan's Home, the Methodist Orphans' Home in Louisville, the Baptist Orphan's Home, the Christian Orphan's Home, the Masonic Widows and Orphans Home at Louisville and the Old Masons Home at Shelbyville.

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Citizens Against Ordinance Which Would Increase Telephone Rates

COUNCIL ALSO OPPOSED

Considerable opposition is being voiced by Carlisle citizens over the proposed increase in rates for the Cumberland Telephone Co., offered in an ordinance introduced at the April meeting of the city council. A number of citizens have made strong objection to the action of the members of the city council are against the move.

Unless some of the provisions of the ordinance are eliminated it has little chance of being passed, it is said by members of the council.

One of the principal objections, able features in the ordinance, which, it is claimed, is the company unlimited powers, is the section which reads:

"Said latter rates shall continue and be in force for a period of five years, and thereafter until further action by the board of council and the City of Carlisle; provided, however, that the company shall at all times file said printed rates with the city clerk, such rates to charge such rates as will yield a fair and compensatory return upon the fair value of the property used or useful in rendering such service, and to that end, such rates shall be changed from time to time as necessary, or of said city."

Any changes in said rates proposed by said company shall be filed with the mayor and City Council of the City of Carlisle for its consideration and left on file for sixty days. If, within that period, the same shall have been approved, or shall not have been acted on by the Mayor and City Council in whole or in part, the whole or such part so approved, or not acted upon, shall take effect as proposed; however, said Mayor and City Council shall have the right by ordinance passed within such sixty day period to extend the time for acting upon such proposed changes in rates for an additional period not to exceed in the aggregate, the Methodist Orphans' Home in Louisville, the Baptist Orphan's Home, the Masonic Widows and Orphans Home at Louisville and the Old Masons Home at Shelbyville.

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23,000 Pounds of 1922 Crop Of Oscar Johnson Averaged 41 Cts.

Mr. Oscar Johnson, well known farmer of this section, received final payments on his 1922 crop of tobacco from the Burley Tobacco Growers Cooperative Marketing Association, which averaged over forty cents per pound, probably establishing a high record for the entire burley belt on a large crop.

In 1922 Henry O'Neal and sons raised 23,000 pounds of tobacco on Mr. Johnson's farm on the Maysville and Lexington road, near the Boon ton county line. Final payments on the first 14,000 pounds averaged 42 cents per pound, while the next 9,000 pounds graded 41 cents per pound.

The tobacco was grown in virgin soil recently raised from Pepper sod. Not only was the quality unusually good, but the yield was above the average.

In reports sent out by the Burley Association for high averages paid on the 1922 crop, a woman in Madison county was credited with receiving an average of 44 cents per pound on two or three thousand pounds of tobacco, and there is little doubt but Mr. Johnson's crop was the banner one of the year.

In 1919, the last year in which tobacco was sold over the loose leaf floors, Mr. Johnson received $10,852 for tobacco grown on eight acres of land on his farm. This was an average of $1,256.81 per acre and the doubtless was the highest average ever received by a Nicholas county farmer.

47 Pupils Passed The Recent Test

93.7, Record For Honors Of Large Class

Forty-six pupils were successful in the recent county diploma examinations held in the county schools, it being graded and returned to the county superintendent's office by Miss Mabel Sledd with Mary Morgan as assistant. Miss Sledd received the highest grade with 93.7. Next in line was Alexander with 91.2 was second and Joseph Cottrell third with 91. Others who made satisfactory grades were: Cecil Alexander, Eugene Berry, Margaret B. Y. Bowlin, Bisely, Thelma Lyman, Lucile Pumphrey, Raima Ritchey, Margaret Shaw, Christine Stone, Hubert Boggs, Lillian Smoot, Edith Sparks, Ruth Snapp, Charles Talbott, J. C. Tedder, Mark Thomas, Dorothy Wagner, Dorothy Wagoner, Margaret Wells, and Mary Johnson, colored.

NEED 2,800 NEW BEDSPRINGS YEARLY

Replacements of teachers in rural schools in Kentucky total about 40 per cent each year, Prof. Barksdale Hamlett, secretary of the Kentucky Educational Association, declared. The average length of service for a teacher in the county schools is two years, he added.

Of the 12,000 teachers employed in the State, about half of them teach in rural districts. The average salary for these is $600 a month.

Hamlett declared that the majority of the new teachers are girls between the ages of 18 and 20 years. Poor accident insurance and the fact that so many young women do not remain in the profession long enough to get married, he added, are the others get out of the profession.

Some of the new instructors are said to be unfitted for the work, while many of them eventually become efficient teachers.

JAILER, THROAT CUT, KILLS FLEEING WARD

Samuel Baker, of Cumberland Gap, Tenn., was killed, and D. J. Bryant, deputy jailer at Williamsburg, Ky., is in a critical condition his throat cut as a result of an attempt by Baker to escape while Bryant was taking him to Williamsburg from Cumberland Gap, Tenn., on charge of forgery. When about two miles from Williamsburg Baker seized an opportunity while the jailer's head was turned and slashed Bryant's throat with a knife. Although seriously wounded, Bryant pulled a pistol from his pocket and shot and killed the fleeing prisoner.

BIG BERRY CROP

More than 1,000 acres of strawberries have been planted in the McCracken County Growers' Association, which was organized this season. More than 500 growers have already signed contracts and others are expected to.

The members signing up with the association are the largest in the history of the co-operative organization, which in this section reaches a new figure. It is expected that with a good crop a total of several hundred cars of berries will go shipped from Mc'Cracken county this season. The shipping season will begin about May 15.

Approximately 400 acres was pledged last season by 634 growers and a total of 117 cars was shipped to the North and East.

