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UNFORTUNATE POLICY.

The Mercury has no desire to add to the burdens of those who guide the destinies of the Burley Tobacco Growers Association. They have a hard row to hoe, no doubt, in these closing months of the pooling contract. Also, there may be exigencies of business policy of which we are not aware, so we are not throwing stones, nor, we trust, indulging in captious criticism.

But it does seem to us unfortunate, to say the least, that the Association did not see the good policy of operating auction sales in Carlisle and perhaps at other points, where there are no independents same floors.

In this country, at least, we are being penalized for our loyalty to the Association. Our redryer is not operating, the tobacco being prized and shipped to points at which auction sales are held. As a result any number of people are thrown out of work. Now the failure of a job upon which he has counted is no laughing matter to the man who has expected it to be forthcoming and he may reasonably be reckoned upon to become a small ferment of dissatisfaction that will conceivably leaven the loaf.

"If we had an independent warehouse here, the Pool would hold auction sales." We hear it from many. The inference is that his Nicholas county been declared in the Association; had we been a county of "dampers," instead of "ninety per cent pooled," we should have been enjoying the advantages of the auction sales here.

Whether this is a fair attitude we do not know. The Mercury states facts, simply. And as a believer in the theory of co-operation as a newspaper which has given earnest and unselfish support to the Burley Association before its organization and throughout its existence, we are hoping that a policy which seems to us to be so unfortunate tactical blunder may yet be abandoned and Carlisle be given a market.

"GOOD INTENTIONS"

As this is written, The Mercury has received but one contribution to its Community Tree Fund.

We are sure that any number of our readers will make donations gladly — feel they intend to do so. But all of us are sinners in the vice of procrastination, more or less, and the Christmas holidays have a way of creeping upon us before we have completed half of our program of good stockings.

They do say that the road to hell "and other places" is paved with these self-same good intentions and it is so much more satisfying to feel that one is paving the way for the happiness of little children.

You may do this by sending in your contribution, that the work may be started in time.

WALNUTS.

Carlisle has enjoyed its portion of the front page and especially editorial pages recently, the cause of the establishment of a walnut factory here.

The Paducah News-Democrat at its latest newspaper is commented editorially. The News-Democrat draws a fine moral from this addition of what has been a week, you don't heretofore.

It says:

It furnishes an example of what are to doubt many other opportunities for the profitable utilization of products in the State, which are now unnoticed and going to waste. It suggests that we should all look around more carefully to see if we are neglecting some such opportunity that lies right under our noses.

Another section on diversification in farming: of utilization of land for something besides tobacco. A French or Belgian farmer would make money on farms too supposed to be useless in Kentucky. He might not accomplish this all at once, but it would be done and by diversified farming, by feeding the soil and utilizing supposedly waste products. It certainly would not be done by "one-cropping" the land to death.

The local walnut factory has started a mortal to show the value of refloresting and of utilization of disregarded products of the land.

We trust it may prove a profit while venture to its owners.

WHY NOT?

A letter from a school child at Burtonville points out the need for a library in Carlisle.

The Mercury has recognized the need for some time. It would be fine, if it can be done. Perhaps we have been envisioning too much of a library, one of the Carnegie type, in its own building of brick and stone, when we should be content with a more modest beginning.

Such an institution here, it seems to us, must be started with gifts of books and money from those who see what a library would mean to town and county. Once begun, the need for its continued existence will manifest itself and a real library with a paid librarian would not be unimaginable eventually.

"The true University of these days," writes Carlyle, "is a Collection of Books."

In the interest of the boys and girls of the town and county we might make a beginning of such a University here.

The suggestion of our Burtonville friend is well made.

"COMPANY COMIN'"

Affected subconsciously, perhaps, by the cold winter prognostications of the long-range weather-predicting boys, we concluded that the on-in-the-ditch excuse must needs be in this case. So last Sunday we started preparations for the entertainment of the feathered visitors we are expecting, when the snows come and the north winds howl. Poor robin will not be forced to fly to the bore and "tuck his head under his wing, poor thing," for he may eat his fill and shelter himself the while under the cedar twigs with which our lorch counter atop the stalk of an old hickory tree is buttressed against old Boreas.

