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PERSONAL

Mrs. Meshae Geury is very sick. Floed F. Miller has returned to Miami, Oklahoma. Mrs. G. M. Ballard is with relatives at Livingston for the week.

Post Cards of all kinds at Fish's

Buy it at Fish's and you know it's right.

Thomas North, aged 74, died of cancer of throat, first of week. Mode Crawford has moved from the Willis Adams property to the E. B. Brown property near the Court House.

Mrs. Oleary, whose cow kicked over the lamp, starting a fire that burnt up Chicago in 1871, died first of week aged 83.

All the telegraph instruments have been removed from depot by the telegraph company. Trains are run and other wire work is transacted over the telephone.

Blanket Your Horses.

At this season of cold, let us not forget to be kind to our dumb friends. Do not leave your horse to shiver on the street, when you can easily protect him with a blanket.

Notice - T. the tax payers of the town of Mt. Vernon, who have not settled their town tax for the year 1914, I ask you to pay them by February 1st, if not I am going to levy for these taxes.

P. D. DeRott, Marshal, Mt. Vernon, Ky.

The Kentucky Statute, Acts of 1914, chapter 100, is the State Aid proposition regarding public roads and can be seen any day in any day in the office of E. R. Geury, County Attorney.

If there is anything doing on the big had deal it is more than we know anything about. When the deal goes then we will know about it, but at present it looks like a dead issue.

NOTICE

I have moved my office from "Coe Row" store building across over Mr. Miller's store, same buildings drug store.

Very respectfully, Jan 8 51

L. R. CHESTNUT.

Feed The Birds.

The way to keep the song birds to feed them during the cold weather when they cannot find food for themselves. They will rely on you for your trouble by their bright presence and sweet voices.

Mrs. Mary Miller Maret, aged 83, died of pneumonia at Newfonia, Missouri, January 19th. She was an aunt (by marriage) of our townsmen James Maret and the last of the sisters of George W. Miller, the founder of the noted Ranch No. 10 in Oklahoma.

LANGFORD-PARROTT

Mr. Will Langford, son of J. S. Langford and Miss Nora Parrott, were married Wednesday evening at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Neal Parrott, Rev. D. B. Langford performed the ceremony. They will make their home with Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Langford for the present or until they can build. We join with many friends in congratulations.

READER COMING

On the evening of Friday, February 5th, a program will be given under the auspices of the Women's Club of Mt. Vernon, by Mrs. Mae Suter Davis, of Barbourville. Mrs. Davis is a graduate of the Boston School of Oratory, has had seven years experience as a platform reader, and is highly recommended. A pleasing program will be rendered.

A CARD OF THANKS.

To our friends and relatives in Livingston, who were so untrusting in their efforts to lighten our burden of grief at the funeral of our dear mother, and for the sympathy, love and consolation tendered us for the many acts of kindness shown us while in their midst, we are sincerely grateful. MR. AND MRS. G. W. GRIFPIN, Cincinnati, Ohio.

Representatives were here from Valley Oak and vicinity, Tuesday and advised that they had raised \$5,000 toward a turnpike from Somerset to Rockcastle county line.

LOCAL

D. Cummins bought of W. D. Payne two-year old mules for \$200.00.

You can save 50c on every dollar worth of underwear you buy at Fish's.

ROCKCASTLE REPUBLICANS-

I am no eagle, and cannot fly, but am just a common, every-day Republican running hard as I can, and would fly if I could, from now until the August Primary, for the Republican nomination for Circuit Court Clerk of Rockcastle County. In answer to the question, Are you qualified? Will say: I am, try me! Now, fellow Republicans! Lay a poor man, with a large family and need the place, else I would have never asked for your support. I have been voting the Republican ticket 20 years and this is my first time to ask you for anything. Hoping to receive a majority of the votes cast at the August Primary, I beg to remain as ever,

Your friend and neighbor,

W. T. (Little Bill) DAVIS

Woman's Forward Movement Closed

With \$5,000 raised, the Woman's Forward Movement, organized to raise \$20,000 for the Hilarity Commission, has closed. Expenses of the organization are to be deducted from this amount, which will leave from \$4,000 to \$5,000. The remainder of the \$20,000 needed by the Hilarity Commission will be raised by Mrs. Vera Wilson Stewart and Dr. J. G. Grabe, a committee appointed by the Hilarity Commission last May to raise money.

