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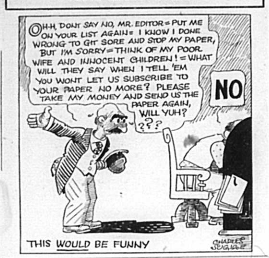

Classified

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—300 bales of timothy and clover hay, mixed. J. B. Linville, Carlisle, route 2. 3 14 2t*

FOR SALE—A few choice Rhode Island Red roosters. Call Mrs. Bruce Hughes. Phone 282—J 2t

FOR SALE—"Home Comfort" range, without tank; in good condition. Mrs. W. I. Dorsey. 3 14 tf

FOR SALE—Shorthorn bull, good one, coming two years old. Come and see him. T. H. Lawson, Myers, Ky., route 1. 1t*

FOR SALE—Egg Mash, Dairy Feeds, Sheep Feeds, Horse and Mule Feeds, Corn, Oats, Hay. Fisher Henry's Coal Yard. 3 14 tf

FOR QUICK SALE—Will sell cheap one piano, old-fashioned square top; one organ; old-fashioned square post cord bed; refrigerator, 50-lb.; Home Comfort washing machine, used only eight times, with wringer. Mrs. William Berry, Myers, Ky. 1t*

FOR SALE—Baby buggy. Call 325. tf*

FOR SALE—800 rods galvanized wire fencing. Will sell practically at cost if sold at once. E. T. Flora & Co., Myers, Ky. 2 28 4t*

FOR SALE—Forty-foot extension ladder, good as new. W. T. Roberts, phone 330. 2 28 tf

FOR SALE—Narragansette turkey gobbler. Mrs. J. J. Sparks, Carlisle, route 1. 3 7 2t*

FOR SALE—Ford battery, bargain. See Warren Fisher at Mercury office.

FOR SALE—8 Early Tom Barion White Leghorn cockrels, English strain, large type. $2.50 each delivered. Neal Bros. Chickery, Flemingsburg, Ky. 2 14 tf

FOR SALE—One used 1927 Ford, two-door sedan. Harpers Garage.

FOR SALE—Brick, at $12 per thousand. See S. T. Cameron. 12 20 tf

FOR SALE—One good work mare. Cheap if sold at once. H. T. Letton, Carlisle route 4. 3 7 2t*

FOR SALE—The Boyd property, on Sycamore and North streets, is for sale privately. 13 acres is fine tobacco land. Good 6-room house with bath. See C. U. Bramblett. Exclusive listing. 2 7 tf

FOR SALE—One Dodge Coupe, Martin's Garage.

FOR SALE—Tobacco seed, grown according to specifications of the Kentucky Experiment Station. Germination guaranteed. Users here in Nicholas county have proven the worth of this seed. Buy from a local man. See large advertisement giving particulars of Norton's Tobacco seed in this issue. R. L. Norton, Box 164, Carlisle, Ky.

ON TRACK—A car of Little Joe Block, a car of Magnolia Red Ash, a car of Harlan Block. All good coals. We deliver anywhere. Call 87. Fisher Henry's Coal Yard.

TOBACCO SEED—Kelley, Judy's Pride, Norton's and Shipps at Carlisle Drug Co. tf*

OLD KY. FERTILIZER

First in the field. Priced right. See Keller Hughes or Emery Wilson at Farmers Warehouse No. 2. 3 7 4t

FRESH CLEANED FISH

We will have fresh, cleaned fish every Friday. Call 162. We will deliver your order. Norton's Restaurant tf

Call us this week and let us send away your dry cleaning or dyeing for Easter. Robt. Mann, agent for Lexington Laundry Company. 1t

FARMERS—Use Highest Grade Plant Bed Fertilizers and insure yourself against few, small and late plants, when the time comes for transplanting. Early and healthy plants insure early housing, a very important factor in insuring the highest quality leaf. I'll be glad to talk over your fertilizer problems with you. Fisher Henry's Coal Yard. In rear of freight depot. The telephone number is 87. 2 28 tf

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—House, farm and garden for small family. Apply to Mrs. Kate Strohauer, Carlisle, Ky., Route 4. 3 14 tf

FOR RENT—Four room apartment with bath; garage. Vacant March 1. Apply to Mrs. M. V. Bostain. tf

FOR RENT—Three rooms at 381 West Main street, Mrs. E. S. Norvell. 1 31 tf

WANTED

WANTED—Orders for No. 3 seam, the U. S. Navy standard Smokeless Pocahontas coal. This coal to be delivered in April, May or June, when prices have declined to the lowest level. Fisher Henry's Coal Yard. tf

WANTED—Hatching hens at reasonable prices. Telephone 266 or 617 East Main street. 3-6-2t **

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

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

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

WANTED—You to try my tobacco seed. Crops grown from my seed this season brought top prices. $1 per ounce. Why pay more for seed no better? See list of various types in advertisement elsewhere in this issue. R. L. Norton, Box 164, Carlisle, Ky.

MISCELLANEOUS

Have your suit dry cleaned for Easter. We will call for and deliver. Robt. Mann, agent for Lexington Laundry Co. 1t

FARMERS—3 and 4 yd. wide tobacco canvas, cut any length, to fit any size bed. This canvas is reinforced every 3 feet and will last longer than any you can buy. R. T. Kirkland & Co.

SEXTON'S SPECIALS

P. & G. soap, week end special, 10 bars for 37c
Medium Ivory soap, week end special 3 bars for 20c
48 cent brooms, week end special, 33c
35 cent mops, week end special, 25c
12-ounce O-Cedar Oil, 48c
4-ounce O-Cedar Oil, 24c
American Beauty Lard, week end special, 50-pounds net weight, $6.95
SEXTON'S CASH STORE
1t "The Store That Is Always Busy."

Join the Easter parade with your suit, dress or other wearing apparel dry cleaned or dyed. Robt. Mann, agent for Lexington Laundry Co. 1t

McCormick-Deering vulcan land plows and other needed implements for the farmer who wants good equipment. S. T. Barlow.

