

MT. VERNON SIGNAL

MT. VERNON, KY., Dec. 17, 1909

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TIME TABLE

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PERSONAL

Jack Gentry is preparing to move to Wilton.

W. M. Wallen and family leave next week for Texas.

J. C. Renner will leave first of the year for Oklahoma.

Mrs. Paris Sowder is visiting homefolks in Tennessee.

Miss Montie Martin, spent Saturday and Sunday with homefolks here.

James Fish, Jr., has Pneumonia and has been very sick but is better now.

Mrs. C. D. Sutton spent this week with her parents, Mr. and J. V. McKenzie.

The daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Tate, who was burned Tuesday died yesterday.

Rev. Powell Chestnutt preached an interesting sermon at the Presbyterian church Sunday morning.

Mrs. Sam Tatum is here from Crab Orchard having dental work done. She is the guest of Mrs. M. L. Myers while here.

Mrs. H. U. Magee stopped off for a short visit to her sister, Mrs. Ab Sparks, while enroute to Louisville to visit other relatives.

Miss Eva Fish will arrive this afternoon from Norton, Va., to spend the holidays with her parents, Mr and Mrs. G. C. Fish.

Mr and Mrs J. T. McDowd were in Louisville Tuesday and Wednesday.

Mr and Mrs V. P. Freeman came up and kept the children during their absence.

Atty. C. C. Williams returned Saturday from P. Neville where he secured a judgment in favor of Houchell against the Continental Coal Corporation in a personal injury case.

Mrs. Snodgrass has gone to Colorado to make her home with her son, Isaac Snodgrass. She was accompanied by Mrs. Rice, Robert Harry and Floyd Miller, who will spend several weeks in the west.

LOCAL

A Redmen's Lodge is being organized here.

Lost—A bunch of keys with E. Lechters name on them. Finder will receive reward by bringing same to this office.

By experience and training, we are prepared to do the best of watch and jewelry repairing. If you need anything in our line give us a call. Shop on Peoples Bank. We guarantee our work.

Nov. 19-1. F. L. MOORE.

For sale or exchange one pair No. 50 TULROD computing scales in first class condition. Will sell cheap for cash or exchange for plate top floor show cases. Write or phone.

J. FISH

For every purchase made from me, and for any repair job, in my line, watches, clocks, jewelry, spectacles, machine needle, bands, shuttles etc. I will give ONE RED CROSS XMAS CARD.

S. C. FRANKLIN

Mt. Vernon, Ky.

Notice—I have moved to Mr. Adams property on West Main, where I will continue my boarding house and will be better prepared for the accommodation of my customers. I ask a continuance of the patronage given us in the past.

Mrs. S. B. BORTNER

Colfax, Ky. and movements. Are all I have to sell. I hope you will never need them. For I wish you well. But if you have to have them, come around my way. I will try to have them. Write right or day.

O. O. OWENS

Mt. Vernon, Ky.

Local view post cards at Fish's

Do your XMAS SHOPPING IN EARLY.

Will exchange goods for fish at 65 cents per bushel.

T. ADAMS

FOR SALE—Thorough bred Fox Terrier pups, at \$5.00 each.

J. T. ADAMS

Mt. Vernon Ky.

Mr. Henry Fish tells us that of the four brothers there are yet living, the oldest being 86 and youngest 77. Only one death among them during past 74 years.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Magee filed petition in court Tuesday and adopted the 10 month's old baby which they recently got from one of the orphan homes in Louisville.

TAKE NOTICE—Those owing me accounts will find me R. F. D. No. 1 Berea Ky., and those who fail to hunt me up can call on Atty. J. W. Brown who will have my books and make settlement with him. My last notice to you. Mr. Brown will do the rest.

G. T. JOHNSON

Dirie Camp Modern Woodmen of America held a meeting Monday night and elected the following officers for the year 1910. Victor C. Tate, Consul; Walter H. Miller, Advisor; F. L. Thompson Jr., Banker; Chas. B. McKenzie, Escort; R. S. Albright, Watchman; S. B. McKenzie, Sentry; Will H. Fish, Clerk; Drs. D. B. Southard and W. D. Laswell, Camp Physicians. Thos. J. Nicely, Samuel W. Fields and Dr. W. D. Laswell were selected as the Board of Manager for the new year.

This Camp will meet regularly every second Monday night in each of the following places: Hall in Mt. Vernon and all visiting neighbors are welcome.

Bro. Walter E. Frazer, State Sunday School Evangelist will be at the Christian Church tonight, tomorrow night and Sunday in the interest of Sunday School. He requests that as many Sunday-school teachers be present Saturday afternoon as possible. He will have the stereotyped invitation to both old and young. Brother Frazer is a good teacher and the people of Rockcastle should feel proud to have a chance to hear what he has to say for the betterment of our Sunday Schools. The members of the Christian Sunday School are requested to attend the service at the Banner Sunday School of 10-9 by bringing as many boys and girls as possible.

