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Mr. A. D. MILLER, for several years general manager of the Richmond Clinch, has purchased the entire plant and is now the whole push. Here is hoping him much success.

AFTER all there is a good deal in talk. Let a man talk dull times and it is infectious, everybody talks dull times. Instead of rustling around to take care of what business there is, they all go sit down and snore over dull times. If a customer does happen to drop into one of these "dull times" stores he actually gets frightened out of one-half as much as he expects to buy, because things look so blue. He catches the spirit of the store and resolves to bang on to all his money with a death grip. Even if his business goes to pieces, on account of running short of goods to fill up the empty shelves. The bug-bear of hard times should be sat upon. It is doing more to kill business than anything else. Tell a man he is sick, keep it up, and you will eventually bound him to death.

POLITICS AND POLITICIANS

The report of the committee which has been investigating congressional printing will disclose among other things the fact that the Government owns and prints 10,000 tons of obsolete documents. The Assistant Secretary of War has assisted the Governors of the various States which have organized militia that it has been found necessary to omit for this year the contemplated annual encampment for the instruction of citizen soldiers. E. H. Harriman gave a farewell interview to a number of newspapermen at New York City, at which he said that more attention should be paid to currency and tariff reform, and less to railroad legislation.

Senator Beveridge, speaking at the first annual dinner of the Indiana Association at New York Wednesday night declared that "as the States, acting separately, could not and slavery in 1861, so the States acting separately, cannot end the piracies of capital in 1907." With a new record for large appropriations and important legislation the Fifty-ninth Congress adjourned Monday. The total appropriations aggregate nearly one billion dollars, which is about one hundred and ninety-eight million dollars in excess of the total of the previous Congress.

Now that Congress has raised their salaries \$2,500 a year, perhaps they will be more liberal with others. Rural mail carriers want more and the demands of agriculture are increasing all the time. Cut off the battleship graft and boost the experiment stations, and other things that benefit farmers. We can get along very well with out any more battleships, but we cannot live a day without what comes from farmers. Some of these days, perhaps a million years from now, men will be civilized and quit wasting money on war and its belongings.

George B. Corblyou retired Monday as Postmaster General and was sworn in as Secretary of the Treasury. His place at the head of the Post-office Department was taken by George von L. Meyer, former Ambassador to Russia. The president has turned down the earnest recommendation of Senators Foraker and Dick that J. C. Adams, of Zanesville, be made the new Federal Judge in the Southern Ohio district and it is now believed that with apparent signing out of Representative Burton as the chief controller of patronage for the battle between Administration and the Buckeye organization is fairly launched.

BROODHEAD.

Mrs. J. W. Dickerson and son, Carl, are visiting her daughter, Mrs. Amiel Geisel, at Craft Orchard. Miss Eliza Pike, who was visiting her sister, Mrs. Robert Hicks, in Louisville, was suddenly called home on account of her brother's illness. H. H. Hutcheson was over from Kirksville last Sunday. A. C. McClary is spending this week in Preachersville visiting his aunt, Mrs. Jno M. Cress. Jno Robins was in Paris first of the week.

After a week's illness will try and let my pen have its course again. C. H. Jones of New Liberty, Ky., was here to see Charles J. H. Hutcheson this week. Measles are still making the rounds and the last cases reported are Mrs. H. L. Tharp and daughter and Miss Clyde Watson. H. M. Waller, of Somerset, was here to see his aunt, Mrs. J. E. Waller, last Sunday.

Miss Carrie Fifth will begin a select school at the public school building next Monday.

We are glad to say that H. B. McClary is able to resume his duties in the bank after being laid up four weeks with measles and pneumonia. M. C. Albright was in Mt. Vernon last Sunday calling on one of her best looking daughters. Miss Maude Forbes is assisting in the bank during A. C. McClary's absence. Goebel, the youngest son of Gen. and Mrs. A. J. Pike, who has been very low of pneumonia, is much improved. Emmett Smith of Williamsburg, was here last Sunday to see one of our best looking girls—W. C. Swinford, of Lebanon Junction was with home folks a few days of this week. Roscoe Pike, of Louisville, D. W. Pike, of Lebanon Junction, Ben Pike, of Louisville, and Chas. R. Pike, of Knoxville, all sons of Rev. and Mrs. A. J. Pike, were all called home to attend the bedside of their brother, Goebel, who has been very low of pneumonia.

