

MT. VERNON SIGNAL

MT. VERNON, KY., Nov. 22, 1907

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TIME TABLE

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LOCAL

All new things in Thanksgiving POST CARDS at Fish's.

The little son of Mr. and Mrs. John Fowler, of the Steegs' creek section, died last week.

There will be an oyster and ice cream supper at Brothead Thanksgiving night, for benefit of Baptist church.

Mat Cash, who escaped from the Lexington Asylum, was captured by W. H. Burton at Livingston last night and brought here this morning.

News reached here a few days ago that J. W. Nesbitt, a former citizen of this place, was dead at his home at Pennington Gap, Va., after an illness of several weeks.

Mrs. Emma Adkins had a sale of the property of the late Dr. S. W. Adkins Saturday evening, selling largely at good price.

The Pohutukawa Club have sent out almost a hundred invitations to their hop to be given at the Miller Hotel, next Wednesday evening.

The two banks will close hereafter at 3 o'clock P. M. instead of 4 o'clock. They were compelled to make this change, in order that they might have more time to work on the books and relieve the night work.

Our friend Willis Adams showed us this week a quail which had three fully developed wings, but it takes even more than three wings for the "Bob White's" to get out of Mr. Adams way if he ever gets within anything like a reasonable shooting distance.

Notice—All parties indebted to the estate of the late Willis Griffin, will please settle same at once as all business pertaining to the estate must be settled up without delay.

Gilmore Reynolds, agent for administrator.

A real gusher was struck last week in the untested portion of Wayne county and flowed two barrels a day, opening a new territory to the oil man.

Hugh Miller purchased the undertaking outfit of the late Willis Griffin last Friday. Tuesday Mr. Miller sold to A. B. Furnish, who has consolidated with F. Krueger & Son, the style of the firm.

Notice—All parties indebted to the estate of W. J. Renner deceased will please call at the residence of the undersigned and settle same at once.

A. M. Bradley, adm. Pongo, Ky.

Sunday's Courier Journal contained the picture of our fellow townsman Dr. A. G. Lovell, who is the delegate from E. Cocke to the State Development Association in session this week in Louisville.

REDUCED PRICES—For the next thirty days I am going to sell everything in my stock at reduced prices. I am not offering an "At Cost" sale, but am simply cutting prices in order to reduce my stock.

Uncle Henry Fish was here Tuesday making arrangements, to leave for an extended visit to Tennessee, Kansas, Arkansas, Missouri, and Outback Okla.

Dr. E. J. Brown, A. S. Price and Messrs. J. S. Rice and W. H. Williams are spending a few days at Mr. Allen Hatt's, near Brothead, and incidentally, killing quail.

Mrs. B. Henderson writes from Somerset, that her husband who is a brakeman on the O. & C. had been rather seriously injured in a wreck about two weeks ago, and was now in the hospital at Lexington, but was improving rapidly and would soon be out again.

Conflicting dates have been in the newspapers for the inauguration of Governor Wilson. The correct date is Tuesday December 10th, which is the "fifth Tuesday after his election," and fixed in the State Constitution.

Clude Chering spent Sunday with homefolks. Mrs. J. E. Woodall has moved her millinery goods back to her home in Main St. Arthur Botner was here a few days this week assisting with the Post Office.

GET READY FOR WINTER WEATHER STAR BRAND SHOES ARE BETTER

Cold weather will be here before you know it. Have you done your buying? Are you prepared for cold weather? If you have not, hurry up; hurry to our store and get choice of the big stock.

Men's Suits from \$7.50 to \$16.50.

Fine double-breast blue suits at \$13.50 and \$16.50.

OVERCOATS for men, from \$5.00 to \$16.50.

Knee and long pant suits for boys, all sizes and prices.

Shoes, and Rubbers for Everybody.

CLOAKS AND FURS for Ladies and Children.

We carry the best at the right price always.

Complete stock of UNDERWEAR for everybody.

Large Showing of MEN'S HATS

Now on sale. The next time you want a new hat buy a Rogers. They always

\$3.00



Men's Heavy Work CLOVES

Made of selected horse-hide stock, the best \$1.25 glove on the market today per pair

\$1.00

FOR SALE—A house and lot on Old Main street, back of court-house. Four rooms, with good well.

