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TIME TABLE table with columns for direction and time

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PERSONAL

Mrs. John French is very low. Mrs. Sadie Moore is on the sick list. Paris Souder has been very sick for a few days.

Mrs. Jane Blomer of the Wabash section is dangerously ill. Misses Daisy and Julia Fish spent Thanksgiving in Wildie. Theodore Morey, the London fertilizer man is in town Tuesday.

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Dr. M. Pennington was here this week. Prof. Irwin was in Cincinnati Saturday and Sunday.

Atty. and Mrs. J. W. Brown, Miss McCord and Mrs. Watson are in Louisville. Hon. and Mrs. B. B. King, of Lincoln, were the guests of their daughter, Mrs. Fishback.

Miss Nola Jones returned to her home in Winchester, after a pleasant visit with friends here. Mrs. R. W. Schroeder, of Livingston, spent a portion of the week with her mother, Mrs. Fishback.

Dr. W. D. Lisswell is now a resident of our town. He bought Dr. Southard's property on Richmond street. Miss Willie Francis has returned here after a two weeks visit with her sister, Mrs. Sylvan Bortner, near Broadhead.

Misses Wauzer and Carson, of the Langdon Memorial, and A. B. Furnish visited Pine Hill cement works yesterday afternoon, and the guests of Mr. Snyder, one of the principals in charge, for dinner.

LOCAL

Hickory nuts are going at \$1 per bushel. There will be preaching at the Presbyterian church Sunday.

Quails are scarce and the rabbit crop is not up to the average. Make a Christmas present of a box of pipe from "Mikes' place Sure Mike."

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DR. G. M. FRITH. When G. M. Frith, Doctor of Dental Surgery decided to cast his lot with the people of Tellico Plains, he had the advantage of hailing from a town and state which had already furnished several credible members to our cosmopolitan community. Born in 1888 in Broadhead, Kentucky, after mastering the elementary branches in the common school of his native town, he was sent by his father, a local lumberman, to the High School at Stanford, where he stayed a year from whence he went to Berea College, where he finished his academic education. He is first inclined towards a mercantile pursuit and in accordance took a commercial course, but later decided to adopt dentistry as a profession. He attended the Louisville College of Dentistry graduating in 1912. Shortly after receiving his diploma, he located in Tellico Plains which at that time had no resident dentist. He is a decided acquisition to the social side of our younger set, being of a temperment which makes friends wherever he goes. He is a lover of fun and society, and his social function seems complete without the presence of the doctor. He is a member of the Jefferson County (Ky.) Dental Society, member of the Louisville College of Dental Surgeons, holds a certificate of special course in crown and bridge work. Is a Mason and an Odd-Fellow. The Tellico Times.

Notice to teachers.—The November draft has arrived. J. W. KINCK. Thanksgiving services were held at the Presbyterian church yesterday morning and at the Baptist church in the afternoon.

"Daniel Boone," alias the Bowman, is selling 6000s, including a hotel and trapping coops half way between Milling Station and Jackson County. Regular Services at the Baptist Church Sunday Dec. 2nd, 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. Sunday school at 10 a. m. Public cordially invited to attend all services.

CHESTNUT SHINGLES. Write me for prices on the famous "Waddle" make of shingles. Best shingles made. H. H. WOOD, adv 22 21. It is believed that Jim Meadows, our section foreman, can do anything in way of construction in connection with a railroad and if given a chance would make a good stunner at building an aeroplane or airship.

Notice.—Langdon Memorial School will open after the holidays on Tuesday January 7th. All those who expect to enter school are requested to send in application blanks at once, if they have not already done so. The residence of Richard Early, of the Hiatt section, came near being destroyed by fire yesterday. A spark caught in the roof and was in full headway when discovered. A number of neighbors were spending the day and by timely work saved the house with only a small damage.