Already a Kentucky cardinal and his more sedately clad wife have sought shelter in the rose arbor of the porch, being set upon promptly by the lively English sparrows that pre-empt the choice places always. But we mean to deal with the British pests, when at the risk of frightening other more welcome visitors away, for when these dirty little scavengers of street and gutter set attack a Kentucky cardinal they commit sex majesty indeed.

If you have never enjoyed the pleasure of a bird feeding station, try one this winter. A window shelf, a lump of suet nailed to a tree, a recessed, with an opening of a size to admit the wrens and chickadees large enough for the pony woodpeckers, the interior filled with chopped suet, suet is what have you, will bring some visitors to your yard whose appearance will amply repay your efforts and cost.

Last winter we entertained the radiant little chickadees, the ladder backed, the hairy and the downy woodpeckers, a stray and furtive nuthatch, who grew more cheerful after finding our bird hotel, wrens and a cardinal, and one day there came to us out of the north woods a tiny bird who went down the tree trunk head first to the lump — suet—the red breasted nuthatch. This little fellow is not a common visitor and he was there welcome through being unexpected.

Always to the lower and oftener of birds, adventure may wait for you at the turning of the lane, in the next tree or at the bird lunch shelf, when the fields are blanketed with snow, for to the bird lover, the winter visitor is an event. Try it this winter. You will find that there is about it something that exils to the spirit of the wild that has come down to all of us. You will find yourself beginning to take interest in these little fall-in, fellows by winter to the care and protection of the big brother who has partially conquered the terrors of the cold. And through that interest you may come to observe, to listen and to love the feathered hosts that will soon be fields musical with the coming of another Spring.

CUMBERLAND FALLS

The Lexington Herald says the Herald continues to hear about situation of their efforts to secure the Cumberland Falls site for their hydro-electric plant.

We hope that the Herald is correctly informed and that this really beautiful waterfall is to be preserved for the enjoyment of Kentuckians and Kentucky's guests forever.

The Mercury agrees with the Herald that development should not be discouraged. There are other sites for hydro-electric dams in Kentucky and we venture to say that the power interests will meet with encouragement in their prospected developments in almost every instance.

The proposed destruction of Cumberland Falls has given this newspaper a number of dollars worth of advertising throughout the country. Kentucky should "cash in" on the advertising of the Falls are to be saved, as the Herald indicates. With good roads, those who looked upon the proposed dam as a beauty spot and that this really is the Falls, will be pleasantly surprised, we think, at the value of a beautiful bit of natural scenery in dollars and cents. Properly handled, Cumberland Falls will be worth more to Eastern Kentucky than a half-dozen power dams.

THE NEGLECTED MR. BANKS.

The poem, "What I Live For," published in last week's issue and which The Mercury called on with serious to supply, is still coming in on almost every mail. Most of these are taken from old McGuffey's readers and do not give the name of the author, George Linnaeus Banks.

Mr. Banks surely deserves credit for a poem that is so widely known, so no doubt our readers will be interested in what the Encyclopedia Britannica says of him:

George Linnaeus Banks was born in Birmingham, England, on March 2, 1821. He engaged, as a boy, in a variety of trades, contributing, at the age of 17, to various newspapers. He later became a playwright and was the author of two plays and a couple of burlesques. From. 1846 to 1864 he edited several newspapers, two of which were the Birmingham Mercury and the Dublin Express. He published several volumes of poetry. He died in 1881.

POEMS THAT WE LIKE.

BELIEVE ME, IF ALL THOSE ENDEARING YOUNG CHARMS

(By Thomas Moore.)

Believe me, if all those endearing charms,
Which I gaze on so fondly today,
Were to change by tomorrow, and fleet in my arms,
Like fairy-gifts fading away,
Thou, wouldst still be adored, as this moment thou art,
Let thy loveliness fade as it will
And around the dear ruin each wish of my heart
Would entwine itself verdantly still.

It is not while beauty and youth are thine own,
And thy cheeks unpraled by a tear,
That the fervour and faith of a soul can be known,
To which time will but make thee more dear;
No, the heart that has truly loved never forgets,
But as surely loves on to the close,
As the sunflower turns on her god, when he sets,
The same look that she turned when he rose.