MAURY—On Friday December 10th, Alvah Maret aged 81 died of a general breakdown of the system at his home near Wildie in the house where he was born and lived all his life and was buried in the family burying ground nearby. He had enjoyed good health up to within two or three years past. Mr. Maret was a successful farmer a kind neighbor and a useful citizen. He is the last one of the children of Mitchell and Glatsa Maret. Four children 25 grand-children and 2 great-grand-children are descendants left by him.

The four daughters are Mrs. Henry Brown of Lincoln county, Mrs. W. H. Jones, Mrs. Jones Fish and Mrs. Jones Hiatt, of this county. Of all the descendants of Alvah Maret only four bear his surname and they live in another State (Illinois) one son and two daughters died some years ago.

The prisoners broke jail again Monday night and all that wanted to made their escape "Peg Leg" the negro charged with breaking in Krueger's store, and Reese, charged with selling liquor, made their escape. Paul Rosa, colored, left but returned two days later of his own accord. Leger and another person charged with minor offenses, as soon as they found the others had escaped went to Jaffer Langford's home on Richmond street and told him what had happened and returned to the jail with him. When Rosa returned he asked Jaffer Langford to lock him up and with a small wire, such as "Peg Leg" had used two nights before, he opened the door and walked out. Reese escaped about two weeks ago and was captured by Marshal Britton of Livingston last Sunday. The jail, although it cost about \$3,000, is a substance in every particular and if the county expects to maintain a jail to hold the law breakers a few one or some decided improvements on the old one are absolutely necessary.



AT FISH'S

We are showing some very useful things which he would appreciate. People are buying more useful presents for their friends this year than ever before.

FOLLOW THE CROWD

TO OUR STORE AND SEE WHAT WE HAVE IN SUITS, OVERCOATS, SHIRTS, COLLARS, TIES, SOX, SUSPENDERS, HANDKERCHIEFS, GLOVES.

AND MANY OTHER THINGS FOR HIM. WE CAN PLEASE YOU—AND HIM

Come To-Morrow or Call To-Day.

MEN'S FINE SUITS AND OVERCOATS \$7.50 up to \$20.00.



BOYS' FINE SUITS AND OVERCOATS \$1.00 up to \$5.95.

CIRCUIT COURT.

Circuit court convened Monday with Judge F. R. Feland, of Lawrenceburg, one of Kentucky's ablest lawyers and Jurist on the bench, as special judge. Judge Jarvis the regular judge was prevented from being here on account of the serious illness of his son, Commonwealth's Attorney R. J. Bethurum, is at his post looking after the states' interest and making the violators live hard.

GRAND JURY.

Y. C. Buckner, Dave Mullins, John French, S. D. Hysinger, Rich Bradley, J. J. Hysinger, Z. R. Brock, Joseph Doss, Nathan Moore, John H. Cox, W. M. Moore, J. L. Thompson

PETTY JURY.

F. M. Treadway, Ben Brummet, J. C. Batten, Grassville, Leeco, Harvey Chaney, M. F. Craig, Carl Childers, Jas. Rickles, J. C. Gibbs, D. L. Bryant, James Head, P. L. McFerron, Theo Pig, Thos Kirby, Hardin Moore, W. C. Burdette, W. R. Dickerson, W. H. Lewis, Larkin Aboey, Josh Boreng, James Pannel, R. E. Bell, L. R. Bond, J. F. McNew

used; Dillard Allen fined for Geo. Childers pistol acquitted; John B. G. Miller \$50 each in two case for selling liquor and Ben Cummins \$50 in one case; Per Rigby for killing Greely Lair case continued.

Divorces were granted in suits of Mrs. Sidney Smith against Harvey Smith and of James F. Robinson against Elora C. Rubinoff.

The case against R. P. Pike for the killing of Joe Metz was called Wednesday when both sides announced ready. The following men were selected as jurors to try the case; Harvey Chaney, M. F. Treadway, J. F. McNew, P. L. McFerron; Jerry Roberts; Frank Cox, J. J. Brown, Wal Chastean J. H. Sowder, M. P. Bullock, F. F. Bullock, and W. J. Warren.

The taking of the evidence was begun yesterday afternoon.

If you have pictures you want framed bring them to us, we have over thirty different designs in moldings and we make the price right. Place your order at once for the holidays.

S. B. McKENZIE & Co. Jack Sutton, a Rockcastle man who recently moved to Iowa writes that he sold a six year old iron gray stallion, which he took with him, from this county for \$1000.00. The same horse sold a year ago here for \$125. This shows what people in other states think of Kentucky horses.

ROBERT—Last Friday night J. Fish's Clothing and Shoe store was broken into and robbed of some suits, overcoats shoes and other articles amounting to something like one hundred and fifty or two hundred dollars. About five dollars in cash was missing, also blood hounds were here on the 11:44 A. M. train Saturday and her little if any clue was found.

SALE.

On Saturday, January 1st 1910, in the home of Boone's, the following home and goods of Anderson I will sell my household and kitchen furniture, cows, one horse and a cow milk.

Terms: All over \$10 will be paid on six months time. All under \$10 cash.