PAINT FROM FACTORY TO USER

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

LET US HATCH YOUR EGGS—We set every Wednesday. Tray, 160 eggs $5.00. Send eggs on Tuesday. Last hatch June 5. Arrange for incubator space in advance. White Leghorn baby chicks $18.00 per hundred, $150.00 per 1,000. We sell chicks only from our own eggs. Attractive prices on Ful O Pep feeds. Newton Brooders, anthracite coal, all poultry supplies. Write for descriptive folder. W. E. Pyles, Maysville, Ky.

Kentucky grown Red Clover Seed, purity test of 99.25. Priced right. S. T. Barlow.

OVERALLS

Through the cooperation of the Big 3 Overall Factory, we are still enabled to offer you overalls at the following money-saving prices:
Regular Big 3 Overalls, 8-ounce unshrunk denim, size 32 to 44, ... $1.69
Regular Big 3 Overalls, 8-ounce shrunk denim, sizes 32 to 44 .... $1.79
SEXTON'S CASH STORE
1t "The Store That Is Always Busy."

Model Store is now receiving more goods daily than at any time during past eight years. S. T. Barlow.

BABY CHICKS

Kentucky Accredited Baby Chicks. Custom hatching. Write for prices. Bourbon Hatchery, 325 Pleasant Street Paris, Ky. Phone 1014. 2 14 tf

FARMERS—Give us your order now for limestone crushing. There will be a big demand for limestone this spring. Let us book you now. Fisher & Co. See Warren Fisher at Mercury; or call Fisher Henry at Phone 87.

We have all kinds of sheep feeds and it's time to begin feeding. Remember last winter.
Carlisle Coal & Feed Co.

Wall paper, suited for any room of the home, priced right. S. T. Barlow.

FOR SALE—2 dining room tables; apply at Patton's Store. 1t *

BABY CHICKS

From extra large, deep bodied, bred to lay White Leghorn hens that are real layers. The males heading these pens are all pedigreed birds, directly out of a wonderful pen imported from Mr. Barion in 1927. Dam's record of not less than 280 eggs; sire's dam 314 eggs. The best chicks we have ever offered, where can you buy better? Only $13 per hundred. 10 free chicks with every 100. Place order at once. Neal Bros. Chickery, Flemingsburg, Ky. Bob Neal, manager. 2 14 tf

Shoes, Shoes, Shoes! Real leather soles, look well, wear well. S. T. Barlow.

CANDIDATES—Large stock of candidates cards for your selection. Prices reasonable. Have them printed now and avoid the rush. Call phone 98. tf

HAY—Some extra good timothy hay on hand. Fisher Henry's Coal Yard.

SEED CLEANED

I will clean your tobacco seed by the same method used by the University of Kentucky State Experiment Station. R. L. Norton, Carlisle, Ky. tf

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NOTICES

Your old suit, dress, or spring coat will look like new for Easter if properly dry cleaned or dyed. We will clean and press the clothing of the whole family. Robt. Mann, agent for Lexington Laundry Company. 1t

NOTICE

Grand and Petit Jurors who served at the February Term of Court will please call and receive their checks for Jury Service. Jimmie Henry, Trustee Jury Fund. 1t*

NOTICE

There will be a play "Deacon Dubbs," at the Ellisville school house on Saturday night, March 30, beginning at 7:30. An invitation is extended to all. Admission 25c for adults, 15c for children under 14 years of age. Come and help in a worthy cause, as the proceeds go for the benefit of the school.

ADMINISTRATORS NOTICE

All persons having claims against the estate of the late G. H. Wilson, will present same to the undersigned administrator, properly verified. Those owing the estate will please settle prommptly. John W. Wilson, Administrator. 3 7 3t*

TRUSTEE'S SALE

I will sell at public auction in a garage at the rear of the home of I. B. Ross on North street on Saturday, March 16, at 1 o'clock p. m., the bankrupt stock of general merchandise of Okie Green. The stock will be offered as a whole. L. B. Barton, Trustee in Bankruptcy. 1t

FARMERS—Give us your order now for limestone crushing. There will be a big demand for limestone this spring. Let us book you now. Fisher & Co. See Warren Fisher at Mercury; or call Fisher Henry at Phone 87.

PAINT—Direct from factory paint, $1.90 per gallon up. Users last season well satisfied. Call phone 330, W. T. Roberts. 1 31 tf

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank our friends and neighbors for their kindness during the illness and upon the occasion of the death of our mother, Mrs. Mary Calvert. The Family. 1t*

FIVE GALS. PAINT FREE

A large paint concern, in furtherance of an advertising and introductory campaign now in progress, offers to give, free of charge, five gallons of its best house paint, any color, to one property owner at each postoffice or on each rural route in this county. This concern wants its paint on a house in each locality this season which is the purpose of this remarkable offer. It also wants a local salesman in each county. Persons interested are requested to write the Central Oil Co., Louisville, Kentucky. 1t*

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our thanks to our neighbors and friends for their kindness during the illness and upon the occasion of the death of our mother, Mrs. Mary Jane Conyers. The Family. 3 14 1t*

CARD OF THANKS

The children of Mrs. Elizabeth Terrell wish to thank all their friends and neighbors for their kindness and for their many manifestations of sympathy during the illness and following the death of their mother. We can not name them all, though we shall forget none. Mrs. Hester Owings, wife of Mr. Will Owings was especially helpful staying by her bedside until the end came and helping in every way to lighten their burden. They want also to thank Bro. Tinder and Bro. Schwan for the consoling word in scripture and message, and the fine quartette from Carlisle for the fine old hymns which were so appreciated. Also Dr. Buntin who all the years had been her trusted physician. The Children

PUBLIC SALE

Household Furniture and Lumber

I will offer at public auction on the premises of Mrs. Mollie Calvert, in Moorefield, Ky., on

SATURDAY, MARCH 16, 1929

at 1 o'clock p. m. the following:
A lot of household and kitchen furniture
1 Lot of loose lumber
Terms made known on day of sale.
1t* MRS. JOHN A. EDEN, Agent

OBITUARY

Mrs. Elizabeth [illegible], widow of the late J. W. Terrell [illegible] the Concord community, fell asleep at seven thirty-five Thursday morning, March the seventh, 1929. She had been an invalid for some four years and gradually slipped away, having lived more than 82 years. She was born Sept. 14th, 1846, the eldest of a family of ten born to Peter Ockerman and Susan Stuart, both well known families of this county.

