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ME TABLE... 5:07 p m... 5:30 p m... 11:48 a m... 12:13 a m... JAS. LAWRENCE, Agent No. 3.

PERSONAL

Len Coffey of the Broadhead section, has pneumonia. Mrs. Iona McCoo is in Louisville... Mrs. W. H. Fish and little son, William, Jr., are in relatives in London this week... Robert Harry Miller took in the Republican convention in Louisville, Tuesday.

Harley Noe as a victim of pneumonia. Cashier F. L. Thompson, Jr. and the writer were in Louisville Saturday to see the great show, 'Birth of the Nation'.

LOCAL Spring Shirts ready at Fish's. Let Fish's do your clothing and printing.

Every one of Fish's \$15 \$17 and \$20 Special Suits for Spring hold their color or Fish's want to know why.

John W. Taylor, colored, better known as 'Munk', had a birth day Tuesday. He has seen only six weeks other birthdays, yet he is nine years beyond six.

By the action of Chancellor Heisel, in Memphis, Monday, it was decided for white and colored leaders in Tennessee to carry on a state liquor business.

In 821 m-l was carried from Louisville to Cincinnati pack houses. New line of Spring Hats for Young Men and men who want to stay young—at Fish's.

FOR SALE.—Eggs for hatching from Pure Broad Plymouth Rock Chickens barred. 60 cents for 16 eggs. A. E. ALBRIGHT, Feb. 25 '16. Broadhead, Ky.

FOR SALE.—One four-room cottage on Railroad street. Terms easy and reasonable. See J. T. MEADOWS, Section Foreman Mt. Vernon, Ky.

'Uncle Bob' Bates, of Whitesburg, Letcher county, (1st) War veteran, ex-sheriff and legislator, is perhaps the most remarkable man in Kentucky.

Under the terms of the J. O. C. A. M. the insurance on a deceased brother will not be paid unless a member belonging to the lodge is named as beneficiary.

The girls of the Sixth and Seventh Grades will give a Penny Social at the Graded School on Saturday afternoon. Pies will also be on sale.

EARTHQUAKE SHOCK Felt in Pineville on Saturday Afternoon.

An earthquake shock was felt in Pineville or last Monday afternoon at 3:40 o'clock, the quake lasting nearly one minute. Both brick and frame buildings were shaken up, and in some houses articles on mantels and tables were moved about.

There may be clothes just good as Fish's \$15 Specials—but they cost a lot more.

LAMBDON NOTES. Mrs. E. V. Porter of Louisville connected with the 'Woman's Board of Home Missions, and Miss Virginia Peters, have been guests at Langdon School this week.

KANK FOOLISHNESS. You occasionally see it stated that colds do not result from cold weather. That is rank foolishness.

Writing from Astor Hotel, St. Louis, to a Mt. Vernon friend, R. Mullins says: My dear Jim, I imply must write to someone, and I don't know of anybody who would appreciate a letter of this sort, than yourself.

Squeezing Blood Out of a Turnip

A Lot of People Apparently Think It Can Be Done.

You can't squeeze blood out of a turnip. This is absolutely true, but a lot of people evidently don't believe it.

In every community there are a legion of these men and women. Not really sick, perhaps, but affected with a nervous, debilitated condition.

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You'll like our display for Spring. Every man who has seen them say they are beauties.

Hats from everywhere that good hats are made.

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New shades in Pearl, Black, Blue and Gray, conservative or as "smart" as you like.

Newest Auto Caps for Ladies 50c

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COME IN AND SEE WHAT A LITTLE CASH WILL DO



John D. Henderson, who holds a second government position at Camp Nelson, is at home with his mother for a few days.

Robert Carmichael, son of Rev. Chas. Carmichael, who has been in the U. S. Army and in the West for six years is home on a visit.

Miss Susie Thompson is in Louisville visiting the Springs styles and purchasing the season's line of millinery for Sutton & McChesney.

Thomas, Nicholas, James Phelps and Jim Hibbard, and their family, all of the Belleville section of this county, have gone to Illinois to locate.

D. Burton spent most of last week in Cincinnati where he bought heavily of Spring goods, anticipating a splendid success this Spring.

D. B. Langford was in Louisville last Saturday to take the children of the late Chesley Payne to the Masonic Widow's and Orphan's Home.