An entertainment consisting of drills, recitations, music and a play entitled "A Perplexing Situation" will be given by the Broadhead Graded School Wednesday evening Dec 22. Admission FREE every body cordially invited.



The Red Cross Christmas stamp had its origin in Boston, where stamps or "stickers" were first sold in this country to raise money for philanthropic purposes. The first surplus of these stamps have printed and are on sale at S. B. McKenzie & Co., furniture store J. Fish's store, Cox Bros store; J. N. Noe's store; Mrs. Cleo Broder's millinery store; Sowder & Durbin's barber shop and at the Post office. They sell at one cent each and it is expected that the people of Mt. Vernon and Rockcastle county will buy them in liberal quantities for use as Christmas greetings, so letters and packages sent to friends during November and December. An effort will be made to have business houses, professional men, lodges and other organizations use the stamps on their outgoing mail, not only because the stamps are attractive and carries a hearty greeting but for the better reason that the money from the sale goes into the Red Cross fund for the suppression of tuberculosis in Kentucky. Every stamp sold is a bullet in the Red Cross warfare against the white plague in this State.

These stamps will carry any kind of mail but any kind of mail will carry the stamps.

There is no way of improving a man's health by consuming the most luxurious food which he can get, unless he will add to it with some of the health giving properties of the Royal Baking Powder.

Drum: All over \$10 will be paid on six months time. All under \$10 cash.

W. A. Fischer is here on a visit for a few days and we believe "Cotton" has his eye on Mt. Vernon again.

S. W. Davis was in Louisville this week to see about his electric light plant. We hope nothing will retard the progress of this much needed improvement.

The Woman's Club has rented a suite of rooms over J. T. Adams' store and will establish reading rooms. All the standard magazines and best periodicals will be on hand for the inspection of those who desire to spend a short while there each day. It is expected that these books, papers and magazines will be counterbalanced by increased parties and anyone desiring to make any contribution, same will be thankfully received.

The following is a very truthful remark: "The man who grows up in his native town is regarded as a boy by his elders until he is well started down the declivity of life that ends in a hole. The stranger who comes into a place is more often pushed to the front than the young man who has grown up with the town. This is the reason why so many young men become dissatisfied with their home surroundings and long to cast their lot in other quarters."

There are always a good many people who keep the balance of the community busy wandering how they live so well.

CASTORIA. Read the Castoria Book. Best Signatures of Castoria.



Ayer's Hair Vigor. Ingredients: Sassafras, Cayenne, Glycerine, Olive Oil, Castor Oil, Perfuming. Anything injurious here? Ask your doctor. Anything of merit here? Ask your doctor. Will it stop falling hair? Ask your doctor. Will it destroy dandruff? Ask your doctor. Does not Color the Hair.

CHAS. C. DAVIS,
Leading Druggist,
MT. VERNON, KY.



MT. VERNON'S XMAS STORE

OFFERS MANY NICE SUGGESTIONS

What to Buy For Christmas

WHAT TO BUY FOR MEN

- Leather cuff and collar box
- Leather tourist case
- Stagg or ebony military brush
- Stagg shaving set
- Whole leather bill book
- Ebony tie and brush holder
- Stagg whiskbroom and holder

WHAT TO BUY FOR LADIES

- Handsome stagg toilet case
- Handsome ebony toilet case
- Handsome silver toilet set
- Handsome manicure sets
- Handsome gold jewelry case
- Handsome piece of cut glass
- Handsome pictures
- Handsome ebony comb and brush set

WHAT TO BUY FOR CHILDREN

- Large doll or tool case
- Nice piano or toy bank
- Large trunks or croquet sets
- Toy bed or base ball game
- Toy furniture or merry go-round
- Toy dishes or toy trains
- Doll hats or toy games
- A. B. C. blocks or toy everything

Lowney's Candies from 10 cents to \$5.00

Visit The Christmas Bazaar

CHAS. C. DAVIS

Leading Druggist,

Mt. Vernon, Ky

P. H. SHUTTS ON ROADS

The action of the people of Mt. Vernon on my tramping proposition makes me reflect on what my old friend J. I. White said about Rockcastle. It looks like just now as though his prognostications will come true, as the people of this county are not apt to revise the pike question for many years if we fail this time after making the progress that we have toward getting one started.

I know from experience the feelings of Mr. W. J. Sparks when he wrote his article withdrawing his offer, as I have offered more than say forty men and they would approach me on the subject that was financially worth a half dozen times as much as I. I am that I don't give any thing not even a good word for the cause, would make me feel like going way back and sitting down. But that won't do. What would be the condition of the world, religiously speaking, if all christian workers in the past, would have gotten disheartened and quit the cause of christianity just because the rest of the world could not be converted to the faith of Christ. So if any good cause is ignited and a man is convinced that it is O. K., and that he is able to contribute for its advancement that he should push the cause on to completion, or till all chances are vanished. Mt. Vernon has many good and enterprising citizens and it is my prediction that if this simple piece of road is built, that there is a bright future awaiting them. As the existing road, as it is, has been so far from having the very best road throughout the section of Ky. proposed, they want them. It was the intention of the promoters of the proposed piece of road to make a sample by which we may estimate the work that will be done. As the road will be built, we will have the money with us. Then when both sides of the advantages pointed out to the people we will petition the county court to hold an election for the purpose of raising something like