Of her brothers and sisters there are still living, Jno. Ockerman, of Cane Ridge, J. T. Ockerman, of Taylors Creek community, Arch Ockerman, of Carlisle, Mrs. Marguerite Ockerman, of Taylors Creek, Mrs. Nancy Chipley, of Spencer, Montgomery county and Mrs. Jno. McLean and Mrs. Molly Payne, of Paris.

Five children also survive, Rev. W. D. Terrell, of Sullivan, Ind. S. T. Terrell, of East Union, Mrs. J. A. Alexander, Mrs. J. T. Alexander and Mrs. Ben Owings of this community.

A source of great comfort to her children lies in the fact that all was done to make her comfortable and that she did not suffer pain but peacefully passed away from them as the sun gradually sinks into the western sky at evening.

Sunset and evening star and after that the dark,
And may there be no sadness of farewell, when I embark.
But such a tide as moving seems asleep, too full for sound or foam
When that which drew me from the boundless deed,
Turns again home." 1t*

PUBLIC SALE

I will sell at public auction on the premises of the late G. H. Wilson near East Union on

SATURDAY, MARCH 16, 1929

at 10 o'clock the following property:
1 red cow, good milker
1 roan cow, be fresh soon
1 pony 1 gray mare
1 red sow due to farrow in June
1 wagon 1 sled 1 hog box
A few farm tools
1 Ford touring car
Some cured meat
1 extra good cook stove
1 Hoosier kitchen cabinet, as good as new
Other household goods too numerous to mention.
Terms cash.
JOHN W. WILSON, Administrator
1t*

ESTABLISHED IN 1896
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

Political Announcements

FOR JAILER

We are authorized to announce H CLAY HERRIN as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for Jailer of Nicholas county, subject to the action of the Democratic primary August 3, 1929.

We are authorized to announce NEWTON (POLLY) BROTHERS as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for Jailer of Nicholas county, subject to the action of the Democratic primary August 3, 1929.

We are authorized to announce W. S. OWINGS as a candidate for the Democrattic nomination for Jailer of Nicholas county, subject to the action of the Democratic primary to be held August 3.

FOR TAX COMMISSIONER

We are authorized to announce JIM WILL MARTIN as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for Tax Commissioner of Nicholas county, subject to the action of the Democratic primary August 3, 1929.

We are authorized to announce JAMES A. CAMERON as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for Tax Commmissioner of Nicholas county, subject to the action of the Democratic primary August 3, 1929.

FOR SHERIFF

We are authorized to announce AMOS W. STAMPER as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for Sheriff of Nicholas county, with FRANK C. HENRY as deputy, subject to the action of the Democratic party at the primary August 3, 1929.

FOR COUNTY CLERK

We are authorized to announce JNO. A. WESTFALL as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for County Clerk, subject to the action of the Democratic primary August 3, 1929.

FOR COUNTY JUDGE

We are authorized to announce PAUL D. DARNALL as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for County Judge of Nicholas county, subject to the action of the Democratic primary August 3, 1929.

NOTICE TO CANDIDATES

The following are rates for announcements to run from the date of announcement to the date of the primary election.

For county offices $10.00
For magistrate or constable ... 5.00
For city offices 5.00

The rates are STRICTLY CASH IN ADVANCE. All candidates' cards and other election printing are cash in advance. No exceptions.

JOE MATHIAS
Mathias Insurance Agency
OFFICE MOVED TO RESIDENCE ON EAST MAIN STREET
Dry Cleaning Agency
TELEPHONE 249

Chiropractic is Nature's Way Back to Health
W. G. COWAN
CHIROPRACTOR
Carlisle, Ky.

HONOR ROLL OF CARLISLE CITY SCHOOL

(Continued from page 1)

auditorium last Monday and the upper six grades had the pleasure of hearing the broadcast of the inauguration ceremonies. To use a radio expression, the program came in fine. We appreciate very much the privilege of this fine program.

The High School report cards were sent home to the parents last Thursday for their inspection. We hope that the parents will carefully inspect this record of the pupils work and then cooperate with us in making it better. These cards are our regular letters to the individual parents.

Elsewhere in this issue of The Mercury is printed the Honor Roll of the school. Forty-two pupils, or approximately one out of ten, made the Honor Roll for the past six weeks. The requirements are strict. Several more would have made it, but on account of sickness, high water or cold weather were compelled to be either absent or tardy.

Tuesday afternoon of last week at 2:30, Mr. J. J. Veatch, Group Manager of the Bell Telephone Company, accompanied by Mr. Jewell, of the Educational Department, visited our school and before the student body gave an illustrated lecture on the "Development of the Telephone." This demonstration, including the proper use of the telephone, the moving picture reels showing how a message is carried and the steps in transmitting a telephone message across the ocean, was thoroughly enjoyed by all.

The Inter-class Basket Ball Tournament was held Monday. It resulted in both Junior boys and girls winning. These games were hard fought and much interest was manifested.

Among the visitors of the past week was Mr. J. H. Richmond, State Supervisor of High Schools. This was his first visit to Carlisle. Our school is rated S. A., it being in a group having the highest classification given in Kentucky.

The Lyceum number rendered by the Lucille Elmore Revue Company March 1st was pronounced by many of our people as being the best number of its kind ever in Carlisle. A fair size crowd was in attendance. The Senior class which this year is sponsoring this course, faces a deficit and unless it pays out, as far as the school is concerned no rebooking for next year will be made. The fourth and concluding number of the series will be held Wednesday night, April 3rd at 8 p. m.

Rehearsals are now being held for the forthcoming high school play, "After You I'm Next." This is a side-splitting comedy with 12 characters. It is hoped to present this play the latter part of this month. Watch for further announcements.

The seventh and eighth grades during the past three weeks have rendered two very enjoyable programs before the student body and visitors at the regular 10 o'clock Tuesday program. These folks always bring something good.

We desire to call attention to the attendance report published herewith this week. We feel that in view of the fact that there has been so much sickness that we have made a fine record. Especially are we proud of our many county pupils, who during the worst of weather and over bad roads, were rarely ever absent or tardy. They make real sacrifices and theirs is the spirit that wins.