Sutton & McEee, our progressive Main street merchants, will begin about January 1st, tearing down the building in which they are now located, preparatory to the erection of a handsome two-story brick, promising they are able to secure a room in which to do business until they can complete their new building. Our local telephone exchange for the steenth time wishes to call the attention of subscribers and others to the few simple directions to be found printed on directories and requests them to read and observe, thereby facilitating the work and displaying the intelligence necessary for satisfactory transacion of business. Please be governed accordingly.

A WINTER RATION. There are many good rations that can be used, for the various grains and protein feeds can be combined in a number of different ways to produce practically the same results. The good old corn usually feeds the cheater. Grains where these fill the bill. For instance, oats make a very good poultry food right fed, but are so high some years that other grains can be fed in their place at a profit. However, the ration must be well balanced and there must be a liberal supply of protein food as well as the more common fat-producing ones. Corn alone will not do. Here is a ration which has given very satisfactory results: Grain ration.—Wheat two parts, cracked corn two parts, oats one part. Mash middlings six parts, corn meal six parts, linseed meal one part alfalfa one part, beef scrap five parts, Green food—Mangel, cabbage, hay, etc. Proportions are given by weight. The grain should be fed lightly. The grain should be fed, lightly in the morning, with a heavy feed at night, and always in litter, so that the fowls will have to exercise to scratch it up. This is the object of using the cracked corn. The fowls gobble up the whole corn too easily.

The mash may be left before the hens all the time or may be fed in troughs as a midday feed. Green stuff is very essential where fowls cannot be put on pasture. Dry alfalfa contains merely 15 per cent protein, which makes it better than other kinds of hay for poultry. The mash form is no better than fine cut hay, and is even more likely to be adulterated. But no feed of this kind can quite take the place of sprouted oats, or of peas or cabbage, even though the protein content may be higher. The fowls relish the fresh food more. If the mash is to be used, it is probably best to use a high quality alfalfa.

SCHOOLS CLOSE TO MOTHER EARTH

What Corn and Potato Clubs Do For the Boys.

GROWTH OF THE MOVEMENT

Jefferson County Leads in the Movement. Gradually the thinking school people are beginning to see and understand that if the parents will not go to the school the school must go to the home and make itself felt. Nothing has helped more in this movement than the boys' corn and potato clubs in this and many other states. The tremendous growth of the movement is due largely to a national use of the children's enthusiasm and desire TO DO SOMETHING THEMSELVES. PLEASURE IN ACHIEVEMENT COMES FROM DOING IT YOURSELF, and pleasure in achievement is the largest factor in human life. William and Walter Frey live about eight miles from Louisville in a splendid farming and gardening section of Jefferson county. When your reporter visited them on Saturday, 23rd of November, he found their boys' "special crop" potatoes for the winter market. William Frey, the older brother, grew one-fourth of an acre of potatoes this season. He harvested eighty-eight bushels of splendid tubers so the plot where his was raised about the crop and its cultivation he said: "Yes, this soil was some better than most the sections around here. You see eight-hundred bushels on my little piece is the same as 117 barrels to the acre. If success did make me think the neighbors didn't do, because I did all of my work from the direction the government sent me. Every boy pines manure under when they break the ground in the spring, but I used my two big wagon loads of rotted manure for a top dress after my potatoes were in the ground. "The folks that come over here said my potatoes were darker green than any of the others in the neighborhood, so we all saw that the ones were mighty heavy all time. I went over the patch three times with a fourteen foot cultivator work had been done during the summer, and the eighteen huge shocks that stood upon the acre gave promise of a large yield. "I planted the Boone County White that the state furnished us boys," he said in answer to my question, "but I only got about half a stand of corn, so I had to use some of our own Boone County for replanting the acre. Of course a best stand is a mighty poor start in a corn contest. Next time I am going to test the seed so as to be sure about my stand. "Yes, I used a lot of manure on that acre. Before I plowed it this spring I scattered four big loads of manure so I could turn it under. "I was going to do 'one plowin' an' cultivate' than any body around here this year, but a big winter kept me so I had to quit early. I did cultivate' more than two inches deep. The directions for corn makes that a mighty strong point."