OTTAWA.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Rogers and family of Small, Ky., visited J. B. Sutton and family Saturday and Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Tart Proctor visited relatives at Oak Sunday. Elijah Waller left Sunday for East Bernstadt. Sarah Long bought of Allen Bishop a cow and calf for \$25. J. M. and M. F. Crag passed through this part Friday with a nice bunch of hogs. Fred Waller has returned from East Bernstadt where he has been at work on the railroad. Misses Luma and Julie Brown have been visiting relatives at this place. Mrs. Bill Wilburn has measles. Madam rumor says there will be a wedding in this part soon. Miss Ethel Proctor of Oak visited her mother, S. T. Proctor, of this place. Charlie Sowder bought of Allen Bishop a hog at 6 cents a pound. Mr. Lincoln Stringer and family have moved into the residence vacated by S. T. Proctor. The wheat crop looks very well in this section. Messrs Claude Thompson and Jas. Harness have returned to Mt. Vernon to enter school. The last report is that James Thompson, who was shot is improving slowly. Messrs Abe and Rankin Brown have been visiting at Krueger. Mr. and Mrs. Jno Deane visited relatives in Lincoln Sunday. Mr. Robert Waller is in very poor health. Mrs. Albright is very low at this time. S. T. Proctor left Monday for Mt. Vernon to do some carpenter work. Mrs. Alice Sowder has returned from Lancaster where she has been for quite a while. Miss Clara Delaney visited Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Brown Monday last. Mr. George Thompson will move in a few days to his place recently purchased from Addie Payne. Tart Proctor was in Broodhead on business Monday.

The prophet of this neighborhood says there are fourteen more snows yet to come. Gee whizz, boys, lets get us up a lot of wood and be ready for them. Mrs. Sarah Sowder is suffering very much from a cancer on her breast. Allen Bishop and family left Tuesday for Corbin. Mrs. Louise Harris is very sick. Miss Mary Waller was the pleasant guest of Mrs. James Harris Sunday last. Misses Flora Denney and Pearl Ping visited Miss Maud Denney of Quail Sunday last. Dr. — On March the 1st, the death angel knocked at the door of Mr. and Mrs. Willis Bishop and took for its victim their infant child. The parents have the sympathy fully. But weep not, for Jesus said: "Suffer little children to come unto me, for, of such is the Kingdom of heaven." The promises were laid to rest in the Zion cemetery to await the resurrection morn.

HIATT.

Sch. has begun again at Oak Hill. Mix Bowman is finishing out the term begun by J. Boring, Jr. — D. N. Welch, the "jolly drummer," was with our merchant, A. C. Hiss, this week. Also Robert Cook, Walter Hwinger, while plowing on his father's farm Wednesday, received a severe injury, a broken leg. The team became frightened and ran away. The sick of our community are improving. J. Chesnut has returned from a visit to Simpson county.

IN MEMORIAM.

The death of William Van Park Repper, in Minneapolis, Minn., on Feb. 4, 1907 closed the career of a brilliant lawyer, who for many years filled a position as Chief Examiner with great credit living in Washington and in cities of the west.

A sad misfortune overtook him two years ago when he fell down a long flight of steps, striking his head at the base of the brain, causing paralysis of the right side and permanently impairing his mental faculties. While some powers of the mind were active, others were seemingly entirely destroyed until he seemed like a different being. Epileptic spasms bedeviled the most intense suffering during the last year of his life and at last in a light attack that he passed away, only two days after reaching his destination, where he went for a year with his father, J. S. Repper, an esteemed citizen living near Orlando.

