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FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Plans, reasonable. Mrs. E. A. Campbell. Phone 135. 1t*

FOR SALE—Team of aged work horses. Apply to R. L. Gilbert, Carlisle route 4. 2-8-2t

FOR SALE—Two sow shoats, purebred Chester White; weight about 70 pounds each. John Croman, Carlisle 3, Upper Jackstown pike. 1t*

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FOR SALE—Household goods on Saturday, February 10, at 1:30 p. m. Mrs. J. R. Woodward, residence Spring street, Dorseyville.

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SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 10

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Terms made known on day of sale.

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Liquid, Tablets, Salve, Nose Drops
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Fine Laxative and Tonic

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I will sell at public auction at the home of the late James M. Earlywine on the Johnson road near Sulphur well, on

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 14, 1934

at 10 a. m. the following described property:

1 mowing machine
1 hay rake 1 randall harrow
1 cutter plow
1 Vulcan subsoil plow
1 board and harrow
1500 tobacco sticks
2 sheep racks 1 lot hog
1 lot corn 1 lot lumber, good
from brick
1 mare, 3 years old
1 heifer, 2 years old
1 Jersey cow, about by day of sale
12 good young ewes
Lot of small tools
1 press 1 harrow
1 wardrobe 1 drop leaf table
6 chairs
All of the above are antique
1 clock 1 dresser
1 wash stand 1 stand table
1 dining table 6 dining chairs
2 bedsteads 1 davenette
2 folding beds
2 rocking chairs
1 Majestic range
1 heating stove
1 cream separator
Terms made known on day of sale. Other items too numerous to mention.

Harlin Earlywine, Admr.

Sale conducted by Bert-Kendall Sales Co.

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DOG CONE GOOD STOVES

Features you will like are smoke consuming flues. That's made very quick hot fire on small amount of coal, resulting in less soot and ashes. Twin fire construction that gives you hot lids and boiling hot water reservoir in 40 minutes, whether damper is down or up. In plain black finish, or beautiful porcelain, green, blue, tan, grey.

Be sure and see this stove before you buy. Prices now reduced. Small payment down and small monthly payments puts it in your kitchen.

C. R. King

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GARAGE FOR RENT—The garage at the Baptist parsonage. 206 West Mulberry is for rent. T-1 13FW 1t*

FOR RENT—Either three or four room apartment with private bath and electric lights, at Simms property, one-half mile from city limits. Apply to R. B. Bowen. 2-8-1t

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29x4.40	$4.00
30x4.50	4.70
20x4.50	4.55
19x4.75	5.15
19x5.00	5.50
20x5.00	5.70

BUNTIN'S GARAGE

Brevities

Ralph Pulitzer resigned as newspaper administrator of the NRA. The body of Rev. Clayland V. Saunders, 25, former pastor of a church in Wabash, Ind., was found murdered in an automobile at Indianapolis.

Verne Sankey, notorious kidnaper, was arrested last week and returned to Sioux Falls, S. D., for trial in the Boettcher kidnaping case.

Victims of an apparent suicide pact Dr. Claude Mattingly, 39, and Mrs. F. A. Perrin, 35, wife of a professor at the University of Texas, were found dead in a hotel room at Austin, Texas.

A syndicate headed by Powell Crosley, Jr., wealthy Cincinnati radio manufacturer, has purchased the Cincinnati Reds.

Three officers and three bandits were killed in a gun battle at Sapulpa, Okla., Saturday.

Montague Glass, 56, noted author and playwright, died at his home at Westport, Conn., Saturday.

At Harlan, Iowa, Friday a rejected suitor went to a rural school, shot and killed the teacher and then ended his own life in the presence of the pupils.

Gilbert M. Hitchcock, newspaper publisher and for two decades Congressman from Nebraska, died at his home in Omaha Friday.

MT. TABOR

(Mrs. William Burgess, Cor.)

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Hughes, of near Blue Licks, spent Sunday with her parents Mr. and Mrs. J. H. McCord.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Kendall, of Blanville, spent Sunday with J. K. Burgess and wife.

Charles Burgess spent several days the past week with his father, Alonzo Burgess at Pique.

Clarence Ogden is quite ill at this writing. Others on the sick list are Mrs. Arnold Parks and daughter Wanda, three of the children of Mr and Mrs. Martin Ritchie and Mrs William Burgess.

