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Livingston

A few days ago a man came to our town and asked to see the board of trustees, when Mr. T. Catlin, clerk of the board, was pointed out to him. Later we learned his mission and it was that he wanted permission to put up a malt stand in our town. But we are pleased to know that the privilege was denied him. We have a nice quiet town at present and we hope to see it remain that way, and we will say to the board: Stand by your decision. We are anxious that nine-tenths of the people of the town are against this drink. Citizens just think back only a few years ago, what a condition this town was in at that time, and such stuff was sold then. We hope the dark days of Livingston are past. Boys, stand by your decision, we are all with you.

Miss Dortha Owens, of Spira, was here Sunday en route home from Berea where she has been attending school. We are having the coldest weather of the season being below zero for the first time in a few years. This reminds us of a little anecdote told on Champ Mullins a few years ago when thermometers first came around. Champ had been to Mt. Vernon and had come back home and some one asked him how cold it was at Mt. Vernon. He answered that he went in at Mt. Vernon and the thermometer was three big inches below zero. C. L. Black is moving his family to property on High street. Miss Nettie Rice has been confined to her room for the past week with grip, but at present she is much better. Our town was shocked Tuesday night by two robberies. J. H. Browning was called from his room and two men drew a pistol on him and demanded his money. The pay car had just paid off the employes and it is supposed the men thought they would get Mr. Browning's month salary. The same men held up a brakeman near the river bridge and robbed him of \$1.50. Later George Mullins and Fred Elkins were arrested and taken to Mt. Vernon. E. B. Owens is bearing the night yard work at Livingston. I. W. Catlin, J. H. Browning, Hubert Nicely, Judge Summers and

Marshal Riggs went to Mt. Vernon Wednesday. Mr. Thomas Jones and two children have been very sick for the past week. George Griffin, Jr. has been very sick for some time is some better. Prof. Wilson was called to Lebanon on account of the death of some of his relatives. E. C. Herd received a message from Hamilton Ohio, stating that his father, B. Herd, was dead. He was buried in Hamilton, Ohio. Wonder what has become of our friend, James Marek, the Boone Way booster. Would be glad to see a few lines from that famous writer. Mrs. David Smith, who has been very sick for some time, continues about the same.

J. M. Turpin, of Langford Station, who has been confined to his room for some time with rheumatism, passed here Sunday en route to French Lick Springs in Indiana. There will be a Fifth Year day meeting at the Baptist church and a large crowd is expected.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Baker, of Mt. Vernon, are with Mrs. Baker's parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. Pender, at their home where they have been in cabbage growing in his garden. We have not seen the cabbage ourselves but we have Eli's word for it and that is O. K. Mrs. F. M. Marshbanks and little daughter, were in Mt. Vernon Saturday. Rev. Jones of London, filled his regular appointment at the Baptist church, Saturday and Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Cottingham were called to Pine Hill, Monday, on account of the illness of Mr. Cottingham's sister. J. B. Hayes, who has been very sick is slowly improving. Ben Griffin, who has had a spell of the grip, is able to beak his post again. W. R. Ward has had a few days' tussel with grip but is able to work again. Little Burge Griffin has been confined to his room with pneumonia for several days, but now is convalescent. Mrs. Hugh Jenkins, who has been very sick for some time continues very low. Mrs. Daniel Ponder, who has been very sick for some time is rapidly improving. We are just recovering from a severe stage of cold, called in English grip, but what puzzles us is whether we have had grip, or grip has had us. Miss Juliet Griffin, who has been suffering with a broken arm has almost recovered. W. J. Sparks, of Mt. Vernon, was here between trains, Tuesday. Willie, Miss Marie and

Leslie Bamba all have been confined to their rooms for a few days with grip. Jack Carpenter, after a hard struggle with grip is some better. Mrs. A. E. Albright and Mrs. J. W. Tate, of Brodhead, were here between trains Thursday en route home from Langford, Ky.

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The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all the stages, and that is catarrh. Catarrh being greatly influenced by constitutional conditions requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally and acts through the blood on the mucous surfaces of the system thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in the curative powers of Hall's Catarrh Cure that they offer Opt. One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for free testimonials.

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Brodhead

At a recent meeting of the directors of the Citizens bank of this city, an eight per cent dividend was declared, six hundred dollars was placed to surplus, one hundred dollars to undivided profits and the furniture and fixtures account reduced considerably. It will be remembered that this institution under a former management lost some money, after one year of strenuous effort it was found that sure success was just ahead, and the past year was the best year of the bank's life when it made thirteen per cent of its capital. Cashier Hiett is to be congratulated upon the business manner in which he conducted banking, and the great success he has brought to this institution. Mr. and Mrs. Robert Roberts arrived here the guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Owens. In our letter last week we stated that there was a seventy-four pound pumpkin on display at the Citizens bank that was raised by Uncle Marshall Smith, the printer reversed out figures making it read forty-seven

