Classified

Classified rates are strictly cash in advance. No ad less than 25 cents. Obituary notices and cards of thanks 1 cent per word. Not published unless accompanied by cash. Count the words. Send stamps if you wish.

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—1925 Ford sedan, Fordor. Balloon tires. Apply to Marvin Sexton. 7 18 1t*

DRESSED CHICKENS—Milk-fed. Telephone us your requirements for the week end. We deliver. Phone 21. Blue Grass Produce Co.

FOR SALE—Used coal oil range in good condition at a bargain. See C. U. Bramblett.

FOR SALE—Chevrolet truck, 1928 model, driven a little less than 7,000 miles, in first class mechanical condition. A bargain. Apply to John Boardman. 6 20 tf

BARGAINS—Slightly damaged by water. Salt—Can be used for stock of fertilizer. Lime—Can be used for agricultural purposes. Many other articles damaged by the flood at bargain prices. Dorsey Bros. & Fisher.

BUCKS FOR SALE—100 Southdown bucks for sale. Lambs, yearlings and two year olds. Call H. T. Letton, phone 5804. 7 4 4t*

SPECIAL

Sugar, H. & E. 100 lb.	$5.09
Lard, 50 lb can, Kahn	$6.89
Flour, Best Patent, 24 lb.	$1.05
Matches, 6 boxes	19c
Old Dutch Cleanser, 2 cans	15c
Babbitts Cleanser, 3 cans	10c
$2 5-gal. oil can, Never Leak	$1.49

BLUE LICK STORE CO.
Main and Dorsey Ave.

BUILDING LOTS FOR SALE

Three nice lots in Arnold Heights facing on three streets, east suburb of Carlisle. See C. U. Bramblett.

WANTED

HELP WANTED—Reliable man wanted to run McNess Business in Nicholas county. $8 to $12 daily profits. No capital or experience required. Wonderful opportunity. Write today. McNess Co. Dept K., Freeport, Illinois. 7 18 1t*

WANTED—To buy Eastern and Central Tobacco Warehouse stock. Call or see Proctor Wood, Millersburg, Ky., phone 94. 5-10-tf

I will pay highest cash price for Burley Tobacco Warehouse stock. W. H. Frey. 10 11 tf

MISCELLANEOUS

DRESSED CHICKENS
READY TO COOK

Beginning today, we will take orders for one or more chickens and dress them ready to cook. Telephone your order, Number 21, and we will deliver. All broilers are milk fed. If this convenience to housekeepers proves popular, we will continue to sell dressed chickens. Blue Grass Produce Company.

Look for Kahn's American Beauty name on Hams, Picnics, Cheese, Breakfast Bacon and Pure Lard. Government inspected and is guaranteed by local grocers. 1t*

DAMAGED BY WATER

Pure Irish linen, yd.	25c
Voile, yd.	9c
10c Shirting cotton, yd.	5c
$1 Men's winter union suits	69c
$1.50 Boys winter union suits	89c
$1 Girls winter union suits, large	59c
Children's winter union suits	49c
Men's Gum Boots	$3.15
Boys Gum Boots	$2.65
Babbitt's Lye, can	10c
Salmon, pink, can	16c
Oysters, 5 oz. can	13c
$1.65 Boys Overalls, 8 oz. pair	85c
Soap, Palmolive, cake	6c
Calumet Baking Powder, 1 lb can	19c

BLUE LICK STORE CO.
Main and Dorsey Ave.

BABY CHICKS

Fall price $12.00 per 100. Let us set your own eggs for you. Custom Hatching $4.25 per tray of 112 eggs. First setting July 15th. Bourbon Hatchery, 325 Pleasant St., Paris, Ky. 7 18 tf

The swarm of bees parked on an automobile on Main street court day was killed by H. C. Galbraith with Raleigh's Pyrethic Fly Fluid. 1t*

HAIL INSURANCE

C. U. Bramblett will take care of your tobacco crop with hail insurance. Call phone 225.

CHANGE OF LOCATION

Since the fire I have moved my shoe shop to a room at the rear of the S. Rosen store. Entrance is on the alley alongside the Henderson Hotel. We are ready to do your repairing. Al Peters.

A liberal reduction on all "end of season" merchandise. S. T. Barlow.

Sampson, with the jaw bone of an ass, killed thousands of Philistines, but Raleigh's Pyrethic Fly Fluid is killing millions of flies, moths, mosquitos, bed bugs, worms, lice, ants, roaches, bean beetles. It will kill lice on animals, fowls and man; it will kill fleas on the poodle, pug or bird dog even if he is worth up to $150. It is perfectly harmless. 1t*

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LONG FARM LOANS—5 percent on good land.
SEE C. U. BRAMBLETT

LOOK! LEAP!

Bargains galore, all at cost. Dry goods, hardware, notions, shoes, ladies underwear, men's underwear sweaters. Come in and see our line and get the lumber jackets. Everything must go, bargains. R. H. Herrington, Ellisville, Ky. 6 20 tf (50c)

I see in the Lexington Herald that the Fayette county jail is overrun with lice, bedbugs and vermin of all kinds, and that there is no way to kill them. That sounds like a joke. If they will pay I will kill them or it won't cost them a cent. Besides I will pay them for their trouble. H. C. Galbraith. 1t*

We are ready for business at our new location behind S. Rozen's store. Entrance on alley on Henderson Hotel side. Al Peters.

Carpenter, contracting, building and repairing. Also concrete work of all kinds. Estimation free. Kash Shankland, Spring street, Carlisle, Ky. 7 11 2t*

Correct price, good merchandise, and prompt service; our bid for your patronage. S. T. Barlow.

PROTECT YOUR TOBACCO

With hail policy. Call C. U. Bramblett. Phone 225.

Let our trucks be the connecting link between Model Store and your needs on the farm. S. T. Barlow.