LIVINGSTON

Mrs. Ann Owens is visiting her son Steve Owens at Hugel Ky. Mr. Hugh Jessie has moved his family into the house on Main St. recently vacated by R. A. Sparks.

Mr. Will Hickey of Columbia Tenn., is here this week calling on a popular young lady.

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ROBT. COX.

Geo. Cook—Mrs. Lou Howell has returned to her home at Corbin after a few days spent here.

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James B. Marcum, James Cokerill, and Dr. B. D. Cox. The people of Winchester and Clark county have taken a deep interest in the outcome of the fact that the first of the famous trials in which Judge Hargis was directly interested took place in this city.

Strong teachers in all departments—High School, Grammar, Intermediate, Primary, Music, Cooking, and Sewing.

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My Hair is Extra Long. Feed your hair; nourish it; give it something to live on.

Ayers' Hair Vigor. It's a Risk. To buy clothes from a general appearance stand point, as all suits, even the poorest grades, look good before they are worn.



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IT'S A RISK. To buy clothes from a general appearance stand point, as all suits, even the poorest grades, look good before they are worn.

IT'S SAFE. To buy clothing with the Shield label as shown above, attached to collar.

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**Rapid changes of temperature are hard on the toughest constitution.**

The conductor passing from the heated inside of a trolley car to the icy temperature of the platform—the canvasser spending an hour or so in a heated building and then walking against a biting wind—know the difficulty of avoiding cold.

**Scott's Emulsion strengthens the body so that it can better withstand the danger of cold from changes of temperature.**

It will help you to avoid taking cold.

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Coffins, Caskets and Robes.  
All Mail, Telegraph or Telephone orders Promptly Filled.

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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.

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Andrews Kentucky.

**WINCHESTER**

**"NUBLACK"**  
Loaded Black Powder Shells

Shoot Strong and Evenly,  
Are Sure Fire,  
Will Stand Reloading.

**They Always Get The Game.**

For Sale Everywhere.

**DR. MILES' ANTI-PAIN PILLS**

FOR **Headache**

FOR NEURALGIA, SCIATICA, RHEUMATISM, BACKACHE, PAIN IN CHEST, DISTRESS IN STOMACH, SLEEPLESSNESS.

**TAKE ONE of the Little Tablets AND THE PAIN IS GONE.**

If you have **Headache** Try One

They Relieve Pain Quickly, leaving no Bad After-effects

**25 Doses 25 Cents**  
Never Sold in Bulk

**IF I ONLY HAD CAPITAL.**

The above words were recently uttered in our hearing by a worthy boy and undoubtedly they are often reiterated by many who are out of employment, or have little to do, or are doing to do. To all such we can give some capital, you have hands, feet, bone, muscle, health and a brain that is capable of doing more than the average man. What more capital has God given anybody? But if I only had a few thousands in cash capital, says the young man. But these are better than cash capital, for no one can take them from you, and with these you can earn cash.

One man of wealth and influence did not start with any cash capital. They went to work with their plow for the jack plane or ax, and in time their capital brought them a new harvest. All but the best of them would not want to work. You want money on credit so you can play the gentleman, speculate, and get your career by playing vagabond. You want to marry a rich girl, who will support you, while you wear fine clothes, smoke cigars and be a gentleman of leisure.

Shame on you, young man! Go to work with the capital you have and you will soon make interest money. Then it will give you as much money as you need. If you can not make money upon what capital you have, you could not if you had a large amount in cash. If you waste your present capital you would waste money if you had it. You do not start around a great helpless fellow, waiting for something to turn up, but go to work. Take the first work you can get to do and do it well. Always do your best, and if you manage your capital that God has given you, well, you will soon have plenty more to manage.

The world would be happier if every man were a little more generous with their praise. There is too much flattery but a word of just appreciation would cheer the heart and strengthen the hands of many a discouraged worker in the home, in the school, in the church, and in the world.

There was a man in Pittsburg who spent several years in knocking about from failure to failure. He tried his hand at a dozen occupations; had been by turn a messenger, telegraph clerk, bookkeeper, reporter, laborer at an oil well, and driver of a laundry wagon, and people were beginning to think he wasn't fit for much of anything. Then he got another job which looked like just another common clerkship. Twenty years later, thanks to the opportunity it opened to him, he was a millionaire several times over. A few many failures he had found the place he fitted, the place that he, perhaps was the only man who could fit.