Personally a mistake of this character makes no difference, but to the man that raises pumpkins that weigh seventy-four pounds and upward, it is doing him a great injustice to reverse figures. This again we said that Miss Elizabeth Smith was teaching school for her "sister," and the printer took it as passing circuit, and made our letter read "brother, instead, Born to the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Chandler a little baby boy last Friday. Mr. W. L. M. Brown, of Louisville, is spending a few weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Frith. Mrs. J. W. Tate and Mrs. A. E. Albright were with their brother, Bub Turpin, at Langford last week. Mr. Turpin has a severe attack of rheumatism. He accompanied his sisters home Sunday, and on Monday left for French Lick Springs, Ind., where he hopes to be benefited. George W. Frith died at his home near here Tuesday morning, and his remains were laid to rest in the Oak Hill cemetery Wednesday afternoon. Mr. Frith had been in a serious condition for several months, and had been in the hospital for some time, who knew of his condition. Besides his widow he is survived by seven small children. James Pike left Sunday for Detroit, Mich., where he has a position in the northern city, and is making good with the Detroit Street Railway Company. Mrs. Susie Sharp and family now live in Cincinnati, having moved there about three weeks ago. C. H. Frith is all smiles again, his girl. About three weeks ago our good friend Julian Brown was tried and convicted by the Judge of Circuit Court on the charge of stealing a pair of shoes to the value of \$30.00, ten days confinement in the county jail, and carried with it a disfranchisement of two years. Mr. Bordes, thru his attorney, filed motion for a new trial, and the day was set for the argument of the case, and while waiting for the day to arrive he boarded the train for Frankfort, where he interceded with Gov. Stanley, secured a full pardon for the imprisonment and the penalties, returned home feeling considerably better because of the fact that he did not have to board with James. Winstead ten days and that he would cast his vote hereafter as usual. Uncle Dave Hurt is very sick with grip. The doctors also report a number of other grip victims.

difference in growth between the ungrafted tree and the tree planted in blasted ground being so manifestly in favor of the latter that no adequate comparison can be made.

Furthermore, there are many and logical reasons for this method of tree planting that even the most skeptical could not fail to see. Obviously when a tree has to pass a large part of its energies in forcing its roots through the hard soil it cannot be expected to make the same rapid growth and come into such

early bearing as a tree would that had the ground in which it was planted thoroughly spongy. A tree planted in blasted ground will not only be able to bear a heavy load of fruit, but it will be able to stand up to the most severe winter weather. No tree should be planted over hardpan or impacted soil without first resorting to blasting, so that the soil may be made open and porous. Such blasting not only creates channels, increases the soil moisture and permits deeper rooting, but it also induces better growth and larger yields.

The roots are firmly embedded in rich topsoil, surrounded by yellow well blasted soil.

must be filled to prevent settling of the tree after planting. The roots should be placed in a natural position in good soil covered with more top soil and graded down first. The hole can then be filled to a little above the surface with subsoil.

The fact that nearly all commercial orchardists use this method proves that it pays in reduced first year loss, earlier fruiting and larger and better yields.

Blasting Ground For Tree Planting

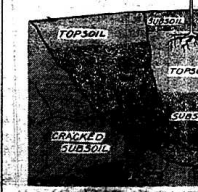
Much has been written on how to plant a tree or trees, but if the experimenter of scores of famous orchardists have any weight on the topic, then the practice of using dynamite preliminary to planting young trees has fully proved its merit.

The writer has personally seen specific examples of the value and excellence of tree planting with dynamite in a private orchard in Delaware, the



THE BLAST THOROUGHLY CRACKS THE SOIL, BUT USUALLY LEAVES A CAVITY OR POT-HOLE AT THE BOTTOM—THIS MUST BE FILLED.

tree planting time, unless it is desirable to add some manure or fertilizer to be diffused through the soil. This is an excellent practice, especially in poor soil. If the earth is sour, stony or very sandy, a few pounds of lime scattered in the hole will materially assist in flocculating the clay and keeping it soft. A few pounds of lime scattered in a hole will usually be found about the size of a barrel basket. This



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Explosives In Road Building

One of the newer methods of road building that is fast winning the endorsement of the better vested contractors is that of employing dynamite for reducing the heavy work.

Grading through hard ground or rock, for instance, is tedious and requires time and labor. The use of dynamite for blasting such material is a welcome relief. Both rock and hard clay may be loosened in the cut by well placed charges of explosives if holes are drilled into the ground in a line away up the bank and loaded. Careful spacing and drilling for electrically fired blasts will result in softening down both classes of materials in the best possible manner.



In loosening shale and rock to facilitate hand or steam shovel work dynamite is also very effective, while strata may be blasted from the roadbed just as though they were being removed from a field to be cleared and cultivated. Builders are also easily startled by visible loading and when of hard rock may be crushed into surface strata. The side ditches can also be blasted in keeping with the nature of the ground. In fact, there are no limits practically to the many uses and advantages of dynamite for road building when care and thoughtful attention is given to the work.