The deceased was buried in Hastjens Nebraska beside his first wife. Their two little daughters, Marguerite and Virginia, his second wife and relatives were with his untimely fate. How swift flit the passing years. So filled with joys, hopes and fears. And griefs we feel, too deep for tears. While ye, the busy world, move on. To-day we weep for world wide fame. Tomorrow 'what is a name?' For all ambition ends the same. A mound of clay, nash starry skies. R. N.

NEWS ITEMS

District Attorney Jerome Monday concluded his cross-examination of Britton D. Evans, one of the alienists in the Evans case, by asking six questions on the stand of Dr. Charles C. Wagner of Binghamton. Mr. Wagner Thaw is expected to be the next witness after his cross-examination of Dr. Wagner is concluded. With her testimony completed the defense practically will have closed its case and the evidence in rebuttal may begin before the end of the week.

Special Judge William Carnes issued an order in the Circuit Court at Jackson referring to "Elliot county the best against James Harris and others charged with the murder of Dr. D. B. Cor. although the Thaw is expected to be the next witness after his cross-examination of Dr. Wagner is concluded. With her testimony completed the defense practically will have closed its case and the evidence in rebuttal may begin before the end of the week.

BARGAINS Johnson's Place, "The Bargain Store," Is Now Ready For All. Come in and see what you can do with just a little cash. The goods you need at the prices that suit all, SHOES, HATS, CLOTHING, and in fact anything that is necessary to make a home comfortable. G. T. JOHNSON, Opposite Court House. BARGAINS

A COMPLETE LINE. FOR A NEW and COMPLETE Line of GENERAL MERCHANDISE. Remember that We have the Best at the LOWEST Prices. A FULL LINE of Clothing, Boots and Shoes, Hardware and Queensware, Groceries and Dry Goods. W. H. RICH, Andrews, Kentucky.

"RING OUT THE OLD, RING IN THE NEW" That is what we do every day with our complete line of DRY GOODS, CLOTHING, SHOES, ETC., and keep everything up to date. We are offering some special Bargains in WINTER GOODS. Call and see them. We can please you both in quality and price. Those who have not settled their old accounts should not come expecting credit. We have to pay the wholesale people's bills promptly. Please remember this. We carry a full line of GENERAL MERCHANDISE that is hard to beat. But come and see for yourself. We shall be pleased to show you. Come, we extend you a hearty welcome. A. C. HIATT, HIATT, KENTUCKY.

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Special Price on Chart and Evening Post with this Paper. Mrs. William Thaw was called to the stand in New York Wednesday and testified in behalf of her. Notice during her representative recital she broke down, and District Attorney Jerome's cross-examination was very bitter. During an argument between attorneys Mr. Jerome made his first public suggestion of a lunacy commission to inquire into the sanity of Harry Thaw. He added that the suggestion was merely for the sake of argument. Justice Fitzgerald ruled that the question was not before the court. A silver service of 300 pieces was presented to Charles F. Governor of Ohio by the members by the House, from which he retired Monday after long and complicated service. He was also the recipient of three other memorials from employees of the lower branch of Congress. CASTORIA For Infants and Children. The Kind You Have Always Bought Bears the Signature of Dr. J. C. Watson. FOLEY'S KIDNEY-PILL

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LOCAL

G. T. Johnson has his electric lights working all O. K. Ready trimmed hats in all the latest styles at J. T. Adams'. 1-8-31. A CASE OF TRAINS.—We thank the people of Mt. Vernon for their kindness in helping us during our sickness. MR. AND MRS. JAMES RICKER. BOOS FOR SALE.—Sixteen eggs of the Buff and Brown Leghorn mixed at 50 cts. Mrs. W. H. BRAUNHAM, Near Wildie, Ky., 3-1-31.

We understand the photograph gallery is soon to leave town.

Mr. Robert Blosser and Miss Onie Price were married yesterday.

John Silvers, aged about 40, died at his home on Skaggs creek yesterday.

Go to J. T. Adams, Mt. Vernon, for all kinds ladies ready trimmed hats. 1-8-31

Carlos Menefee will start a restaurant in the store room recently vacated by J. Fish.