Probably you could match this story with the experience of some friend of yours. I could tell several more of the same kind. But, when we tell them, let's not put too much emphasis on the "good luck" of the men who, though repeatedly knocked down, finally came to the top.

Let's not forget that they kept busy all the time at something, that they didn't lose their nerve, that they took care of their pennies, that they were always on the look out for a better chance and didn't let themselves sink into a rut. Such men invite luck.

Secretary William Howard Taft has reached Vladivostok on his return trip home. He will call on Emperor Nicholas of Russia December 4, leave St. Petersburg the next day and sailing early in December for America. He has declined to meet the German Emperor as he is in the interest.

**People's Cure for Stomach Ills**

It would be folly to say that a person should always be his own doctor. There are times when one cannot be too quick in consulting a competent and reliable physician, but the fact does remain that there are many ailments that can be cured at home at very little expense. Such remedies can be bought at any first-class drug store for a small sum.

Among the diseases that can be effectively treated at home are such as pertussis, the stomach, liver and bowels, bile congestion, dyspepsia, biliousness, flatulency, sour stomach, indigestion, headache, neuritis, etc. For these troubles there is no better remedy than **Chickadee's Stomach Cure**, and among his steadfast friends are the doctors themselves. In every instance they have nothing better to offer than the infallible medicine in a bottle, and hence the liberal case advice their patients to take it.

It is a fact, however, that at the commencement of a stomach ailment, it is better to take a simple remedy, and run to a doctor, but after the ailment has become chronic, take **Chickadee's Stomach Cure**. It is a fact that **Chickadee's Stomach Cure** has cured more cases of stomach trouble than any other medicine in the world. It is a fact that **Chickadee's Stomach Cure** has cured more cases of stomach trouble than any other medicine in the world. It is a fact that **Chickadee's Stomach Cure** has cured more cases of stomach trouble than any other medicine in the world.

**FREE TEST** Those wishing to try **Chickadee's Stomach Cure** may obtain a free sample bottle by sending a postal note for the purpose. This offer is to prove that the medicine is what it claims to be. Those who have never used it, send for it if you have any doubts. It is a fact that **Chickadee's Stomach Cure** has cured more cases of stomach trouble than any other medicine in the world.

**110 Caldwell Bldg., Mantoloking, Ill.**  
Sold by CHAS. C. DAVIS.

**A HARD DEBT TO PAY.**

"I owe a debt of gratitude that can never be paid," writes G. S. Clark, of Westfield, Iowa, "for my rescue from death, by Dr. King's New Discovery. Both lungs were so seriously affected that death seemed imminent, when I commenced taking New Discovery. The ominous cry, hacking cough quit before the first bottle was used, and two more bottles a complete cure." Nothing has ever equalled New Discovery for coughs, colds and all throat and lung complaints. Guaranteed by Chas. C. Davis druggist, cost \$1.00. Trial bottle free.

**Mount Vernon Monumental Works.**

**Manufacturer of and DEALER in Marbles and Granite Monuments of all kinds. Estimates furnished on application.**

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Let us make an estimate on work before placing your order.

All Work Guaranteed.

**FOR SALE**—One house and lot located in Livingston Ky. The house has 3 rooms and hall, good out-houses and cistern, all in good condition. Also a farm of 130 acres located on Big Hill, part in Reel castle and part in Jackson county, Fouse contains nine rooms, good out-buildings, well improved well watered and sufficient timber to run the farm. Address: G. M. BALLARD, Mt. Vernon Ky.

"Doctor what do think is the matter with my little boy?"

Who, it's only a cornified excretion, antiparasitically emitting from the germ of the annual refrigerator, producing a profuse source of irritability in the pericardial epidemics of the mental profanity."

"Ah, that's what I told Betsy, but she loved it was wurrums."

Attorneys representing Caledonia Powers filed at Georgetown a challenge to the entire venire summoned from Harrison county, on the ground that discrimination was shown in the summoning of the men. It is charged that Democrats were favored by the deputies who made up the venire. The entire day was taken up with the preparations of this motion to dismiss the panel, and the objection of the Commonwealth.