George Weiderholt, left this week for Pennsylvania, where he will work in a large mill belonging to an uncle of his. George is a fine boy and we wish him success.

Jack Abney, Sheriff Mullins, J. J. Niclev, E. R. Gearty, L. W. Beckburn, and others, were in Louisville Wednesday, attending the Republican State Convention.

Dr. Johnson, the eye specialist located at London, gave a talk at the court house last evening. The work of which Dr. Johnson is head in Southern Kentucky is supported by the government, and the treatment given by Dr. Johnson, board and all expenses, except railroad fare, is free.

GOOD SHOWING. The following item from a Paris paper makes a good showing for Paris as a 'dry' town compared with Paris as a 'wet' town.

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J. E. Anderson and family will soon move to some point on the L. & E., near Mr. Anderson's work. The Andersons are good citizens and we welcome them back to Mt. Vernon any time they may come.

Another Testimonial for Calumet Baking Powder. The President's Wedding Cake was prepared by Mrs. Marian Cole, Fisher and Miss Pansy Bowen, both of whom are known throughout the United States as experts in Domestic Science work.

CHILDREN C CASTO. Croup Relieved in Fifteen Minutes. No need to dose delicate little stomachs with nauseous drugs or alcoholic syrups.

HOW TO PREVENT CROUP. When the child is subject to attacks of croup, see to it that he takes a light evening meal as an overladen stomach may bring on an attack.

FOR YOUR CHILD'S COUGH. If your child has a cough, nose or mouth much get a small bottle of Dr. Bell's Pine Tar (new syrup), just what children need and just the medicine to 'cure' the cough and check the cold.

Walnut Grove. BABY WEEK. We have all heard of Tuberculosis Week, the Big Brother Movement, Mothers' Day and Fathers' Day, and as a natural consequence of the tremendous awakening of interest in home life, Baby Week has been established, and during the week, March 4 to 11, all over the United States, a special effort will be made to find homes for babies and small girls and boys.

People in this section had begun to plow soon, but it seemed winter has come again in earnest. Charles Brown and family will leave soon for Pine Bluff, Arkansas, where they will make their future home.—Mr. and Mrs. Moritz Cummings and little sons, Victor and Chester, visited his parents Monday night and Tuesday.

Miss Susie Cummings returned Sunday from Detroit, Michigan, where she had been visiting her brother, W. H. for the past six months.

J. P. Brown was in Mt. Vernon Wednesday on business.—Henry Pullard and family will start again Wednesday for Paducah.—George Stevens left Monday for Iowa, where he has a good position.—Mrs. Olie Gastline remains in every serious condition.—It is reported that Mrs. Jains Cummins is doing very well after an operation last week.

Mothers USE Frey's Vermifuge For the Children. A safe, old-fashioned remedy for worms. Frey's Vermifuge is a safe, old-fashioned remedy for worms.

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SESSION CLOSES ON MARCH 14TH

Rules Committees to Have Charge of Bills Before General Assembly

WILLIAMS IS OUSTED

House Impeachment Proceedings—Tax
Revenue Bill Is Presented.

Frankfort, Ky.—(Special)—Governor
or Stanley and his administration
backers will use every effort to have
passed during the closing days of the
legislature, those bills presented to
the Democratic party.

And it is certain that these will be
given preference by the House com-
mittees. Both House and Senate in
charge of these bills.

The Rules Committee of the Sen-
ate has taken charge and will con-
sider all bills to be considered by the
Senate until the close of the session
on the 14th of March. This committee
will discharge the duties which the
majority are to take up and considered. (Special)
Governor James D. Black, who is
officially chairman and the members who
are appointed by him are senators
W. W. Boone, Thomas A. Conley, John
P. Ford, W. A. Frost, Selmer B. Glenn,
H. H. Overstreet, Samuel H. Roberts,
and G. G. Sherr. They are all Demo-
crats and the majority of them are
friendly to the administration in all
things.

During the last ten days of the
session the Rules Committee of the
House will have charge of all bills
to be considered by the House. This
committee is composed of Speaker J.
C. Duffy and Representatives Glavin
H. Farris, R. T. Crowder, W. R. Hoising-
ton, George B. Williams, Fred, Francis
C. High, R. B. Hadercraft, J. C. W.
Malters, Harry J. Meyers, S. M.
O'Brien, George L. Pickert, W. A.
Perry and Joseph D. Pamphrey. They
also have a committee on general
bills, friendly to the administration.