Still taking orders for that good Farm and Home Paint, sold 100 orders in Nicholas county last year, not one customer dissatisfied. Satisfaction guaranteed or money refunded. All house colors $2.25 per gal. Freight paid. See C. U. Bramblett

NOTICES

CARD FROM WILL OWINGS

The duties of my office and circumstances over which I have no control has prevented me from making as thorough canvass of the county as I would like. It will be impossible for me to see all of the voters before the August primary, but I will sincerely appreciate your support for the Democratic nomination for Jailer whether I am able to see you in person or not. W. S. Owings. 1t

CALL FOR BIDS

The City Council of the City of Carlisle, Ky., will receive bids up until 7 p. m. August 5, 1929, for 500 feet of two and one-half inch fire hose.
H. K. Veach, Mayor
7 18 2t S. C. Vaughn, City Clerk

CARD OF THANKS—I wish to thank the white people for flowers and kindness to me upon the occasion of the death of my son. Maymie Stout. 1t*

NOTICE

We are ready for business at our new location behind S. Rozen's store. Entrance on alley on Henderson Hotel side. Al Peters.

CALL FOR BIDS

I am authorized by the Nicholas County Board of Education to call for bids for repairing the school house at Cassidy. Also for building new school house at Judy. Bids to be opened Saturday, July 20, at 2 o'clock p. m. Eda S. Taylor, County Supt. 7 11 2t

NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION

Notice is hereby given that the Carlisle Fishing Club, a corporation, has been dissolved and is winding up its affairs. Those having claims against said corporation will present same to the Secretary at once.
R. C. Bonar, President
Warren R. Fisher, Secretary.
6 27 4t

The Baptist W. M. S. will have a food sale at Sexton's store Saturday, July 27. 7 18 2t*

Cream Producers Notice

I have taken the agency for the Sunlight Creamery Company. Give me a trial with your next can.

LESLIE VICE, Operator

Service Satisfaction

Opposite Verna Stone's Grocery Store
Corner Walnut and Main

JACKSTOWN

(Carl Banta, Correspondent)

Mr. and Mrs. John Wasson had as their Sunday guests Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Wasson and son, William, Mrs. Brooks Morris and children, of Carlisle, and Dallas Flynn.

Mr. and Mrs. John Wilson and family and Mrs. George Wilson spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Everett Soper and family, of East Union.

Mrs. W. D. Swim, Mr. and Mrs. Everett Swim and Miss Fisher Swim left Monday for Missouri to visit Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Terrell.

George Clark Letton, of Boyle county, and Miss Lucy Williams, of Lexington, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Letton Sunday.

Willie Booth, of Montgomery county spent one night the past week with his grandmother, Mrs. George Wilson.

Miss Ruth Hollar has returned to her home after a two weeks visit with her aunt, Mrs. Samuel Hollar and Mr. Hollar, of near Stony Creek.

Miss Mildred Woodall, of Latonia, spent the past week with Mr. and Mrs. John Wilson and family.

Miss Annie Johnson has returned to her home after a visit with her niece, Mrs. Sam Harding and Mr. Harding, of near Paris.

Mrs. Lula Woodall and two daughters, of Bourbon county spent Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. John Wilson and family.

Mr. and Mrs. John Watkins and family and Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Lawrence and family, of Carlisle, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Swim.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Feeback and son, Orville, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Will Feeback, of Headquarters.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Prather, of Headquarters, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Hamilton and family Sunday.

Mrs. Sam Harding, of near Paris, spent Tuesday with Miss Annie Johnson.

Nothing At All

A balky mule has four wheel brakes
A billy goat has bumpers;
The fire-fly is a bright spotlight,
Rabbits are puddle jumpers,
Camels have balloon-tired feet
And carry spares what they eat,
But still I think that nothing beats
The Kangaroo with rumble seats.

Notice

The following prices on

Ice Cream

will be effective at our stores:

BEGINNING

Thurs., July 18

ICE CREAM PACKED IN ICE AND SALT

1 quart	75c
½ gallon	$1.40
1 gallon	$2.50

NOT PACKED

1 quart	60
½ quart	$1.20
1 gallon	$2.25

No less than 1 quart sent out, packed or not packed.

Q. T. Gatewood
Carlisle Drug Co.

Dr. J. L. Higginbotham will conduct a tonsil clinic at the Johnson Memorial Hospital on the fourth Monday in each month. Anyone unable to pay for an operation will be given free service.

Two second hand sewing machines, overhauled and in first-class shape. Cheap for quick sale. Also two or three antique clocks.
ESTILL SNAPP
Phone 89

ESTABLISHED IN 1890

Headquarters For Blue Grass Farms

Call At My Office and Look Over Listings Running In Acreage From 20 to 200 Acres.

C. U. BRAMBLETT, REALTOR

PUBLIC SALE

I will offer for sale at public auction at my place near Barefot on
TUESDAY, JULY 23,
at 10 a. m. the following property:
1 red cow, 4 years old, will be fresh by day of sale
1 black cow, 8 years old, good one
1 Jersey cow, 6 years old, due to calf by day of sale
1 Jersey cow, 7 years old, fresh
1 aged cow, good one
1 sorrel horse, good worker and driver
2 buggies 2 sets of harness
1 hay rake
1 five-shovel plow 1 hill-side plow
Some old corn in crib
1½ tons of coal
1 cream separator
Household and kitchen furniture and other things too numerous to mention.
7 11 2t* MRS. J. S. BURDEN

TILTON'S GROCERY

HOME GROWN CORN
Home Grown Tomatoes
On the Market

WE DELIVER
Just Use Your Telephone
Our Number 139

WE WANT YOUR EGGS CHICKENS AND MEATS Will pay full price. You will find us easy to reach. Located out of congested auto traffic.

WE GIVE COW TICKETS

CARD FROM C. B. CASSIDY

It is possible that I may not be able to see all the Democrat voters before the approaching primary, so I am making this personal appeal through The Mercury. Lest some might think I am not concerned, I want to say that as a poor man I am obliged to earn our living; I have a growing crop in which adverse weather conditions have made necessary much labor and time.