HAPPINESS THROUGH WORK SPLENDID TYPE OF THRIFT

S. W. Straus, President American Society For Thrift

It is well to bear in mind that one of the greatest sources of human happiness is work. And this is a truth that could be more widely learned to advantage.

Too many follow the rule that the more work they can avoid the greater will be their happiness.

There is no true happiness in an idle life. Waste of time is a form of thriftlessness that is as destructive of rightful pleasure as waste of money or waste of health.

Work alone brings happiness, because work is creative and upbuilding.

All the instincts of the human race which have been responsible for humanity's development have found their fulfillment only in work.

In every realm of man's activities, whether it be spiritual, mental or physical, human experience has shown that progress alone has come through work.

This does not mean that there is no rightful place in life for play, or that diversion is not in accordance with good thrift. It is a matter of common sense, that life cannot be made up entirely of labor. There would be little if any progress in a material way under such a condition, and, in the finer things of life, there would be absence of all development.

You cannot transform a man into a machine and get human results. But, within the average routine of life, work brings the most satisfying happiness—work that is right, upbuilding and helpful.

Do not allow an ambition for idleness to spring up in your heart. Wasting time, never, under any circumstances, can bring lasting joy. It is not dissimilar to every other unthrifty practice.

Happiness through work is one of the fundamentals that can be continually counted on. It is a splendid type of true, constructive thrift.

STURDY CHICKS FROM KENTUCKY HATCHERY

Modern equipment, with the natural result of larger, healthier, sturdier baby chicks, has contributed largely to the success of the Kentucky Hatchery at Lexington, which is now entering its seventh season.

The incubators are kept in a most sanitary condition under the supervision of D. D. Slade, formerly in the Poultry Department of the State University. Send for the new catalog, addressing Kentucky Hatchery, 397 W. 4th St., Lexington, Ky. Chicks are moving rapidly these days.

666
is a Prescription for
Colds, Grippe, Flu, Dengue, Bilious Fever and Malaria.
It is the most speedy remedy known

POOR JIM
(Maysville Independent)

Brethren Jim Allen attempted to announce in his society that the Lenten season had arrived, and the crazy machine operator who never heard of such a thing and was sure that the editor was mistaken, changed it to the "Molten" season, and the conspiracy proceeded at length, for the proof reader failed to catch the word, and Jim, for that and a lot of other things said about him, has to stand there and freeze alone.

STOP THAT COUGH QUICK

Famous Prescription Has A Double Action

The phenomenal success of a famous doctor's prescription called Thoxine is due to its double action. It immediately soothes the irritation and goes direct to the internal cause not reached by patent medicines and cough syrups. The very first swallow usually relieves even the most obstinate cough. Thoxine contains no chloroform, dope or other dangerous drugs. Safe and pleasant for the whole family. Also excellent for sore throat. Quick relief or your money back. 35c., 60c., and $1.00. Sold by Tureman & Son and all other good drug stores.

RAINBOW COLORS IN FINE WALLPAPER
Our 1929 Stock Is Ready For Your Inspection
Come Early
3c SINGLE ROLL AND UP
Extra Good Values
Extra Borders 1c yard and up
Tureman's

I Have On The Track---
A Car of Little Joe Block
A Car of Magnolia Red Ash Block
A Car of Harlan Block
My Telephone Number Is 87
Fisher Henry's Coal Yard
"Home of Magnolia Red Ash and Little Joe Coals."

The Choice Cuts
It is the choice cuts of meat that you get when you trade with us.
Most people know from experience that such meat is the most economical since it is always used.

PARDUCCI'S MEAT MARKET
Kimbrough Hotel Corner

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To borrow $1,000 on good land note
Address S. W., care Mercury Office

Have Your
Hats, Suits, Dresses and Spring Cloaks
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STRICT QUARANTINE IN SCARLET FEVER

Board Of Health, In Meeting Monday, Votes To Enforce Quarantine Law

EPIDEMIC IS ALARMING

The Nicholas County Board of Health met in the court house Monday afternoon to discuss the scarlet fever situation throughout the county and after considerable discussion adopted a resolution placing a strict quarantine on all homes where the disease exists, and intimated that unless the provisions of the quarantine are complied with arrests will be made. The resolution passed by the board was as follows:

"Every home where scarlet fever is found shall be strictly quarantined, and no member of the family or other person shall be allowed to go out of the house or into the house until the quarantine is lifted. Patients quarantined, as well as members of the family must remain in quarantine until released by their physicians or the health officer and after fumigation of premises."

All members of the board, composed of Dr. O. S. Kash, Dr. H. H. Buntin, Dr. L. K. Swango and County Judge Paul D. Darnall, were present at the meeting and unanimously endorsed the plan proposed by Dr Kash.

The board also stated that all parents must immediately notify a physician or the health officer if their child is ailing. "When a child is complaining, do not send it to school until after an examination by a physician," Dr. Kash said. He also requested physicians to cooperate with the board and immediately notify him when a case is discovered in order that the home may be quarantined.

Superintendent E. E. Pfanstiel submitted a survey he had made of the school, which showed fourteen students known to be suffering with the disease, with several more at home ill, and others quarantined because members of their family are suffering with scarlet fever.

Dr. Kash stated at the meeting that it was impossible to estimate the number of cases in he county as some physicians have not reported all cases.

Closing of the schools of the city and county is not contemplated at this time, the board indicated at the meeting Monday, but if the epidemic does not subside this action may be necessary.

POSTPONE SALE OF BONDS FOR PURCHASING BRIDGES

With one bid for the purchase of bonds for four bridges in its hands, and another offer to negotiate for the purchase of all bonds the state highway commission has set March 26 as the date on which action will be taken looking to the acquirement of bridges over Kentucky rivers.

The bid and the offer to negotiate further were received yesterday by the commission in answer to its advertisment of approximately $10,500,000 bridge bonds, which were to be sold to acquire funds for the construction of 10 bridges and the purchase of two others.

After considering the two proposals at a lengthy executive session attended by Governor Sampson, the highway commission called in representatives of several bond houses who were present, but who did not bid, and announced a willingness to negotiate for the purchase of the bonds until the meeting on March 26.