INVICTUS

(By W. E. Henley.)

Out of the night that covers me,
Black as the pit from pole to pole,
I thank whatever gods may be
For my unconquerable soul.

In the fell clutch of circumstance
I have not winced nor cried aloud.
Under the bludgeonings of chance
My head is bloody, but unbowed.

Beyond this place of wrath and tears
Looms but the Horror of the shade,
And yet the menace of the years
Finds and shall find me unafraid.

It matters not how straight the gate,
How charged with punishments the scroll,
am the master of my fate,
I am the captain of my soul.

FLYNN OF VIRGINIA

(By Bret Harte.)

Didn't know Flynn—
Flyn of Virginia—
Long as he's been yar?
Look'ee here, stranger
What bee you been?

Here in this tunnel
He was my partner
That same Tom Flynn—
Working together,
In wind and weather,
Day and night.

Didn't know Flynn!
Well, then I will speer
Why, it's a sin.
T, think of Tom Flynn—
Tom, with his cheer,
Tom, without fear—
Stranger, look yar!

Thar in the drift,
Back to the wall,
He held the timbers
Steady to fall.
Then in the darkness
I heard him call
"Run for your life, Jake!
Run for your wife's sake!
Don't wait for me!"
And that was all
Heard in the din,
Heard of Tom Flynn—
Flynn of Virginia.

That lets me out
How in the dang—
Out of the main—
That he derived lamp
Makes my eyes run.
Well, then—I'm dunno
Jest what I mean,
Hear the best fool
Asking of Flynn—
Flynn of Virginia—
Jam you ship in,
Say you know Flynn;
Say that you've been yar.

PSALM CXXI

I will lift up mine eyes unto the hills from whence cometh my help.

My help cometh from the Lord, which made heaven and earth.

He will not suffer thy foot to be moved; he that keepeth thee will not slumber.

Behold, he that keepeth Israel shall neither slumber nor sleep.

The Lord is thy keeper; the Lord is thy shade upon thy right hand.

The sun shall not smite thee by day, nor the moon by night.

The Lord shall preserve thee from all evil; he shall preserve thy soul.

The Lord shall preserve thy going out and thy coming in from this time forth and even for evermore.

30 YEARS AGO

Thursday, Dec. 10, 1896

City council puts license fee for Carlisle saloons at $520 per year.

Large audience hears Hon. Pat Miller lecture at Mount Hall Friday night.

John Golden, of Jacksntown, had by injured when thrown from horse while returning from Carlisle.

Annual report of city assessor shows value of Carlisle property for taxable purposes to be $196,084.

Ben Paris, brakeman on the local freight train, has finger mashed off the coupling curs at Carlisle depot.

Died—Infant of Mr. and Mrs. Omer Tapp, at their home in the county on the 4th.—Infant of Mr. and Mrs. John Patrick, at their home in the county on the 7th.

Married—Miss Sereda F. Freman and Mr. J. R. Sidle, both of this county.—Miss Sarah E. Hill and Mr. James Moyneyhan, both of the county.—Miss Ethel Adams Wasson and Mr. Johnson Garrison, both of the county.

Lilly Lodge, Knights of Pythias, elects following officers for the ensuing year: J. R. Russell, C. C.; B. Ross, V. C.; Wyatt Insko, Prelate; Ben Ross, K. R. S.; Hiram Ewing, M. E.; James Spencer, M. A.; Samuel Templeman, K. R.

42 YEARS AGO

Thursday, Dec. 11, 1884

W. E. Willett contracting residence between his home and L. M. Campbell's.

Mrs. M. L. Barnett buys residence in Dorneyville from William Campbell's.

Henry Metcalfe building residence in East end of town opposite Thomas Kennedy's.

James Potts buys interest of Oscar Ham in the Ham & Kim brough livery stable.

Receipts at the Carlisle postoffice for one calendar month going past year, due to the letter postage reduction.

Mrs. Lee Hiskill and daughter leave rooms over Mrs. McMahill's and open dress making establishment.