THE STAY AT HOME VOTE.

That there was a big stay at home vote in the recent presidential election in Kentucky is evidenced by the official figures as given out from Frankfort. The vote cast for Wilson was smaller by 24,398 than the vote recorded for Bryan in 1908, and the combined vote of Taft and Roosevelt was smaller by 17,433 than Taft's vote of four years ago. This is a loss of 42,031 from the aggregate Democratic and Republican vote of 1908. Viewed in connection with the natural increase in the number of voters during the four-year period it shows clearly that a very great number of Kentucky voters did not take the trouble to vote.

It is easily seen that the Democrats suffered most by reason of this staying at home vote. In Jefferson county alone the Democratic vote fell off 2,080 as compared with the Bryan vote of four years ago, while the combined Taft-Roosevelt vote was only 155 below the Taft vote of 1908. The tremendous Democratic plurality of 104,730 over the Taft electoral vote in the State dwindles to a majority of 1,032 over the combined vote of the Taft and Roosevelt electoral tickets. There is a falling off of more than 7,000 in the Democratic presidential vote in 1912 as compared with the Democratic gubernatorial vote in 1911. On the contrary the combined Taft-Roosevelt presidential vote is larger by nearly 23,000 than the Republican gubernatorial vote in 1911.

The Socialist party increased its total vote from 4,000 in 1908 to 11,642. Assuming that all this increase came from the old parties there remain many thousands of voters who failed to work up enough enthusiasm in the recent campaign to go to the polls.

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WANTED.—An industrious man to represent one of the most extensive manufacturers of Home Remedies, Spices, Extracts, Soaps, Toilet Articles, Perfumes, Sticks and Poultry Preparations in Rockcastle or adjoining Counties. Representative must furnish suitable conveyance. Large profits and a permanent position. Address The American Remedy Co., Tiffin, O.

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What She Said

DON'T you think, Will, that its about time you were getting a new suit? Thanksgivings coming and you know that Father and Mother and Uncle Jim's folks are going to be here, and I have invited the Parkers and Abbotts.

What He Said

WELL, little woman, now that you mention it, I guess these duds have seen their best days, and I suppose I might as well spruce up a bit to help out on your little Thanksgivings Spruce.

What We Said

YES, Mr. Keat, we have just what you want Right over this way, please. Now, here's a Clothcraft suit. See, here's the label. All-wool. Absolutely. Here's a guarantee by the makers that proves it. You notice they also say it's guaranteed to hold its shape and give satisfactory wear and service.

What They Said

NEVER saw Will look so well as he does today. "That's a dandy suit, Bill. Where do you get your clothes?" "You're looking prosperous, Bill, things must be



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coming your way." "Where can I get a suit like yours, Bill?" "I paid \$30 for my last suit, but never saw anything I liked as well as yours." "Wish I could get clothes to fit me like Bill's." "Your husband always dresses in such good taste."

What Do YOU Say?

SUTTON & MCBEE The Clothcraft Store

Chas. C. Davis THE DRUGGIST, says

Now is the Time to buy your toilet articles of all kinds as COLGATE & COMPANY has given him special instructions how to show a complete line of ready-to-use toilet articles to the most scrutinizing customers.

PHONE 39 CHAS. C. DAVIS MT. VERNON, KY.

Santa Clause is Coming TOYLAND NOW OPEN

Annual Holiday Display of Highgrade Novelty Toys

The variety of Attractive Toys We Display for Little Folks, Boys and Girls includes many new novelty and mechanical effects introduced.

Come Bring the Little Folks TO THE

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DOLL CONTEST for the Little Girls

Every 5c cash purchase of merchandise entitles you to one vote for any little girl between the age of 3 and 10 years. Help some little girl to get this beautiful \$10 DOLL.

They will appreciate it.

Contest Closes December 4th.

Yours very Truly,

T. J. Pennington LIVINGSTON, KY.

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BROODHEAD.