MAY 1 ENDS BLUE RIBBON CONTEST

A campaign for Kentucky Blue Ribbon infants and children, sponsored by the State Board of Health, has been adopted by the local Parent-Teacher Association as the basis for its child health work this year. The slogan will be "Blue Ribbon Children for Kentucky." Kentucky has long been noted the world over for her Blue Ribbon horses, and now health officials hope she will become equally noted for her Blue Ribbon children.

Every mother and father is urged to learn what standards of health their children must reach to win a Blue Ribbon, and then to try to have them reach the standards.

The campaign will end May 1, 1929, when a beautiful Blue Ribbon, lettered in gold, will be presented to each child winning one. Plans are already being made for a big celebration for this purpose.

ROGER BOURLAND IS GIVEN PROMOTION

Friends of Rev. and Mrs. E. B. Bourland, of Lancaster, formerly of Carlisle, will be interested in the following notice of their son, Roger Bourland, in the Lancaster Central Record:

"Friends here of Mr. Roger Bourland will be interested to know that he has accepted a position with the Pictorial Review Co., of New York, and will soon move to that city to make his home. Since graduating from Columbia University last June, Mr. Bourland has been with the Dennison Manufacturing Company of Framingham, Mass. In the little more than six months that he was with the Dennison Company he received two promotions; but the position with the Pictorial Review Company was so promising that he decided to accept."

SPELLING BEE TO BE HELD SATURDAY

Large Number Of Rural Students Will Participate In Event Which Begins At 1 O'clock

The annual county spelling bee will be held at the court house in Carlisle next Saturday afternoon, March 23. The spelling bee will be held in the circuit court room and will begin promptly at 1 o'clock. Contestants who arrive after this hour will be barred from entering.

A large number of the rural schools of the county will have representatives in the spelling bee, which is an annual event. The winner of the bee to be held here Saturday will represent Nicholas county in the state contest to be held at Louisville in April. All expenses will be paid by the Nicholas County Board of Education.

Since the spelling bees have been held here, a girl has been champion each year.

SPECIAL ELECTION FOR CONSOLIDATION

Saturday, May 11, Set As Date For Vote In Mt. Carmel, Walnut Grove Headquarters And Hooktown

The Nicholas County Board of Education has called an election to be held on Saturday, May 11, between the hours of 1 and 4 o'clock p. m., to ascertain the will of the patrons of four rural school districts of the county on the question of consolidating the schools. The districts affected are Mt. Carmel, Walnut Grove, Headquarters and Hooktown.

Following the destruction of the Headquarters school house by the tornado in January, agitation was started toward consolidation of the four school districts. Just where the new consolidated school building would be erected has not been announced, but it will probably be located in the center of the four districts.

A tax levy of 35 cents on each $100 worth of taxable property would be made. The money from the extra levy would be used in paying for transportation of pupils, the employment of a high school teacher and other expenses of the school.

The building will be constructed by the County Board of Education without a bond issue if the measure carries at the special election.

A majority of the voters of the districts affected is required for consolidation to be put into effect.

BURLEY BUSINESS TO BE CLOSED SOON

Stone Announces That Recent Arbitration Settlement Will Enable Association To Close Business

As a result of the recent arbitration hearings and findings in the settlement of accounts between the Burley Tobacco Growers Cooperative Association and the various District Warehousing Corporations formerly operated by the Association the business of the Association will be closed up within the next sixty days unless unforseen difficulties arise, President James C. Stone stated today.

Mr. Stone stated that it was the purpose and had been the endeavor of the Directors of the Association for the past several months to so close up the affairs of the Association as to preserve the framework of the Cooperative Marketing organization without further expense to the members, yet ready to serve them in case of need for further cooperative marketing of tobacco in the future should the need arise.

He stated that calculations had been started on the payment to the growers of a small undistributed balance on the 1921 crop and when this had been paid out the business of the Association would be practically liquidated. He stated that the recent arbitration settlements of the accounts between the Association and the various District Warehousing Corporations would make possible the speedy settlement of the Association's affairs; that the Association was preparing to test the validity of these settlements in a test suit under the Declaratory Judgment Act and as soon as approval of the Court was secured would be in a position to close up its business which will virtually end all expense.

WESTFALL COMPLETING SECOND TERM AS COUNTY CLERK

In publishing the announcement of County Clerk John A. Westfall as a candidate for re-election in last week's issue, The Mercury erroneously stated that Mr. Westfall was completing his first full term. Mr. Westfall is completing his second full term. John P. Sugg, under whom Mr. Westfall served as deputy, did not resign, although absent from the office for several months during the latter part of his term. Mr. Westfall was elected to the office the first time without opposition.

THIRTEEN PASSENGERS DIE WHEN AIRPLANE CRASHES

Thirteen persons were killed and two others were injured seriously Sunday when a tri-motored airplane crashed to earth at Newark, N. J., Sunday. A strong wind beat the big plane to earth just after it took off. The tragedy was the greatest in the history of heavier-than-air craft in the United States.

$100 CONTRIBUTED FOR THE HOSPITAL

Mrs. Patterson, Former Carlisle Woman, Makes Donation; More Funds Sought

WILL BUY EQUIPMENT

The Johnson Memorial Hospital Committee announced Wednesday the receipt of a contribution of $100 from Mrs. Millard Patterson, of Los Angeles, California, who was formerly Mrs. Rosa Buckler, of Carlisle. Mrs. Patterson this week sent in her donation in response to a letter from Mrs. S. W. Keller, who has been soliciting contributions by letters to former Nicholas county people now living in other States.

Funds now being solicited and the money that was collected during the recent tag days is for the purpose of purchasing equipment for the operating room and for defraying expenses of necessary changes that must be made in preparing the hospital for its opening on May 1. A misapprehension exists in the minds of many of those who signed pledges as to the reason the money collected through these pledges is not being used and that further funds are necessary. It should be realized by all who signed pledge cards, that money thus collected may not be used to buy equipment or to make additions to the building or necssary changes in rooms, but is for the sole purpose of maintenance and upkeep of the hospital after it is opened. Complaints that have been made on this score by those who signed the pledge cards doubtless arose through ignorance of the fact that this fund may be used only for maintenance of the hospital for three years after it is opened.