To the citizens of Nicholas county I will say that I am qualified to hold the office I seek, that of County Attorney. I was admitted to the bar before Judge Watts Parker at Lexington while still a student in the Law School there.

Before the war I had built up a very good practice by dint of hard work, ability and services faithfully performed. This I left, to enlist in the Marine Corps in which I served overseas until in August 1919. I have been teaching since. For the past seven years I have been Principal of the East Union High School. I tried faithfully to perform my services as such.

I believe that my standing in my community as a man, a neighbor and as a citizen is beyond question and I point with pride to my services as a public servant.

If you see fit to elect me to the office to which I am aspiring, I promise you faithful, sober and efficient services and an administration of the law that shall be above reproach.

It is safe to judge the future life of a public character by his past career. I ask you to inquire what my past life has been like, the quality of the services I have rendered and base your judgment of me upon that. I have been living near Moorefield for the past eight years, prior thereto I had lived at Owingsville in Bath county near which I was raised.

I shall deeply appreciate your support and if elected will give you the benefit of the best service I am capable of giving.

Respectfully yours,
7 18 1t* C. B. CASSIDY

Riviera's Smart Set hold their Radiant Charms with Friedrich's LEMON CLEANSING CREAM Nature's way to beauty
PATTON'S Carlisle, Kentucky

Call 290 FOR Dry Cleaning Laundry and Service

Robt. Mann, Agt.
Lexington Laundry Co.

Renew Your Health By Purification

Any physician will tell you that "Perfect Purification of the System is Nature's Foundation of Perfect Health." Why not rid yourself of chronic ailments that are undermining your vitality? Purify your entire system by taking a thorough course of Calotabs,—once or twice a week for several weeks—and see how Nature rewards you with health.

Calotabs are the greatest of all system purifiers. Get a family package with full directions. Only 35 cts. at drugstores. (Adv).

NICHOLAS COUNTY HEALTH UNIT URGED BY SPEAKER

(Continued from Page 1)

doctors and immunize children and adults," the speaker said. "But that will be too late; already little children will have given up their lives to the disease."

Death of a child from such preventable diseases as smallpox, diphtheria, typhoid, scarlet fever and other diseases is little short of a crime, Mr. Snyder said, with the serums available to prevent all of these diseases. He urged parents to have children inoculated against contagious diseases.

Some of the principal duties of a full-time county health unit is to advise parents in the health habits of their children and the prevention of epidemics. Mr. Snyder's address was received with enthusiasm here, and already several leading citizens have started a movement looking toward the establishment of a health unit.

Mr. Snyder's lecture was presented as part of a nation-wide health campaign and sponsored by the American Public Health Association and the Milbank Memorial Fund to promote public and individual health.

A full-time health unit consists of a physician, a sanitary engineer and a nurse, Mr. Snyder said, and every county in Kentucky could afford a unit. A part of the expense is paid by the Rockefeller Foundation and a part by the Federal Government, leaving the counties only a small portion. Many Kentucky counties already have full-time health units, he said.

OAKLAND MILLS

(Mrs. W. D. Purcell, Correspondent)

Mr. and Mrs. Darnell and family, of Stony Creek, visited Mr. and Mrs. Early Wagoner Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Purcell visited Mr. and Mrs. Joe Purcell Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Austin Fryman and baby visited Mr and Mrs. Henry Fryman and family Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lora Sosby visited Mr. and Mrs. Jake Earlywine and Jim Sosby Sunday.

Miss Jane Wolf is visiting Mrs. Dixie Blake and family, of Carlisle.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Davis, of Louisville and Mrs. Ella Small, of Hutchison, visited Mr. and Mrs. Dave Purcell and family from Wednesday until Friday.

Mrs. Tom Alexander and son, Frank and little daughter, Fannie, visited Mrs. Oscar Hamm Saturday.

Billy McCowan, who has been visiting his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert McCowan, returned home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Hollar and baby, of Bourbon, visited Mr. and Mrs. Abner and family Sunday.

Lora Sosby visited his brother, Bryan Sosby and family Friday.

Plate metal articles are now polished rapidly by a revolving machine using hot air under pressure.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF
THE FARMERS BANK OF CARLISLE, KENTUCKY
doing business at the town of Carlisle, County of Nicholas, State of Kentucky, at the close of business on the 29th day of June, 1929.

RESOURCES

Loans and Discounts (including rediscounts, foreign bills, exchange, drafts, bonds sold with bank's indorsement and mortgages in hand of trustees to secure bond issues		203,650.62
U. S. Government Securities Owned	$ 3,550.00	
Other bonds	154,560.00	158,110.00
Overdrafts, unsecured		1,143.70
Due from State Banks	1,200.51	
Due from National Banks	7,137.04	8,337.55
Actual cash on hand		5,300.22
Banking House		8,000.00
Furniture and Fixtures		500.00
Other real estate		744.97
Total		385,787.06

LIABILITIES

Capital Stock Paid In		$ 41,600.00
Surplus		18,000.00
Undivided profits	6,658.80	
Various reserves (including dividends declared and unpaid	1,000.00	7,658.80
Deposits subject to check	162,865.41	
Deposits (on which interest is paid including certificates of deposit	155,662.85	318,528.26
Total		385,787.06

STATE OF KENTUCKY } Sct.
County of Nicholas }
We, C. W. Mathers and Harry Kennedy, President and Cashier of the above named Bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.
C. W. Mathers, President
Harry Kennedy, Cashier
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 8th day of July, 1929. Henry L. Carter, Notary Public. (My Commission expires Jan. 7th, 1930.)

In the schools of one city it was found that three and one-half as many hard of hearing children as normal children had to repeat grades.

Declaring the "quiet life" they led was too much for her, Mrs. Alex Scharlog, of Chicago, has sued her husband for divorce. They had not

Al Peters
After the Fire

My shoe shop has been moved to a room at the rear of the store occupied by S. Rozen. Entrance to the shop is from the alley next to the Henderson Hotel.

We are cleaned up, oiled up and ready for business and will welcome you at our new quarters with any shoe repair work you wish done.

