STATEMENT OF
County Road Claims

PAID BY PAUL D. DARNALL, COUNTY JUDGE, FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1930.

Asbury Stone, Interest County Barn note	$60.00
O. W. Murphy, County Account	41.63
Carlisle Drug Company, account paint	4.41
Gibson Motor Company, Chevrolet parts	16.43
H. Kerslake, water wagon parts	41.75
O'Neal & Martin, December account	5.00
Dorsey & Fisher, account	316.79
Kentucky Culvert Company, account	299.04
B. B. Wilson Company, steel	20.00
Kentucky Utilities Company, March account	2.33
Wombwell Company, truck parts	11.30
Pay Roll April 5 on 29	164.00
H. Barnett, pay roll on 40	100.12
Joe Hughes, pay roll on 49	10.00
Vernon Rice, pay roll on 46	9.00
Pay Roll on 45	27.00
W. Collins, pay roll 2	26.80
E. Clark, pay roll 3	71.00
W. Duncan, pay roll on 72	28.00
W. Buntin, May gas	220.62
Dorsey Bros. & Fisher part account	584.31
Ratliff Bros., part account	443.66
Texas Company, gas 3	18.00
George Scott, postmaster crusher parts	5.78
Pay Roll 83, June 7	142.00
H. Barnett, pay roll bridge 40	169.00
S. Parsons, pay roll 45	6.25
E. Clark, pay roll 3	49.84
W. Collins, pay roll 12 and 29	38.12
F. Wasson, painting barn	9.00
J. Sosby, hauling 12	54.00
S. J. Fryman, pay roll 12	15.50
W. Duncan, hauling 73	13.00
J. C. Tedder on 40	2.25
Tom Dampier, dirt road	10.50
J. Jones, rock on 8	5.04
W. O. Pennington, pipe	2.20
Pay Roll June 14 on 42	81.50
E. Clark pay roll on 3	49.30
W. Collins, pay roll 1	46.86
H. Barnett, pay roll 40	96.50
Pay roll June 21 on 42	71.50
H. Barnett, pay roll on 40	122.14
W. Collins, pay roll on 1	40.00
R. Clinkenbeard, ditch on 60	10.00
Pay Roll August 23	110.50
Jesse Hughes, hauling on 49	6.00
H. Hurst, pay roll on 75	13.50
F. Wasson, pay roll	6.00
W. Collins, pay roll 65 and 18	49.35
H. Barnett, pay roll 46	4.00
W. Buntin, gas on 18	52.21
J. Colliver, pay roll August 26	4.50
J. Lawrence, C. H. Wall	11.25
T. L. Linville, rock 49	7.50
Pay Roll August 30 on 81	88.00
H. Hurst, pay roll on 47	13.50
J. Johnson, right of way 32	6.00
Pay Roll 81 E	48.25
W. Collins, pay roll 18	61.25
Harpers Garage, August account	3.70
O. W. Murphy July account	54.78
Pay Roll on 48	31.50
B. C. Cameron, tools bridge 40	1.10
J. W. Darrell, contract on 73	19.50
O. W. Murphy, August	6.64
Pay Roll 81 B September 6	94.50
Rube Botts, Botts dirt road	25.00
Motch Chevrolet Company August	6.40

Total $36,762.55

THE GARDEN

(By John S. Gardner, Kentucky College of Agriculture)

Cabbage and cauliflower are subject to the Black Rot disease. The symptom is lopsided, small and blackened heads, if, in fact, heading takes place. Old plantbeds are sometimes responsible, and so is failure to "rotate" the crop in the garden, and sometimes the seed itself introduces the trouble. To guard against Black Rot, use only new bed soil, and select a new location in the garden, and, to guard against

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$20,000 DAMAGES SOUGHT IN SUIT

W. D. Shankland Alleges He Was Slandered By W. D. McIntyre, Of Millersburg

COURT BEGINS MONDAY

The February term of the Nicholas circuit court will convene next Monday, February 2, with one of the lightest dockets in years before the court. The grand jury will be empaneled Monday, but the petit jury will not be empaneled until Tuesday morning.

There are only 34 cases on the criminal docket, including old cases. Practically all of the charges are for minor offenses, and most of them are continued cases.

There are 10 new ordinary and 16 new equity cases on the docket. Most of these cases are suits on notes and accounts.