Mr. Charles Reed, of Crab Orchard was here Wednesday in search of some good mules.

Mrs. Jane Parsons, of near Langford, whom we reported in our last issue very sick, is dead.

Ship stuff at \$1.40 per hundred and hay \$1 per hundred, makes pretty costly milk and butter and the indications are that the prices will still go higher.

Mr. Victor Brown, our new depot agent stole a march on his friends by getting married to Miss Smith, of Berea, last Thursday. They have taken rooms at the Pittman House.—Pittsburg Cor. London Local

More improvements for Mt. Vernon. The side walk, extending from the corner at C. C. Williams' to U. G. Baker's is to be graded down and made of concrete. Johnson and Fish will also build concrete walks in front of their new buildings.

The increase in the number of pupils at the Brown Memorial for the Spring term has been so large, that it was impossible to accommodate all the students in the regular recitation rooms at the school, and rooms at the Lagodon Dormitory are being used as recitation rooms.

Many farmers do not realize the immense advantages and labor saving possibilities in the telephone. By its use, one may learn from city or village the state of the market, the present demand, any shortage that exists, and be prepared to take advantage of it promptly, while Mr. Skowpke is sending out too late that there was a brisk demand for the very goods you had to sell.

Tilman Gilpin was here yesterday a few hours. He had been to London to attend the burial of his mother-in-law, Mrs. Mat. McHargue, whose death occurred on the 4th inst. Mr. and Mrs. McHargue had arranged for all their children to be at home on the 17th when they were to celebrate their fiftieth anniversary of their marriage, but on the 26, the day on which the children arrived, Mrs. McHargue was taken seriously ill and gradually grew worse until the end came.—Mrs. Gilpin is still with her father at his home near London.

It is said that the County Unit Law in all its provisions will be sustained by the Court of Appeals. Our information is to the effect that four of the six judges have agreed on this and that it is thought that the other two will finally concur with their associates, although at present they are not fully satisfied with the constitutionality of the measure at all points. The decision is held up on account of Judge O'Rear being in Florida on account of his health. He will return in about two weeks when the opinion will be handed down. There have been quite a number of lawyers who have taken the position, that the law is unconstitutional, and as there will be about twenty-five counties affected by the decision it will be a matter of great importance.

Joe Patterson, an L. & N. freeman, was seriously burned coming through No. 3 tunnel, just South of Sparks Quarry Monday afternoon. For trains going North it is a very heavy grade and the smoke is almost stifling to those in the engine, so the freeman usually stands in front of the fire-box to avoid as much of the smoke as possible. Patterson was taking this advantage when unexpected fire broke from the fire-box few open flames rushed out upon him, setting his clothing on fire and burning him almost entirely off on the left side before the flames could be extinguished. His arm and side were so badly burned that when he reached the firemen, usually dropping off. The suffering which he was enduring when he reached here was intense. Drs. Lovell and Towery were called and soon temporary relief was given, dressed the wounds. Dr. Childress, the S. & N. surgeon, arrived about 10 o'clock and the patient was operated but only to find that all proper relief had been given by the local physicians.

REPRODUCTION OF COLLAR LABEL. FITS SHIELD BRAND WEARS WELL. 'WHATS THE USE?' Paying for that which you don't get? You get all you pay for if you buy 'Shield Brand' Clothing for men, youths and boys, bearing label on collar as shown above. 'The retail price attached to sleeve is also a "Shield." Look for these marks when buying clothing. Prices \$7.50 to \$16.50. EVERY SUIT GUARANTEED FOR SALE AT SHIELD'S CASH STORE.

Easter Sunday the last day in the month. Farmers are losing no time when the weather will permit.

My new hat for Easter is the center of thought among the fair sex.

A. R. Spotswood & Son are putting a new mill in the Southern part of the county.

Get your sovereign post cards, views of Mt. Vernon and vicinity at Fish's cash store.