AL PETERS

Mother, Sister, Brother and Dad can purchase an outfit from top to toe without leaving our store. We can also furnish floor coverings for the home and luggage for your vacation trip. Get your vacation requirements this summer at "The Store of Real Values." Once you get the habit, you will come back again. Remember, too, that we are members of the Livestock Promotion Association of Nicholas Co.

WE GIVE COW TICKETS

R. T. KIRKLAND & COMPANY
The Store Of Real Values

Get The High Dollar

Sell your livestock at the stockyards that always gets the "High Dollar." Spirited bidding by 14 BIG ORDER BUYERS--from all parts of Kentucky and Ohio--and many other local buyers each week makes this a live market, commanding the higher prices.

Sales Held Every Thursday

Our yards have just been enlarged and a new road has been built out to the yards. We have for your convenience 3 NEW SCALES and 275 NEW PENS.

Bring Us Your Lambs

We have just installed a new pair of lamb scales and can handle the lambs as fast as they are received. This saves shrinkage and MEANS MONEY TO YOU.

Our prices on cattle, hogs and lambs last Thursday, July 11, were the outstanding prices in the entire state of Ky.

Bring Your Live Stock To

Cynthiana Live Stock Sales Co.
At Abdallah Park Cynthiana, Ky.
W. B. Tucker L. C. McLoney Frazer D. LeBus Clarence LeBus, Jr.

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OFFICERS NAMED TO HOLD PRIMARY

Election Commissioners Meet And Name Officers For Election August 3

GAFFIN IS NEW MEMBER

R. L. Gillispie, Democrat, O. R. Gaffin, Republican, and Sheriff L. B. Barton, Nicholas county election commissioners, met Friday morning and selected the following offficers to conduct the primary here on Saturday, August 3.

Headquarters—A. R. Brooks, D. clerk; D. E. Wilson, D. and E. T. Gaffin, R., judges; C. M. Poisal, R., sheriff.

Taylor's Store—S. J. Fryman, R., clerk; J. R. Sidles, R., and Firm Day, D., judges; Hayden Small, D., sheriff.

Barterville—I. C. Taylor, D., clerk; John Boderick, D., and Ira Green, R., judges; H. C. Snapp, R., sheriff.

Morning Glory—M. T. Kennedy, R., clerk; John Hollar, R., and John Varner, D., judges; Everett Cook, D., sheriff.

Rafferty's Store—Gus Emerf, D., clerk; E. R. Sampson, D., and Charles Kenton, R., judges; Charles Galbraith, R., sheriff.

Myers Station—John Campbell, R., clerk; Raymond Brothers, R., and Henry Bowen, D., judges; Herman Barnett, D., sheriff.

Sims Store—W. C. Sparks, D., clerk; T. I. Hildreth, D., and S. K. Standiford, R., judges; James Clay, R., sheriff.

Buzzard Roost—Ed L. Clark, R., clerk; Avery Vice, R., and W. E. Chrisman, D., judges; Otho Clark, D., sheriff.

Moorefield—C. S. Whaley, D., clerk; John S. Wilson, D., and Howe Blount, R., judges; Homer Blount, R., sheriff.

East Union—W. W. Swartz, R., clerk; John N. Stephenson, R., and K. B. Trimble, D., judges; Henry Bramblett, D., sheriff.

Weston—G. C. Grover, D., clerk; John Clay, D., and Frank Scott, R., judges; M. H. Myers, R., sheriff.

Mayor's Office—Arthur Mullikin, R., clerk; Otis Caswell, R., and John O'Connell, D., judges; Homer Smith, D., sheriff.

Engine House—W. D. Young, D., clerk; Henry Reed, D., and C. J. Frey, R., judges; John Smitson, R., sheriff.

Sunnyside—Harry Rogers, R., clerk; Ed F. Parsons, R., and Thomas Alexander, D., judges; Mike Berry, D., sheriff.

Mathias Shop No. 1—T. D. Campbell, D., clerk; Everett Smith, D., and Colie Marshall, R., judges; Ora Richie, D., sheriff.

City Building—C. G. Talbert, R., clerk; A. B. Smathers, R., and H. T. Letton, D, judges; Ernest Hamilton, D., sheriff.

Donnell's Scales—Jesse Wilson, D., clerk; Edgar Huffstetter, D., and George Bell, R., judges; W. A. Donavan, R., sheriff.

Mathias Shop No. 2—W. P. Hamm, R., clerk; W. W. Davis, R., and Will Burnaw, D., judges; W. C. Crouch, D., sheriff.

ROAD BODY SEEKS BIDS ON 93 MILES OF HIGHWAY

The State Highway Commission on Friday advertised for bids on the surfacing of ninety-three miles of highway, same to be opened on August 9 in the office of J. S. Watkins, state highway engineer, at Frankfort.

The construction projects covered under this proposed letting are in Breathitt, Floyd, Magoffin, Hickman, Perry and Wolfe counties.

DEATHS INCREASE WHILE BIRTH RATE DECREASES

Decline in the birth rate of the nation and increase in the death rate in 1928 were shown in the census bureau's annual statistics published Monday. The birth rate was 19.7 per 1,000 of population, compared with 20.7 in the previous year, while the death rate was 12.3 per 1,000 against 11.4 in 1927.

For Kentucky the birth rate was 22.7 and the death rate 11.8.

NEW BANKING COMPANY FORMED AT LOUISVILLE

Organization of the Bancokentucky Company, with assets of $135,000,000 and resources of $170,000,000 and with James B. Brown as president, was completed Friday at a meeting of the directors of the National Bank of Kentucky and the Louisville Trust Company at Louisville.

DOLLAR BOUGHT MORE IN JUNE THAN IN '26

The dollar bought more in June than it did three years ago.

The Bureau of Labor statistics announced Friday the purchasing power of the June dollar was 103.7 as compared with 100 in 1926.

It purchased less meat, butter and cheese in June than it did three years ago, the bureau said, but in other foods it represented 113.0 in purchasing power as compared with 1926.

Steel operations in this country are now 95 per cent of capacity.