Incidentally the planting of shade trees for roadside improvement and attractiveness is greatly facilitated by the judicious use of a little dynamite. If a recognized fact that trees planted in blasted holes grow more rapidly and progress more favorably than those planted in the average spongy ground.

Straightening Streams With Dynamite

The ancient Egyptians were noted for their crops because, as history states, they "sowed their seeds in the Nile." This does not mean that they actually cast the seed in the river. At certain seasons of the year the Nile overflows its banks, depositing an adherent a rich silt or earth that is highly conducive to bumper crops, and the wise ancient Egyptian, realizing this, profited thereby.

Water is a necessity. The thinnest brooks up to the largest rivers play an important part in the subsistence of man inasmuch as they are nature's way of

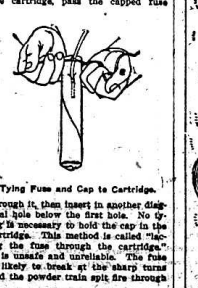


Diagram of Stream Trouble That May Be Corrected by Blasting.

both irrigation and drainage. But being formed according to nature's dictates their courses do not always lie with usefulness to the human race. Rock ledges impede their progress. Overhanging strata and trees retard them.

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Graded School Items.

The Following students attained the honor roll for the first term of the school year, and were therefore exempt from the midyear examinations:

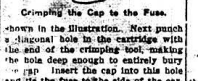
- HIGH SCHOOL: Mary Langford, Ella Mae McKenzie, Ruth Landrum, Sydney Crawford, Verne Welch, Will Thompson, Oate, Silvers and Maggie Lylesway.
- EIGHTH GRADE: Ida Hamblin, star roll; Maggie Jones.
- SEVENTH GRADE: Rosa Gent.
- SIXTH GRADE: Edna Davis, Bertha Leonard and Nora O'Neil.
- FIFTH GRADE: Lillian Griffin, star roll.
- FOURTH GRADE: Karl Davis, Russ Graham, Steven Proctor, Miss McMillon; the Kindergarten of Langford School, was a pleasant visitor in the Primary room on Thursday of last week.

FOR RHEUMATISM

As soon as an attack of rheumatism begins apply Sloan's Liniment. Don't waste time and pay for unnecessary suffering. A few drops of Sloan's Liniment on the pain gives relief. "I was suffering for three weeks with rheumatism in my back and neck, although I tried many remedies, but Sloan's Liniment cured me. I feel like a new man now."—J. W. Smith, Langford, Ky.

Priming a Dynamite Cartridge

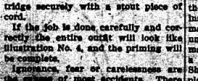
To properly prime a dynamite cartridge, first remove the cap, and then insert the priming cap about the fuse, using the crimping tool as shown in the illustration. Next punch a diagonal hole in the cartridge with the end of the crimping tool, making the hole deep enough to insert fully two or three times the diameter of the fuse to the side of the cartridge.



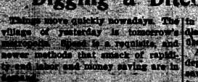
Crimping the Cap to the Fuse. Shown in the illustration. Next punch a diagonal hole in the cartridge with the end of the crimping tool, making the hole deep enough to insert fully two or three times the diameter of the fuse to the side of the cartridge.



Tying Fuse and Cap to Cartridge. Through it, then insert in another diagonal hole below the first hole. No tying is necessary to hold the cap in the cartridge. This method is called "acing" the fuse through the cartridge.



Making Cap Hole in Cartridge. Cracks securely with a stout piece of cord. If the job is done carefully and conscientiously, this method will hold the priming cap in place.



The Finished Cartridge. Primed. The break, setting fire to the cartridge, instead of exploding it, if the fuse may miss fire, although having an unexploded charge in the hole, it may hang fire for half an hour or half a day and cause a serious accident. Short cuts do not pay in handling explosives.

Digging a Ditch in a Flash

It is a cartridge of dynamite in the hole. The hole is drilled into the ground, and a charge of dynamite is placed in it. The hole is labeled 'HOLE' and the dynamite is labeled 'DYNAMITE'.

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The good people of Covington and Newport are endeavoring to get through some needed legislation at Frankfort, looking toward closing the saloons on Sunday in these two cities. The rum-drunks of Cincinnati flood both of these two Kentucky cities on Sunday, to the disgrace and disgust of decent people. The law-abiding citizens of the State heartily wish that the present Legislature will give the splendid people the relief they seek.

Tax bill introduced in the Legislature for the benefit of Col. John R. Allen, the busy money-making lawyer, of Lexington, who is also Commonwealth's Attorney to create the office of Assistant Commonwealth's Attorney, in counties of the state having second class cities therein, of which Lexington is one, which promptly defeated. We hope to see Mr. Bullock, as well as our Senator, leading the fight against it.

The "Gag Rule" passed in the House of Representatives for the bringing out of bills from the Committee is no credit to the intelligence and fairness of that body of law-makers.

DANKLY is proving himself a real Governor. Every step by him so far has been both wise and expedient.

KENTUCKY'S EARLIEST EXPLORERS AND HUNTERS.