Just received one car of fertilizer. The old reliable Hicks Shoe brand. Call on Souder & Ovens, or J. J. Smith, Brodhead, Ky.

We have the largest assortment of ready trimmed hats for ladies ever brought to Mt. Vernon.

A town that never has anything to boast a public way is on the way to the cemetery. Any citizens who will do nothing for his town is helping to dig the grave.

The man who is so selfish as to have no time from business to give to city affairs is making the crowd the man who will get advertise is driving the hearse.

The man who is always pulling back from any public enterprise is throwing bouquets on the grave.

The man who is so stingy as to be howling hard times preaches the funeral song the doxology, and thus the town lies buried from all sorrow and care.

The Big Hill Coal Co., which operated at Jonetta, this county, for two or three years, but at a big loss will have faith in the Rockcastle coal fields, and believing that the Cumberland vein runs through this county, are making preparations to bore 300 feet to the place where stood the tipple at Jonetta. Should they be successful, will sink a shaft and open on a large scale again. The Cumberland vein is seen, feet thick and a few years since, when boring for salt water, this vein was found on the Alva Maret Farm at a depth of 300 feet, which is on a direct line with the point where the new prospecting is to be done. The machinery for boring is expected to arrive at Orlando on a week, and the work will commence at once.

LIVINGSTON. Mr. W. T. Merilene and child ren have returned to their home in Paris after a short visit with Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Hogg.—Mrs. Joe Dickerson has been quite sick but we are glad to say is convalescing.

J. W. and 'Bobby' Baker were at Mt. Vernon Tuesday on business.—Conn Asher is learning telegraphy. His pleasant smile and friendly greetings are greatly missed at the counters of H. L. Davis' store.

Miss Leola Sambaok returned to Mt. Vernon Sunday where she is attending school at the Brown Memorial.—John Baker is quite sick of inflammatory rheumatism.

Old Uncle John Smith, has been very sick but is some better.—L. H. Davis is in the city buying Spring goods. Dock Calloway is attending the store during Mr. Davis' absence.

Joe Dickerson was in Mt. Vernon Tuesday, on business.—There was a wedding in town last Sunday and there will be another one soon. Just keep on guessing.—Will Shelton was in town Saturday and Sunday 'Keep a good heart, Will, school doesn't last all day as you know.—Hendin Mahaffey has charge of a R. & B. section at Lilly, Ky.—Mrs. R. J. Lemons is continuing her visit at Louisville.

Mr. Lear, the drummer, was with our merchants the latter part of last week.—T. D. Mullins and son, Mendell, were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Romeo Adams this week.

Chas. Preston has sold the store house belonging to his father, John Preston, to M. J. DePh. \$70 consideration.—Miss Anna Fish-back, who has been suffering of nervousness and partial paralysis, left for Louisville Friday to see a specialist. She reports to her mother as 'improving slightly.—George Delph, familiarly known as 'Tick,' was with relatives and friends here Tuesday and Wednesday.—Miss Nell McFerron was visiting her sisters, Mrs. W. I. Childress and Miss Georgia McFerron Friday and Saturday last week.—She returned to Mt. Vernon Sunday where she is attending school.

Mr. Ed Quinn is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Hayes.

'Pat Cook has gone' and 'one' plus several of our young ladies are wearing such sad faces, that it makes some of us old married folks want to put on mourning just through sympathy for them.—John Fields is here visiting relatives and friends.—Harry Lee was in London Saturday on business.—Grover Mullins fell and broke his arm Saturday while walking on stilts.

Will Carter moved into the house recently vacated by Champ Cummins. Mr. Cummins moved into the Gilford property, and Uriah Adams moved into the house vacated by Mr. Carter.—Mrs. Susie Hicks is some better at this time.

Geo. Gilpin and James Hall are erecting new fences around their lots, and J. C. Hecker is having a new roof put on his store house; Mrs. Sue Mullins is always having some improvements made; L. H. Davis will have his residence painted, beginning next week.