G. E. Keller, D. Howe, John Frey, Jesse McDowell and C. D. Brambleett appointed committee to arrange for a benefit supper for the members of the Carlisle fire department.

Died—Mr. James M. Keeney, 51, at home of his father, Mr. Ed. Keeney, on the 5th.—Johnnie, little son of Mr. and Mrs. Moses Kinnon, at their home near Pleasant Valley on the 7th.

MYERS

E. G. Flynn was the guest of his brother, T. J. Flynn, of Berea, Wednesday.—Mrs. Mollie Kinnaird son, George, of Lexington, spent the past week with Mrs. Otho Lewis.—Mrs. E. G. Flynn, Mrs. B. J. Cameron and Miss Ella Conway spent Wednesday in Lexington, shopping.—Mrs. Paul Flora spent Friday night in the home of M. Landrum.—Mrs. May Fuller was called to Lexington Thursday on account of the illness of her daughter, Miss Eldon Fuller. Her little son, Ralph Jerhel, will give a play, "Paddle Your Own Canoe," Saturday night, December 18.

STONY CREEK

James McGinnis, wife and son spent Sunday with his father, John McGinnis, of Lancaster.—Miss Lizzie Miller, of Carlisle, spent from Friday until Sunday with her father, Joe Miller.—Bennie Vaughn and wife spent Sunday with Ira Payne and wife.—Miss Ada Pumphrey spent Saturday night and Sunday with Arthur Pumphrey.

BARTERVILLE

Little Pearl Greene, of Dayton, Ohio, is visiting her grandmother, Mrs. Hulda Morris.—Thobum Scaggs, of Headquarters, spent Sunday with Ervine Greene.—C. L. Morris has moved from Blankston back to his own home.—Mrs. Lena Fauback, of Dayton, Ohio, is ill at the home of her deceased parents, Mr. and Mrs. Seaman Greene.

MT. MORIAH

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hanson, of Haddell's Mill, have returned home after a week's visit with Wm. Hendersen and wife.—Mrs. Dan Saunsult was the guest of Mrs. Naomi King Thursday.—Miss Ruby Hedges was the guest of Adc. Fuller and family Friday.—Miss Laura Hollar was the guest of Misses Ruby and Clara Hedges Wednesday.—Mrs. Lizzie Edwards and daughter were the guest of Mrs. Jess Moore Sunday.—Miss Lorena King visited Miss Susie Dampier Friday.

The British Museum library contains about four thousand different versions of the Bible.

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A good place to do your Christmas shopping where prices are reasonable. The Holiday season and gift time is here again and we are better prepared to serve you. Our store is bulging with wonderful assortments of gifts for men and women.

Suggestions:

For Men—Suit, overcoat, shoes, hat, neckwear, furnishings, clipper, bath robe, bag and dozens of other gifts.

For Boys—Suit, overcoat, shoes, hat, gloves and everything boys wear.

For Women—Attractive suit cases, hat boxes, silk hose and umbrellas.

Your gift problem will be settled most satisfactorily if you come to us. 25 feet wide, 75 feet long, the largest court day, on account of being closed one entire week.

12-2 2t D. Bechinger & Co.

NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that on the 13th day of December, 1926, the undersigned will present to Hon. Paul D. Barnwell, Judge of the Nicholas county court, a petition in which said Court will be asked to cause two public roads or streets to be discontinued in Nicholas County, Kentucky, and described as follows: Being that portion of the extension of Main Street that lies immediately North of Travis Ave., Lot 4, 5, 6 and 9 and running parallel was 25 feet wide beginning at the East Margin of Lock Avenue or Street and running North 74 degrees Eastwardly to Tract No. 10, all of the above being shown on the Plat of Liberty Heights, a subdivision near the City of Carlisle, Ky., which plat is recorded in Deed Book No. 24, page 60, in Nicholas County Court Clerk's Office.

Said petition will request the said Court to appoint Commissioners and make all orders and judgments and grant all proper relief in the premises.

Henry Reed.

Ready For Christmas!

Christmas bustle, Christmas glamour, Christmas glitter, Christmas cheer. The holiday spirit is present throughout the whole personnel of our store.