The following items of early Kentucky history is furnished by Jim Mure, President of Boone-Way, Mt. Vernon, Ky., who will shortly publish a history of Daniel Boone, and of Truitt and Highway.

"In 1750 a small party of Virginians, from Orange and Culpeper counties, Dr. Thomas Walker, Ambrose Powell and Colby Chew, among them, entered what is now the State of Kentucky at Cumberland Gap, being the first white men known to have visited interior or Eastern Kentucky. Isaac Shelby, the first Governor of the State, stated that in 1770 he was on Yellow Creek, a mile or two from Cumberland mountain, in company with Dr. Walker and others, when Walker told him of having been upon that spot twenty years before, and 'younder beech tree bears the record of it; Ambrose Powell mark his name and the year upon it, you will find it there now.' Col. Shelby examined the tree, and found upon it in large, legible characters, a Powell-1750. The party traveled down Bolton River, cross over the mountains into Powell's Valley, thence thru Cumberland Gap, and along the route afterwards celebrated as the Wilderness Road until they arrived at Hazel Patch, now Laurel county. Here the company divided. Dr. Walker and his party turned northward, to the Kentucky river, which he called Louisa river, followed it down some distance without finding much level land, he became disappointed and turned up one of its branches to the head and cross over the mountains to New River in Virginia to a place now called Walker's Meadow.

It is said that Walker was making for the Ohio river, but bore too far to the East. His party then returned to their homes. Dr. Walker later surveyed out the border line between Tennessee and Kentucky. Tennessee was first called the District of Washington.

OTHER EARLIEST EXPLORERS AND HUNTERS
In 1761 a company of 15 men, among them Wallen, Shages,

Newman, Blevins and Cox, part of them from Pennsylvania, the others from Virginia, went thru the mountains of Meigs, Ga. in Clinch Mountain, established a station on Wallen's creek now Lee county, Virginia, and hunted there for eighteen months. They named Powell's mountain, Powell's river and Powell's valley, from the name of Ambrose Powell inscribed on a tree near the mouth of Wallen's creek, on Powell river. They gave names to Clinch river, Copper ridge, Newmans, Wallen's and Skaggs ridges. There is a Skaggs trace and Skaggs creek in Rookcastle country. They past thru Cumberland Gap. How far they penetrated into Kentucky on this trip is not known.

EXPEDITION OF 1768.
The same company of hunters in the Fall of 1763 again passed thru Cumberland Gap and spent the season in hunting on the Cumberland river. The next year, 1764, was made on Rockcastle river, not far from the Crab Orchard. (The town of Crab Orchard took its name from the innumerable thickets or orchards of crab apple trees, which when in bloom the perfume therefrom could be smelled miles away.) These hunters visited these parts a number of times thereafter. In June 1766 a party of five persons passed thru Cumberland Gap. These men were Capt. James Smith (afterwards until his death about 1814, a prominent citizen of Bourbon county, Kentucky) John on Harlow, Urab Stone, Wm. Baker and a mulatto slave about 18 years old. They "found no vestige of any white man." The South branch of the Cumberland river which empties into it eight or ten miles above Nashville, they named Stone river, after one of their number.

PARTY FROM SOUTH CAROLINA.

In 1769, a party from South Carolina, Isaac Lindsey and four others, came thru Cumberland Gap, to what Lindsey called Rookcastle river, from a romantic looking rock thru the fissures of which the water dript and froze in rows below. They went down the river as far as the mouth of the Clinch river, where they found Michael Stone, who had come hither with James Harrod, from Illinois to hunt. Later, 1774, Harrod founded Harrodstown or Harrodsburg. Stone settled in Bourbon county and Stone creek took its name from him.

JOHN FINDLAY 1767

In 1767 John Findlay made an expedition into Kentucky for the purpose of hunting and trading with the Indians. From Cumberland Gap the warriors path leading from the Cumberland river, along the broken country on the eastern branch of the Kentucky river, toward the mouth of the Scioto. Two years later 1769, Findlay conducted Daniel Boone, John Stewart and three others, from their homes on the Yadkin river in North Carolina to a spot "on Red river, the northernmost branch of the Kentucky river, where John Findlay had formerly been trading with the Indians where on June 7th, 1769, from the top of an eminence they saw with pleasure the beautiful level of Kentucky." This point is located about 30 miles East of Richmond.

BOONE CAPTURED BY INDIANS

While out hunting, one day, Boone and Stewart were made prisoners. After several days they made their escape and upon returning to their camp found it plundered and their comrades "dispersed or shot home." Findlay made his way back to the settlements. Stewart was shortly seized and killed by Indians, but not until Squire Boone and another adventurer had found their way from North Carolina to his brother's camp in the cane land. The tragic death of Stewart frightened the new comer, and he "returned home by himself." The brothers were left alone in the wilderness. On the first of May 1770 Squire Boone "returned home for a new recruit of horses and ammunition, leaving Daniel alone without bread, salt or sugar, or even a horse or dog. While thus alone, in May 1770, he returned to the hills, and fired the first shot in the wilderness. On the first of May 1770 Squire Boone returned home for a new recruit of horses and ammunition, leaving Daniel alone without bread, salt or sugar, or even a horse or dog. While thus alone, in May 1770, he returned to the hills, and fired the first shot in the wilderness. On the first of May 1770 Squire Boone returned home for a new recruit of horses and ammunition, leaving Daniel alone without bread, salt or sugar, or even a horse or dog. While thus alone, in May 1770, he returned to the hills, and fired the first shot in the wilderness.