Judge G. M. Ballard, Sheriff Can Mullins, and Circuit Clerk T. J. Nicely took James Flouming and Happy Hoosigan to the pen Monday and Arnon Baker to the school of reform. Judge Ballard says Hays is still known in Franklin.

Mrs. H. H. McClure of the Southern part of the county died Tuesday night of pneumonia, after an illness of only a few days. The decease was one of those good christian women who will be greatly missed in the home and community.

Christian Church Services

The services at the Christian Church, for January 31st, are as follows: Sunday School from 10 a. m. until eleven o'clock. Preaching at eleven - subject "Christian Education"; Christian Endeavor at 6:30 p. m. - subject "Foreign Missionary Opportunities the World Around" - followed by preaching at 7 o'clock, subject "Responsibility of a Christian." There will also be Prayer Meetings on each Wednesday evening 7:30 o'clock with forty minutes given to Prayer Meeting topic, followed by a twenty minutes discussion of the Sunday School lesson for the following Sunday. Every one is invited to be present and to participate in each of these services.

OWENS-TURPIN

Our splendid Livingston cor. William Owens and Mrs. Cora Turpin an excellent lady of this county were married at 6 o'clock Tuesday evening at the residence of Mr. S. C. Franklin, on West Main street, the Rev. J. M. Macmillan spoke the word that made them one. Those who witnessed the ceremony were Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Franklin, the preacher and his wife and our good roads booster and writer, J. M.

After the bride washed her new name, a splendid supper, which had been prepared by Mrs. Franklin, was partaken of, and thoroughly enjoyed by the participants.

Messages of congratulations were received from the former Livingston dispatchers, who are now in the Louisville office. The newly-weds left on the midnight train for their Livingston home where the Signal hopes their days may be spent in happiness.

BILLIQUINNESS AND CONSTIPATION CURED.

If you are ever troubled with biliousness or constipation you will be interested in the statement of K. F. Erwin, Pres. Ind. "A year ago last winter I had an attack of indigestion, flatulency, biliousness, and constipation. Seeing Chamberlain's Tablets so highly recommended, I bought a bottle of them and they helped me right away." For sale by all druggists.

IN RACE FOR GUBERNATORIAL NOMINATION



CONGRESSMAN A. O. STANLEY. Stanley Shies Hat in Ring. Announces Candidacy for Governorship at Primaries. IS OPPOSED TO RING RULE. Will Also Turn Light On Activities of Legislative Lobbyists if Elected to High Office - Promises to Conserve Resources of State and Work For Better System of Highways - Opposes Convict Contract System.

tion in office to mean that the same set shall rotate from one office to another and back again every four years. True Function of Governor. "It is known of all men that Percy Haly proposed that he nominate himself as governor of Kentucky or some respectable figurehead of his own party as the person to be elected and control and that men shall be ineligible to position on the allpowerful board of assessors, and shall exercise, whose names do not appear on his exclusive roll of honor (?). I shall fight with all the energy I possess and shall exert to the utmost all the authority vested in me to prevent the intermeddling by an officeholding trust or a petty political hierarchy with these or any other offices in the state, and I shall fight every concerted attempt to dictate nominations for national, state, district or county offices.

Formal announcement was made in Washington by Representative A. O. Stanley that he will seek the Democratic nomination for governor of Kentucky at the primaries next August. In his statement Mr. Stanley proclaimed that if elected he will reorganize the state board of valuation and assessment and his administration will be absolutely free from all taint of ring rule. His statement follows: "One of the greatest issues which will confront the Democracy of Kentucky at the coming August primary election will be the control of the state board of valuation and assessment and the tremendous powers inherent in it. The Democrat who is to be elected governor must turn a face that way toward every proposal to use this board for putting across any public service corporation which may refuse to do its bidding, or for rewarding with any character of privilege or exemption such corporations as may agree to become part and parcel of the political machine. For unless a governor of Kentucky can keep clean the board of valuation and assessment he can not give an honest, economical and efficient administration. He is in chains.