Leading Democrats in Delaware are organizing a boom for the residential nomination.

The Postmaster of Gasconade, Mo., Daniel A. Bugh, says of DeWitt's Kidney and Bladder Pills: "I am doing so well, and improving so fast in health that I can not say too much for your Kidney and Bladder Pills. I feel like a new man." DeWitt's Kidney and Bladder Pills are sold by Chas. C. Davis.

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Undertaker & Embalmer.

Complete LINE of Caskets, Robes, &c.

Orders by Telephone attended promptly.

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**The New Store**

Go to Carmical's for—  
Fresh Oysters, Coconuts, Grape-nuts, Pine Apples, Cocoa, Table Jelly, Prunes, Figs, Raisins; Shredded Wheat, Evaporated Pairs, Ice Cream, Jell-O, Baked Beans, Beef-steak, and Meats of all kinds.

All goods delivered in town. When you want groceries, call Phone 56-1

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Next door to Bank of Mt. Vernon, Mt. Vernon, Kentucky.

**Kantbebeat CLOTHING**

There is an Overcoat here for YOU

A big stock to select from.

The prices are right, the quality is right, the style is right.

"It pays to dress well." A man's personal appearance has much to do with his success in life.

Kantbebeat overcoats meet the demand for high class goods at prices within the reach of all.

We want to show you Why Kantbebeat clothes are "SUPERIOR TO TAILOR-MADE."

Drop in and look through the new line of suits and overcoats.

**Sold by J. Fish.**

**JONAS MCKENZIE**

You can't afford to miss the old reliable Store for your SPRING and SUMMER

**Dry Goods, Staple and Fancy Notions.**

We carry no shoddy, second-hand auction-sale goods, only the best, such as we can conscientiously recommend to our customers.

Call and see us when in need of anything in our line. Phone No. 83.

**JONAS MCKENZIE.**

**Female Weakness**

"Last Fall," writes Mrs. S. G. Bailey, of Tun-nelton, W. Va., "I was going down by inches, from female disease, with great pain. After taking Cardui, Oh! My! How I was benefited! I am not well yet, but am so much better that I will keep on taking Wine of Cardui till I am perfectly cured."

Despite the envious attacks of jealous enemies and rivals, Cardui still holds supreme position today [as in the past 70 years] for the relief and cure of female diseases. It stops pain, tones up the organs, regulates the functions, and aids in the replacement of a misplaced organ.

**FREE ADVICE**  
Write us a letter, describing all your symptoms, and we will send you Free Advice, in plain sealed envelope. Address: Ladies' Sanitary Department, The Chattanooga Medicine Co., Chattanooga, Tenn.

**At Every Drug Store in \$1.00 Bottles.**

**WINE OF CARDUI**

**CASTORIA**  
The Kind You Run Always Buy.

Great Bargain.—For sale 298 acres land on waters of Roundstone creek, near state tunnel. No improvements and only such timber as necessary to supply the necessary use on the land, 40 acres ridge land and level. Would make an ideal stock farm. \$97

of \$1.50 per acre takes the boundary. For further information address R. L. McFerron, Mt. Vernon, Ky., or this office.



NEW GOODS! NEW PRICE!

New Everything!

Every train brings them in. Everything for Fall and Winter that is New and Up-to-date Haven't time to write ads. Come and see the finest lines ever shown in this country.



ORLANDO.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Williams are rejoicing over a ten pound girl which arrived at their home on Monday of last week...

The child of Geo. Mullins who had pneumonia is convalescent. H. L. Smith was in Mt. Vernon Tuesday on business...

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Hackett of Dudley are visiting Mr. Sallie Ball Saturday and Sunday...

He was an upright christian and was a member of the Christian church at Chestnut Ridge.

ers who mourn for him deeply. But your loss dear friends is heavy gain. 'The Lord giveth and the Lord taketh away'...

L. C. L.

There is nothing better for stomachic troubles than KODOL which contains the same juices as found in a healthy stomach...

Secretary Cortelivo, with the approval of the President, has announced a issue of \$1,000,000 bonds to the extent of \$500,000,000.

ASIGNMENT PRAYER. May the Lord help you make Bucklen's Arnica Salve known to all...