The Committee has decided that the installation of an elevator, donated by Mr. E. G. Metcalfe, would be too expensive an undertaking at this time. Double doors will be installed at the entrance instead and the stairway changed or widened, if necessary.

The Mercury wishes again to urge those of its readers who are able to make substantial contributions to the hospital to do so, whether they have signed pledge cards or not. Surgical instruments are very expensive and the purchase of these, including an x-ray machine is absolutely necessary, if the Johnson Memorial Hospital is to function successfully. The Mercury believes that there are those among its readers who could contribute a thousand dollars to this cause of Christian charity as easily as many have given ten dollars. Who will justify our faith by such a donation?

$300,000 FIRE HITS LEXINGTON STORE

Kaufman Clothing Company's Entire Stock Destroyed In Spectacular Blaze Tuesday Morning

Fire of undetermined origin early Tuesday morning swept the store of the Kaufman Clothing Company in Lexington, entailing a loss of approximately $300,000. Smoke and water caused damage amounting to several thousand dollars to the adjoining stores of J. D. Purcell Company, the Gross Millinery Company and the Peerless store.

The fire was confined to the Kaufman Clothing Company building. The blaze, a spectacular one, was discovered at 3:30 by a railroad employe. The fire started in the rear of the second or third floor of the building and quickly swept the entire length of the building. Flames consumed everything in their path, clothing, shelving, show cases, etc., and not even one suit of clothes could be found on the second and third floors. All furnishings on the first floor were ruined.

The Kaufman Clothing Company was one of the largest clothing stores in the state and one of Lexington's oldest business houses.

Stockholders will meet this week to decide whether the business will be continued.

RECORDS OF MEN WHO ARE RUNNING THE NATION

Six lawyers, one banker, one engineer, one educator and one former steel worker make up the cabinet of President Hoover. Eight of them exceed him in age from one to twenty-one years; one is his own age, fifty-four and the tenth is three years his junior.

The cabinet members are:

Secretary of State—Henry L. Stimson, of New York, lawyer; age, 62.

Secretary of the Treasury—Andrew W. Mellon, of Pennsylvania, banker, age 75.

Secretary of War—James W. Goodwin, Iowa, lawyer, age 63.

Attorney General—William D. Mitchell, of Minnesota, lawyer, age 55.

Postmaster General —Walter F. Brown, of Ohio, lawyer, age 60.

Secretary of the Navy— Charles Francis Adams, of Massachusetts, lawyer, age 63.

Secretary of Interior— Dr. Ray Lyman Wilbur, of California, educator, age 54.

Secretary of Agriculture—Arthur M. Hyde, of Missouri, lawyer, age 51.

Secretary of Commerce—Robert P. Lamont, of Illinois, engineer, age 62.

Secretary of Labor—James J. Davis, of Pennsylvania, former steel worker, age 56.

BODY OF COLLINS STOLEN

Found Tied In Gunny Sacks On Bank Of Green River

The body of Floyd Collins, whose entrapment and death in a cave in Hart county several years ago drew the interest of the world, was stolen from Crystal Cave, where it was on display in a metal and glass casket, but was recovered Tuesday.

The body was stolen Monday night. Bloodhounds led searchers, including the sheriffs of three counties, to the body Tuesday. It was hanging over a bank of Green river, wrapped in gunny sacks. It had been mutilated.

The 17-days battle to save the life of Floyd Collins when he was trapped in Sand Cave in 1925 stirred the nation. Recently the body was put on exhibition in Crystal Cave. A chain to the door of the tomb had been sawed to remove the body. An unsuccessful attempt was made a year ago to remove the coffin.

$32,000 INCREASE MADE BY BOARD

City Board Of Supervisors Met Tuesday To Go Over Books. To Hear Complaints March 28

The city board of supervisors met Tuesday and went over the assessment report of City Assessor George C. Myers. The board is composed of R. L. Curtis, R. L. Greene and J. E. Palmer. The board was assisted by Assessor Myers and City Clerk S. C. Vaughn.

An increase of approximately $32,000 was made by the board, of which $19,000 is on the property of the Eastern District Warehousing Corporation. The remainder of the increase was made on the property of between 25 and 30 property owners of Carlisle.

The board will again meet on Thursday, March 28, to hear complaints of property owners whose assessments have been raised.

MAN AND WOMAN SHOT TO DEATH

Johnson County Man Charged With Killing Two Persons In Revenge For Testimony Against Him

In what officers said was revenge for testimony about his liquor making, Rans Skaggs, 30 years old, shot and killed his uncle, William Skaggs, 50, and Mrs. Goldie Gillam, 30, at Red Brush, Johnson county, Monday. A posse has been making an unsuccessful search for Skaggs, who escaped to the mountains after the shooting.

The shooting took place in Mrs. Gillam's store. Mrs. Gillam and William Skaggs were recently summoned to testify before the United States Commissioner at Paintsville about liquor making at Red Brush. She was said to have told the commissioner that Rans Skaggs had told her he had just finished a "run" of liquor. William Skaggs is said to have given similar information.

FOSTER V. COX CANDIDATE FOR COUNTY ATTORNEY

In this issue Foster V. Cox announces as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for County Attorney of Nicholas county, subject to the action of the party at the Augus primary.

Mr. Cox has previously served two terms as County Attorney and made a capable officer. During his terms of office he was especially watchful of the financial affairs of the county and is qualified in every respect to fill the office. Mr. Cox has had long experience as an attorney and is one of the leading attorneys of the local bar. He is a good Democrat and always a leader in the campaigns of his party.

HEATH HIGH SCHOOL WINS KENTUCKY CHAMPIONSHIP

Heath high school, a team practically unknown in Kentucky ten days ago, defeated Corinth high school for the boys basket ball championship of Kentucky in the finals at Lexington Saturday night. The score was 21 to 16. Heath had previously figured in the biggest upsets in Kentucky basket ball history this season when it defeated St. Xavier, of Louisville, 26 to 23, in the finals of the class A boys division Saturday afternoon. Heath eliminated the Lexington high school Blue Devils in its first game. Heath high school is a small country school in McCracken county. Corinth school in Grant county won the class B boys championship.