You no doubt have lots of gifts to buy. You want just the right things. Gift things are here in profusion for every age, or every fancy, for every type.

We invite you to shop now while our salespeople have time to give you proper service; while stocks are so ample and so varied.

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GIVE HER AN OLD-FASHIONED SURPRISE IN A NEW-FASHIONED WAY

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Begin now, make her CHRISTMAS memorable by arranging for her present thru a gift of *nine-feminine jewels*.

Our modest pricing enables you to give the deserving lady of your heart a piece of *jewlry* so rich and lovely that she will *long with knight*.

Happiness of the holiday season is best impressed with gifts that last, for here are gifts whose beauty will never fade, gifts that will live to bring pleasure for years to come.

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FOR HER
DIAMOND RINGS
A Fine Choice at $15.00 up
DIAMOND BAR PINS $12.00 up
SILVER COMPACTS $1.00 up
MESH BAGS $5.00 up
WRIST WATCHES $12.00 up
PEARL BEADS $5.00 up

FOR HIM
STRAP WATCHES $3.50 up
POCKET WATCHES $1.35 up
CIGARETTE CASES $2.00 up
GOLD RINGS $2.00 up
WATCH CHAINS $1.00 up
TIE PINS $1.00 up

We've Angled For Optimists

In our time, but here is the prize winner. A totally bald man bought a bottle of hair restorer at a drug store and was told by the clerk that it would grow hair. He did right if he take a bottle and you may give me an oath and brush with it." He answered. We are always pushing our Ford sales because we know we will find satisfied users. Ford is ideal family car—practical and economical.

The late Ford with its many improvements is not surpassed by any for economy and looks, then when you consider the price, and the wonderful serving year any other car is the bargain of the world among automobiles. Touring car $290, Roadster $406.00, Coupe $540.00, 4 Door Sedan $602.00, 2 Door Sedan $550.00, Truck Chassis $362.40. Come in and let us show you and explain our time sales plan in detail, which makes it easy to pay for a car.

The Ford 12 Plate, 6 Volt battery has been reduced in price from $15 to $12, and at this price is the best thing to be found—remember we have them.

GOODYEAR Tires are 10 per cent lower—look at these prices—30x3 $6.55 to $9.40, 30x3½ $7.70 to $15.60, 32x4½ $17.40. Other large sizes in proportion.

We sell Indian Gasoline and Have One Oil because there are good. The best is always the cheapest.

Jane Allen, your personal shopper, is ready for you if you cannot get to town. She will give you the benefit of her long experience in choosing tasteful gifts. Let her help you this busy season.

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We carry a complete line of Coal—Alcohol, Heaters, Tire Chains etc.

We repair everything about Ford cars—Carburetors and Radiators a specialty.

We sell Radios and supplies of all kinds.

Harper's Garage

PROGRAM

Tonight, Thursday, comes Tom Mix in "Hard Boiled," a new hard boiled Western.

Friday—Marie Prevost in "Bobbed Hair," a story full of action as well as bobbed hair. Don't miss seeing this one.

Saturday—Conway Tom Tyler in "Arizona Streak," a good Western Also a comedy.

Monday—Beba Daniels in a sure good one, "The Volcano." Don't miss seeing this one at the

LYRIC THEATRE

Mrs. Thomas Benjamin was the first automobile owner of this county to secure a 1927 license plate.

Cecil Alexander was awarded the musical instrument given away at the store of Jas. Gordon on December 1.

Eggs took another drop of two cents per dozen Wednesday in stores and dealers are now paying 45 cents per dozen.

Next Monday is county court day. Subscriptions which expired in November will be discontinued with that date. Come in and renew.

In Judge Darnell's court Saturday morning, Willie (Pug) Clark, charged with operating an automobile while drunk, was held to the grand jury under $200 bond.

In county court Tuesday, Abe Gibson, of Moores Creek, and Ed Lawrence, all of the Morning Glory section, were fined $10 and costs each on charges of being drunk.

A double-header basket ball game will be played in the Carlisle gymnasium Friday night. The boys will play Minerva high school and the girls will play Hollywood high school.