"I shall be a candidate for the Democratic nomination for governor of Kentucky, and I do not desire to be governor unless I can be free. Rotation in Office. "One of the vital issues which the Democracy of the state will be called upon to indorse or repudiate is the question of public highways. As I am convinced that the question of whether or not a single cogwheel of a machine can be made to run on its own power by rotation in office, I shall be a candidate for the Democratic nomination for governor of Kentucky at the August primary election. I believe that the rotation of office in the present state constitution, which renders every state official ineligible to his own office, is a gross injustice to the people of this state. That clause in the organic law was thrust heavily upon the people of Kentucky because they believed it would end ring rule in the state house. But there is better reason for the clause than to rotate him through a succession of positions, in which he has had no previous experience.

"The Democratic party in Kentucky will no longer tolerate a political Warwick at the head of a class composed of officeholders who have twisted the old Democratic doctrine of rotation in office to mean that the same set shall rotate from one office to another and back again every four years. True Function of Governor. "It is known of all men that Percy Haly proposed that he nominate himself as governor of Kentucky or some respectable figurehead of his own party as the person to be elected and control and that men shall be ineligible to position on the allpowerful board of assessors, and shall exercise, whose names do not appear on his exclusive roll of honor (?). I shall fight with all the energy I possess and shall exert to the utmost all the authority vested in me to prevent the intermeddling by an officeholding trust or a petty political hierarchy with these or any other offices in the state, and I shall fight every concerted attempt to dictate nominations for national, state, district or county offices.

"I willingly surrendered a seat in congress to fight above all else that most insidious and abominable menace to the liberties and property rights of a free people - 'inflexible government' - powers nominally vested in tenetwined and respectable figures, but actually exercised by covert and cunning tax-exempters of every favor-seeking and tax-dodging interest fortunate enough to have a friend at court. "If elected governor of Kentucky I solemnly and earnestly pledge the people of the commonwealth here and now that I will turn the calcium light upon the lobbyist and upon all who seek to secure positions of honor or privilege by any secret or unobtainable means.

"I shall earnestly endeavor, if made chief magistrate of my native state, to conserve and encourage every legitimate business and industry, whether large or small, to encourage the investment of capital in and the development of our untraveled and as yet almost undeveloped resources; to promote the construction and operation of public highways to the end that our people may find a better and speedier access to the market, the better to secure their property and means to this end, I favor the abolition of prison contract labor and the complete release of the convicts on the roads of the state. "I shall vigorously endeavor to protect the citizen from every form of lawlessness or confiscation; to see that his person and his property are protected from every form of lawlessness; to stand for the conservation of every form of life stock, in lands or in manufacturing enterprises.

"I stand for the conservation of every form of life stock, in lands or in manufacturing enterprises. "Believing that as governor of Kentucky I can render my constructive material service in carrying into effect the reforms that our people have so respectfully solicited their support as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for the office of governor of Kentucky in the coming August primary election. A. O. STANLEY."

MR. GROUND HOG

Will Be Looking For His Shadow Next Tuesday, February 2nd. Whether He Sees it or Not, There's Not The Shadow of a Doubt That Spring Is Coming and We Must Prepare For it By Getting Rid Of The Remnant of Our Winter Stock Before We Blossom Out With Our Spring Selections! Therefore, We Are Offering, For Cash