Last Friday was the last day for filing suits for the February term of court and Miss Jeanette Cox, Circuit Clerk, has completed compiling the docket for the term.

Suit was filed in circuit court last Friday by Mrs. Mary H. Potts against Nicholas Post No. 17, American Legion, and the Deposit Bank, trustee of the Post, in which Mrs. Potts claims two feet of land at the rear of the Legion's lot on West Main street. The lot adjoins a lot owned by Mrs. Potts, who alleges in her suit that the Legion has enclosed two feet of her lot in its boundary.

Damages of $20,000 are sought in a suit filed in circuit court last Friday by W. D. Shankland, of Myers, against W. D. McIntyre, prominent Millersburg farmer and business man. Mr. Shankland alleges slander.

In the petition Mr. Shankland alleges that before the slander complained of, a large barn on the Clay Farm in this county was burned and that an effort was made to have him indicted on a charge of arson in connection with the burning of the barn. He further alleges that Mr. McIntyre stated in the presence of several persons that "he burned the barn."

The plaintiff declares his reputation has been damaged as a result of the slander and asks damages of $20,000. Judge C. W. Fulton, of Flemingsburg, is attorney for the plaintiff and I. B. Ross and Foster V. Cox, of Carlisle, are attorneys for Mr. McIntyre.

Mr. McIntyre is a member of the firm which has the Clay Farm leased. Several barns on the farm have been burned during the past few years and following the burning of the last barn an extensive investigation was made, a representative of the State Fire Marshal's office having been called here.

Grand Jury To Sift Raid Made In Bath County

Investigation of the alleged assault on Richard Williams, 35 years old, by an officer in a party of raiding prohibition agents, which resulted in ...

Ward Poe Given Sentence Of Three Years At Atlanta

Prison sentences totaling 225 years, probated sentences of 26 years and fines aggregating approximately $2,000 were dealt out to 97 defendants in federal court at Lexington last Wednesday afternoon by Judge A. M. J. Cochran at the conclusion of the term.

Dr. Earl J. Brashear, former county physician of Fayette county, was given a sentence of five years in the Atlanta federal penitentiary on a charge of violating the Harrison narcotic act. Several persons charged with manufacturing or transporting liquor were also given five years.

Emery Ward Poe, of Carlisle, who was arrested by prohibition agents here last fall when a still was found in operation at his home in Bucktown, was given a sentence of three years in the Atlanta penitentiary.

COMMISSION MEETS AT BLUE LICK PARK

Meeting Held Monday To Discuss Proposed Improvements. Landscape Artist Would Move Monument

The Blue Lick Monument Commission, composed of Judge Samuel M. Wilson, Lexington; I. B. Ross, Carlisle and W. J. Curtis, Robertson county, met at the state park at Blue Licks Monday afternoon at the request of Mrs. James B. Darnell, secretary of the State Park Commission, to discuss the improvements in the park suggested by a landscape artist who made maps of the park last summer.

In addition to the members of the monument commission, Robert Cochran and John D. Littlejohn, Maysville, and representatives of The Mercury were present.

A number of improvements were suggested by the landscaper, chief among which was the moving of the monument to a hill about 300 yards from the present site, and a road through the park which would have but one entrance. The entrance would be at the south end of the park, near the Blue Lick church. Mr. Cochran and Mr. Littlejohn were opposed to this plan, as were members of the commission, all being of the opinion that an entrance should be at each end.

Mrs. Darnell was prevented from attending the meeting because of a death. The commission and other interested persons will meet later to take definite action on the plan, and it is hoped to start work of improving the park this summer.

POULTRY MEETING IS WELL ATTENDED

Large Number Of Poultry Raisers Gather At Court House To Hear Talks Of University Men

The poultry meeting held at the court house last Thursday was well attended by poultry raisers from all sections of Nicholas county. Mr. Hesson, Smith-Hughes teacher from Millersburg high school, also attended with twenty-one of his boys study-...

MANY SHEEP CLAIMS FILED THIS MONTH

Claims Totaling $369.50 Are Filed For Sheep Killed In Past Thirty Days

TWO YEARS BEHIND

Marauding dogs continue to cause great damage among the sheep of Nicholas county, and during the month of January claims totaling $369.50 have been filed with Mrs. Bertha L. Westfall, County Clerk. Claims filed during the month were as follows:

January 14—James W. Miller, two registered Southdown bucks killed, 2 grade ewes injured, total damage $55.