out the county where even the people will subscribe a sum equal to 75 or 80% of the amount to be put on any road in the county. Then if bond issue carried there certainly should be a pike from Gumsphel at the Lincoln county line and run by way of Brodhead, Mt. Vernon to Livingston, Laurel county line. Complete line from Bromo to Puka's county line. Then one down Stagg's creek by way of Hansford and a road or two leading off toward the Madison and Garrard county line and elsewhere in the county. With all these pikes made we could have consolidated schools which would mean a great deal to Mt. Vernon and country people around.

Now good people of Mt. Vernon don't be like the people were in the Freedom neighborhood, I will still and let us get worried and try the people of Brodhead to see if they want the simple road and possibly a consolidate school. I don't intend to give it, up till I try both places to vain. But I believe there is enough people in Mt. Vernon that are not living alone for themselves to help in this good cause. If the good people will just give accordance to the way he has been progressing we will build a monument to our memory that will live any day that our friends might have put to the head of our graves.

CATARRH CANNOT BE CURED

with LOCAL APPLICATIONS, as they cannot reach the seat of the disease, and in order to cure it you must use a medicine that reaches the seat of the disease. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People is such a medicine. It was prescribed by one of the best physicians in the country for years and is a reliable prescription. It is composed of the most delicate and purest ingredients, and has the power of acting directly in the mucous membrane of the throat, and of reaching the seat of the disease. It is a medicine that will cure Catarrh, and the strain that comes from it. It is a medicine that will cure Catarrh, and the strain that comes from it. It is a medicine that will cure Catarrh, and the strain that comes from it.

CITIZEN REPLIES TO TAX PAYER.

Mt. Vernon, Ky., Dec. 15, 1909.
Mr. Albright, the Editor: I have been much impressed with the truth contained in the articles from the "Tax-payer" and most heartily agree with him that our leading citizens do not take the interest or do the work they should to advance the looks and business of our town and county. The highest and best interests of this community should move them to action and leadership. It is a wise dollar invested in public improvements or in the cause of education. The best evidence of local pride and devotion to municipal interest is by an active participation of our people in promoting substantial public improvements.

What is necessary to have a good town with a splendid appearance? To our mind, these are the essentials:—a first class hotel; convenient water; splendid lights; fine educational buildings with the citizens taking an active interest; business concrete side-walks, with combined curb and guttering; a clean, attractive barber shop, with bath and hot and cold water; well kept and handsome public buildings; together with nicely painted private residences. The stranger comes within our midst, with money to spend. He inspects the hotel, walks over the streets, glances at the show, looks for a seat, observes our stores, our side-walks, our streets, our school buildings and churches. Mt. Vernon has lost many dollars because our people were not wide awake and we did not have these things to furnish those who are able and willing to pay for them. It is not for nothing that we are now the healthiest town in the county. It is the healthy cooperation and public spirit of the people in the town.

What the "Tax-payer" suggests is, that we should get together and do what we can to improve our town. We should have a good hotel, a first class hotel, convenient water, splendid lights, fine educational buildings with the citizens taking an active interest; business concrete side-walks, with combined curb and guttering; a clean, attractive barber shop, with bath and hot and cold water; well kept and handsome public buildings; together with nicely painted private residences.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

1 or one of my deputies will on Monday Dec. 27th 1909. (It being County Court day) between the hours of 9 a. m. and 4 o'clock P. M., sell to the highest bidder the following tracts of land to satisfy taxes and court against same.
R. L. McFERRON, S. R. C. District No. 1, 1909.
Cox, G. B. 2 acres land near Wm. Owens, tax and cost \$4 61
Cummings, J. B. 1 acre land near Pete Cummins, tax and cost 4 61
Kerby, J. D. to acres land near R. B. Kerby 2 pr. 5 20
Owens, Mort, 25 acres land near Marcet Warren, tax and cost 4 09
Pear Maret, 48 acres land near R. C. Jones, tax and cost 3 70
Riddle, J. G. 60 acres land near J. W. Riddle, tax and cost 8 20
Stokes, J. W. one acre land near Green Cox, tax and cost, 3 years 1907, 1908 and 1909 5 27
Stephens, W. F. 65 acres land, tax and cost 6 70
Thomas, W. K. 5 acres land near Geo. Doan, tax and cost 3 23
District No. 2, 1909.
Paquay, Shirlee, 30 acres land near J. L. Jones, tax and cost \$5 35
Harrace, Jones hrs. 35 acres land near Wm. Dowell, tax and cost District No. 3, 1909.
Blazer Bro. & Hart 50 acres land near Mt. Peg tax and cost \$5 60
Berry, John 25 acres land near Robert Smith, tax and cost 3 25
Lesco John 5 acres land near J. C. Finner, tax and cost 2 23
Kandale, Sal 25 acres land near Wm. Kirby, tax and cost 4 49
Mobby, Sarah heirs 22 acres land near Wm. Kirby tax and cost 4 77
Bloom, Wm. 37 acres land near Thos. Smith, tax and cost 10 25
Bishop, Sarah heirs to serve land near Wm. Kirby, tax and cost 4 77
Crawley, John and others 20 acres land near J. W. Wood, tax and cost 10 25
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RICH MEN'S GIFTS ARE POOR