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**BRODHEAD.**

The Brodhead Hamiltonian Society will present a play, entitled "A Noble Outcast," a Quail schoolhouse Saturday night, February 6th. This is a Drama in four acts, and has been played in such cities as London, England; New York, Chicago and other principal cities of the United States. Jerry the Tramp will make you cry, then make you laugh until you are sore. The price of admission will be greatly reduced and a big audience is expected.—H. E. Christie is in Bluefield, W. Va. where he recently underwent a serious operation. Bluefield is Mr. Christie's old home, and where his mother now resides, and he preferred to go there for treatment. He is expected at home next week.—Dr. W. E. Gravelly was numbered with the sick last week, but is out at present.—Evelyn Watson was the guest of his sister, Mrs. Fred Durham, at Mt. Vernon last Sunday.—The Rev. D. G. Combs, of Morehead, held services at the Christian church Saturday and Sunday.—Mrs. J. R. Cass, and Mrs. Master Willis, returned from a visit to her daughter, Mrs. L. B. Hillier, at Stanford the first of the week.—Miss Roberts is quite sick this week.—Miss Leavy Cherry was moved from the old homestead to one of her brother's houses on Silver street.—Thos. Albright, Sam Albright, Cecil Hayes, Willie Samms, Chas. Lear, Jr., and others, are attending school here from the country.—Mrs. J. N. Owens and little daughter, Miss Marie, were the guests of her daughter, Mrs. Walter Smith, at Crab Orchard last week.—Mrs. Frank Patton

competent, has built. The fact most of us are better listeners than speakers, and those of us who can not speak intelligently should listen. We believe that when the people thoroughly understand the true situation that the issue will carry, and no one should expect his fellow citizen to vote for a measure that he knows nothing about.

**DANGERS OF A COLD.**

Do you know that of all the minor ailments colds are by far the most dangerous? It is not the colds themselves that you need to fear, but the serious diseases that they so often lead to. For that reason every cold should be gotten rid of with the least possible delay. To accomplish this you will find Chamberlain's Cough Remedy of great help to you. It loosens a cold, relieves the lungs, aids expectoration and enables the system to throw off the cold. For sale by all dealers.

Talk 4600 Miles Over Telephone

Last Monday conversations were held direct over telephone between Washington city and San Francisco. President Wilson talked to Thomas A. Watson, the man who heard the first words ever transmitted over telephone. The president also held a conversation with the president of the Panama Exposition at San Francisco. The line was extended on to New York city and to Jacksonville, Ga. Alexander Graham Bell, the inventor of the telephone, was in the former city and talked to San Francisco, President Wilson and others. Theo. Vail, president of the American Bell Telephone Co., was the party at Jacksonville who listened in and had conversations as well as taking part therein himself. The test was a complete success. The distance from San Francisco to Jacksonville is 4,600 miles.

The transcontinental service will not be established until about March 1st. Rates from New York to San Francisco \$26.75 for a three minutes conversation and \$6.75 for each additional minute.

**COUGH MEDICINE FOR CHILDREN**

Never give a child a cough medicine that contains opium in any form. When opium is given other and more serious diseases may follow. Long experience has demonstrated that there is no better or safer medicine for coughs, colds and croup in children than Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. It is equally valuable for adults. Try it. It contains no opium or other harmful drug. For sale by all dealers.

**LIVINGSTON.**

Died in Cincinnati Jan. 20, Mrs. Angeline Owens, wife of Ashley Owens, deceased, and was buried in the family burying ground near Livingston, Jan. 21. She was 84 years old and a member of the Christian church. She was a mother of 12 children; of this number only five are living: Mrs. James Roberts and Mrs. John Roberts, who live in Missouri; Mrs. W. D. Griffin, of Florida; Mrs. G. W. Griffin, of Cincinnati; and Alfred Owens, of Tennessee. Funeral services were conducted by the Rev. A. F. Pike, of Brodhead, and after she was laid to rest by the side of her loving companion to await the summons of the Saviour on the resurrection morn. Then why should we weep for mother who is sleeping that peaceful sleep, for she has only gone home to heaven where no one has a cause to weep. She has left this world of sorrow and entered the home above. Where angels sound the throne are singing the song of melody and love.