Three convicts were killed before guards quelled a riot of 1300 prisoners in the state penitentiary at Dannemora, N. Y., Monday.

Fred W. Furen, inventor, of St. Petersburg, Fla., filed suit against Ford Motor Company for $2,000,000 for alleged infringement on patent of gasoline tank.

AGED COUPLE SLAIN IN HOME IN KNOX

Wealthy Old People Found Dead In Home Near Barbourville; Robbery Believed Motive

James Carum, 78, retired farmer, and his wife, Mary, aged 68, were found slain in their home at Artemus, near Barbourville, Knox county, Monday.

Neighbors noticed a door standing open and on entering found the bodies of the aged couple lying on the floor. They had been beaten with an axe handle, choked and each shot through the heart.

Robbery is supposed to have been the motive, as Carum was reputed to have kept several thousand dollars at his home.

The crime is supposed to have been committed by two or more persons and police said they believed it was done by persons closely acquainted with the couple and their habits.

Everything in the six-room house had been ransacked but police could not tell whether any money was taken.

Carum owned several hundred acres near Artemus and resided in that village. The couple lived alone and had no close neighbors.

Three persons were arrested Monday afternoon and lodged in jail in connection with the double murder. The prisoners registered as Bob Fletcher, 30, of Corbin; Dewey Bain, 35, of Barbourville and Miss Fannie Harp, 25, of Corbin. All denied the crime.

FIRE RATE CASE FINALLY CLOSED

A decree has been entered in federal court by Federal Judge A. M. J. Cochran settling the 12½ per cent fire insurance rate case which had been in controversy for three years and which was finally closed by agreement.

Under the decree and in accordance with the agreement, the first insurance companies doing business in Kentucky must refund to policy holders the 12½ per cent increase collected from April 1, 1928, to June 1, 1929, which will amount to approximately $750,000.

Clell Coleman, state auditor, was appointed special commissioner by Judge Cochran to collect and distribute the refund which the insurance companies must make within 60 days after the date of the entry of the decree. He must execute bond of $750,000.

REFUND PLEDGED TO BOOK BUYERS

Gov. Flem D. Sampson, in a letter made public at Frankfort, declared that if parents are forced to pay for school books for their children this year, "they will have a refund when the State is prepared to furnish books." The letter is addressed to Charles D. Smith, Wolverine, Ky.

Two weeks ago, when the Appellate Court rendered its decision, holding the textbook law constitutional, but inoperative, the Governor declared for a luxury tax to pay for the books. In his letter to Mr. Smith he expresses confidence that the next General Assembly will provide means with which to buy the books.

VOLUNTEERS BARRED FROM LIQUOR RAIDS

Volunteers in the prohibition service are taboo. Self-appointed drouth law enforcers, so-called "under-cover" men and unofficial "snoopers" can no longer accompany the accredited federal agents upon raids, according to an order issued to the prohibition administrators last week by Dr. J. C. Doran, prohibition commissioner at Washington.

Russia has severed diplomatic relations with China.

WAREHOUSE WILL BE SOLD FRIDAY

Much Interest Being Shown As To Purchaser For East Main Street House

MAY MEAN MARKET

Speculation is rife here as to whether there is a possibility of a tobacco market for Carlisle in the sale of the Growers Warehouse property, offered at public auction Friday afternoon, July 26.

In 1918 Carlisle was the third largest loose leaf market in the State and its location as a logical market for an immense territory, including Nicholas, a large section of Bath, Fleming, Robertson and sections of Montgomery and Bourbon may not be disputed.

The question is: Can buyers be persuaded to come here? Those who should know say that if the "right men" should undertake to establish a market here, buyers would be allotted a Carlisle market and a return to conditions that prevailed ten years ago might be hoped for.

On the other hand, many think that prospective buyers of the property for loose leaf market purposes would be chary of purchasing one house only. However, in its advertising which appears on Page 3 of this issue of The Mercury, the Eastern District Warehousing Association states that "if purchaser operates above house for sale of tobacco during 1929-30 season, free use will be given of Farmers Warehouse No. 2 for same purpose and time if desired."

It has also been stated to a representative of The Mercury, who asked why all the houses were not offered for sale at this time, that "they can be bought."

Much interest will be shown in the outcome of the sale Friday afternoon, and doubtless a large crowd may be expected at 2:30 p. m., the hour set for the auction of the warehouse on East Main street to begin.

GOVERNOR SAMPSON HURT IN AUTOMOBILE WRECK

Gov. Flem D. Sampson sustained minor cuts and bruises near Stanford Sunday afternoon when a small coupe in which he was riding with his brother and a state highway employe overturned after being hit by another machine. After treatment the governor and party went on to Frankfort in another machine with friends.

NOTICE TO SHEEP FARMERS

A very interesting tour of all the important purebred sheep farms in Northern and Central Kentucky is to be held July 29 to August 2. Besides many breeders of sheep in this state, R. C. Miller and Harold Barber, of the College of Agriculture at Lexington; Prof. E. L. Shaw, of the University of Ohio; Prof. W. L. Henning, of Pennsylvania, and Prof. C. C. Flannery, of Tennessee, will be on the tour and discuss problems of breeding and management with all those present.

We are very fortunate to be able to join this tour while they visit two farms in Bourbon county. Starting at the farm of John Wright near Millersburg at 8 a. m. August 1 and continuing to the farm of Clarence Wright near Paris at 10 a. m. Nicholas county farmers can spend a very profitable morning by driving a few miles to hear these men. See your County Agent Saturday and let's arrange to visit these two farms. Sheep club boys and girls and their parents are especially urged to go.

C. B. ELSTON County Agent

Mrs. W. B. Wasson Had Best Answers Last Week

Only seven succeeded in spelling all the words correctly this week. The entries slumped also. Whether they were frightened by the big words that were correctly spelled in one or two advertisements and gave up, not realizing that the misspelled words were simple words after all, is hard to say. Anyhow, entries were scarce, (40) but papers were much neater than they have been so far.