A large number of hogs were immoculated against hog cholera by Dr. W. G. Irvin, State Veterinarian during the past week. The disease continues in epidemic form throughout the county.

Real estate agent G. B. Scaggs sold this week for W. T. Parker his residence on College Hill to Arthur Mullikin. The price paid was not made public. Possession will be given March 1, 1927.

Several Carlisle boys will go to Frankfort Friday to attend the annual Older Boys Conference, which will be held Friday, Saturday and Sunday. The boys will be sent from the Carlisle high school.

County Judge Paul D. Darnell yesterday issued a warrant for William Flora, of the Moorefield section, charging him with deserting his family. The warrant was issued at the request of Mrs. Flora.

A carload of equipment, consisting of a switchboard and other modern equipment, was received here Tuesday and is being installed in the local telephone office. It is planned to have the new equipment in operation by January 1.

Because of numerous requests for copies of The Mercury has been requested to state that the annual collection for the children's relief fund, taken at the union Thanksgiving service, netted $24 and relief, therefore, will be carried out.

J. T. Eastjovine qualified in county court Monday as administrator of the estate of Charles Eastjovine, deceased, with D. F. Caswell surety in the sum of $1,000. In county court Monday and Nov. 8, P. Ritchie were appointed appraisers of the estate.

Louie Gudgell and sons, who recently sold their farm near Minerva to M. B. Clarke, have purchased the 166 acres farm of Thomas F. Triplett near Stoops, Montgomery county, and will take possession March 1, 1927. $1,400 rental per year was paid.

Floyd Gaines, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Gaines, of this county was arrested Monday by Sheriff L. B. Burton on a charge of giving a forged check to Jos. Gordon in payment for some merchandise. Young Gaines waived examination when arraigned before Judge Paul D. Darnell and was held to the grand jury at the February term of the Nicholas circuit court.

Miss Katherine Frey, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Frey, who is a student at Georgetown College, Lawsburg, W. Va., has been chosen sponsor of Co. A, of the Georgetown Military Institute. Sponsors of the various companies were chosen recently and this is considered quite an honor. Miss Frey is a granddaughter of the Carlisle high school and is a freshman at Georgetown.

The Burley Tobacco Growers Cooperative Association Tuesday sold approximately 2,750,000 pounds of its 1923, 1924 and 1925 redried crops to the Southwest Leaf Tobacco Co., of Richmond, Va. President Hons gave no information as to the grades or prices, but said the purchase was "a fair lot of tobacco." The pool has sold about fifty million pounds of tobacco in the past fifty days.

Social — Society

THE RAINY DAY

(Lonfellow)

The day is cold, and dark, and dreary,
It rains, and the wind is never weary;
The vine still clings to the moldering wall,
But at every gust the dead leaves fall,
And the day is dark and dreary.

My life is cold, and dark, and dreary,
It rains, and the wind is never weary;
My thoughts still cling to the moldering Past,
But the hopes of youth fall thick in the blast,
And the days are dark and dreary.

Be still, and heart! and cease repining;
Behind the clouds is the sun still shining;
Thy fate is the common fate of all,
into each life some rain must fall,
Some days must be dark and dreary.

—Misses Mayme Gore and Cordelia Hall were in Paris Saturday on shopping.

—Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Clarke left last week for Miami, Fla., to spend the winter.

—Mrs. A. B. Martin, of Paris, was the guest of her sister, Mrs. Robert Harper, Monday and Tuesday.

—Mrs. Lillie S. Kennedy will go to Lancaster this week to stay until the Christmas.

—Mrs. William Donnell, of Lexington, was here Friday for the funeral Mrs. James L. Donnell.

—Miss Ruth McCown, of Cincinnati, spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. Brankleet.

—Mrs. William Howard was in Paris Wednesday to attend a party given by Mrs. Curtis Talbott.

—Miss Marion Jones, of Fort Jefferson, W. Va., was the guest of Misses Ruby and Lucile Ford for the week end.

—Miss Rose Sanford, of the University of Kentucky, spent the week end with her mother, near Moorefield.