Barnes Re-Elected At Board Meeting

Directors of Chamber Commerce At Meeting Held Unanimously Re-elect Secretary

At a meeting of the board of directors of the Carlisle Chamber of Commerce held last week, Thomas C. Barnes was unanimously re-elected, for the twenty-first consecutive year, Mr. Barnes accepted the position.

Mr. Barnes has been secretary of the Chamber of Commerce since its organization and during that time has served as secretary of the Carlisle Fair Association and has taken an active part in the progress of the organization. He has been a tireless worker for the betterment of the community.

The Chamber of Commerce has a membership of 300 members and will continue the campaign until 100 more have been secured.

TOBACCO BEETLE MAY BE CHECKED

The College of Agriculture Extension Division suggests two methods of controlling the tobacco flea beetle, one of the serious insect pests in the dark-fired district. One method suggested is that of applying a mixture of one part, by weight, of Paris green with 5 parts of a mixture of lead, at the rate of one ounce to 100 to 120 feet of plant bed. This mixture can be most economically applied with a bed duster. If more convenient, it is suggested that the beds may be sprinkled with a solution consisting of lead and one part of Paris green to 12 gallons of water. This amount should be enough for 400 square feet of plant bed. Because of its small size and the danger of injuries, the presence and ravages of the flea beetle are not usually noticed until much damage has been done," according to E. C. Vaughn, tobacco specialist. "Plant beds not well protected by canvas are commonly entirely destroyed by the beetle. In the fields the beetle is so small that crop may be either killed or, according to the severity of the attack, so weakened that the plants never recover. Both the adult beetle and the grub feed on the roots of the young plants, causing 11 battens.

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Three more days remain in which to make the clean-up campaign a success, and it is requested that citizens take advantage of the week. Clean up back yards, attics and cellars and have the rubbish removed. The city will haul off the accumulation, with the exception of compost, which may be hauled. Joe Clay, street superintendent, is in charge of the work.

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LOW RECORD DEATH RATE LAST YEAR

Mortality Rate To Kentucky Last Year Was 11 Against 12.2 In 1923

FEWER INFANT DEATHS

Setting a record low death rate in 1924 was the reward that marked the first year in which annual physical examinations were conducted on a state wide scope. The decreased death rate exceeded the hopes of the medical profession, bearing out the prediction that safeguarding against disease would result in Kentucky reaching a position of fame as a healthy state. The figures on which the States health base their assertion were made public today by the State Board of Health. The task of gathering, compiling and classifying these statistics reported by each of the 120 counties in the State was completed this year earlier than usual.

The mortality rate in 1924 was 11, as against 12.2 in 1923.

The total number of births more than doubled the number of deaths in 1924, there was a slight increase in the number of births figures per 100,000 population being 1,042 as against 1,040 in the previous year.

The greatest saving in lives during the last few years has been among infants. The infant death rate mortality was greater than the total number of deaths among children and grown persons, from 1915 through 1923, but in 1924, the infant mortality figures were reduced to 542 deaths from influenza as against 2,329 in 1923.

Despite the continuous education and local drive to eradicate typhoid fever, which is classed as a preventable disease, the death rate in 1924 was 408 persons and to 1923 was 472 persons, attributed to the failure of persons residing in congested rural communities to observe the State laws as well as rules of sanitation.

Another disease which continues to baffle the efforts of health officials to eradicate the laymen to its prevention and control, according to the State Board of Health, is diphtheria with 837 died in 1924 and 597 died in 1923.

WANTS NEW TRIAL FOR NEWPORT BANK BANDIT

Petition for rehearing of the appeal of Richard Newborne, Newport bank bandit, sentenced to life for the murder of Frank Buchanan, Newport bank banker, last June, has been filed with the Court of Appeals.

The court recently affirmed verdicts in the Carlisle case tried in the Bourbon Circuit Court. Newborne's counsel, in the petition, declared that he was not given a trial free of the court room influence.

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CAKE CARAVAN SEARCHED

Sometimes the war of the Good Samaritan is hard, as the committee which went to Louisville last Thursday to deliver the cakes to the Louisville orphanages will attest. Stopped and questioned by officers twice, the men were glad to get rid of their cargo and turn their faces homeward.

At Lexington the truck on which the cakes were being transported was stopped by officers who believed a stolen ride was hidden under the tarpaulin. After convincing the officials of the true nature of the contents of the boxes the caravan was proceeded to Lyndon, where they were trailed by a county patrolman, who escorted them out of transporting liquor.

A motorcycle patrolman had trailed the truck for several miles and only when he saw the cakes being delivered to the orphanage at Lyndon was he convinced that the boxes did not contain liquor.

Postal Increases Now In Effect

Raise on Souvenir Post Cards Principal Change in Rates Which Became Effective Yesterday

Reminding the public that congress has increased postage rates, postal service must help pay the increased salaries of postal employees, Postmaster General Jesse H. New announced yesterday. In letters setting forth the new postage rates which went into effect yesterday, and others; to get behind and boost these new postage rates. In a few words, they are rallying to the positive measures need, call to every one of us—Am I my brother's keeper?

Fellowship—actually or a spirit in the one definitely needed in the worn-out ways of living. The world needs good will, and peace, prosperity and loneliness; if all men who say they are Christians would act like Christians and meet every phase of their common problems in a new words, they are rallying to the positive measures need. call to every one of us—Am I my brother's keeper?

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The principal changes to be noted are those calling for a two cent stamp on souvenir postcards, and those fixing a higher rate for newspapers mailed by the general public. The weight in these papers is two cents for such two ounces or fraction thereof. The weight is limited to eight ounces. The present rate on special handling of parcels is two cents in stamps, with the words, "Special