The Ashland high shool girls, winners of the class A championship for girls, defeated Oddville, class B winners, for the state championship Saturday night.

RACE DRIVER KILLED

Lee Bible, 42-year-old Daytona Beach garage mechanic, rode to a spectacular death at Daytona Beach, Fla., Wednesday in the 36-cylinder racing car with which he was attempting to break the world's record of 231 miles an hour. Speeding at three miles a minute, the powerful machine got beyond his control and crashed into the sand dunes, striking and killing Charles Traub, a news reel camera man.

THREE HORSES TWO COWS BURN IN BARN

Two Automobiles, Chickens, Feed, Implements Of Carl Gaunce Destroyed By Fire

NOTHING IS SAVED

Three horses, two cows, a calf, approximately 100 chickens, 90 bales of hay, a lot of corn and other feed and two automobiles belonging to Carl Gaunce were consumed when fire destroyed a barn on the farm of James H. Martin on the Judy pike at an early hour last Wednesday morning. All of the property belonged to Mr. Gaunce and no insurance was carried.

The fire was seen by a neighbor shortly after midnight and the neighbor ran to the home of Mr. Gaunce and notified him. By this time the barn was in a mass of flames and almost ready to fall in, preventing anything being taken from the building.

The barn was completely destroyed and Mr. Gaunce lost in addition to all of his livestock, all of his farming implements, harness, etc. One of the automobiles was a new Chevrolet coach.

BRACKEN MAN CANDIDATE FOR STATE SENATOR

In this issue The Mercury carries the announcement of Silas Jacobs, of Brooksville, for the Democratic nomination for State Senator from the 30th Senatorial District, composed of Harrison, Nicholas, Bracken and Robertson counties.

Mr. Jacobs at present is serving his second term as County Attorney of Bracken county, having been elected three years ago without opposition. He is an ex-service man having served with the American Expeditionary Forces in France for 18 months.

Under the terms of a policy long in effect in this district, this is Bracken county's time to furnish the State Senator.

DEMOCRATIC WOMEN TO MEET AT FRANKFORT ON APRIL 4

A convention of Democratic women of Kentucky will be held at the Capitol Hotel in Frankfort on Thursday, April 4, beginning at 10 o'clock. Mrs. H. K. Bourne, president of the Democratic Woman's Club of Kentucky, in a letter to Mrs. Jim Will Martin, who served as chairman of the women's division of the party in the November election, urges Mrs. Martin and other Democratic women to attend.

This meeting will be one of the most important ever held by Kentucky Democratic women.

COURT UPHOLDS TWO SENTENCES

Philip Westfall Loses Out In Appeals From Nicholas Circuit Court And Bourbon Circuit Court

The Kentucky Court of Appeals Tuesday denied the motion for appeal of Philip Westfall from the decision of the Nicholas circuit court in which Westfall was convicted at the May, 1928, term of court on a charge of having liquor in his possession and given a fine of $200 and costs and sentenced to 30 days in jail. Westfall, through his attorney, Foster V. Cox, appealed the decision to the higher court.

On the same day the Court of Appeals affirmed the decision of the Bourbon circuit court in the case of Westfall against the Commonwealth, in which Philip Westfall sought an appeal for a conviction in the Bourbon court.

Westfall is now living in Ohio. He is under bond on both charges.

ANOTHER RULING ON COLD CHECK ACT

Three days after holding the 1928 cold check act to be unconstitutional, the Kentucky Court of Appeals Friday handed down an opinion, giving a similar verdict on the 1926 act, dealing with the same subject.

The two rulings placed in effect the 1914 act that provides checks must be issued with intent to defraud by a person who knows at the time of drawing the check that he has insufficient funds in the bank. A penalty of one to two years is provided, if the check is for more than $20. The 1926 and 1928 act did not provide for the element of fraud and were held by the court to be debt collecting statutes.

ONE ARRESTED, FINED AFTER FIGHT ON ROAD NEAR TOWN

Following a general free-for-all fight near the store of D. F. Caswell at the intersection of the Carlisle and Maysville and Lexington roads last Friday night, one man was arrested and warrants were issued for three others. The fight, apparently, was a drunken brawl between occupants of an automobile, which stopped on the road. One man, Claude Sloop, of Bourbon county, was arrested and Saturday morning was given a fine of $100 and costs by Judge Darnall in county court. The other men for whom warrants were issued were Herman Sloop, brother of Claude Sloop, Howard Moran and John Massie, of Robertson county.

TWO THIEVES LOOT LAWRENCE'S STORE

Cash Drawer Rifled And Large Quantity Of Merchandise Taken By Two Men Friday Night

Cutting the screen over a transom in the rear of the store of Ed Lawrence on East Main street last Friday night, thieves entered the place, rifled the cash drawer, and carried off a large quantity of merchandise, according to Mr. Lawrence.

Approximately eight dollars in pennies, keys to the store and other buildings, two knives and several small articles were taken from the cash drawer. Some sacks of flour, coffee, candy, cigars, pencils, and other articles were missed. Every bottle of flavoring extract on the shelves of the store was taken.

Tracks at the rear of the store indicated that two men had committed the robbery. No arrests have been made in the case, but it is said, several clues have been discovered.

HIGH SCHOOL TO PRESENT FARCE

"After You, I'm Next," To Be Given In City School Auditorium Friday Night, March 29

According to present plans there will be produced in the Carlisle city school auditorium on Friday night, March 29, by a high school cast, the play, "After You, I'm Next." This is a three-act farce and is thus described:

"Take a young and popular novelist, add a beautiful if jealous wife and a colored man servant, who is careless with the truth, place in a rose covered cottage and let simmer for a few minutes. Then add a mysterious young honeymooning couple, two newspaper reporters, one precocious child burning to become an actress, one musical comedy star with a string of pearls that would make Tiffany pull down his blinds, stir until thoroughly mixed. Then drop in a burglar and a mother-in-law, set over a hot fire of misunderstanding and just as it starts to boil throw in a wierd sort of ghost and an Irish policeman, flavor with thrills, love quarrels and uproarious farce. Let boil vigorously for two hours. Remove and serve while hot and you will have a farce frappe."