January 19—Robby Hamilton, two ewes killed, damage $30.

January 19—George Sosby, one ewe killed, one injured damage $32.50.

January 21—J. Clarke Leer, two ewes killed, damage $30.

January 24—S. T. Barlow, one ewe injured, damage $10.

January 26—Keller Hughes, two registered ewes killed, one injured, damage $47.

January 24—Jake Linville, one ewe killed, one injured, damage $24.

January 27—Mrs. Pickett Blake, eight sheep killed, three injured, damage $141.

Sheep claims are approximately two years behind, records in the Clerk's office show. The claims are paid in the order in which they are filed, and the first claim now to be paid was filed on February 14, 1929. During the past year approximately $2,000 in sheep claims were filed, and persons filing claims now will probably not be paid for at least three years.

Farmers throughout the county are incensed over the large number of sheep being slaughtered by dogs and in all probability a number of indictments will be returned at the coming term of circuit court against owners of unlicensed dogs. Some farmers have abandoned sheep raising because of the danger to their flocks from dogs.

EXTENSION COURSE CLOSED TUESDAY

Another Course Sponsored By University Of Kentucky To Begin Here Next Tuesday

The extension class sponsored by the University of Kentucky and under the leadership of Dr. Wellington Patrick, closed a very successful session here Tuesday evening.

Over thirty teachers took the course offered. Dr. Patrick gave two courses in Education and Mr. Hall gave one in History.

Other courses will begin February 3, at which time it is hoped that other teachers and interested educators will enroll.

Those taking the courses the past semester were Misses Cordia Bell, Effie and Florence Anderson, Patty Ree Buchanan, Lucile Buntin, Anne Conley, Mary Frances Fisher, June ...

$100 LOOT OBTAINED AT BARLOW'S STORE

Overcoats, Ladies Dresses, Shoes And Other Wearing Apparel Taken From Headquarters Store

Several overcoats, some ladies dresses, shoes and other wearing apparel valued at more than $100 were taken from the store of S. T. Barlow at Headquarters one night last week.

Entrance to the store was gained by prizing open the front door of the store room. The loot was evidently hauled away in an automobile or truck.

No clue has been found to the thief or thieves. This is the second time in recent months that this store has been robbed, several hundred dollars worth of merchandise having been taken from the store more than a year ago.

JUDGE HARDIN IN FAVOR OF PRIMARY

Chairman Of Democratic Committee Opposed To Convention Plan Of Choosing Candidates

Judge Charles A. Hardin, of Harrodsburg, chairman of the Democratic state central and executive committee, replaying to James Garnett, Louisville attorney, giving his views on Mr. Garnett's suggestion that the Democratic party hold a convention to frame a plaform and a later primary to nominate candidates, stated in a letter made public Friday that his own personal preference was against a platform convention and also against a convention to nominate candidates for state offices.

Judge Hardin's letter did not mention when he intends to call a meeting of the state central and executive committee to make the official decision beween a primary and a convention.

NEWS OF THE WEEK

Breadlines are feeding 27,000 daily in New York.

Alma Rubens, former noted film star, died at Hollywood Thursday.

Bermuda has finally admitted automobiles, but only for use by doctors.

Former Kaiser Wilhelm Hohenzollern celebrated his 72nd birthday Tuesday.

Bishop Cannon will face charges before the Methodist church within a few weeks.

Jack Dempsey went to a hospital in New York Friday suffering with an infected hand.

Dame Nellie Melba, famous opera singer, is critically ill in Australia. She is 71 years old.

Immigration to the United States in December was the lowest of any months since 1945.

Two overripe grapefruit were hurled at Rudy Vallee during a concert at Boston Friday night.

Mrs. Myrtle Blacklidge claims to have been fleeced of $50,000 in a faro game at a Chicago hotel.

Average of woman's hip measure has increased two inches, according to ...

CARLISLE BANKS ELECT OFFICERS

Officials Chosen At Recent Meetings Of Stockholders Of Local Institutions

ALL ARE RE-ELECTED

Officers and directors of the various Carlisle banks were elected at recent meetings of the stockholders of the various institutions. With one exception the three banks here re-elected the same officers and directors. The officers of the banks were elected as follows:

Deposit Bank—Innes B. Ross, president; Forrest Dalzell, vice president; Henry M. Potts, cashier; J. W. Parker, assistant cashier; Sterling Blake and Miss Evalynn Ross, bookkeepers; Innes B. Ross, Forrest Dalzell, Taylor Mathers, Paul D. Darnall and J. W. Parker, directors.