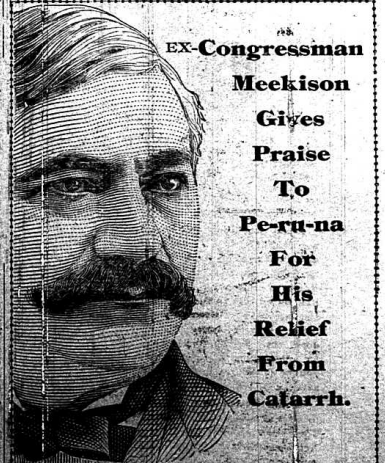
besides this: "I want to go on record as saying that I regard Electric Bitters as one of the great gifts that God has made to woman," writes Mrs. O. R. Rubezahl, of Vermont Center, N. Y. "I can never forget what it has done for me." This precious medicine gives a woman's highest spirits, vigor of body and robust health. It cures all nervousness, Headaches, Backache, Fainting and Dizziness. Sold by all druggists. Write for a free trial bottle to J. C. Clark & Co., 100 N. 3rd St., St. Louis, Mo.

THE BEST PILLS IN THE WORLD

Early Riser—the safe, easy pleasant and sure little liver pills DeWitt's Carbolized Witch Hazel Salve is the original. Good for cuts, burns or bruises and especially for piles. Sold by C. C. Davis, Dec. 17, 1909. W. B. Stinson, Wildie, Ky.

For Sale—One house and lot in Livingston and my farm of 100 acres near Round Pine section well improved. Will sell at bargain. W. B. Stinson, Wildie, Ky.

HAD CATARRH THIRTY YEARS.



EX-Congressman Meekison Gives Praise To Pe-ru-na For His Relief From Catarrh.

BY CONGRESSMAN MEEKISON COMMENTED AS FOLLOWS: "I have used several different medicines for my catarrh, but I have never found any that will cure it. I feel compelled to believe that if I take a short time longer I will be fully cured of my catarrh of thirty years standing."—David Meekison.

Dr. J. C. Clark & Co., 100 N. 3rd St., St. Louis, Mo.

A BIG COLLECTION OF GOODS.

We are offering to the people of Rockcastle county the largest and most complete line of Goods from high to make your Fall and Winter selections, ever brought to Mt. Vernon. Our large store room is full from top to bottom, with the best selected stock of good and which we are selling at the best price offered by any store in Mt. Vernon. We have the goods and to verify our statement that we have a full, complete and well selected stock, we invited all to visit our store, examine our goods, get prices and see for yourselves whether we are right or wrong. It costs nothing to look and we are only too glad to show what we have, whether you buy or not.

We quote a few prices:

SHIELD BRAND CLOTHING

Overcoats made with regard to fit and service. These two essentials, as well as style, are found in the "Shield Brand" garment, built to meet every possible requirement demanded by either weather or wearer. Correct lengths, full width and artistic designing furnish the style. A cold winter day will prove the reliability of the "Shield" Overcoat.

"Shield Brand" Overcoats. The top notch of style and quality. Sold in seven grades at seven prices, ranging from \$10.00 the lowest, to \$20.00 the highest. Each garment bears two shields, one gives price, the other protection. Look for the "Shield." It means satisfaction.



GUARANTEED
This is the label that is sewed to inside of the coat collar of all "Shield Brand" overcoats. "Shield Brand" overcoats or boys are no mark.

MEN'S SUITS From \$10.00 to \$18.00.
BOY'S SUIS From \$1.50 to \$5.00.

OVERCOATS

Have you examined our line of overcoats, especially our line of "Rain Coats." We have them from \$8.00 to \$15.00

ODD PANTS

We have them in endless quantities to fit all sizes from \$2.00 to \$5.00

UNDERWEAR

Men's Underwear 50c to \$1.—Ladies' Underwear 50c to \$1.25
Children's Underwear for all ages.

SHOES

We carry the Hamilton Brown and Walk-Over suoes, and there are none better made as every one knows, and will testify who has ever worn them.

FOR MEN \$3.50 to \$5.00.
FOR LADIES \$2.00 to \$3.50.

NOTIONS

If it is notions you want we have them and our price is right. If you don't see what you call for it, we will supply your wants.

F. KRUEGER & SON

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ANNOUNCEMENTS.

We are authorized to announce HON. HARVEY HELM as a candidate to succeed himself as Representative from the Eighth Congressional District subject to the action of the Democratic party.