And now if everybody will take an interest and help us "push" we will have such a town as our wild-est dreams ever led us to imagine. There are new people coming 'ev'ry day, but if some of those old houses are not repaired or torn down we will lose the new citizens and lots of our old ones too, and then where would Livingston be? It is now Spring read citizens; put new roofs on your house; also with a little paint. Build up your 'horn down fences, clean up your yards, make everything look prosperous, and the result will be well satisfied with the results.

LAND, STOCK AND CROP. Charley Kidd bought of Will Arnold one pair of mules for \$375.

I. A. Bowman came in from Jackson Monday with 20 head of good yearlings for which he paid about 2 1/2 cents.

At Chicago there was an approximate increase over last year of 8,500 cattle and 1,500 calves, but a decrease of 71,000 hogs. Sheep receipts show slight decrease at Chicago, but a marked increase at Missouri river markets owing to stoppage of the Colorado crop there. Cattle selling at \$16 suffered a 50 cent break about the middle of the month, but recovered half of it before the close.

Hogs went to \$7.75, but the bulk however close around 7 cents, the bulk selling at \$6.75 during the month. Lambs sold largely at \$7.50 sheep \$6.40-5.75 and ewes \$4.80-5.25; the latter part of the month witnessing a 25 cent advance in sheep, but a slight decline in lambs. Liquidation of short-fed cattle was heavy and un-interrupted all through the month. Receipts for the two expired months of 1907 at Chicago show increases of 16,000 cattle, 15,000 calves and 27,000 sheep compared with last year, but decreases of 162,000 hogs and 4,000 horses. Chicago receipts since Jan. 1 display a decrease of about 1,000 carcads which may be attributed wholly to the short run of hogs.

HOW TO REMAIN YOUNG. To continue young in health and strength, says Mrs. N. E. Rowan, McDonough, Ga., did. She says: Three bottles of Electric Bitters cured me of chronic liver and stomach trouble, complicated with such an unhealthy condition of the blood that my skin turned red as flannel. I am now practically 20 years younger than before I took Electric Bitters. I can now do all my work with ease and assist in my husband's store. Guaranteed at all drugstores. Price 50c.

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Carlos Menefee will start a restaurant in the Store room recently vacated by J. Fish. Mr. Charles Redd, of Crab Orchard was here Wednesday in search of some good mules.

Mrs. Jane Passons, of near Langford, whom we reported in our last issue very sick, is dead. Ship stift at \$1.40 per hundred and hay \$1 per hundred makes pretty costly milk and butter and the indications are that the prices will still go higher.

Mr. Victor Brown, our new depot agent stole a march on his friends by getting married to Miss Smith, of Berea, last Thursday. They have taken rooms at the Pittman House.—Pittsburg Cor. London Local.

More improvements for Mt. Vernon. The side walk, extending from the corner at C. C. Williams' to U. C. Baker's is to be graded down and made of concrete. Johnson and Fish will also build concrete walks in front of their new buildings.

The increase in the number of pupils at the Brown Memorial for the Spring term has been so large, that it was impossible to accommodate all the students in the regular recitation rooms at the school, and rooms at the Langdon Dormitory are being used as recitation rooms.

Many farmers do not realize the immense advantages and labor saving possibilities in the telephone. By its use, one may learn from city or village the state of the market, the probable demand, any shortage that exists, and be prepared to take advantage of it promptly, while Mr. Slopoke is finding out too late that there was a break demand for the very goods you had to sell.

Tilman Gilpin was here yesterday for a few hours. He had been to London to attend the burial of his mother-in-law, Mrs. Mat McHargue, whose death occurred on the 4th inst. Mr. and Mrs. McHargue had arranged for all their children to be at home on Feb. 27, their 50th anniversary of their marriage, but on the 26, the day on which the children arrived, Mrs. McHargue was taken seriously ill and gradually grew worse until the end came. Mrs. Gilpin is still with her father at his home near London.