First National Bank—Harry T. Letton, president; Henry L. Carter, cashier; Henry A. Palmer, assistant cashier; Mrs. W. B. Murray, bookkeeper; H. T. Letton, Mrs H. S King, Dr. B. F. Reynolds, J. M. Berry and Henry L. Carter, directors.

Farmers Bank—Dr. C. W. Mathers, president; George C. Myers, vice president; Harry Kennedy, cashier; Henry C. Peters and Miss Ruth Kennedy, bookkeepers; Dr. C. W. Mathers, George C. Myers, Mrs Harry Kennedy and Dr. E. A. Campbell, directors. Dr. Campbell was elected a director to succeed James Ledford.

Anti-Freeze Causes Death Of Five Men At Ashland

Five men died at Ashland last Thursday from drinking 20 cents worth of a radiater anti-freeze solution containing wood alcohol, and two ...

WASHINGTON COUNTY BANK IS HELD UP

Breathitt County Woman, Fugitive 4 Years, Taken

Mrs. Nan Mullins, 40, convicted more than four years ago of killing a Baptist minister by a Breathitt county jury, which fixed her punishment at life imprisonment in the state reformatory, was arrested Sunday at the home of a relative at Salt Lick, Bath county.

The woman, who admitted her identity and related her experiences in more than four years as a fugitive from justice, told officials of her escape from the Breathitt county jail on Thanksgiving night, 1926. Following her escape she said she went directly to Arkansas and had traveled over most of the Unted States since, coming to the home of her relatives in Bath county about four months ago.

Mrs. Mullins was taken to the Frankfort reformatory Sunday to begin serving her sentence.

KLAN PAPER HURT ROBSION IN RACE

G. O. P. Publicity Directors Tells Nye Committee—Republican Candidate Favored Distribution, Huff Says

Testimony that circulation in Kentucky last fall of special editions of the Fellowship Forum, Ku Klux Klan newspaper, cost former Republican Senator John M. Robsion the election in the state, was given before the Senate Campaign Funds Committee Tuesday by Gordon Huff, Louisville newspaper man.

Huff, who served as director of publicity for the Republican State Central Committee during the election, said 100,000 copies of a special Kentucky edition of the Forum were received at State Committee headquarters, but were considered by all the Republican leaders as "so bad" that 40,000 copies were burned before the election and 30,000 afterward. ...

MAN IS KILLED BY MONTGOMERY FARMER

Information Returns Must Be Made By February 15

1931 Auto Output Will Equal Production Of 1928

Million Will Need Aid By February 1—Payne

TOBACCO AVERAGE DROPS LAST WEEK

18,655,780 Pounds Sold On Eight Markets Last Week With Drop Of $2.33

WEEK'S LEVEL IS $15.12

Eight of Central Kentucky's 10 loose leaf tobacco markets sold 18,655,780 pounds of burley tobacco last week for $2,821,237.07, making a general average of $15.12 per hundred pounds. No figures on the week's sales were obtainable from Shelbyville and Danville.

Compared with the previous week's figures, this represents a decrease of 1,356,460 pounds. The general average dropped $2.33 from the previous week, from $17.45 to $15.12 per hundred pounds.

Although the volume of leaf sold last week was only slightly below last week's all-time record, prices took a sharp downward plunge, despite the fact that, in most cases, the quality of tobacco remained about the same.

Since the burley markets opened in December, the 10 central Kentucky markets have sold about 140,000,000 pounds of tobacco for almost $26,000,000, according to estimate based on available figures.

The Lexington market led both in the number of pounds sold last week and in the average price list. The number of pounds sold, money paid and average price per hundred pounds on each of the eight central Kentucky markets last week were as follows:

Market	Pounds	Av'ge
Lexington	8,076,925	$16.48
Maysville	3,939,910	13.45
Paris	1,449,815	16.00
Carrollton	1,697,190	10.35
Richmond	1,150,785	16.14
Cynthiana	968,615	15.02
Harrodsburg	618,720	16.23

Judge McGregor Upholds Gross Sales License Tax

Five Employes Of Three Banks Face U. S. Charges

Manley Wants To Rebuild Green County Courthouse