In this issue appears the announcement of Hon. Harvey Helm as a candidate for re-nomination for Congress from the Eighth Kentucky District. Mr. Helm has served his people faithfully and well, and as such now comes before them asking another endorsement. Relative to his asking for a third term, which some have said he should not do, Mr. Helm gave the following interview:

"I will certainly be a candidate to succeed myself in Congress. There is no precedent in the Eighth Kentucky District for two-term congressmen, and such a precedent should not be established. My predecessor served eight years and his predecessor for twelve. The last years of their service were most useful to their constituents. I have never made the statement that I would not be a candidate for the third term.

Several of the Democratic Congressional committees in Kentucky have already met and fixed the time and method for nominating congressmen. The same should be done in the Eighth District to avoid complications with the state laws which are already attracting attention.

BRODHEAD.

Rev. W. G. Tilford preached at the Baptist church Wednesday night—Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Salin were down Wednesday to see Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Hutchesson—Mrs. Augusta Potts is in Hot Springs, Ark., for a short visit—Louis Hunt is numbered with our sick this week—Miss Eva, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Tate happened to a very painful accident. She was alone in her room, and her younger sister, Miranda, having just gone in another room. When she returned she found Eva in a solid mass of flames. We hope it will terminate in nothing serious. Don't forget to see all that will be going on during the holidays for Xmas comes but once a year and it will be a long time to wait.—John E. Isaacs is here from Gravel-Switch assisting in the bank.—Woodward Owens is visiting in Keavy this week.—Mrs. G. W. Brooks has returned home after a ten day's visit to her mother, Mrs. M. E. Whitton.

BROWN MEMORIAL SCHOOL.

The open meeting of the girls literary society will be held next Tuesday evening in the school chapel. This meeting was scheduled for Thanksgiving, but had to be postponed because of sickness. The program consists of music by the girls plus a short literary program and a one-act play entitled "The Mouse Trap." The public are cordially invited. On Wednesday of next week at 2:30 in the afternoon the primary and intermediate departments will give a Christmas entertainment in the school building.

School will close next week for a two week's vacation, opening again January 5th, 1910 when we hope to see not only the old pupils in their places, but many new ones.

All those who expect to enter school after Christ mas who have not made arrangements as to board are asked to communicate with Miss McCord at once.

Arrangement have been made with Mrs. Sue Butler to take all new can not be accommodated at the Dormitory. She will be responsible to the faculty for the observance of the rules of the Dormitory. Terms can be learned by writing to Mrs. McCord or Mrs. Butler.

A NASHVILLE INCIDENT.

"A grim little urban with a bundle of newspapers stored on Nashville's ban-drug store on whose door stands out the Red Cross Christmas Stamp last season. Rather diffidently he approached the clerk and said, 'Aw, say, Mister, have you got any of them stickers I see on the door?' Them with the crosses on them?" "Whv, yes," answered the clerk. "What do you want with them? Got many Christmas things to send off, or many letters you'd like to send with them?"

Sadly the little boy shook his head. "No, no letters and no Santa Claus packages. We ain't had no Christmas at my house since my daddy went away, and I can't write much, no way. But say, Mister, will them stickers go to cure consumption? Somebody told me they do and what I get just one for?" The sooty little hand reached for his pocket. "I want one to cure my mamma; she's got consumption."

If you are a kicker and see the shadows of failure in everything that is proposed to help the town, for heaven's sake go into some secluded canyon and kick your own shadow on the clay bank and give the one who are working to build up the town a chance. One long faced, hollow-eyed, whining, capping chronic kicker can do more to keep away business and capital from a town than all the droughts, short crops, chick hogs, cholera and bittrands combined.

Here is the way the papers will write up weddings ten years hence: "The bride looked very well in a traveling dress, but all eyes were centered upon the groom. He wore a dark suit that fitted his form perfectly and in his dainty gloved hand he carried a small rose. His curly hair was being fully done and a delicate cloud of hair curl of the best quality floated down the aisle as he passed. The young people will miss him now that he is married. He is loved by all for his many unobtrusive, but his trade grace and winning ways. The bride commanded general attention by the beauty of the dress she wore. Her hair was done in the latest fashion and she was a picture of grace and beauty."

FREE TO OUR READERS.

We take pleasure in announcing that we have arranged with the well known firm of E. C. DeWitt & Co., Chicago, Ill., for them to send one full box a week's trial of their wonderful Little Kidney and Bladder Pills to each reader and subscriber of this paper. These pills are highly recommended and are an excellent preparation for all forms of Kidney and Bladder trouble. If you are suffering with lancet back, backache, weak kidneys and inflammation of the bladder, send your name and address today to E. C. DeWitt & Co., 1127 1/2 LaSalle Ave., Chicago, Ill., and they will send you absolutely free, a full box of their Kidney and Bladder Pills, postpaid. Be sure to take advantage of this offer promptly and don't fail to mention this paper when sending your name and address.