It is said that the County Unit Law is all but perfected, and is maintained by the Court of Appeals. Our information is to the effect that four of the six judges have agreed on this and that it is thought that the other two will finally concur with their associates, although at present they are not fully satisfied with the constitutionality of the measure at all points. The decision is held up on account of Judge O'Keary being in Florida on account of his health. He will return in about two weeks when the opinion will be handed down. There have been quite a number of lawyers who have taken the positions, that the law is unconstitutional, and as there will be about twenty-five counties affected by the decision it may be a matter of great importance.

Joe Patterson, an L. & N. fireman, was seriously burned coming through No. 3 tunnel, just south of Sparks Quarry Monday afternoon. For trains going North it is a very heavy grade and the smoke is almost stifling to those in the engine, so the firemen usually stand in front of the fire-box to avoid as much of the smoke as possible. Patterson was talking this advantage, and, unexpectedly the door of the fire-box flew open, the flames rushed out upon him, burning his clothing on fire and, setting them almost entirely off on the left side before the flames could be extinguished. His arm and side were so badly burned that when he was taken to the hospital he was dropping off. The suffering which he was enduring when he reached there was intense. Drs. Lovell and Southard were called and soon a temporary relief was given, dressed the wounds. Dr. Childress, of the Buff and Brown Leghorn mixed at 50 cts.

Mrs. W. H. BRANAMAN, 3-1-31. Near White, Ky.

Easter Sunday is the last day in the month. Farmers are losing no time when the weather will permit. My new hat for Easter is the center of thought among the fair sex. A. R. Spotswood is on the way to get a new mill in the Southern part of the county. Get your sovereign post-cards, views of Mt. Vernon and vicinity at Fish's cash store. Just received one of fertilizer, the old reliable Horse Brand. Call on Sowder & Co., of J. J. Smith, Broodhead, Ky. We have the largest assortment of ready trimmed hats for ladies ever brought to Mt. Vernon. J. R. ABRAMS. A town that never has anything to do on a public way is on the way to the cemetery. All citizens who will do nothing for their town is helping to dig the grave. A man that causes the town furnish the coffin. The man who is so selfish as to give no time from his own business to give to his fellow citizens is making a grave for himself. The man who will not be driving the hearse is always pulling down his public enterprise is always pulling down his town. The man who is bowling hard times prescribes the funeral, and thus the town lies buried from all sorrow and care. The Big Hill Coal Co., which operated at Jonnetta, for two or three years past, still have faith in the Rocking castle coal fields, and believe that the Cumberland vein runs through this county, and preparations to bore 500 feet at the point where stood Jonnetta. Should this be successful, it will sink a shaft a large scale than ever. The Rocking castle vein is seen a few years since, when it was found on the Alva Maret farm, a direct line with the point where prospecting is to be done. The machinery for boring was expected to arrive at Orlando this week and the work will commence at once.

Advertisement for 'Shield' brand clothing. Includes images of a man in a suit and a reproduction of a collar label with the text 'REPRODUCTION OF COLLAR LABEL' and 'SHIELD BRAND'. The main text reads: 'WHATS THE USE? Paying for that which you don't get? You get all you pay for if you buy "Shield Brand" Clothing for men, youths and boys, bearing label on collar as shown above. The retail price attached to sleeve is also a "Shield." Look for these marks when buying clothing. Prices \$7.50 to \$16.50. EVERY SUIT GUARANTEED FOR SALE AT FISH'S CASH STORE.'