Dr. Lewis, of Wildie, was the guest of Dr. Carter, Thursday night. Our good friend, J. E. Wallin, has moved his family to Junction City. We regret to give up these good people. Mr. Wallin is Special Agent for the Q & C, and it was necessary for him to be at or near Danville, where he had had his office for some time, but on account of high rent, he decided to move to the Junction. It is said that it is an ill wind that blows nobody good. Mr. W. A. Carson moved his estimable family to the J. E. Wallin property, and while our little town has suffered the loss of one good family, the loss has been equalled by the presence of another. We are glad to welcome Mr. Carson and his most estimable family back to their former home, and hope they will never again be caused to leave again. Dr. W. E. Gravelly accompanied Sam Sayers to Louisville last Thursday where he underwent an operation on the following day for some tubercular trouble. The doctor returned home Friday and reported his patient doing nicely. Mrs. W. C. Blanton died at the home of her son, C. H. Blanton, last Friday, of pneumonia. The Rev. R. B. Baker, of Fariston, will preach at the Christian church, Wednesday evening, December 11th. Everybody, except the members, are cordially invited to attend. Mrs. J. C. Gibbs, who has been with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Moore, for several weeks, returned to her home in Phoenix, Arizona, last Thursday. Mrs. Mary Henson, of Danville, was visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chint Lee, in the Hiatt section, last week. Henry Brooks and Chas. Winkler were here this week. George S. Durham was at home from Sparks' Quarry, Saturday and Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Blanton, and little son, Austin Sparks, were with home folks Saturday and Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Curt Saylor, and Mr. Sam Ray and sister, of Sugar Creek, Garrard county, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Leitch Hicks, last Saturday and Sunday. Miss Maudie Barton, and little Hazel Albright, are visiting relatives and friends in Corbin and Williamsburg this week. Rosco Pike is here from Louisville this week. Miss Willie Francis was visiting her sister, Mrs. S. B. Bortles, at the Popper Creek section this week. Miss Ella Carson spent Saturday and Sunday with her parents at this place. Mrs. Virgil Martin was visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Granville Owens, at Pine Hill, the first of the week. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sutton, after spending a few days with home folks at this place, left for Lexington, where they will make their home. Mrs. Ed Sprague and children, of Paris, are with her father, P. Francisco, this week. Rev. A. J. Pike and James W. Moore are jurors in the Federal Court at London, this week. Mr. Jacob Elder, who bought the grocery store of E. M. Owens last week, we understand has formed a partnership with Dr. W. E. Gravelly, and will put in a large stock of general merchandise in the doctor's store building, now occupied by W. H. Sowder. Mr. Sowder will probably move his stock of goods to the Mrs. Benton property now occupied by Mr. Elder. Miss Miranda Tate is visiting friends and relatives in Richmond this week. Mrs. Amy Edwards, who has spent the summer with her daughter, Mrs. O. W. Turpen, returned to Richmond, where she will spend the winter. Mrs. Robert Brown spent a few days in the city of Harlan this week. P. S. Albright was in town Wednesday. Rev. E. W. Watson and Dick Martin, Jr., are killing Quail and Rabbits in the Ottawa section this week. We can hardly wait for their return. Oh, my. Uncle John Flynn is very sick at this writing.

PERFECT HEALTH AND EASY MONEY COME TO ALL WHO LOCATE IN THE PECOS VALLEY OF TEXAS.