Mr. and Mrs. John Griffin and Mrs. George Reynolds, of Corbin, attended the funeral here the 21st. Mrs. B. C. Mullins, of Paris, has returned home after a few days visit with relatives here. W. T. McCullough, L. & N. lineman, has been transferred to London, Ky., and will move his family in a few days. It is thought to look like Livingston is doomed as far as the railroad work is concerned for they are taking them away one by one. We are thinking that to show him some folly, who to

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## U. G. BAKER

RING OF LOW PRICES

Watch Inspector, of Mt. Vernon; was here Tuesday.—Mr. and Mrs. M. P. Marshbanks, of Mt. Vernon, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Oliver.—Mrs. S. E. Holland was in Pittsburgh Monday visiting relatives.—Ed Hurd and Miss Ella Mae Foster were in Corbin Tuesday.—Mr. B. D. Sildom, who has been very sick for some time, is slowly improving.—George Arnold is erecting a new cottage on High street.—Mrs. Henry Owens was taken very sick Monday night but is some better at this time.—Clifford Gattell, of Lebanon, Ky., was with his Mother, I. W. Carter here Monday.—The editor of the Signal was here Tuesday and gave us a lining out for not writing last week. Well, we aim to get a letter in every issue, but some times we fail. We are always too glad to give the news but some times it gets by us if anyone in our town has an item please hand it to us and help to fill our letter. So we will try to have a letter each week in the future. A Correction: It was Mrs. Ashley Owens that died in Cincinnati the 20, instead of Mrs. Henry Owens, as was published last week.—Mr. J. W. Sams, who is a dispatcher in Louisville, is with his family here for a few days.—Mrs. George Holland, who has been very sick for some time at Pittsburgh, has able to come home Monday.

A series of meetings began at the Presbyterian church Tuesday the 26th, conducted by the regular pastor, Rev. J. J. McMillin.—Sheriff Sam Williams, was here Monday before trains with Harry Hoogland, the negro who broke into G. S. Griffin & Co's. store and two others taking them to Frankfort, Ky.—Robert Hayes and son, Arney, of Cincinnati, were in the funeral party here the 24th.—I. W. Carter, who is suffering with a weak case of grip has about recovered.—They were services at the Baptist church Saturday and Sunday conducted by the pastor, Rev. D. E. Allen, of Mt. Vernon.



**T. J. NICELEY**

To the Republicans of Rockcastle County:

A little over a year ago, upon the resignation of Hugh Miller as Circuit Court Clerk, I was appointed by Judge Bethuram to fill out the term for which Miller was elected. I entered upon the discharge of the duties of this office with the determination to give to the people efficient service, and to prove myself worthy of the confidence reposed in me by my selection for the position. I have been at my post of duty at all times and have taken great pains to be accommodating to those having business with the office which I have the honor to fill. I will have served only two years as Clerk at the end of this term, and feel that I should be given the office for a full term, and I promise that people the if I am elected I will give faithful and honest service. Believing that a great majority of the people of the County want me to make the race, and feeling that I am fully qualified to discharge the duties of the office to the satisfaction of all, I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of Circuit Court Clerk, subject to the action of the Republican party, as expressed in the next August primary election.

Thanking you for your past support and favors, and pledging you my best efforts if elected to serve the coming term, I am, Yours faithfully,

T. J. NICELEY

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THE ROAD BOND ISSUE

Q-What is the assessed valuation of Rockcastle county?

A-\$3,041,733

Q-What is the railroad assessment?

A-\$1,241,902

Q-Other corporations?

A-\$87,155

Q-The Towns of the county?

A-\$502,253

Q-What is the farmers assessment?

A-\$1,230,592

Q-At 20 cents on the \$100 what amount of taxes would the railroad corporations and towns pay?

A-\$48,622.02 or 60 per cent.

Q-What would the farmers tax be?

A-\$2,614 or 40 per cent.

Q-How much on each poll?

A-Nothing

Q-What is proposed amount of the proposed bond issue?

A-\$100,000.

Q-What is the money to be used for?

A-In building two lines of road across the county.

Q-Between what points will these roads run?

A-To connect with roads at county borders leading to and from Stanford, Richmond, Somerset and London.