Miss Ora Ogden and Clarence Biddle spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Wells and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Sisk and daughter and Mr. and Mrs. Bowen and baby, all of East Union, spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Martin Ritchie.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Lester had as Sunday guests Mr. and Mrs. Lela Cord and two sons, Mrs. Jessie Cord, of Buchanan and Mrs. James Biddle Mrs. James Fields has been visiting her brother, Holmes Tregarden at Frankfort.

Ruby Workman and Bernice McCord spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs Henry Humphries.

J. D. Bentley, Albert Allison and son, of Bourbon county, spent Sunday with friends here.

Several friends and relatives of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. McCord gathered at their home Sunday to celebrate Mr. McCord's 48th birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Delaney and daughter spent Sunday near Lee East and family.

Miss Hettie V. McCord, of Cowan, spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Wells and family.

Mrs. Annie Moses fell at her home recently and bruised and cut one of her legs, which has caused her much suffering.

Mrs. Ina Gray, 28 years old, wife of Oliver Gray, of Cowan, died Jan 24 at her home after a short illness. Funeral services were held Friday, Jan 26, at 2 o'clock at the home. Burial at Elizabeth. She is survived by her husband, one daughter and an infant son, her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Silas McCord, one brother and four sisters. We extend our sympathy to the bereaved family.

Drink Water With Meals Good For Stomach

Water with meals helps stomach gastric juice digestion. Salts aid digestion and a spoonful of Adlerika Compound clears out poisons and gas. BOTH bloat and lower bowels. Hopkins Drug Co.

CITY SCHOOL NEWS

Musical Program Presented

The Amanda Gibbs Glee Club and Bell Ringers presented a delightful musical program Tuesday afternoon in the chapel to a large audience. The program consisted of classical selections, hymns and readings. A great number of the student body attended the program, an admission charge being made for entrance. One-third of the proceeds went to the High School Glee Club. It is the desire of the faculty and students that more programs of his kind be presented and a better appreciation of music in the school be created.

Contest Awarded

In December, 1933 a discussion contest was held in the Carlisle school. This contest was a part of the extension work of the University of Kentucky. The contest was won by John D. Power. He was the representative of Nicholas county at the district contest held at Richmond Ky., January 19. He made a good showing.

Tuesday morning in the chapel exercises Supervisor Bonnie Brown presented certificates to the first and second winners of the high school group and to the winner of the seventh and eighth grades. A cash prize was awarded to John D. Power second and to Nancy Hosea who was judged second in the high school group. The certificate for the winner of the seventh and eighth grades went to Annabel Hamilton. The judges decided against awarding the rest of these students. These awards were made by the Kentucky Educational Association.

Glee Club

At the P. T. A. meeting Tuesday afternoon a glee club was organized. Furnished by the High School Glee Club, the girls' chorus consisting of twenty-three girls sang for the P. T. A. Treasury and Sterling Saunders recited a solo, "Mary Had a Little Lamb." There are two of the members which the Glee Club will enter in the Musical Festival at Maysville.

Agriculture Club

Last Tuesday morning in chapel a number of the Agriculture students were awarded ribbons won on their exhibits at the tobacco show a few weeks ago. About twenty-five ribbons were given. The prizes were donated by the different merchants of the town and were very much appreciated by the boys. We are proud of these boys who are taking such an active interest in this work.

Good Luck Sewing Club

The Good Luck Sewing Club is the recipient of a new built-in cabinet containing an ironing board and a sleeve board, both regular in size. The equipment will prove a great convenience to the members in their sewing.

For the past several months the members of the sewing class have sold confections at the basket ball games. Plans are being made to continue selling confections during the District Tournament. The proceeds of the sales will be used to defray the expenses of the delegates from the club attending Junior Week during the month of June at the University of Kentucky.

Freesuals

Myrtle Alexander has completed her high school course and is not with us any longer. We miss her however, to take part in the commencement exercises at the Opera House.

We are sorry that Alice Pumphrey is absent from school and sincerely hope she will be with us again soon. She is an excellent student and is interested in all school activities.

We miss our football star, Jack Rankin, who is confined to his home by illness and we hope he will soon be back with us.

Mr. Ryan, a member of the Parent Teachers Organization recently gave us his tobacco. We appreciate his kindness and thank him for it.

Miss Mary Alexander, who is a student at Transylvania College, was home for the week end.