LIVINGSTON. Mrs. W. T. Merrime and children have returned to their home in Paris after a short visit with Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Pope. Mrs. Joe Dickerson has been quite sick but we are glad to say is convalescent. J. W. and "Billy" Baker were in Mt. Vernon Tuesday on business. Conn Asher is learning telegraphy. His pleasant smile and friendly greetings are greatly missed at the country of H. L. Davis' store. Miss Leha Sambrook returned to Mt. Vernon Sunday where she is attending school at the Brown Memorial. John Baker is quite sick of inflammatory rheumatism. Old Uncle John Smith has been very sick but is some better. H. Davis is in the city buying Spring goods. Dock Calloway is attending the store during Mr. Davis' absence. Joe Dickerson was in Mt. Vernon Tuesday on business. There was a wedding in town last Sunday and it will be another one soon. J. J. keep on guessing. Will Shelton was in town Saturday and Sunday. Keep a good heart. Will school doesn't last always you know. Hardin Manafey has charge of a R. R. section at Lilly, Ky.—Mrs. R. J. Lemons is continuing her visit at Louisville. Mr. Lear, the drummer, was with our merchants the latter part of last week. T. D. Mullins and son, Mendell, were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Rome Adams this week. Chas Preston has sold the store house belonging to his father, John Preston, to M. I. Delph. For consideration.—Miss Anna Fishback, who has been suffering of nervousness and partial paralysis, left for Louisville Friday to see a specialist. She reports to her mother as 'improving slightly.' Mrs. Delph, familiarly known as "Titch", was with relatives and friends here Tuesday and Wednesday.—Miss Nell McFerron was visiting her sisters, Mrs. W. I. Childress and Miss George McFerron Friday and Saturday of last week. She returned to Mt. Vernon Sunday where she is attending school. Mrs. Ed Quinn is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Hayes.

Pat Cook has gone and "one" plus several of our young ladies are wearing such sad faces, that it makes some of us old married folks want to put on mourning just for sympathy for them.—John Fields is here visiting relatives and friends.—Harry Lee was in London Saturday on business.—Grover Mullins fell and broke his arm Saturday while walking on stilts.—Will Carter moved into the house recently vacated by Champ Cummins. Mr. Cummins moved into the Gilford property, and Uriah Adams moved into the house vacated by Mr. Carter.—Mrs. Susie Hicks is some better at this time. Geo. Griffin and James Hall are erecting new fences around their lots, and J. C. Hocker is having a new roof put on his store house. Mrs. Sue Mullins is always having some improvements made; L. H. Davis will have his residence painted, beginning next week. And now if everybody will take an interest and help us "push" we will have such a town as our wildest dreams ever led us to imagine. There are new people coming every day, but if some of these old houses are not repaired or torn down we will lose the new citizens, and lots of our old ones, too; and then where would Livingston be? It is now Spring dear citizens; put new roofs on your houses; also a little paint. Build up your torn down fences, clean off your yards, make everything look prosperous, and you will be well satisfied with the results.

HOW TO REMAIN YOUNG. To continue young in health and strength, do as Mrs. N. B. Rowan, McDonough, Ga. did. She says: Three bottles of Electric Bitters cured me of chronic liver and stomachic trouble, complicated with such an unhealthy condition of the blood that my skin turned red as flame. I am now practically 20 years younger than before I took Electric Bitters. I can now do all my work with ease and assist in my husband's store. Guaranteed at all drug stores. Price 50c. Little gloomies of sunshine that drive the clouds away, DeWitt's Little Early Risers will scatter the gloom of sick-headache and biliousness. They do not grip or sicken. Recommended and sold here by Chas. C. Davis.

fore the close. Hogs went to \$7.75 but the bulk however close around 7 cents, the bulk selling at \$6.75 during the month. Lambs sold largely at \$7.75, so sheep \$5.40, 5.75 and ewes \$4.80, 5.25, the latter part of the month witnessing a 21 cent advance in sheep, but a slight decline in lambs. Liquidation of short-fed cattle was heavy and uninterrupted all through the month. Receipts for the two expired months of 1907 at Chicago show increases of 16,000 cattle, 15,600 calves and 27,000 sheep compared with last year, but decreases of 162,000 hogs and 4,000 horses. Chicago receipts since Jan. 1, display a decrease of about 1,000 car loads which may be attributed wholly to the short run of hogs.

Advertisement for 'ROYAL BAKING POWDER'. Includes a large illustration of a woman in a crown and a decorative border. The text reads: 'ROYAL BAKING POWDER. Makes the finest, lightest, best flavored biscuit, hot-breads, cake and pastry. Renders the food more digestible and wholesome. ABSOLUTELY PURE. ROYAL BAKING POWDER CO., NEW YORK.'