One settler who owns 8 acres says he has too much land and will sell 2 acres. He paid \$300 an acre a year ago and has since then several times refused \$500 an acre. He and his grown son are at work every week day in the week and get \$10 to \$15 worth of products daily. He sold \$12 worth of cantaloupes from 1 1/2 of an acre and has planted the same patch in winter cabbage which will ripen in February and be worth more than the cantaloupes. A widow living on a small farm by her own labor has raised nine daughters, sent them through school and given them a start in life. She raised an acre of Cauliflower one winter from which she got \$1,200. One man sold \$327 worth of sweet potatoes from a single acre. A storekeeper during old times seeded 3 1/2 acres to alfalfa in Sept. all the following year cut and sold \$535 worth of clover. Two brothers in the implement business and on the verge of bankruptcy commenced to raise alfalfa seven years ago. Now they are among the richest men in that section and claim they will ship \$25,000 worth of clover seed their hay should be worth double that sum. A well known Butler county, Missouri farmer went there Sept. 17, bought 40 acres and seeded it in alfalfa completing the work Oct. 15th. He writes his neighbors that every seed germinated and that he will cut his first crop by Nov. 30th, if frost holds off. Scores of people in that country are doing as well as these people. We will be glad to show you their farms and you can talk to them. If you catch us in a single statement we will pay the expenses of your trip. If you want a home in the best country on earth we will sell lands to suit you. If you want to buy for speculation we will furnish you investments which we earnestly believe will double your money inside of two years and possibly inside of six months. If you want to invest money solely for the income it will bring we will sell you securities that will get you from 10 to 15 per cent with property back of them worth five to ten times the money you invest. Security absolute and prompt payment of principal and interest guaranteed. We have several thousand acres of unusually rich farm land that we will rent in small tracts on shares to desirable tenants who have teams and seed and who can maintain themselves until they raise a crop. Seven weeks ago Chas. Marshall nephew of the Vice President of the Farmer's Saving Bank of Poplar Bluff, Mo., an exceptionally well known family, was slowly dying of quick consumption and liver trouble. He had to be carried into the cars and carried out to Pecks, being 100 weeks to live and nothing more than a living skeleton. No one expected him to live a week. Today expectation is almost ceased, could nearly stopped, he eats and sleeps well and his food agrees with him, there is a good color in his face. He has commenced to increase in weight and he and his friends are convinced he will soon be well and hearty. Anyone in the first or second stages of consumption can be cured by a residence in this country of pure air and brilliant sunshine but DON'T WAIT TOO LONG. Next Excursion Dec. 3, 1912. Round trip tickets \$5.00 including berth in our private cars from Memphis. Expenses returned if you purchase tickets, land or securities and pay down \$500 to \$1000. Go and see for yourself. Write today for full printed information. No trouble to answer questions. The Stram & Co. Agency, Chicago, Ill., is responsible.

CULPEPPER SIFTINGS

Turkey and dressin' Pa asks the blessing Appettes guessin' Thanksgiving Day Cranberries stewin' Every jaw chewin' Nothing else doin' Thanksgiving Day Monk Taylor says: "A soft answah may turn away wrath, but it takes a hard head to turn away a brick." A Detroit man wants a divorce because his wife talks too much. But wouldn't this plea, if allowed, clog the courts? That young man who comes to see you is certainly a live one. "Yes, he's a live one, all right; but he's dead in love." "Could you survive me during if I should die and leave you?" "Well, that depends upon what you would have me do." When you give thanks, be sure you say A turkey for the happy day. For this year, you can take my word. The rooster is a sacred bird. "Skirts are to be fuller next season", remarked Mrs. Hillside. "If I am any judge" said Hillside, "Skirts are about full already." "Have you noticed how many plays have business titles?" "I have." "There's a play called 'Paid For and Delivered' another entitled 'Accepted in Full' and so on." "Yes, indeed. I am looking for a play entitled, 'If You Don't like it, Money back.' See the two Bills—Fish—McBee." "Now Henry I hope you won't disgrace yourself!" "All right." "When you carve the turkey, try to flip the stuffing on the poor relatives. It would mortify me to death if you ruined one of our rich relatives' gowns."

HOW'S THIS?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward as a case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. F. J. CHEENEY & Co., Toledo, Ohio. I know the undersigned, have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, being a most perfectly honorable in all business transactions and financially able to carry out any obligations made by him. Testimonials sent free. Price 75 cents per bottle. Sold by all Druggists. To the Hall's Family Pills for Constipation. National Bank of Commerce, Toledo Ohio. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Testimonials sent free. Price 75 cents per bottle. Sold by all Druggists. To the Hall's Family Pills for Constipation.