Q-At what price will these bonds be sold?

A-At not less than par, 100 cents on every dollar worth of bonds issued. The law forbids the sale of such bonds at less than par.

Q-How long will these bonds probably run?

A-Not less than 5 nor more than 30 years at the discretion of the county.

Q-Who will pay these bonds off?

A-One-half by the county and one-half by the State.

Q-What is the legal limit of taxation that can be levied for paying off the county's portion of this indebtedness?

A-Thirty cents.

Q-Will the levy be placed to the full limit?

A-It has been calculated that a levy of 30 cents on the \$100 will raise sufficient funds to pay interest and create a sinking fund (money set aside) to meet and pay off our half of the bonds \$50,000 as they fall due.

Q-What will be the interest on these bonds?

A-Not to exceed 5 per cent as provided by law. At the rate of 5 percent per year if the whole issue was delivered at one and same time. The interest will be reduced 1/2% by state as taxes are collected and State aid comes in.

Q-Who will handle the funds?

A-County Treasurer under proper bonds.

Q-Will the bonds be delivered as a whole in one bunch and interest start thereon? Or will they be delivered in various lots from time to time as needed to pay off contractors as sections of road are completed, inspected, approved and received by State inspectors?

A-It is thought best to save interest by issuing them in lots from time to time as mentioned in above question.

Q-When money accumulates in sinking fund for paying off bonds will this money be allowed to remain there idle while the county is paying 5 per cent interest on the bonds?

A-No. The money will be used to pay off the bonds as they fall due.

Q-Is the security of a sinking fund of not less than six per cent to be repaid principal and interest when needed to pay off bonds as they fall due?

A-What about the poll tax? Will the bond issue charge it?

A-No. Road bonds and the poll tax have no connection whatever. The law specifies that very explicitly. The county can not make a levy of a poll tax to pay off bonds.

Q-Who will survey the roads?

A-State Engineers. They will also supervise the construction and see that the work comes up to specifications.

Q-What does the law direct as to routing these later county seat highways?

A-That they shall be routed and located via the most direct and practicable line between county seats.

Q-Who does the routing?

A-State and Fiscal court.

Q-Who will do the grading and construction?

A-Contractors, who will be required to give bonds for fulfillment of construction specifications which are furnished by a State Engineer.

Q-Who will have charge of approving and receiving the finished roads?

A-State Road Commissioner and farmer to dispose of this product at fair prices.

Q-What else?

A-A stock market will be created at the county seat where local and foreign stock buyers will come to every County Court day.

Q-Anything more?

A-Hundreds of tourists, (the money spending class) will stop over at points in our county for meals, supplies and repairs, leaving much money with us.

Q-Would any of these remain over with us longer than a day?

A-Yes some would be so pleased with our mountain tops and valleys, caves and views they would purchase tracts, the rougher the better it suits them, built buggalos and cottages and etc. and remain most of summer there return north or south as the case may be for the winter.

Q-What would these people do for amusement?

A-They would find it an excursion that they never expect, including Great Salt Lake, Layville and Saltus Koobs and Brushy mountain, sinks, mountain climbing and picnicing during the day attending theater and shows in town at night or take a run for some kind of entertainment at Crab Orchard, Stanford or London and back should they wish, the same night by automobile.

Q-What advantage will this be to us?

A-They would be spending money with us all the time.

Q-What else?

A-A good market would be created right along the road. Many autoists would buy eggs because they know they would get them fresh. Many would want sorghum to take home because they can't get it pure in the cities. Others would want fruits, chickens turkeys, ducks, geese, vegetables etc. Then the huckster wares from Lancaster, Stanford, Berea and other points would make regular trips over these roads paying cash for produce and poultry etc.

Q-If we don't build the road what do we lose?

A-We lose the advantages of having two good highways thru our county and the \$1500 more state road tax which our county is obliged to pay every year into state road fund to assist in building roads in counties which take advantage of state aid law.

Q-How can we get this \$1500 back and a great deal more than we pay into the state road fund?