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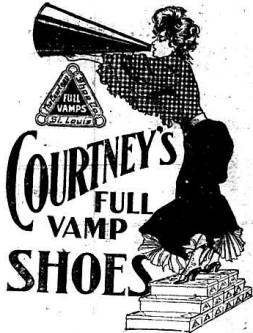
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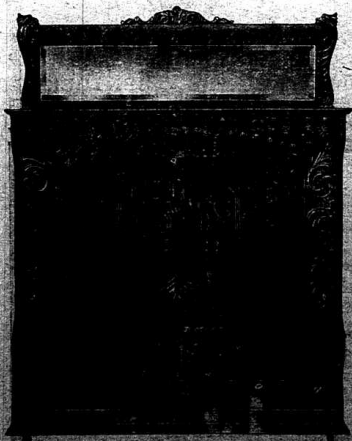
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SHERIFF'S SALE

(Continued from first page.)

Mullins, Mod. 330 acres of land near Mrs. J. C. Mullins, tax and cost for 1907, 1000 1000 38 11
McGuire Rife 235 acres land near Car Allen, tax and cost 12 17
Mullins, L. D. (Nick) 65 acres land near Taylor Mullins tax and cost for 1908, 1909 7 75
Metzler, Ben 18 acres land near Ogline Griffin tax and cost for 1907, 1908 4 52
McLurge W. M. 75 acres land near Thos Head, tax and cost for 1908-1909 10 23
Owens, John to acres land near Owen Allen, tax and cost for 1908-1909 6 75
J. Reese R. T. 65 acres land near Tom Griffin tax and cost 4 62
Shepherd C. C. 100 acres land near Dick Barrett, tax and cost for 1907, 8, and 9 24 62
Singleton, Willis 50 acres land near John R. Alcorn tax and cost for 1907, 8 and 9 8 78
Thomas, Rev. 75 acres land near J. H. Adams tax and cost 5 15
Thomas, John 25 acres land near McLurge tax and cost for 1908 and 1909 7 24
District No. 6.
Anderson, W. F. 84 acres land near G. W. Anderson tax and cost 7 40
Clark Henry, 100 acres land near Jack Abney, tax and cost for 1908 and 1909 13 42
Clark, Garfield 140 acres land near W. H. Johnson, tax and cost for 1907, 8 and 9 35 73
Coffee, Joe 100 acres land near Alvy Maret, tax and cost 17 34
Helton, Charles 2 acres land near A. G. Helton, tax and cost for 1907 and 9 7 19
Hickey, Craig 10 acres land near W. A. Hickey tax and cost for 1908 and 9 5 21
Hickey, F. R. 25 acres land near D. Gray tax and cost 6 70
Lasswell, Jerry 50 acres land near David Lasswell, tax and cost for 1907 and 9 16 74
Mullins, Dave 3 acres of land near B. G. Mullins tax and cost 4 25
Mullins, Emley's heirs 100 acres land near T. R. Mullins tax and cost 9 72
Robinson, Steven J. 83 acres land near W. F. Anderson tax and cost 6 15
Stetford, Alex 50 acres land near John McHargue tax and cost 7 12
E. J. Williams one town lot in Orlando tax and cost 6 45
Woods, J. L. 10 acres land near Owen Allen tax and cost 4 90
District No. 7.
Pennington, Larkin 1 acre land near J. Boreing tax and cost 5 15
Ponder, Thomas nr 37 acres land near J. W. Ponder tax and cost 2 72
Reb. Mrs M. J. 1 acre land near Jim Hank 4 00
Shadwell, Will or 42 acres land near M. Durban, tax and cost 3 55
Smith, W. T. nr one town lot in Livingston tax and cost 4 05
Williams, Chas 1 acre land near Jim Collins tax and cost 3 22
Hanks, Jas 1 near John Gentry tax and cost 3 50
Cash, Mat 30 acres land near S. F. Sams, tax and cost 3 35
Crawford, J. C. 140 acres land near Joe Griffin tax and cost 6 00
Durban John H. 25 acres near Joe English tax and cost 4 64
Elmore B. S. nr one town lot in Livingston tax and cost 5 60
Hauks, W. R. 1 acre land near Lige Wallin, tax and cost 6 15
Hellard, Geo. 30 acres land near H. Shelly, tax and cost 4 61
Hickney heirs nr 100 acres land near J. C. McGuire tax and cost 3 93
Jones, John 50 acres land near Caleb Cope, tax and cost 6 62
Marshall, Gabe or 50 acres land near W. M. French tax and cost 3 00
Martin, Tom 50 acres land near Alice French tax and cost 7 00
May, Chas 50 acres land near J. W. Ponder tax and cost 5 15
Morgan, H. M. 10 acres near Wm. Naifer, tax and cost 5 83
Mullins Wm 15 acres land near Robert French tax and cost 5 53
Nichols, W. T. nr one town lot in Livingston tax and cost for 1907, 8 and 9 11 43
Ponder heirs 100 acres land near J. P. French tax and cost 4 83
Johnson R. M. 30 acres land near G. W. Decker, tax and cost 5 00
Miss Humphrey, nr 100 acres land near J. L. Cooper tax and cost 5 00
Whitaker heirs 50 acres near J. L. Cooper tax and cost for two years 2 00