The word, "dilatant," in the advertisement of the Carlisle Mill & Supply Company was a stumbling block for many. Dilatant means "increasing." Several corrected the word, "apprize," which may be spelled that way as well as "apprise," in Fisher Henry's advertisement, overlooking the word, "proscribe." Others stopped at the word, "labour," in Verna Stone's advertisement, missing the real word, "satisfactorily," which was misspelled. Labor may be correctly spelled, "labour." But the word, "perifere," being a misspelling of "periphery," was the downfall of most. As usual, some contestants corrected words that were not misspelled.

Of the seven papers, that of Mrs. W. B. Wasson, Sharpsburg, Route 3, was the unanimous choice of the judges for first prize. Mrs. Wasson's paper consisted of two wheels, with the names of the firms advertising on each spoke and the word correctly spelled at the end of each spoke. At the bottom was this verse:

A TOAST

Spokes in the wheels of progress
That move the world along—
Here's to the few
Trying something new
To boost "the old home-town!"

Second choice went to Miss Frances Sugg, Carlisle. Miss Sugg's paper was neat and showed originality in design. Each of the three entries submitted by Miss Sugg in the Misspelled Word Contest has been correct.

Other papers were well done, but contained one or more mistakes. The most beautiful Spencerian script the Misspelled Word Editor has seen in many a day was that of Miss Winnie Hamm's paper. Miss Hamm unfortunately missed "dilatant."

After the winners, these 100 percent papers ranked as follows: Mrs. W. R. Barton, Jeffersonville, Indiana; James Stewart, Carlisle, Ky.; Miss Ina Botts, Miss Olive Miller, Mrs. Robert Mann.

Following is a list of the words, misspelled and correctly spelled:

"In the advertisement of the Main Street Garage:
milage mileage
In the advertisement of S. T. Cameron:
japaned japanned
In the advertisement of the Kentucky Utilities Company:
utensel utensil
In the advertisement of John A.

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CANDIDATES FILE EXPENSE ACCOUNTS

Aspirants For Office In Democratic Primary File Pre-Primary Expenses With County Clerk

Candidates for office in the Democratic primary to be held Saturday, August 3, have filed their accounts of pre-primary expenses with County Clerk John A. Westfall, as required by law. The accounts are for advertising and traveling expenses, and the expenses of the various Democratic candidates were listed as follows:

County Judge—Paul D. Darnall $32; James C. Gillispie $11.50.

County Attorney—Foster V. Cox $103.75; C. B. Cassidy $32.50.

Sheriff—Amos Stamper $53.50; D. M. Curry $35.

County Clerk—John A. Westfall $130; Floyd Clark $28.

Tax Commissioner—Jim Will Martin $86; James A. Cameron $36; Ben Alexander $47; Harry T. Burgess $48.

Jailer—Will Owings $22.50; Newton Brothers $55.53; H. Clay Herrin $25.

Magistrates—John G. Allison $5; Ed M. Myers $8.60; R. S. Hardin $10; George D. McLean $11; D. W. Booth $5; R. H. Hamilton $5; John Barton $8.

Samuel Holmes, Republican candidate for County Attorney listed no expenditures and A. A. Dale, Republican candidate for Magistrate $5. These were the only Republican candidates to file expense accounts.

CARLISLE CHURCH INVITES MEETING

Local M. E. Church, South, Extends Invitation To Conference To Meet Here In 1930

At the Methodist church Sunday morning, Rev. F. B. Jones, pastor of the church, announced that the local church would extend an invitation to the Kentucky Conference, M. E. Church, South, to hold the annual conference in Carlisle in 1930. The invitation will be extended to the conference by Rev. Jones at the meeting in Winchester in September.

Two weeks before a vote of the congregation was taken on the question of inviting the conference. The congregation voted almost unanimously to extend the invitation. Later officers of the church made a canvass of the entire membership, and an almost unanimous vote for the conference was given.

The conference would bring approximately 300 ministers and laymen here for several days, and members of other churches have expressed a willingness to entertain some of the delegates. The conference was held in Carlisle in 1899.

SCHOOL TEACHER IN WAYNE ASSAULTED

Three Drunken Youths Drive Pupils From Building, Assault Teacher, Escape Into Hills

Three youths eluded a posse of Wayne county officers and citizens Monday afternoon and are believed to have escaped into the hills of Tennessee after criminally assaulting a 19-year-old school teacher at the Slick Rock school in Wayne county.

The three youths sought are Bluford Abbott, 24, Otto Abbott, 16, and Sam Abbott, 20. The two latter are brothers and cousins of Bluford. All reside in the neighborhood of the school.

According to the story the three men went to the school house about 3 o'clock Monday afternoon after a drinking party, disrupted the classes and caused the pupils to flee from the building.

When the teacher, Miss Ruby Taylor, graduate of the Monticello high school and Richmond Teachers College, remonstrated with them, the three are alleged to have forced her to accompany them to a woods some distance from the school where they tore her clothing from her and assaulted her.

Mob violence is feared if the three youths are captured.

STOCK THIEVES ON THE JOB AGAIN

Stock thieving has made its appearance in the county again after a vacation of almost a year. Recent thefts included fifteen sheep from Wes Smith and John Waites in the Shadynook neighborhood. J. E. Gruelle is the latest to report, having lost ten lambs and seven ewes in the past three weeks from his farm near Robinson. Mr. Gruelle and the Kentucky Farmers Protective Association are advertising $200 reward for the apprehension or information leading to the arrest and conviction of the culprit.—Cynthiana Democrat.

THREE BROTHERS—TRIPLETS—SERVED IN WORLD WAR

Roland Marshall of Piqua, who is engaged on the Federal Highway between Mt. Olivet and Blue Licks, has three brothers who are triplets and served overseas in the World War. They were in several engagements but neither was killed or wounded and safely returned home. It is doubtful if there is a case like this on record in the world's history of wars.—Mt. Olivet Tribune-Democrat.

Seven persons were killed when their automobile was struck by a train near Eaton, Ohio, Sunday.