Friday night following the Bloomfield game the girls defeated the boys in a basket ball game, made up of regular girl and boy players. Quite a crowd was present to see the game. Everyone seemed to enjoy the game. The girls kept their own refreshments, even coal scuttle warmers of the great French and his wife, and quite a few personal belongings contributed to efficient housekeeping. The occasion was thoroughly enjoyed.

Athletics

The Carlisle high school gymnasium will be the scene of the 49th District Basket Ball Tournament the first Friday and Saturday in March. Nine teams will compete for the district championship. Of these nine teams we will be given the privilege of competing in the Regional Tournament at Maysville one week later.

Every one of the Nine teams represented has enjoyed a most successful season and Carlisle county is expected at all sessions of the tournament. Tickets will be on sale in the town and in this district tournament and they are expected to be a great help in defraying the cost of basket-ball. Other teams of region are M. H. I., Center Point, Clintonville, North Middletown and last but not by no means the least, our own Carlisle High School Mustangs whom we all expect to go to the finals, and they can do that, if they only show the power of which they are capable.

Let's all pull together and talk this thing up and make this tournament the biggest success of any ever held in the local gym.

MOOREFIELD

Mrs. T. L. Clark and Mrs. Jim Crouch visited Miss Ruth Clark in Lexington last week, also Mrs. Orbie Clark, who is sick at St. Joseph's hospital, having had a very serious operation.

Corral Gene Robinson, little son of Mr. and Mrs. Ferril Robinson, is on the sick list.

Mrs. Amanda Lambert, who fell several days ago, is doing nicely.

Born—On January 24, to Mr. and Mrs. Roy Blount, a son, Joe Dudley.

A. B. Robertson, of the College of Bible, Lexington, preached a strong sermon Sunday at the Christian church.

The Missionary and Aid Societies of the Christian church met at the home of Mrs. Harvey Wilson last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Zumwalt and daughter, of Georgetown, visited Mr. and Mrs. Silas Burgess last week.

James Henry and Owings Wade, of Carlisle, spent the week end with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Wade.

"Buster" Clark, of Lexington, visited his parents Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Pat Maloney is very sick at present.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Hosch spent two days last week with relatives in Lexington.

Mrs. Gene Becker entertained with a valentine party in her home last Saturday afternoon. The color scheme of red and white was carried out in the decorations. Refreshments and prizes. First prize was won by Mrs. William Burton, second by Mrs Mildred Berry and low by Mrs. Jake Gaither. The guests included Misses Marjorie Rigg, Catherine Wilson, Anna Belle Layson, Mildred Berry, Mrs. Howard Irvin, Mrs. Joe Willis, Mrs. Jake Gaither, Mrs. Jesse Jim Crouch, Mrs. Elgin Clark, Mrs. James Judge, Mrs. James Henry and Mrs. Kenneth McCollum.

A dwelling owned by M. D. Judge and occupied by Grant Reed burned early Saturday morning.

WRIGHT

Mr. and Mrs. Claud Durrell and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Will McRohan.

Innocente Pinch spent the week end with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Otie Pinch, at Carlisle.

Mrs. Louie Gaither is no better at this writing.

Mr. Brady Stand spent one day the past week in Maysville on business.

SPROUT

Mrs. Ella Gill spent Friday with Mr. and Mrs. Will Christman and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Lindsay Allen Gaither spent Sunday with Robert Collier.

Mr. and Mrs. Avery Vice spent Sunday with Mrs. Fannie, Collier.

Mr. and Mrs. John Clark and Harold Mitchell attended tobacco sales in Cynthiana Friday.

Adrian Clark and two sons of Battle Run, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. John Clarke.

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Crowe and Mrs. Josie Trout attended tobacco sales in Paris Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hanson Ellington spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chevene Burke and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Ring and family and Mrs. John Ring spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Cye Perry.

Mr. and Mrs. David Booth and son spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Beacon Jacobs.

BANTA

(Mrs. Warden Ramey, Cor.)

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Hollar visited Richard Hollar and family Sunday.

Homer Kearns visited Warden Ramey Sunday.

Herman Hollar was in Maysville Friday on business.

Wade McCowan was very ill one night the past week with an attack of indigestion.

Mrs. Warden Ramey visited George Ramey at Barterville Sunday.

L. J. Dixon, Lorena Whalen and little daughter spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. James Bumgarnett.