A real gusher was struck last week in the untended portion of Wayne county and flowed two barrels a day...

MR. PRICE'S GOOD WORK.

Our neighboring county of Boyle seems to be the only one in the state which came up smiling with an increased Democratic majority after the Republic landslide of Tuesday...

It is a pleasure to note the lack of acrimony charges of fraud and corruption when a contest is over in the county of Boyle.

DeWitt's Carboidized Witch Hazel Salve penetrates the pores thoroughly, soothes and is healing and soothing. Good for piles.

SHALL WE PAY TAXES TO SUPPORT OUR SCHOOLS?

Every nation has crystallized into its public institutions its ideals of life. Go into any community and you will find there the best interest of its people manifested in its public buildings and public exercises.

It is needless for me to say that we need in Kentucky a better spirit toward our schools...

COATS AND JACKETS

Light and heavy weight Jackets and Coats for Ladies, from \$3 to \$15 We have a nice assortment. Come while our stock has not been picked over...

SILKS.

We have just received a nice line of silks from Chicago, markets from 75c to \$1.50 per yard. It will pay you to look our stock over.

HEAVY DRESS GOODS.

Our dress goods range in price from 22c to \$2 per yard. We know that our styles and shades are the latest.

OVER COATS.

Our stock is complete in this line and are selling them at one-half the regular price. Also a nice line of winter underwear, in fact, everything that a good dresser might want to keep off the cold.

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Mt. Vernon, Kentucky.

improvement with a freer hand. We need an educational awakening in our pocketbooks and bank accounts...

A good school in any community attracts to that community enterprising, well-to-do people who seek to take advantage of the school. If Kentucky would place herself in the most attractive position...

D. C. McDoogle Business Director, Eastern Kentucky State Normal School, Richmond, Ky.

HE FOUGHT AT GETTYSBURG.

David Parker, of Fayette, N. Y., who lost a foot at Gettysburg, writes: 'Electric Bitters have done me more good than any medicine I ever took.'

Returning confidence makes the financial outlook brighter than it has been for a week and the only thing that is causing trouble now is the tendency to hoard currency.

A special from London dated the 18th says: 'The most shocking tragedy in the history of London occurred at 10:30 a. m. here today, Robert Boyd Jr., Master Commissioner of Laurel county and a prominent attorney, shot and instantly killed James Sparks, one of the ablest and most prominent lawyers in Eastern Kentucky.'

Sparks also represented Lillie Hubb, who claimed to be a daughter of Judge Robert Boyd, deceased in which the woman seeks to break the will of Judge Boyd...

John C. McKee, a prominent London citizen, stated to the Evening Post reporter that Sparks walked into the Clerk's office, where Boyd was making a settlement in the case of 'Tip Sparks against Jordan Smith.'

had their hands in or about their feet pants pockets. 'Boyd quickly drew a thirty-eight revolver and fired. Sparks fell, crying 'Don't do that; you have killed me.'

There has been exhibited from time to time, in this country, and that far too often, a maraudin and uncalled sympathy for criminals of certain class. If a man commits some common crime, like larceny or burglary, but little notice is taken of the affair.

DeWitt's Little Early Riders are the best pills made. They do not grip. Sold by Chas. C. Davis.

You can't be well if you have a weak, irregular, tired out stomach. Neither can you be doing something to overcome it. Take some good reliable anti-spasmodic like KODOL for Dyspepsia.

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ANNOUNCEMENTS We are authorized to announce G. T. JOHNSON as a candidate for Court Clerk, subject to the action of the Republican party.

Bankers capitalists and financiers in New York generally approve the action of Secretary Cortelyou in issuing \$50,000,000 of Panama bonds and \$100,000,000 of certificates of indebtedness for the relief of the financial straits.

With the issue of these bonds bankers everywhere feel that the financial straits which has been experienced for the past few weeks will be greatly relieved. The effect upon our local banks has scarcely been felt and under their splendid management, no serious inconvenience need be expected as every precaution has been taken at all times to take to protect stockholders and depositors in either of our three splendid banks.

The Alabama Senate Tuesday passed the Criminal State Prohibition Bill by a vote of 32 yeas after an amendment had been inserted putting the time when prohibition shall go into effect as January 1, 1909. The bill will now go back to the House for concurrence. It is generally understood that the compromise bill will hold good.