LOOKS BAD FOR BELL.

Charles W. Bell, who was State Insurance Commissioner, under the Wilson republican administration in Kentucky, was given a fearful grilling by the report of the State Inspector and Examiner which has just completed an examination of his department. The Inspector finds there is due the state for fees and licenses and tax on premiums \$20,730.77 of which \$15,311.58 is due on fees and premiums \$5,422.43 in the per cent. license tax. He reports that there should have been \$20,514.79 collected for fees and license and \$185,203.21 accounted for. The report does not attempt to say whether the \$20,730.77 was collected from the insurance companies, but states that the companies were doing business in the State, the fees, the license and tax are due, and the money should be accounted for to the State, but declared that, inasmuch as the commissioner was directly chargeable with these collections and had special authority to enforce them, he should be held there for due amount the State, whether or not some one else was directly in charge of the collections. He said the books were in a condition and the reports to the auditor were inaccurate. The books were not examined and discharged of last year's accounts.

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It is strongly rumored in political circles that former United States Senator J. C. Beckham, of Woodford county, is the "dark horse" referred to in the race for the Democratic nomination for United States Senator at the next August State wide primary.

Senator Beckham as a snare starter. They say the veteran Democratic leader has recently expressed himself as being in his old-time form and not averse to entering the lists for the toga Senator Beckham has always had a large following and might make it very interesting for his opponents, his friends say.

It matters not little who is the "dark horse" in the approaching race for U. S. Senator. The Democrats out in the state are for Beckham and he is going to win. Those who were against him in his last race are still for him and a large majority of those who were against him in his former race are for him this time.

PULASKI COUNTY has had a Boys Corn Club for the last three years and every year the club has made a good record.

The third annual exhibition of the club was held a few days ago at the court house in Spencer. Fourteen boys were present with exhibits and the average of their corn crops was 103 bushels to the acre. Last year the average of the crops was eighty-one bushels and the year previously it was sixty-one bushels.

There is a great showing of progress. The boy who won the first premium had produced 140 bushels of corn on his acre of ground. The winner of the second premium had produced 126 bushels, while the winners of the third and fourth prizes attained a production of 123 bushels and 116 bushels respectively. The smallest crop of the fourteen in competition was sixty-two bushels to the acre, which is more than twice the estimate of yield per acre in Kentucky for 1912 and is nearly three times the State's ten-year average. It has been estimated that 4,000 boys are taking part in this year's corn growing contest in Kentucky.

Is not the sin of sins unkindness? Because of it tea's food, hopes die, friendships are strained and hearts will-igh broken. Not to be kind widens the breach between rich and poor, labor and capital, the fortunate and unfortunate. It is to be kind heartens the discouraged, strengthens the weak, and makes heavy loads easy to carry. Be kind to those about you. It costs you little or nothing and is the best investment you can make. The returns will come back in compound interest. Your employe, your friends, your household, even your foes, will respond to kindness.

A WESTERN physician says he has seen on account of the scoldings administered by his wife. He should be able to get up quite a practice among the fleshy folk with the assistance of his better half.

MR. Taft says Congress should do something for former Presidents. Well, the people did it all right in the recent election. They kept one from becoming a confirmed President.

"NEVER borrow trouble" says a proverb. To avoid it avoid getting in the habit of borrowing money.

This popular vote for November 5th shows Wilson 5,728,258; Roosevelt 2,947,740; Taft 2,775,122.

Everybody is preparing for increased business and will join heartily in thanksgiving for bountiful crops, for prosperous business and for a successful conclusion of an exciting political campaign. This Thanksgiving will be deepened by the confidence that the best is yet to be, the fact for which the first was made and that in this country with trade from ocean to ocean, from the lakes to the gulf, we have laid the foundation for future prosperity that no change of administration can effect it.