Frank Robins tax and cost 4 53
Migfield, Corlie 25 acres land near W. Busse tax and cost 4 45
Hall, Wm 90 acres land near Wm. Moplin two vt tax and cost 11 10
Halcumb, B. D. 75 acres land near B. O. Anderson 5 82
King, M. C. nr 9 acres land near W. E. King tax and cost 3 55
Lynch, W. H. nine town lots in Brodhead tax and cost 6 71
Paragon, Robert nr town lot in Brodhead tax and cost 3 85
Pickett, W. H. 28 acres land near J. Winkler tax and cost 5 14
Piper, Wm. 50 acres of land near A. J. Haggard tax and cost 4 10
District No. 11.
Abney, John's heirs 80 acres land near Elijah Abney tax and cost 4 58
Abrams, Lewis, 83 acres land near Frank Dooley tax and cost 5 71
Baker, C. T. 60 acres land near Marion Sexton tax and cost for 1907 and 8 7 37
Ballinger, Julia 50 acres land near Jim Chidress tax and cost 3 03
Chastain W. J. 160 acres land near Wesley Abney tax and cost for 1908 and 9 10 65
Hines, D. 37 acres land near Roberts, tax and cost 7 54
Jordan, Riley 105 acres land near Jack Abney tax and cost 8 83
McGuire, Rufus 50 acres land near Joe Wilson, tax and cost 4 05
Mullins, W. D. deceased 100 acres land near Ap Laswell tax and cost 6 92
Parker, Mary C. 50 acres land near Jas Bowman tax and cost 4 69
Parker, W. M. 25 acres land near Tom Holt tax and cost for 1908 and 9 4 70
Peters, W. F. B. 70 acres land near Sid Abset tax and cost 5 13
Reynolds, Dock 70 acres land near E. Abney tax and cost 6 18
ALONE IN SAW MILL AT MIDNIGHT.
Unmindful of dampness, draft storm or cold, W. J. Atkins worked as Night Watchman, at Banner Park, Tenn. Such exposure gave him a severe cold that settled on his lungs. At last he had to give up work. He tried many remedies but all failed till he used Dr. King's New Discovery. After using one bottle he writes "I went back to work as well as ever." Severe Colds, stubborn Coughs, inflamed throats and sore lungs, Hemorrhages, Croup, and Whooping Cough get quick relief and prompt cure from this glorious medicine, see and try one. Trial bottle free, guaranteed by Chas. C. Davis.
Contrary to the proposed plan of leasing all legislation of importance for consideration and action after the holidays, Chairman Tawney of the Committee on Appeals, declared that several appropriation bills can be prepared and passed before Christmas adjournment, and wants this done. Chairman Payne, of the Ways and Means Committee, indorses the Tawney proposition.

The symptoms of kidney trouble are urinary disorders, weak back and backache, rheumatism and rheumatic pains and twinges in the groin, etc. There is nothing as good for kidney and bladder trouble as Dewitt's Kidney and Bladder Pills. You may depend upon them to give entire satisfaction. They are antiseptic, act promptly and soothe pain. Sold by Chas. C. Davis.

The little son of George Perciful is thought to have scarlet fever but is doing nicely.—Bob Norton came over to attend church at Hopewell. We are glad to see old time church members come back to see and be with the fold of God.—Will Spwder will move to Mt. Vernon in the near future. We are sorry to see him leave our community.—James Winsted will move to Mrs. S. B. Wainwright farm 3000.—There will be a series of meetings here at Hopewell beginning Dec. 18th. Everybody is invited to come.—The Holy Rollers, as they are called, but we trust we can call them Christians, are holding a series of meetings at the New Methodist church near Hopewell. We are glad to see the good work going on.
The work on the new Baptist church at Hopewell is progressing nicely. We hope the good people of Rockcastle will donate and help the church.—Dear Editor we read in your paper, from different people the good talks on education, good roads, good government and good times in all our land. We are glad to have their idea on these subjects. We believe in every thing that is for the betterment of our homes, our children, our country and our country at large. But the Savior of the World said to us all, "First Seek Ye the Kingdom of God and His righteousness and all these shall be added to you." Now we hope that all good people will advocate these good principles to the rising generation so that our neighbor and friends can lay down at night with a full assurance that his life, his family, his goods and all his property are safe.
McGuffin Spwder has bought from Luther Mathis his saw mill and will move it to his home soon.—Wm. Perciful has moved to the farm of Luther Mathis, Mr. Mathis has moved to Mt. Vernon.—Christmas is near at hand and how many little hearts will be made glad and how many little hearts will be sad and wretched. May God bless his little children.

The National Monetary Commission has completed a comprehensive study of the banking and monetary systems of the leading nations of the world and will soon publish a limited number of volumes containing the details and results of its findings. Congress will be asked to authorize the publication of the volumes in large number for sale at a nominal price.
A Bedford [Ind] lawyer, while protecting himself from a steel storm with an umbrella, was struck by a too heavy and weighty bolt which was being struck by a forested water bird struck his victim with much force and bruised his face considerably.

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