March 1771, when they made their way back to their North Carolina homes. Daniel has been in Kentucky nearly three years.

LETTER FROM AUDITOR TO SHERIFF MULLINS

The following is a copy of a letter received from the Auditor which Sheriff Cam Mullins has had published that the tax-payers may know what the law is relative to the collection of taxes. The letter in full is as follows:
Frankfort, Ky. Jan 8, 1916.
Cam Mullins, Sheriff.
Mt. Vernon, Ky.

Dear Sir:
This office is in receipt of a communication from the Attorney General's office, especially calling attention to Section 443 and 445 of the Kentucky Statutes relating to penalties on taxes uncollected by the Sheriff on the first day of December and all taxes not settled by the Sheriff with the State on the 31st day of December.

It is obligatory on this office to collect a 6 per cent. penalty on all taxes unsettled December 1, together with interest at the rate of six per centum on the taxes from the said date to pay.

This penalty and interest must be collected by the Sheriff from the taxpayer, and all penalties and interest must be reported to this office in each monthly report after same comes due.

Your attention is especially called to the Act of 1912 requiring the Sheriff to report on the first day of each month, May, June, July, August, September, October, November and December, under oath to the Auditor the amount of all taxes collected by him and pay the same immediately into the State Treasury. The Sheriff shall be required by the Auditor of Public Accounts to pay a penalty of six per centum on all

taxes collected and unpaid by him on the 31st day of December in each year. The Auditor of Public Accounts, in his settlement with the Sheriff or collector, shall charge him with the penalties accruing under the provisions of this Act.
ROBT. L. GARRNS.

Auditor.
All taxes must be paid. I can't say there for you. I have to have this money to pay with.
Yours,
CAM MULLINS, S. R. C.

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Plenty of fresh air in the bedroom and a liberal application of VICK'S Vapo-Rub will relieve the throat and chest at the first signs of trouble, will keep the little ones free from colds and keep their throats free from soreness.

VICK'S VAPOR-SALVE

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Digging ditches with dynamite is simply a newer and more improved method of trench building. The method employed in our work is simply to punch holes from eighteen to twenty-four inches deep along the line destined to ditch and then load each hole with a charge of 50 per cent straight dynamite.

Long stretches of ditch can be loaded and fired at one time. One cap placed

freezing farm or stumping power, used in soils spread farther apart, often in large ditches as far as four or five feet. In this case each hole must be primed with an electric cap as the explosive stock will not propagate in dry ground.

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PERSONAL

Dr. M. Ponsington is in Louisville today. Mrs. Fred Krueger has typhoid and is very sick. Mrs. U. G. Baker was reported very sick yesterday. Mrs. John Clontz has been down sick for seven weeks. Mrs. Gardner has been very sick for the past week. Miss Baker has moved into A. B. Furness's residence. Little Lucille Albright has been very sick during the week. Mrs. W. M. Foytner, who has been sick since Christmas, is some better. Mrs. S. H. Martin has returned from Virginia and is very much improved. Master William Sparks is slowly recovering from a severe case of scarlet fever. W. H. Jones, the Middle merchant, is confined to his room by a very severe case of the grip. Mrs. Cox, rooming at the Knickerbocker, Miss Grace, has been very sick for the past week with grip. The little son of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Rinke, who has been very sick for several days is better. Roy Britton and family, who have been located at Bond for a few months have returned to Mt. Vernon. Otto Reynolds, who has had a severe case of pneumonia, is rapidly improving and will soon be able to go out. Miss Ethyle Davis came in home from Poplar Grove last Sunday very sick. Her sister, Miss Emma, is teaching this week in her place.

LOCAL

Luther Manus will move his restaurant from the Krueger building to the Fish building. Read our special offer for papers on second page: Here you get all the reading you will want, except it is a daily paper, and it is almost at the price of one. Now is the time to send in your order. The damage suit of Will Cummins vs. W. J. Sparks Co., went out of court on preceptory instructions. While working at the W. J. Sparks Co. quarry, the plaintiff was caught between two rock cars and received a broken leg. Judge Thurman, of Springfield, was the special judge sent to try the case. Mrs. W. M. McCarroll died at her home near Pine Hill Sunday night of pneumonia and a complication of other troubles. The deceased was a Miss Chesnut, sister of Dr. Lee and Walter Chesnut, before her marriage. Besides her husband she leaves six children and to this family we extend our sympathy. The burial took place Monday at the family burying ground near Pine Hill. George Mullins and Fred Atkins, charged with holding up and robbing J. H. Browning and his brakeman by the name of Newland, were brought here Wednesday night and tried before Judge Ballard who held Mullins over under a \$500 bond and Atkins a \$500 bond which they satisfied to give. Since both parties are out on parole from the penitentiary, the authorities will notify the Prison Commissioners and if returned to the penitentiary will be held for \$1000 bail for each party and \$1000 for each party's lawyer, the charge being \$1000 for each party and \$1000 for each party's lawyer. The charge being \$1000 for each party and \$1000 for each party's lawyer. The charge being \$1000 for each party and \$1000 for each party's lawyer.