Tobacco Market

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GOLD MEDAL FLOUR. SPECIAL PRICE. 12½-LB. SACK 53c. 24½-LB. SACK 99c

EATMORE BRAND OLEO. PURE OLEOMARGARINE SPECIAL 2 LB. 15c

SNOW WHITE COTTON SOFT Seminole TISSUE 4 ROLLS 25c

OLD-FASHIONED Chocolate Drops. LB. 10c

AVALON Soap Chips SPECIAL PKG. 10c

WESCO BRAND Scratch Feed 100-LB. BAG $1.69

Picnic Hams LB 10c

Pork Callies lb 10c
Breakfast Bacon lb 13 1-2c
Lard 1 lb pkg 2 for 15c
Oysters pt 25c

Florida Oranges Juicy 5 lbs 15C

Bananas nourishing ripe, 3 lb 16c
Yellow Onions 4 lb 13c
Egg Plant ea 15c
Hd Lettuce 2 for 13c

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CARLISLE TOBACCO MARKET ENDED WITH SALES HELD MONDAY

About 21,000 Pounds Sold In Final Sale Of Season At Carlisle

PRICES SATISFACTORY

The last sale of tobacco on the Carlisle tobacco market was held Monday when approximately 21,000 pounds was disposed of at satisfactory prices. In addition to the sale an auction a large quantity of leaf purchased by the house during the season was sold privately.

The marketing season at Carlisle was far from being the success which the Farmers Warehouse Company desired. Every effort was made by the company and June W. Gayle & Company, lessee of the warehouse, to make the market a success. Very little of the tobacco that was expected and farmers who sold on the local market were, on the whole, satisfied with prices received.

Because of the absence of the Big Four buyers from the market the first held here, many farmers declined to bring their tobacco to Carlisle, and even in later sales, when at least one or two of the Big Four buyers attended, did have representatives on the market much of the leaf had already been disposed of.

Farmers, generally, declared that prices here were as high as on other markets.

The Farmers Warehouse Company has repeatedly announced that the effort to re-establish a tobacco market in Carlisle was for the convenience of Nicholas county farmers rather than as a money-making undertaking. It is probable that the market will again be operated next season.

Action On Primary Measure Is Sought

Unless the House committee on elections reports the Bosworth primary bill, to provide for a nonpartisan primary for State officers, in a reasonable time," an effort will be made by an independent group of Democrats in the House to take it from committee, it was learned Tuesday.

The bill, sponsored by Senator Robert O. Humphreys, Democrat, Mayfield, was passed in the Senate January 30 by a vote of 19 to 17 over the opposition of Administration Floor Leader James H. Thompson. It was supported, however, by Senator John T. Murphy, Democrat, Covington, who has been pitted with Administration forces. Murphy had introduced a similar bill in the Senate. The Senate bill was reported by its committee February 1.

To take the bill from committee in the House would require fifty-one votes. Representatives who are now attempting to get it reported either favorably or unfavorably are of the opinion from the House committee so that it may be read into the calendar.

Troops Guard Trio On Trial In Casey County

Under protection of a dozen National Guardsmen, Sylvester Warner 24, and Houston Jeffries, 19, both of Kidd's Store, Casey county, and Carl Hardin, 17, Bastsville, were taken to Liberty Monday from Danville where they are being held in the jail keeping, for trial on murder charges in the Sharp brush murder.

The commonwealth elected to try Warner first on a charge of murder of John White, 33, and his son, Clay, 8, December 3. Their bodies were found in Green river, where they had been thrown after they had been shot of $14 and an automobile. Their heads were battered and they were wrapped in sacks filled with wire and attached to a fifteen-pound weight.

A special venire of 100 men from Rockcastle, summoned by Sheriff D. C. Grubbs reported for jury service Circuit Judge J. C. Carter of Tompkinsville, who asked for the troops on account of the high feeling there, had all spectators searched before they entered the court house. A large crowd was in attendance.

Commonwealth Attorney W. A. Geffey announced his intention of asking for the death penalty.

The defendants are reported to have made confessions after their capture.

CHURCH GAINS

During the last church year more people were added to Southern Baptist churches than any other year, with the five leading denominations combined, Southern Baptist churches baptized 238,855 people. The next five leading denominations are, Episcopal Methodist, Southern Methodist, Presbyterian and Roman Catholic.

During the past hundred years Baptist show a gain of 2200 percent, while the next largest is Roman Catholic with 195 percent. No other group has gained over 150 percent during the last hundred years.