—Misses Lucile and Frances Wilson and Berry Wilson, of Moorefield, spent Saturday and Sunday in Cincinnati.

—Mrs. Stanley Blake and baby daughter, Helen Donnell, were guests of Miss Elizabeth Donnell, in Cincinnati, Friday.

—A. S. Kimbrough left Monday for Horse Cave, Hart county, as buyer on the tobacco market, for the R. J. Reynolds Co.

—Mrs. Louie S. Thompson has returned to Cincinnati after a visit with her mother and sister, Mrs. Ella Squires and Mrs. W. J. Reed.

—Leo M. Tribble, who has been in failing health for several months, is critically ill at the home of his sister, Mrs. Oscar Hinson, near Ellisville.

—Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Norton motored to Lexington, Sunday, to see Miss Ruth Norton, of Sayre School, Lexington. Miss Ruth is a student in Lexington Tuesday night.

—Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Reed and baby daughter, Betty, returned to Louisville, where he has taken a clerical position with the Louisville Loose Leaf Tobacco Warehouse Company.

—Mr. and Mrs. Palmer McLean entertained Sunday at dinner in honor of Rev. J. A. Alexander and family, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Alexander and family and Mr. Jesse McCann and family.

—Mr. Lewis Scott, Chicago, is visiting his mother, Mrs. N. P. Scott.

—Mrs. R. M. Smith, Mrs. R. C. Bonar and son, Mrs. Irvin Prewitt and Mrs. G. E. Young spent Monday in Lexington shopping.

—Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Brambleett and Mrs. Mayme Boyd were in Lexington Tuesday where they spent the day with Mr. and Mrs. Ben Brambleett and Mrs. Brambleett had X-ray photos taken to determine the extent of her injuries suffered several weeks ago.

—Mrs. George Hanson, Mr. Jim Ramsey, wife and little son, Lloyd, Howard Platt, all of Lexington; Mr. George Davis, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Bell and daughter, Virginia Tong spent the day with Mr. and Mrs. Price Bell Tuesday.

—Mrs. S. B. Smyfield, of Lexington, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Bell and daughter, Helen, and Mr. and Mrs. Ben Bell, of Paris, were here during the week to see Mr. John Bell, who is ill, and family who is badly diabetic.

—Mrs. Ed W. Schnow, Mrs. L. S. Hughes, Mrs. Clifton R. Fisher, Mrs. Taylor Hughes and Mrs. Berry Keller are in Cincinnati attending the National Christian Business Association Rally. While in Cincinnati, they will be the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles B. North, in Hyde Park.

Bridge Party

Mrs. Ernest Piper will be hostess to her bridge club on next Tuesday afternoon, Dec. 14th, at 2 o'clock, at her home on the Upper Jacksntown pike.

Here for Funeral Burial

—Mrs. Ella McCoy, of Ripley, Ohio, W. E. Tuan, of Maysville, John B. Dunnington, of Cynthiana, Mrs. Mary Allen Bowles, of Harrison county, were here Thursday to attend the funeral of Mr. W. F. Kenney.

Rev. Crystal III

—Rev. Crystal's friends here regret very much that he was unable to come home December 1. He is suffering from a number of ulcers on the corner of the left eye. However, he expects to return to Carlisle as soon as the condition of his eye will permit.

Mission Band to Meet

—The Mission Band of the Union Christian Missionary Society will meet at the home of Mrs. William Howard, Jr., on Sunday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. The topic will be "My Favorite Bible Story," with Thomas Rogers Riley as leader.

Birthday Dinner

—Mr. and Mrs. Jesse B. Hamm entertained the following at dinner with a dinner, in honor of Mr. Hamm's birthday: Mr. and Mrs. Rube Letton, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Bedford, Mrs. Mattie Letton Hibler, of Paris, Dr. and Mrs. H. H. Bunton, Mrs. George Reed and son, Frank Reed, of East Union, Mrs. Mary B. Pitts, and J. F. Wasson, of Millersburg.

W. C. T. U. Dec 16th

—The Women's Christian Temperance Union will meet on next Wednesday, December 16th, with Mrs. Rainey Smith at her home in the West End, at 1:30 o'clock. After the regular program and business session, a social hour will be spent, and light refreshments will be served. The members who have "only Christmas" are asked to bring them to this meeting, so they can be distributed and orders taken for making more.