If you attend the show at Bond on Tuesday night, you are contributing to the fund of the free public library.

The proceeds from next Tuesday night's show at the Boone Way Opera House goes for the benefit of the library. Go and help out a worthy cause.

It was George T. Johnson who bought the fine pigs at Stanford and shipped them to Mt. Vernon in the name of Geo. Lewis. The express men got the name wrong and wrote it Lewis instead of Johnson.

RECORD BREAKING EGGS—Mrs. S. S. Morrow killed a pig of his own raising yesterday, which tipped the beam at 954 pounds. This is the largest hog we have heard of ever having been killed in this section of the State.—Southeast Journal.

The R. M. E. Flour Co. was given judgement for \$5000 against the defendants, who had carried policies for \$10,000 on building and stock which was destroyed by fire at Livingston in 1914. The case will not be appealed.

The night office of the L. & N., which has been closed for the past six or eight months, was reopened yesterday. Agent J. A. Landrum, assisted by S. E. McDaniel, will work first night, Clarence Ferguson, second and J. J. Lawrence third. Assistant Agent McKeezie, will be on duty from 7 a. m. to 7 p. m.

U. G. Baker & Son is the style of Mt. Vernons new wholesale grocery firm which began business only last week. We have long since thought that the business here has such a business and we know of no man in the county better suited to handle such a business than U. G. Baker, who is one of the country's best and most successful business men.

Joe Bowling, of Boones Hollow, was in town Wednesday getting medicine for his typhoid, all three suffering from bronchial pneumonia and about a dozen of the boys, Joe says, for the past few weeks, it has kept all the family and most of the neighbors busy day and night looking after the youngsters. When one cries, all three cry which necessitates about three nurses instead of one. They are getting better.

APPOINTMENTS

Teachers of persons preparing to teach may get appointments from the County Superintendent's office to the Eastern State Normal and about a dozen appointments to attend a meeting at the local school free. I am anxious to have you come in and talk it over with me. Let's plan to go to school this winter and spring. Yours for better schools. Mrs. W. A. B. Davis, County Superintendent.

TEACHERS' CERTIFICATE

Your schools are closing. You are getting ready for the teachers' examination in May. You want to make a certificate which will enable you to teach. Some of you are teaching and want to make a better certificate. You would like to go to school near home. All the above you can do. The Mt. Vernon Graded High School offers you this opportunity. We have a present eight who are taking our course to teach this fall. Twenty-three teachers prepared themselves here last year. Join us and get ready for that certificate. Write or see Mr. W. J. Sparks, Mt. Vernon, Ky.

COMMON SCHOOL DIPLOMA EXAMINATION

The January diploma examination for Common School Diploma will be held at Mt. Vernon and Broadhead next Friday and Saturday, the 28th and 29th. This is the time for the rural schools to take the examinations. Your school is now closing and this diploma will enable you to teach in any school in the next year and during years at Mt. Vernon, Ephraim and Livingston. Teachers will receive \$1000 for each year and \$1000 for each year's salary. The diploma will be given to the successful candidates. The diploma will be given to the successful candidates. The diploma will be given to the successful candidates.

SERVICES AT THE CHRISTIAN CHURCH, MON. SUNDAY.

Sunday School 9:45 a. m. Preaching service 11:00 a. m. Subject, 'The Unknown and the Known God.' Meeting of the Official Board 3 p. m. Christian Endeavor 6:30 p. m., led by 'Loyal Sons.' Preaching service 7:30 p. m., 'The Rapturous Silver-Smith's Flow.'

PUBLIC LIBRARY.

The much talked of Public Library is now a reality and for the present, will be open to the public, every Saturday from 2 to 5 o'clock p. m. On application books may be taken out for a period of two weeks free of charge, and if at the expiration of this time, one desires the book longer, by notifying the Librarian the time will be extended. But if no notice is given a loss of one cent will be charged for each day over the two weeks the books are kept. Applicants will be held responsible for the return of the books. The school boys and girls are especially invited to take advantage of this opportunity. Of course there will be the expense of fuel and some other incidentals to be borne by the committee in charge of the library. So on a Tuesday evening out of the month, Mr. Owens, the generous hearted proprietor, has offered to share the profits of the picture show, with patronizing the Picture Show next Tuesday night you will give support to 'Your Library.'