The man who goes around yammering for strict justice, is wasting his time. He won't get it in this world and I don't think he'll want it in the next.

THE HOUSTON POST remarks that there are 2,000 cuss words in the English language. No doubt they were all used at (Oyster Bay on election night.

NEVER been in history did post offices and collection have such a exciting look. And their roars here is reflected from Democratic prospects.

In some counties it is claimed to have a license average six cent every covy of birds in this territory.

The new political party will probably be the "pic dance".

THE Bull Moose got 551,718 more votes than the elephant.

EX. GOV. BECKHAM.

OUR NEXT UNITED STATES SENATOR FROM KENTUCKY. HOW THE WIND BLOWS.

No citizen can question the administration of Hon. J. C. W. Beckham, as Governor of Kentucky, and while it was doubtless a little premature for him to enter the primary just as the time he did against Senator James B. McCreary, so good Democratic approval of the Democratic of the legislature who took a mess of pottage and gave the Senatorship to a Republican, W. O. Bradley. Their potterage is demonstrated by the fact that those four got beds under Senator Bradley, and thus the Hon. J. C. W. Beckham, was defeated for the United States Senatorship.

Since that memorial session of the legislature, Ex. Governor Beckham has been all the while in private life, thinking quietly for the success of the Democratic party, working and making speeches in Democratic congressional races, Gov. McCreary's race and for the ticket, and time has proven the wisdom of his stand in the Louisville memorial convention, and last but not least he has been the personal and political friend of that Candidate for the Presidential nomination, who was nominated by the Democratic party and elected President of the United States.

Beckham is the statesman of the hour in Kentucky. He is an undercurrent for him for the next U. S. Senatorship which will sweep the states at the next August Primary.—The McCreary County News

ONLY A FIRE HERO. but the crowd cheered, as, with head bent, he held up a small round box. "Gellowas" he shouted, this Bucklen's Africa Salve I hold, has everything beat for burns." Right also for boils, ulcers, sores, pimples, scabs, cuts, sprains, bruises, Sorems pile cure, subdues inflammation, kills pain Only 25 cents at Chas. C. Davis

PROPHETS OF EVIL. The prophets of evil who based their predictions upon the election of Gov. Wilson, should not fail to point to the fact that in Boston, November 7, receivers were appointed for the department stores controlled by William S. Butler & Co.

It is estimated that the liabilities of the three concerns amount to more than a million dollars.

The cause of the assignment is attributed to the suicide of Mr. Butler. But then, Mr. Butler must have been driven to suicide by the election of Mr. Wilson.

The accounts are a good deal complicated, but that is due to the fact, no doubt, that during the whole campaign Mr. Butler's attention was directed to politics rather than to business.

It is added that the assets of the three concerns will probably equal the liabilities; but that state of prosperity undoubtedly is to be attributed to the successful administration of Mr. Taft.

A manufacturing concern in Louisville announced in advance of the election that if Mr. Wilson was elected the election would be followed by the discharging of a large part of its force. It made good its threat by discharging twenty-five men the next morning.

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CAR LOAD OF OIL. Just received a car load of barrel oil from the Standard Oil Co., and will establish a station at Mt. Vernon. When in need of oil call on W. J. Rinnel, Agent, Mt. Vernon, Ky.

Mr. J. N. Smith spent Friday and Saturday with his granddaughter, Mrs. W. A. B. Davis.

PRESIDENT-ELECT Wilson has gone to the Bermudas, for a rest. Let's all take one!

Let's take a rest from politics, muck-raking and calling one another names.

The tariff can't be tinkered with till April, 1913, anyway. Mr. Wilson can make up his cabinet without our help.

So let's enjoy the weather and pumpkin pie and prosperity. Let's take a rest!

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An editor received \$3 and a cork from a delinquent subscriber. When they met later the editor said: "I understand about the money because that was what you owed, but what does the cork mean?" "Stop it" was the reply.

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