Musketeers 7th In Conference

Local High School Team Has Won Five And Lost Four Games During Season

The official standing of the Central Kentucky Conference for games to the date of last week's games including points scored and opponents' points:

Team	W.	L.	Pts.	O.P.	Pct.
Georgetown	7	0	152	86	1.000
Paris	6	1	247	143	.889
Frankfort	6	2	217	157	.750
Somerset	3	1	117	77	.750
Nicholas'ville	4	2	182	137	.667
Lawrenceburg	7	4	312	228	.636
Carlisle	5	4	158	152	.556
Maysville	4	4	189	159	.500
Harrodsburg	3	3	138	141	.500
Shelbyville	3	3	129	152	.500
Winchester	3	3	123	120	.500
Irvine	2	3	106	106	.500
Mt. Sterling	2	4	135	143	.429
Burbon'ville	2	4	134	194	.333
Cynthiana	2	6	163	205	.250
Versailles	1	6	172	223	.200
M. M. I.	1	6	131	208	.143
Shelbyville	0	3	33	130	.000
Versailles	0	5	46	183	.000

Officers Named For Loan Body

All Officers And Directors Reelected At Fifty-First Annual Meeting Of Stockholders

Officers and directors of the Nicholas County Building and Saving Association were elected at the fifty-first annual meeting of the stockholders of the association held at the court house Monday morning of last week. Sam K. Veach, secretary, read the financial report for the year and in addition to the election of officers, other routine business was transacted.

All of the officers and directors were reelected as follows: President, R. B. Hale; vice president and treasurer, Howard K. Veach; secretary, Sam K. Veach; directors, I. B. Ross, Howard K. Veach, Henry M. Potts, M. Dale Jones, Hugh Clay, Sam K. Veach, Jr., Chas. Hughes, Chas. Shaw, G. T. Gatewood, W. H. Frey and E. O. Ross.

Sam K. Veach was elected secretary of the association for the second year, having served in this capacity since the association was organized fifty-one years ago.

Lexington School Children Help In Rat Extermination

At the rate of five cents a rat, Lexington school children are earning one dollar and five cents each towards the city's rat extermination campaign.

Payment of bounties on the rodents submitted to the health office at intervals of approximately 10 days is made until the fund out of which payments are made is exhausted. Officials of the campaign said they believed the fund would pay for more than 500 rats, and additions are expected to be made to it as the campaign proceeds.

The only rules of the bounty payment are that the rat be turned in by the child capturing or killing them, and the child must be a student in a public, private or parochial school. Rats are taken in lots of 10, the payment of bounties will continue only until the fund provided for that purpose is exhausted.

In connection with the rat extermination campaign a contest has been arranged for the pupils, and prizes offered for the best essays on the subject.

Plans Made To Put Corn-Hog Campaign Under Way

With the turkey tobacco sign-up campaign nearing completion, Dean Thomas B. Cooper of the College of Agriculture announces plans to launch the corn-hog reduction program throughout the state.

The part of the national agricultural adjustment program calls for a reduction of at least 20 percent in Kentucky's corn production this year.

Farmers who sign contracts will be paid 30 cents a bushel on the yield of the acreage removed from production, figuring average yields in 1932 and 1933, and a bond on three-fourths of the average number of hogs farrowed and sold in the past two years.

For example, if a farmer has been growing 25 acres of corn, he would reduce his to 20 acres. In return he would receive 30 cents a bushel for the amount of corn which the average yield would indicate. Farmers have been grown on the 5 acres reduction in acreage.

If he farrowed an average of 30 pigs in the last two years, he would agree to farrow only 15. These he would raise and market in the usual way, and would receive in addition $5 a head on them from the government.

The corn-hog reduction campaign will be conducted by County Agent and local committees working under the general supervision of the extension service of the College of Agriculture.

FAMILY LOSES ALL FURNISHINGS, MONEY CLOTHING IN FIRE

Home Of Ben Wagoner On Ben Henry Farm Burns; Crop Proceeds Consumed

CHILD'S HAND FROZEN

The family of Ben Wagoner, tenant on the farm of B. T. Henry on what is known as the Stony Creek road in Taylor's Creek section, lost all of their clothing, the contents of their home and $40. Wagoner lost $17 in cash, almost the entire proceeds of a crop of tobacco, in a fire which destroyed the home last Friday morning.