The financial condition is taking on quite a different aspect, and those who have waited this long to get excited can safely wish a while longer. Instead of growing worse conditions all over the country, show marvelous improvements for the better each day.

This gloss of the financial situation, which some few are seeing so vividly, passed more than three weeks ago and it is only a recollection of what might have been and not a reality of what is.

BROADHEAD

Miss Jewel Francisco will leave today for a six week's visit to her sister, Mrs. W. E. Spraul, at Paris. —N. Giles Carter, of Gray, is here with his brother, Dr. W. F. Carter, for a few days. —Rev. A. J. Pike is holding a protracted meeting at Poplar Creek in Pulaski county. —C. H. Frith was in Mt. Vernon Monday on business.

Dr. O. O. Stone was in Crab Orchard Tuesday and Wednesday on professional business. —W. H. Benton and W. A. Dawsey, of Lebanon Junction, were out yesterday shooting a few quail. —Ab Winkler of Lebanon Junction, is here a few days the guest of his host, Mr. C. H. Frith. —Florence Ponder, of Woodbury, Owens came down from Corbin last week and spent a few days with home folks. —Mrs. A. J. Pike, daughter, Miss Eliza, and son, Chas. R., spent a few days of last week with Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Brown at Level Green.

G. L. Waterbury, of Canada, departed the two rigors in the lower part of the Citizens Bank building and will be found there prepared to do all kinds of photographic work. —J. G. Frith was in Brush Creek last week shipping out hamper. —Rev. Sipple filled his regular appointment at the M. E. Church last Sunday morning and evening. —J. W. Casper was in town Sunday calling on Miss Clyde Wilmont. —Robert Wilmont spent a portion of last week there, the guest of Miss Bettie Hicks. —John E. Evans left Tuesday morning for a month's trip through Northeastern Kentucky. —J. Thos. Pictor and family of Oolitic, Ind. are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Evans. —Dr. Harris, of Crab Orchard was up to see Gravelly Francisco Tharp. —M. C. Albright was in Pulaski county this week.

John D. Pike, of Lebanon Junction, is at home for a few days. The skating rink opened last Saturday night for the season. —Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Hilton and Miss Katie Cass came up from Stanford Sunday to spend the day with Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Cass. —Cashier and Mrs. J. W. Higheon visited relatives in Mercer county this week. —N. Giles Carter is in Louisville on business. —Thos. W. Evans, of Lebanon Junction, is at home for a few days. —G. F. Sutton is here from Louisville to spend a few days with his wife. —Your scribbler had the pleasure of enjoying one of the best "Quail dinners" at Lev. A. J. Pike's last Monday that he ever sat down to. And to say I did justice to it is expressing it in a light form. —A. E. Albright has just returned from a week's stay in Dayton, Mansburg, Hamilton and Cincinnati, Ohio. —Eugene Gentry spent a few days with home folks at Spiro this week.

TALK ABOUT TAXES

Various State Grangers On the Subject.

Called For Study of the Question by the Farmer For His Own Interest.

The farmers comprising the Grange organization that has done much to study the real interests of the farmer, has been doing a good deal of interest in the subject of taxation lately, and some very pertinent utterances on this question have been given out in the addresses of the Masters at annual sessions of various state Granges.

At a recent meeting of the Washington State Grange, the Master gave considerable attention to the question of taxation. He said, in part: "I urge every Grange in this state to take up the study of taxation in all its phases earnestly and seriously during the coming year, for I feel strongly that we farmers have heretofore neglected the importance of our own life by not understanding the fundamental principles of taxation."

Relieve the worst forms of Rheumatism, take a teaspoonful of the following mixture after each meal and at bedtime: Fluid Extract Dandelion, one-half ounce; Compound Kargon, one ounce; Compound Syrup Sarsaparilla, three ounces.

These harmless ingredients can be obtained from our home drug stores, and are easily mixed by shaking them well in a bottle. Relief is generally felt from the first few doses.

This prescription, states a well known authority in a Cleveland morning paper, forces the clogged-up, inactive kidneys to filter and cleanse the blood from poisonous waste matter and uric acid, which causes Rheumatism.