A-By voting the bond issue and building the two roads.

Q-If a man owns a farm which is assessed at \$400, what will be his part of tax on this bond issue?

A-Eighty cents, twenty cents on each \$100. assessed valuation.

Q-If a voter has no land but has other property valued at \$250 or less, what will be his road tax to pay on bond issue?

A-Not a cent.

Q-If a voter has live stock and household goods valued at \$250 or less what will be his part to pay?

A-Nothing.

Q-Any other advantages?

A-Rural districts will be able to buy the best of stock in the east.

along with immense advantages and opportunities to every citizen that the Fiscal court will be enabled to see to it that many miles of pike is built from such localities and neighborhoods to reach and connect with the pikes built by this bond issue.

Q-Mention some other advantages to be gained by the construction of these roads.

A-The farmers, and every one else, using them, can crop some where. They can haul big loads, even with small teams. Markets can be reached. They can get to neighboring counties and states. They can attend school, church and Sunday school. In fact will be enabled to travel over the roads and haul roads every week in the year. In fact it will halve the distance to any point they wish to reach.

Q-Any other good things?

A-Students living along these roads can board at home and attend the graded and high schools at Brookfield, Mt. Vernon and Livingston within a radius of 10 miles.

Q-Anything else that's good?

A-The towns of Brookfield, Mt. Vernon and Livingston will grow rapidly; increasing in manufacturing plants and population to such an extent that a good market will be created which will enable the farmer to dispose of his produce at fair prices.

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A-They would find it an excursion that they never expect, including Great Salt Lake, Layville and Saltus Koobs and Brushy mountain, sinks, mountain climbing and picnicing during the day attending theater and shows in town at night or take a run for some kind of entertainment at Crab Orchard, Stanford or London and back should they wish, the same night by automobile.

Q-What advantage will this be to us?

A-They would be spending money with us all the time.

Q-What else?

A-A good market would be created right along the road. Many autoists would buy eggs because they know they would get them fresh. Many would want sorghum to take home because they can't get it pure in the cities. Others would want fruits, chickens turkeys, ducks, geese, vegetables etc. Then the huckster wares from Lancaster, Stanford, Berea and other points would make regular trips over these roads paying cash for produce and poultry etc.

Q-If we don't build the road what do we lose?

A-We lose the advantages of having two good highways thru our county and the \$1500 more state road tax which our county is obliged to pay every year into state road fund to assist in building roads in counties which take advantage of state aid law.

Q-How can we get this \$1500 back and a great deal more than we pay into the state road fund?

A-By voting the bond issue and building the two roads.

Q-If a man owns a farm which is assessed at \$400, what will be his part of tax on this bond issue?

A-Eighty cents, twenty cents on each \$100. assessed valuation.

Q-If a voter has no land but has other property valued at \$250 or less, what will be his road tax to pay on bond issue?

A-Not a cent.

Q-If a voter has live stock and household goods valued at \$250 or less what will be his part to pay?

A-Nothing.

Q-Any other advantages?

A-Rural districts will be able to buy the best of stock in the east.

RAISE INCREASE NECESSARY FARMERS' UNION OFFICIALS THINK RAILROADS ARE ENTITLED TO MORE REVENUE. Products of Plow and Farmer Who Lives at Home Should Be Exempt From Increase. By Peter Radford, Lecturer National Farmers' Union. The recent action of the Interstate Commerce Commission in granting an increase in freight rates in the eastern classification of territory; the application of the same increase to interstate commissions for an increase in rates, and the utterances of President Wilson as the subject being the farmers of this nation; face to face with the problem of an increase in freight rates. It is the policy of the Farmers' Union to meet the issues affecting the welfare of the farmers squarely and we will do so in this instance.

Q-How can the statements in this circular be verified and proved to be correct? A-By calling on the Sheriff, the Banks, Circuit and County Court Clerks at Mt. Vernon. Call on or write R. C. Terrell, Road Commissioner, Frankfort, Ky., Robert E. Woods, Director, Kentucky Good Roads Association, Louisville, Ky. It is probable the factors of the above can verify all the points set forth in this circular but each one can give his part and by putting them together will have the facts covering the situation as set forth herein.