15 LOUISVILLE BOYS AT CAMP

Youths Arrive For Ten Days Stay As Guests Of Scoutmaster Sapp

ASK FOR PROVISIONS

Fifteen husky Louisville boys, ranging in age from 10 to 14 years, are enjoying the cooling breezes of Camp Black Hawk on Licking river, near Myers Station, as guests of Scoutmaster D. M. Sapp, the local Boy Scout troop and the citizens of Nicholas county.

The boys arrived at the camp Monday night and will remain for ten days. To most of them this will be the first real vacation in their lives, and Mr. Sapp plans to make it an occasion to be remembered all of their lives. Boating, swimming, bathing and games will be offered them during their stay.

The boys at the camp are Raymond Dusenberry, Stewart Denton, Lawrence Binder, James Drake, Ralph Cowles, Cleva Ewing, J. T. Hodge, Clarence Martin, Jesse Paris, Herbert Arthur Porter, Daniel Rhode, Orville Battery, William Battery, Edward Shenkenfelder and Harrison Jewell Dismang.

A colored man has been employed to cook for the youngsters during their visit, and a great amount of food will be required to feed the fifteen boys.

Mr. Sapp was somewhat disappointed Monday because of the small amount of food contributed by Nicholas county citizens. Mr. Sapp feels that one of the main features of the entertainment is plenty of food, especially green vegetables. The boys will remain for ten days and citizens of the county are asked to contribute green beans, corn, tomatoes, potatoes, bacon, preserves or any food. The provisions may be left at Metcalfe's grocery, from which place it will be sent to the camp daily, or it may be taken to the camp.

Mr. Sapp invites citizens of the county to visit the camp while the boys are there.

BRACKEN ASSOCIATION TO MEET AT MT. OLIVET

The Bracken Association of Baptists will meet with the Mt. Olivet Baptist Church for two days session beginning at 10 o'clock Wednesday morning, August 7. Morning, afternoon and night sessions will be held.

Two sermons will be preached during the session. Rev. J. M. White, of Mayslick, will preach the introductory sermon Wednesday night and Rev. G. D. Eubanks, of Ewing, will preach the missionary sermon Thursday night. The remainder of the session will be given over to the reading and discussion of reports from the various churches and plans for the coming year's work. Churches in ten counties are included in the association.

FIRE DESTROYS COUNTY WAREHOUSE NEAR SHARPSBURG

Fire, believed to have been of incendiary origin, destroyed a large warehouse near Sharpsburg Thursday night. The warehouse was owned by Bath county and used by the county road department for storage purposes. All of the contents of the building, consisting of a large motor truck, road-working machinery of various kinds, equipment, supplies and material.

The building was a large wooden structure and was erected several years ago to house convicts when they were worked on the county roads. The loss on building and contents is placed at more than $6,000, with no insurance.

An attempt was made to assassinate the President of Austria.

TOBACCO ACREAGE LARGEST IN YEARS

Crop Report For July Shows Increase Of 19 Per Cent Over Last Year; Corn Acreage Smaller

Kentucky's 1929 total acreage of tobacco of all types combined is approximately 19 per cent greater than in 1928, and the prospective production of the Kentucky wheat crop about 3,075,000 bushels compared to the very short crop of 1,000,000 bushels produced last year, according to the July crop report based on condition July 1 and issued by the Kentucky office of the U. S. Division of Crop and Livestock Estimates. Kentucky's corn acreage in 2,908,000 acres, or 4 percent less than in 1928. Condition of corn July 1 was 82 per cent compared to 63 per cent July 1, 1928, and a previous 10-year average condition of 84 per cent on July 1. This month's estimate of the acreage and condition of corn in Kentucky indicates a probable crop of about 79,883,000 bushels, compared to only 66,638,000 bushels produced last year, and an average annual production of 86,432,000 bushels 1923-27 inclusive. However, as the season progresses this first preliminary forecast may be changed very materially by changes in condition of the growing crop.

Based on the records of previous yields of tobacco in Kentucky this year's area of 461,700 acres with average conditions until cured, would produce about 403,341,000 lbs. of all types combined, compared to 300,600,000 lbs., of all types produced last year, and a 5-year average annual production of 369,695,000 lbs. 1923-27 inclusive. Given separately by types, Kentucky burley increased 17 per cent or from 255,000 acres in 1927 to 298,50 in 1928.

These tobacco and corn estimates are the first of this season, and estimates of production will be subject to revision either upward or downward as the season progresses, depending on favorable or unfavorable weather and other conditions.

AMENDMENTS WILL BE SUBMITTED TO VOTERS

Two constitutional amendments passed by the 1928 general assembly will be submitted to the voters at the general election to be held November 5.

One amendment would amend section 256 of the constitution which limits to two the number of amendments to be voted upon at any one time. The amendment proposed would permit the submission of a greater number than two amendments at any one election.

The second amendment proposes to amend section 246 of the constitution which limits the salary of public officers with the exception of the governor, to $5,000 a year.

The amendment to be submitted provides that the provisions of the section shall not apply to judges of the court of appeals, including those in office at the time of the adoption of the amendment.

BOONE STATUE WILL GO ON XALAPA FARM

Dr. Augustus Lukeman, New York sculptor, has just completed the model for a statue of Daniel Boone that is to be placed in the door of an old mill on Xalapa Farm, country estate of Edward F. Simms in Bourbon county.

The old mill, an interesting two-story structure said to have been once owned by Daniel Boone, now is being restored by Kenneth Franzheim, New York architect.

The statue is to be heroic size, seven feet tall, and will be done in relief on a stone door that is to replace a wooden door on the second floor of the structure. It will be executed in Bedford limestone.

Birth Rate In State Last Year Lowest Since 1911

The eighteenth annual preliminary report of the Bureau of Vital Statistics shows the lowest birth rate that has been recorded in Kenucky since Registration was begun in 1911.

The death rate, though still below 12 per 1,000 population, which is considered an average rate, is the highest since 1920, with the exception of 1923 when it was 12.2.