Christmas Cantata

A Christmas cantata, "I Saw Santa Claus," will be given under the direction of Mrs. Ethel Bryant and Miss Mary Frances Fisher, on Wednesday of December 15th, by the pupils of the second and third grades of the Carlisle city school. The cantata will be given in the school auditorium and is for the benefit of the book supply fund for the second and third grade libraries. Admission, 15 cents; reserved seats, 25 cents.

RELIGIOUS

CHRISTIAN CHURCH

Henry W. Schwab, Minister.

Bible school at 9:30 a. m. Sermon and communion at 10:45 a. m. "Thy Love to Me Was Wonderful." Christian Endeavor 6:15 p. m. Evangelistic sermon 7 p. m. "The Way to the Throne." Special music.

Prayer meeting Wednesday night. Christmas is almost here. Let all the children be present each Sunday that they can while we are in our Christmas program. Our choir is preparing a cantata for Christmas. You will always receive a cordial welcome at all our services.

MARRIAGES

HENSON-CRAY — Miss Minnie Hensen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Hensen, and Mr. Charles Thomas Cray, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Cray, all of the Upper Lieks section, were married at the home of the officiating minister, the Rev. E. E. Ellis, in Paris, last Thursday.

OVERMAN - CONWAY — Miss Florence Overman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Overman, of Cincinnati, and Charles Conway, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Conway, of 14 East McMicken Ave., Cincinnati, formerly of Carlisle, were married on December the fourth (Saturday) afternoon, at the residence of Carlisle and a great favorite of a few years ago, in another state, and many good wishes for their happiness will be showered.

THOMPSON-ADAIR— Miss Margaret Frances Thompson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Thompson, of Lexington, and Mr. Julian Adair, of Millersburg, were married on December 3, according to announcement received by him where some as many rabbits as wanted could be killed in a week, and that one two were seen after an all-day hunt. In some communities, it is said, the rabbits have been killed by frosts. Quail are reported scarcer than in years.

Mrs. N. P. Scott, one of the oldest and best known women in Carlisle, died at her home here on Thursday at the home of her son, Mr. Lewis Scott, in Cincinnati, Mrs. Scott had been ill for some time, but her death was shocking. Mrs. Scott suffered deep shock when the news had been given her, and was confined to her bed from that time. She was born in her home on Chestnut street nearly eighty years ago.

Governor Fields Tuesday granted a stay of execution until March 18, 1927, to Raymond C. Davis, one of the bandits sentenced to die in the electric chair at Eddyville on December 17 for the murder of William Nelson Ford, of Flemingsburg, at Lexington December 26, 1924. Davis would be a material witness in the prosecution of the other bandit if he is caught, Governor Fields said in stating his reason for the reprieve. No action was taken in the case of Roger Brannon, the other bandit.

WHY, DADDY, WHY?

Daddy, if you know we're hungry,
Know that we are very poor,
It must break your heart in Heaven
Cause you never did insure!
Mamma wonders why you didn't
Save the dimes you threw away;
But you felt too strong and healthy
For insurance, people say.

You were taken with out warning,
Leaving us to fight alone;
You'd have taken out insurance,
Daddy, if you'd only known!
Tween't that you didn't love us,
I recall how dear you were;
But your little girl must suffer
Cause you failed to save for her

Mamma just can't make the living!
She is wearing out, she said!
I shall have to miss some schooling
For the school fund fund
When she's gone, I guess they'll take me
To a place of Charity,
To be clothed and fed; but, Daddy,
It can ne'er be home to me.

Mary's Daddy left Insurance,
And their home will still be theirs.
They're not hungry, sir' sometime Mary
Gives me cast-off clothes she wears.

They don't have to take in sewing,
Mary's mamma doesn't cry,
For her Daddy left Insurance;
But you didn't Daddy—why?

I will be in Carlisle Monday, Dec. 13.

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BIRTHS

BANTA—To Mr. and Mrs. Benson Banta, of the Oxhow pike, on the 2nd, a son.

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