SEN. CAMDEN IS NOT A CANDIDATE KENTUCKIAN ASSESTS HE DOES NOT SEEK CHIEF OF EXECUTIVE. NO OTHER POLITICAL DESIRES Prefers to Work for Uplifting of State in the Capacity of a Citizen.

Washington, D. C.-Senator Camden, when asked whether he will be a candidate for Governor of Kentucky, gave the following interview: "About a month ago when I declined to discuss the matter of making the race for the Democratic nomination for governor, it was because I had no definite intention of doing so. I have not positively decided not to make the race. I do feel greatly indebted to the Democratic Party for its nomination for Senator at the primary last August, and to the people of Kentucky generally for their ratification of that nomination at the polls in November. Having been appointed by the Governor to the office of Chief of the Senate, I was naturally anxious to have the appointment approved by the electorate on March 27, 1915. The majority of 29,494 at the primary, carrying ten of the eleven Congressional districts, was far beyond my most sanguine expectations.

Furthermore as a matter of sentiment I have a strong desire to serve my father, an old line Democrat, who has been elected to the office of West Virginia. "The selection of a Governor, and a Chief Justice, are matters of the utmost importance. Kentucky stands at the crossroads of the nation, and her future, depends very largely upon whether her affairs are guided by a man of high character and high ability. Whatever may come to pass shall always be my purpose as a private citizen to give the faithful, sagacious and able man the vote which I feel that every citizen owes, and thus to evidence my profound sense of obligation to the people of Kentucky."

ANNOUNCEMENTS We Are Authorized to Announce JUDGE R. J. BETHURUM As a candidate for reelection as Judge of the 8th Judicial District, subject to the action of the Republican party, August primary, 1915. We Are Authorized to Announce J. L. WILSON As a candidate for State Senator for the 17th Senatorial District, subject to the action of the Republican party, August primary, 1915. Dr. W. C. BLACK As a candidate for State Senator for the 17th Senatorial District, subject to the action of the Republican party, August primary, 1915.

Oklahoma to Have An Literacy Commission Superintendent R. H. Wilson is preparing to present to the legislature a bill which has for its purpose the banishing of illiteracy from the State of Oklahoma. He is following more or less the plan adopted by the State of Kentucky, which was brought about by the activities of Mrs. Cora Wilson Stearns. This is in line with Superintendent Wilson's policy to do the larger portion of his time during the past administration to the benefit of the poor.

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SPECIAL ELECTION PUBLIC SALE. Voters Rockcastle County, V.-1 Petition Ord. No. Call an Election on Bond Issue. It appearing that a petition signed by more than one hundred and fifty legal voters, who are free holders of Rockcastle county, was filed in the office of the Clerk of the Rockcastle County Court, and with the Judge thereof, on the 25th day of January 1915 asking that an election be held in said county, March 27, 1915, for the purpose of submitting to the legal voters said county the question of whether the Fiscal Court of said county, shall issue and sell the bonds of said county in an amount not to exceed \$100,000, said bonds to be sold and the proceeds arising therefrom to be used in building and constructing turnpikes in Rockcastle County and through territory hereinafter designated by the said Fiscal Court and State Road Department and the Court being sufficiently advised, now Orders that said election be held at the time and for the purpose stated in said petition and that Oam Mullins, Sheriff, of Rockcastle County, be and he is hereby directed to cause a poll to be opened and an election to be held in the County of Rockcastle, On the 27th day of March 1915. And he will cause the polls to be opened in each and all of the precincts in said county; and he is directed to advertise said election and the object thereof at least 30 days next before the day thereof in some newspaper having the largest circulation in the county also by printed handbills posted up at not less than four public places in each voting precinct in the County and at the Court-house door. All legal voters of said County shall be privileged to vote at said election. Copy Attest: S. F. BOWMAN, Clerk.

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