A SCHOOL OF METHODS AT

Mr. R. C. Roadruck—owner of the State Sunday School workers for the school of the Christiana, in Kentucky—was in Mt. Vernon, Monday night, to confer with some of our local workers about plans for a school of methods to be held here in the spring.

Our Eleventh Sunday School District is a part of the Eastern Congressional District and comprises the following counties: Rockcastle, Laurel, Knox, Bell, Whitley and Harlan. In 1914, a school of Methods was held at London. And the one to be held here from May 29th to June 2nd will be for the Eleventh District.

Our school invited the School of Methods for this year, and we are very fortunate in securing it. In other schools in the district were anxious for it. The school is being held at the Christiana, which has the advantage of being able to have all of its members present, and where such schools have been held, the local school has had a permanent growth.

This will be a real school. The Mt. Vernon Sunday School Association will furnish a faculty of three or four members. There will be a schedule of time and subject, consisting of six or seven periods, each day, in which as many subjects will be presented, in lecture form. Each instructor will present the phase of the work on which he has the special interest.

WOMAN'S CLUB

The regular meeting of the Art Department of the Woman's Club was held at Langdon School on Friday January fourteenth. Roll call was responded by names of the members of French artists. Very interesting papers were read by Mrs. W. J. Sparks, Mrs. J. W. Brown and Mrs. E. S. Albright on Corot, Rosa Bonheur and Millet, respectively. After the reading of the papers, the masterpieces of the above named artists were presented by means of the idiomatic, and were most interestingly interpreted by Miss Stewart. Very few of the members were able to attend, but every one present enjoyed the excellent program.

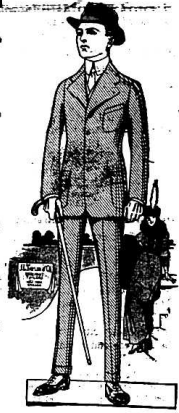
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THE CASH STORE. Fresh bread every Tuesday and Friday at Fish's restaurant. Get your fresh fruits at Fish's restaurant. The people on both sides want the bond issue case tried this court, and they are expecting a submission of the case let go as it may. NOTICE—All parties holding claims against the estate of Rosa Payne, deceased, will present same to me on or before February 1st, 1915, properly proved. Those indebted to the estate will please arrange settlement of same. DOK L. LANDRUM, Adm. Jan. 14-31. WOMAN'S CLUB. The regular meeting of the Art Department of the Woman's Club was held at Langdon School on Friday January fourteenth. Roll call was responded by names of the members of French artists. Very interesting papers were read by Mrs. W. J. Sparks, Mrs. J. W. Brown and Mrs. E. S. Albright on Corot, Rosa Bonheur and Millet, respectively. After the reading of the papers, the masterpieces of the above named artists were presented by means of the idiomatic, and were most interestingly interpreted by Miss Stewart. Very few of the members were able to attend, but every one present enjoyed the excellent program. The next meeting of the Club, Friday January twenty-eighth at 3 o'clock, will be in charge of the civic committees of which Mrs. Cleo W. Brown is chairman. Mrs. R. A. Sparks and Mrs. Botherum will be the speakers. WOMAN'S MEETING. The next meeting of the Club, Friday January twenty-eighth at 3 o'clock, will be in charge of the civic committees of which Mrs. Cleo W. Brown is chairman. Mrs. R. A. Sparks and Mrs. Botherum will be the speakers. PROGRAMME. Song. Devotional. Mrs. Nellie Rice. Song. Welcome Address. Mrs. Fannie Oliver. Response, Mrs. Edger Albright. The Woman's Hymn. 'What the Woman's Work Means to the Cause of Christ.' Mrs. Laura Bangh. 'Why a Woman's Organization in Every Church.' Mrs. F. I. Hughes. Children's Hymn. Mrs. Frank Maria. President's Hour—Each President to tell something of the Address and Lecture and the advantages. Open discussion. Song and Prayer. Mrs. J. E. Woodall, Pres.

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WHY CHANGE DOCTORS?



MUST HURRY TO CATCH UP.

Kentucky is making progress with her present school system, but it is not nearly fast enough. She is so far down the list of the states in educational matters that she must hurry "ever faster than she is now going to merely catch up with the main portion of the procession. The main obstacle to the rapid progress is the necessity for the changing of the superintendents of public instruction every four years. No two school men, no matter how well equipped they may be for the most important position, can have exercised the same ideas and ideals. So, while a new superintendent is being placed in a position to do real work by the man leaving the office, or

DON'T DIVIDE PIKE COUNTY

BECAUSE:

The people of Pike County do not want it. It will mean a new paper county which will be a burden to the rest of the state. It will mean more than double the taxes of the people of both the new and the existing counties. It will mean the loss of \$40,000 of the good voters of the proposed new county as opposed to same. The movement to divide the county originated and is financed by people living outside of the county and some of them out of the state. Wallace J. Williamson, of Williamson, West Virginia, and his son, Ben Williamson, of Caledonia, Boyd County, Kentucky, will be the chief beneficiaries if the new county is formed. They will divide over \$500,000 out of the new county seat, which will be on their land. These same people divided Logan County, West Virginia, and made \$200,000 thereby. They now seek to divide Pike County and further divide themselves at the expense of the State of Kentucky and Kentuckians.