As Rheumatism is not only the most painful and tortious disease, but dangerous to life, this simple recipe will no doubt be greatly valued by many sufferers here at home, who should at once prepare the mixture to get their relief. It is said that a person who would take this prescription regularly, a dose or two daily, or even a few times a week, would never have serious Kidney or Urinary disorders or Rheumatism.

Cut this out and preserve it. Good Rheumatism prescriptions which really relieve are scarce, indeed, and when you need it, you want it badly. Our druggist here says they will either supply these ingredients or make the mixture ready to take, if any our readers so prefer.

NEWS ITEMS

Gov.-elect Wilson said in Washington Tuesday that he did not expect to make any recommendations for Federal appointments.

The affairs of the Borough Bank of Brooklyn, receiver which was appointed on Saturday, are being investigated by the grand jury.

National Bank Examiner Moxey was again on the stand all day Tuesday going over the books of John R. Walsh's defunct Chicago National Bank.

Chicago detectives are searching for Dr. Fred J. Peck, an official of the Honduras Government, who is said to have disappeared while in Chicago, November 5.

Former State Senator Thos. McCosca was indicated by the grand jury at Findlay, O., for alleged bribery in connection with the Standard Oil trial last June.

Factions in Cuba are split over the time for the next elections and three of them want a postponement for a year, being opposed to the candidacy for the candidacy by Gomez. It is believed that dissatisfaction will follow any decision in the matter or regardless of how the election ends.

The trial of B. Fult French, charged with complicity in the murder of Dr. B. D. Cox, was called at Beattyville by special Judge Dorey. Absence of several important witnesses caused a postponement of one day. Judge Dorey announced that the jury would be chosen from the citizens of some county other than Lee.

TALK ABOUT TAXES

Various State Grangers On the Subject.

Called For Study of the Question by the Farmer For His Own Interest.

The farmers comprising the Grange organization that has done much to study the real interests of the farmer, has been doing a good deal of interest in the subject of taxation lately, and some very pertinent utterances on this question have been given out in the addresses of the Masters at annual sessions of various state Granges.

At a recent meeting of the Washington State Grange, the Master gave considerable attention to the question of taxation. He said, in part: "I urge every Grange in this state to take up the study of taxation in all its phases earnestly and seriously during the coming year, for I feel strongly that we farmers have heretofore neglected the importance of our own life by not understanding the fundamental principles of taxation."

The constitutionality of state taxes is a question that has been agitated in the brief time I have been able to give it since my mind has been fully aroused to its importance. I have come to doubt very much of the wisdom of our present method of assessing state taxes. Section 2 of Article 1 of our state constitution is as follows: "The legislature shall provide by law a uniform rate of assessment and taxation on all property in the state, according to its value in money." (This is the general property tax similar to Kentucky.)

This above constitutional provision is similar to that of many of the western states and entails a system of taxation which has been tried in practice by all the states in the nation. It requires the application of the same rules of taxation to forms of property totally different in character. Most of the other states, such as New York, Connecticut, Massachusetts, New Jersey and Pennsylvania, have constitutions which impose no restraint on the power of the legislature, or very little more stringent than that imposed by the federal constitution. Those states have developed systems of taxation more in harmony with modern conditions.

The attempt to tax all kinds of property by the same rules, has in all times, and in all countries, imposed heavy burdens upon rural districts that cities and in a large degree has made the tax to be paid by each citizen, by the amount of this constitution, rather than by the opportunity to acquire wealth under the protection of the state.

The plan adopted by our state, Oregon, is to apportion the state tax in proportion to the revenue raised by each county. Oregon made the mistake of not carrying out the principle to its logical conclusion and the result is an unequal distribution of the tax to the entire revenue raised by each county, and all the taxing districts within each county.

It is very easy to see that the more highly developed and more densely populated a county may be, the more money it needs for local purposes in proportion to the taxable values and the more it is able to pay for the same. The tax apportioned in this manner will shift from the poorer and remote rural districts to the cities that they may hear, and impose it on the more highly developed and prosperous communities.

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A slight earthquake occurred Tuesday at Punta Arenas, Chile. Several houses were damaged, but there was no loss of life. At the annual meeting of the Atlantic Coast Line Stockholders at Richmond Va., the old officers and directors were re-elected.

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