The total deaths recorded, exclusive of stillbirths, was 30,274, which, on an estimated population of 2,553,000 gives a rate of 11.8. There were 58,065 birth certificates reported, producing a birth rate of 21.1. This is a decided drop from the peak rate of 28.0 in 1921. Still it is felt that the rate reflects a true condition since practically all of the 1200 Local Registrars insist that fewer births actually occurred in their districts than in any previous year. In addition a marked reduction in the birth rate is reported from most of the States bordering Kentucky.

The death rate for the more important communicable diseases continues to fall, which it is felt is principally due to the effective work being done in those counties having Full Time Health Departments.

Infant Mortality: This rate of 69.5 per thousand living births is somewhat higher than the rate of 62.3 for the preceding year, but is sufficiently low to reflect credit on all the health agencies that are making the saving of life during the first year one of the chief features of their health program.

total death rate it is gratifying to be able to report a continued reduction in the rae for this disease. 107.2 as compared with 108.1 in 1927 and 226.0 in 1911 shows that the ravages of this disease are slowly but surely being overcome.

Typhoid Fever: This disease, that a few years ago, alone, kept most of our doctors busy during a good part of the year, shows such constant annual decline in its mortality rate that we can reasonably hope for its eventual eradication. The rate for 1928 is 15.3 as against 17.4 in 1927. When we compare this with the rate of 54.7 in 1911 it becomes evident that the campaign for sanitation and personal hygiene prosecuted for years past is not without meritorious results.

Diphtheria-Croup: This is one of the few preventable diseases that has an increased death rate for 1928. There were 277 deaths reported for a rate of 10.8 as against 239 and a rate of 9.4 in 1927.

Scarlet Fever: Also a slightly higher mortality than in the previous year, but considering the widespread prevalence and large numbers of cases reported, the rate 2.0 is surprisingly low. There were 51 deaths in 1928 and 38 in 1927.

Diarrhoea-Enteritis: (infants) There were 1080 deaths from this cause in children under two years of age. Rate

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CORNERSTONE FOR NEW CHURCH LAID

Large Crowd Attends Ceremonies At Headquarters M. E. Church Sunday

TO BE MODERN CHURCH

A large crowd attended the laying of the corner stone for the new Methodist Episcopal Church at Headquarters Sunday afternoon, and an interesting meeting was held.

Rev. Iver G. Hyndman, of Lexington, was in charge of the exercises and delivered a sermon after the ceremonies. Rev. H. E. Trent, of Covington, district superintendent, and Rev. I. S. Pineur, pastor of the church, were present and made addresses. Rev. Pineur sealed the strong box in the cornerstone. The box contained a number of historical records. A Bible, a copy of The Mercury, the entire membership of the church, a list of the contributors for the new church and other items were included in the box.

Rev. Pineur, the pastor, stated to The Mercury that sufficient funds have been subscribed to build the new structure. The building will replace the old church building which was erected in 1869 when the church was organized fifty years ago, following the division of the church on the question of slavery.

The new church will be one of the most modern rural churches in the county. The main auditorium will be 28 by 60 feet. A basement, which will include kitchen and community hall and Sunday school rooms and additional Sunday school rooms will be constructed. The entire structure will be of frame.

There are two Methodist Episcopal churches in the county. The other is at Barterville and a new church building was dedicated last year. Rev. Pineur is pastor of both churches.

Work will be started on the new Headquarters church at once and it is hoped to have the building ready for dedication by the latter part of September.

NEWS OF THE WEEK

The United States shows a decline from 1928 of 500,000 horses and 85,000 mules.

Mayor Walker announced as a candidate for re-election as Mayor of New York.

Two Cleveland editors were ordered to jail for contempt of court in criticising a judge.

De Priest's wife made an address in Chicago telling of her reception at the White House.

Stock in the First National Bank of New York advanced 600 points to $7,900 a share.

Three aviators of Youngstown, Ohio, killed when their plane drops and burns near Toledo.

Bishop Francis W. Howard, of Covington, received by the Pope at the Vatican in Rome Friday.

Three persons were killed and 27 injured in the explosion of a powder plant at New Kensington, Pa.

Anita Stewart, film star, and George P. Converse, New York banker, were married at Los Angeles yesterday.

Failure of fifteen banks in Florida with aggregate deposits of more than $22,500,000 was announced last week.

William Fox, head of the Fox Film Corporation, seriously injured in automobile crash near Old Westbury, N. J.

Prohibition Commissioner Doran Monday announced plans for the distillation of 2,000,000 gallons of medicinal whisky this fall.

Catherine Crawford, 12, shot and killed her father, George Crawford, 39, when he attempted to criminally attack her at Keyport, N. J.

Dean Cooper, of the University of Kentucky, returning from Florida, predicts victory over Mediterranean fly, which has destroyed crops.

10,000 persons, including Hatfields from Kentucky and West Virginia, attended annual reunion of Hatfield clan near Logan, W. Va., Sunday.

Ten persons were killed and more than a score injured when a sleeping car plunged through a bridge and sunk in a creek near Stratton, Colorado.

Charles Forepaugh, 92, pioneer circus man, who claimed to have been the first circus man to put his head in the mouth of a lion, died at West Berlin, N. J.

After arresting 14 women in Miller county, Ark., on liquor charges, prohibition officers declared that 75 per cent of prohibition violations in that state were carried on by women.

A man who gave his name as Mike Sardellis, 36, surrendered to police at Cincinnati last week and declared that he murdered a young woman in Cheyenne, Wyoming, 17 years ago.

Acquitted of killing a gangster when he found him and another man robbing his father, Bernard Blasband, 16, was commended by the Judge who said he was sorry he could not give the young man a medal of honor.

Alabama national guardsmen were called out Monday to protect Lester Bouyer, negro, charged with killing a white man and criminally attacking his young woman companion.

Charged with slaying a 9-year-old playmate, Hobert and Cornell Hamilton, 9 and 10 years old, were paroled to their parents at Welch, W. Va., Monday.