Reserved seat tickets will be put on sale Saturday at Tureman's. Admission, 50 cents, 35 cents and 25 cents.

The cast for the play will be published in next week's Mercury.

SENATORS OPPOSE EARLY CLOSING

Senators Barkley And Sackett, In Letters, Declare They Will Use Influence To Prevent Step

Carlisle people interested in better mail service here may rest assured that both United States Senators and Congressman Kendall are "on the job" to prevent the early closing of the office, as the following letters, one to The Mercury from Senator Barkley, and the other to M. C. Blair from Senator Sackett indicate. Following are the letters:

March 18, 1929

Mr. Warren Fisher,
Editor, The Carlisle Mercury,
Carlisle, Kentucky.
My dear Mr. Fisher:

I received a copy of your excellent paper of March 7th, containing article relative to the proposed closing of the Post Office at Carlisle at six o'clock in the afternoon, the order which Congressman Vinson induced the Post Office Department to suspend for further investigation.

In connection with this matter, I wish to assure you that I shall be glad to take the matter up with the Post Office Department if it should become necessary in view of the investigation which the Department will presumably make.

Very cordially yours,
Alben W. Barkley

March 12, 1929

Mr. M. C. Blair,
Carlisle, Ky.
Dear Mr. Blair:

This is the first opportunity I have had since the closing of the Senate and the Inauguration to acknowledge receipt of your letter of March 4th, calling my attention to the change in the boxing of mail at your post office which arrives at 7:27 p. m.

I find that Congressman Kendall has had this matter up with the Department and is looking after it. This is his home town and undoubtedly he is very greatly interested in the best possible service to the community.

I feel sure he will handle it to your entire satisfaction. I am glad however to hear from you and will take pleasure in cooperating with Mr. Kendall in anything of mutual interest.

Sincerely yours,
Frederic M. Sackett

SNOOK QUITS AS WARDEN OF ATLANTA PENITENTIARY

Warden John M. Snook, of the Atlanta federal penitentiary, announced Sunday that he had resigned effective April 1. Mrs. Mabel Walker Willebrandt, assistant attorney general in charge of prisons, requested the resignation of Warden Snook because, it is said, the Warden protested Mrs. Willebrandt's plan of planting "snoopers" in the penitentiary.

COLORED TEACHER SHOT AND KILLED

Walter Dale Killed In Home Of Sam Neal And Neal Held In Jail

ACCIDENT NEAL SAYS

Walter Dale, about 25 years old, negro, teacher in the Henryville school, was shot and killed about 8 o'clock last Thursday night in the home of Sam Neal, negro, in Henryville. Neal is being held in jail without bond on a charge of murder, but denies the charge.

Shortly after the killing Coroner H. R. Ewing was notified. When he arrived at the Neal home Neal declared that Dale had been killed by the explosion of a coal oil lamp. Parts of the broken lamp were found on the floor.

An autopsy was held and a 38 calibre revolver ball was found lodged in the back of Dale's head. Dale had been shot through the mouth, three or four teeth having been knocked out by the bullet.

Friday morning Neal told Coroner Ewing that he had found a pistol and had hidden it in a bed in his home. He was taken to the house where the killing occurred and turned over a 38 calibre revolver to the officers. The revolver was identified as belonging to Dale.

Coroner Ewing held an inquest Friday afternoon, the jury returning a verdict that it believed from the evidence that Dale was killed by Neal. At the inquest Neal testified that Dale came to his home about 7 o'clock, remained about half an hour and told Neal he was going home to write a letter. He was reading a letter when he arose, Neal declared, holding the letter in his left hand, and reached for the envelope when he knocked over a lamp. Neal heard an explosion as soon as the light went out and heard Dale fall. He went into another room and returned with another lamp to find Dale lying on the floor. Neal and Dale were alone in the house, Neal said.

Sheriff L. B. Barton and Deputy Amos Stamper went to Neal's home Friday afternoon and searched the premises. An outfit for making "home brew" was found hidden under the porch of another negro, but is thought to have belonged to Neal, as a basket which Dale carried into Neal's house was found with the brewing outfit.

Dale is the son of Will Dale, farmer, and has been a teacher in the Henryville school for the past two years. He is unmarried and bore a good reputation.

No motive for the killing has been advanced.

Neal was arraigned in county court Wednesday morning for examining trial. He asked for further time in which to employ an attorney, and the trial was postponed until Friday morning at 9 o'clock. Approximately twenty witnesses have been summoned in the case.

171,081 ACRES FOREST IN STATE BURNED LAST YEAR

Approximately 171,081 acres of unprotected timberland in Kentucky were burned by forest fires during the last calendar year, according to G. Y. Bell, assistant state forester in a report to the Kentucky forest service.

The average damage per fire on unprotected land was $865 and on protected land $126. In 1927 the average damage per fire on unprotected land was $1,005 and on protected land was $111.93.

In the southeastern section of the state in Laurel, Whitley, Knox, Harlan, Leslie, Clay and Bell counties, where owners of the timberland are paying one half of the cost of fire protection, forest fires have decreased 75 per cent, Mr. Bell said.

K. U. REPRESENTATIVE CALLING UPON PATRONS

Mrs. Nancy Walker Burton of the Home Service Department of the Kentucky Utilities Company will be in Carlisle this week calling upon the company's custtomers and getting acquainted with many of the housewives who use electricity in the home for lighting and for the operation of various appliances.

The purpose of this activity is to give the customer more satisfactory service, officials say. When Mrs. Burton calls on a residential customer she finds out if the electrical appliances are working properly and demonstrates their correct and most efficient operation if requested to do so, shows the the housewife how to read her own meter if she desires this information, asks for suggestions for the improvement of service, adjusts grievances if the housewife has any to make, reports complaints to the proper department of the company, and offers recommendations as to more efficient home lighting practices.

Mrs. Burton has nothing whatever to sell, and before calling on a housewife, she will first telephone or write and learn if the customer desires to have her call, it was explained. Through the Home Service work, it is believed by officials, household customers will learn to use their electric appliances, such as vacuum cleaners, toasters, percolators, irons, ranges, washers to better advantage in many instances, and will get better acquainted with the company's efforts to give first class service under all conditions.