Out of the large number of men employed by the Williamson sons to lobby in favor of this bill, there is NOT ONE, 1112 N. W. It will delay the time when either county can have good roads or improve its schools. It will inconvenience more people than it will benefit.

PIKE COUNTY COMMITTEE,
J. D. JONES, Chm.

PUBLIC SALE.
As administrator of the estate of Rosa Payne, decase, I will, on Monday, January 24th 1910, at the home place, offer for sale, the following: 1 horse and 1 cow, 30 bushel corn, small amount of fodder, a few carpenter tools, some chickens, the household and kitchen furniture and a few other articles not named in this list.

Terms:—All amounts \$5.00 and under cash in hand, over \$5.00 three months, with security and bearing legal interest.

This, Jan. 14th, 1910.
DOCK LANGFORD, Adm.

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Medical Authority Tells What This Condition Really Means.

When you are languid and listless, or lack ambition or feel so melancholy that life seems scarcely worth the living, it is a slight necessity that you take treatment to correct these subnormal conditions, because you are suffering from derangement of a vital organ," declares one of the greatest medical authorities.

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Hopewell

Mrs. Kate Baker and Mrs. Thomas Barnes spent Saturday and Sunday with their cousin and aunt, Mrs. Alfred Barries. Rev. Thomas Cliftford was re-elected pastor of Hopewell church for the year 1910. Mrs. Bertha Carson returned home after spending three weeks at Mt. Vernon. Mrs. Tod Harper and children, of Sairo, are visiting Mrs. Harper's mother, Mrs. Wm. Nicely, at this place. Rev. James Barnes spent Thursday night with his son, Alfred Barnes. Ramsey Speth is numbered with the sick. Rev. Carnal held his regular appointment at Hummel Grove Saturday night Sunday. Mrs. James Nicely and children spent several days with Mrs. Wm. Barnes last week. Mrs. J. M. Mair and Mrs. John W. Kirby are both numbered with the sick. The Baptist will hold their fifth Sunday meeting at Livingston in this month.

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"I wish my forehead was as good as my hindside," exclaimed the farmer as he pushed his pass book through the grating to the tax collector. "Hog market bothering you?" asked the banker, sympathetically. "No, it's the children this time." "None of them sick, I hope?" continued the banker. "No, but they have all grown up faster than I calculated they would. Here's Mary, that was a baby only the other day, seems to me, and now she's through all the grades and ready for High School. Say, why under the sun haven't you got a High School in this neighborhood?"

"Ob, I don't know. Seems to me there's lots of reasons. First and foremost, we haven't arved our end in the second place, taxes are just about as high as folks will stand for. Anyhow, you're doing pretty well, and so am I. So what's the use of worrying about it?"

"Confound you and the way you look at the whole proposition," exclaimed the farmer as he brought his fist down on the counter. "You say it will raise the taxes. I know that just as well as you or anybody else, I reckon. I know, too, that I myself have made that same old, lame excuse for not having better schools. You say I'm making money on the farm, and you're making money here in the bank, so we shouldn't worry a bit. Men alive, that trouble with both of us and a lot of other folks is, that we've let the dollar in our eyes get so big that we can't see around it all. We've satisfied ourselves with what we're doing and we're willing to farm and to bank and make money and let things hinder school."

"Say, look here," exclaimed the banker, "you're doing a whole lot of talking, but your horses' manure has had real idea of what started this big spasm of yours." "I'll tell you how it starts, while you stand with the kids at home getting busy and demanding things of themselves. It all happened because you were old enough to do much better than I am. Let me tell you what I think. The fools grow up, look they are. As I told you awhile ago, Mary's mind is the little children's school at cross roads and the same she's going to High School. Of course, it wouldn't be a hard matter for us to send Mary off to school, but by the time she'll be ready to graduate from High School, both my silver, and the other side away from home, too getting an education.

"Of course, neither of us ought want to be left on the farm by our selves. To tell you the honest truth, my wife is going to get the school when they go, and you can bet your bottom dollar that she'll come to it to hold down her own home."

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Judge Ralph W. Gilbert, of Shelbyville, has formally declined to become a candidate for the Democratic nomination for Congress in this district. This leaves an open field for Hon. George L. Pickett, of Shelbyville, who has been very prominently mentioned as a candidate. Mr. Pickett will announce his candidacy in the next few days. Pickett is one of the foremost men in the district who can defeat Congressman Helm. Pickett lives in Helm's stronghold and is very popular, and it goes without saying that he will carry Shelby. A dozen anti-Spanish societies have organized to vote for the Hon. George W. Tamm as County Attorney of Shelby county and is a member of the lower house of the Legislature in the General Assembly, in which he has taken high rank as the chairman of the committee on administration. He is a member of the National Association, in Chicago, and is one of the most prominent men in the State.

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