Mr. Wagoner left the home about daybreak to feed the stock on the place and when he returned the house was in flames. Mrs. Wagoner was ill in bed and her little daughter was the only ones in the home. Another young daughter was at school. When Mrs. Wagoner discovered the fire the roof was falling in and she rushed from the burning furniture with her children, saving only a feather bed.

The two little girls were only partially dressed, and one, a little three-year-old girl frose her hands through the exposure.

Mr. Wagoner had sold his crop of tobacco on the Paris market the day before the fire and cashed his check. He had left the money home with him, intending to pay some bills and deposit the remainder on Saturday. The money was in a drawer in a sewing machine.

Mr. Wagoner had no insurance on the contents of his home. The house, a two-story and one-and-a-half-story structure, was completely destroyed. It was only partially insured.

1390 Miles Of Road Taken Over

By State Highway Commission Since Nov. 1, 1931, Third State Mileage 6,869

One thousand three hundred and ninety miles of road were accepted for maintenance by the State Highway Commissioner during the period from November 1, 1931, to December 31, 1933, the commission's report made public Friday revealed.

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SUB-ZERO WEATHER

Fell Far Short Of 1899, Which Was Coldest Day In History

The coldest weather of the winter struck this section last Thursday night when the thermometer registered as low as four degrees below zero. The sub-zero weather continued for two days.

This was the coldest weather in February in thirty-four years, February court day in 1899 having been the coldest day on record in Kentucky, according to accounts of the older citizens and clippings from newspapers.

W. T. Purcell, well known farmer of the Ellisville section, Monday showed The Mercury a clipping from a newspaper telling of the coldest day that weather on court day in 1899. According to the newspaper account the official temperature in Carlisle was recorded as 34 below zero. The thermometer registered as low as 48 degrees in some sections of the state, according to the report.

Many of the older citizens who remembered the 1899 date as the coldest day they can ever recall. Hundreds of head of stock were frozen to death, according to newspaper accounts. The ground was covered with a heavy snow when the cold wave struck and many of the roads were almost impossible for several days.

Reorganization Bill Is Passed

House Approves Measure That Would Centralize Power In Governor

A bill that would centralize control over all state departments in Governor Ruby Laffoon, taking the supervisor department from Auditor J. Dan Talbott, swept through the House on a tide of administration strength late Tuesday.

Twenty-four of the 28 Republican Representatives joined with 45 of the 57 Democrats in passing the bill, upholding it were 56 Democrats and 9 Republicans.

Administration forces easily won the parliamentary clashes that enabled Representative Crafford, Democrat, Morgantown, sponsor of the bill, moved that it be taken from the place in the order of the day and immediately put to passage. Bill J. Collins, Democrat, Flemingsburg, moved that the bill be recommitted but the motion was defeated 64 to 32.

In a plea for speedy passage of the bill, Mundford said there appeared to be a "deliberate attempt" to delay passage of the bill and for that reason he moved the previous question. "For the last 16 years," said Mundford, "both major political parties have pledged themselves to reorganize the state government." He said the bill carried out the platform of both major parties passed in a constitutional convention were to be adopted.

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TWO MEN HELD FOR THEFT OF CUTLERY AT BAPTIST CHURCH

Leonard Marshall And John W. McKey Charged With Stealing Silverware

PART OF LOOT FOUND

Leonard Marshall and John William McKey, both of Carlisle, were arrested Monday and lodged in jail in connection with the theft of a box of silverware from the basement of the Carlisle Baptist church. A part of the silverware has been recovered and officers believe most of the remainder will be recovered.

Between seven and eight dozen knives and forks, four dozen tablespoons and four dozen teaspoons were stolen from the church some time during the past two weeks. The theft was discovered a few days ago and reported to Sheriff J. Clarke Leer.

McKey and Marshall were arrested by Deputy Sheriff L. B. Barton Monday afternoon. McKey denied knowledge of the theft. Marshall, according to officers, claimed McKey had given him the silverware to trade for whisky or to be disposed of and that he had sold several sets of it. Both were taken before the grand jury, which was in session Tuesday, and it is understood indictments were returned against them. They will probably be tried when the Nicholas circuit court convenes next week.

A considerable part of the silverware taken was sterling, having been given to the church by various members.

Mr. Wagoner had no insurance on the contents of his home. The house, a two-story and one-and-a-half-story structure, was completely destroyed. It was only partially insured.

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