Bills that have passed both houses
follow:

Senate Bill No. 17, the Stricklett
Pickett bill, which was approved
by the Governor February 10.
Senate Bill No. 18, the Knicker bill,
to provide for the employment of State
Inspector and Examiner Nat. B. New-
comb.

House Bill 22, the House bill to re-
peal article of the second class to ad-
dress maintenance of roads.

House Bill No. 23, the Vance corrupt
practice act.

House Bill No. 48, the bill re-
pealing the office of auditor of the
Legislative Department.

Senate Bill No. 111, amending
the article of the second class to ad-
dress maintenance of roads.

House Bill No. 77, by Representative
A. S. H. Dwyer, changing the times
for holding circuit court in the twenty
first judicial district.

Representatives of the farmers are
pressing upon the enactment of a pro-
posed law, while Louisville seedsmen
appear to be opposing it with equal
vigor.

The first general measure looking
to reform Kentucky's revenue laws
was introduced in the House by Rep-
resentative Hutchcraft of Paris, has
the support of the administration.

It provides that all taxpayers must
appear to property taxes before the
Assessor or one of his deputies. A
penalty is imposed on the Assessor
who accepts a list not sworn to.

The measure provides for the ex-
amination of candidates for the office
of Assessor by two or more members
of the State Board of Equalization
and Assessment and unless the can-
didate passes such an examination
his name cannot go on the list for
election.

The County Board of Supervisors
will meet after the Assessor's work
and certify to the State Board. The
County Board are given greater
powers to investigate the ownership
of property.

The expense in connection with the
State Board is increased from \$200
to \$10,000 under this bill. The back-
ers of the bill are confident that the
added revenue will justify this in-
crease in administrative expenses.

J. E. Williams, the Republican
County Judge of McCreary County, was
impeached by the House of high
crime and misdemeanor by a vote
of 48 to 45.

Democratic floor leader, Harry
Meyers of Covington, made a most
gallant fight in his endeavor to save
Judge Williams from impeachment.
He protested vigorously and pleaded
for a square deal. He insisted that
the Democratic party in Kentucky is
"too big, too great, too generous to
play that kind of politics."

The worst thing he has been
charged with," said Meyers, "is that
he put six Democrats in jail for six

hours. I confess I have been guilty
of worse things than that. I have
helped to put 43 Republicans in jail
and to keep them until the election
was over, and if it had been neces-
sary, I was ready to put 50 Republi-
cans in jail to help Governor Stanley."
Meyers defied the impeachment
Committee to show any corrupt mo-
tive in any irregularly charges so
Judge Williams. He declared a Coun-
ty Judge could not be perfect, and
that the alleged irregularities im-
posed on Judge Williams were mistakes
of the head and not the heart.

"Upon motion, Speaker Dyer ap-
pointed a committee to present articles
of impeachment to the Senate. The
committee is headed by Judge Will-
iams will be removed from office,
and the Senate may bar him from
holding any office of honor, trust or
profit, under the Commonwealth. In
addition, Judge Williams will be liable
to indictment and punishment by
the regular courts.

The Semi-monthly pay bill, intro-
duced by Representative John T.
Murphy, of Covington, passed the
House by a vote of 47 to 45.

Representative Greene proposed
amending the bill taken out of their
regular order and placed ahead of the
impeachment bill. The House rejected
Representative Murphy and the bill
was reported and passed.

Representative Murphy's speech
supporting the bill declared that 18,
000 or 20,000 laboring men are out-
raged in the nation of the message.

The House resolution directing the
Auditor to refund the salaries of
those who were forced out of business
by the legislation their portion of the
annual income from the state. The
Senate 38 to 9. The resolution was
called from the orders of the day
by Senator Boone of Spencer County.

Petitions are being received by
Solicitor from various counties over the
State urging the passage of the bill
authorizing the Auditor to refund the
salaries to the Kentucky Hilleries' Com-
mission.

Provision for clerks and stenog-
raphers for the Department of Agricul-
ture, a bill passed the House of Repre-
sentatives by a vote of 72 to 4.

The Court of Appeals recently de-
clined Superintendent of Public In-
struction V. O. Gilbert did not have
authority to employ any of the clerks
and stenographers in his office, and
State Auditor Greene refused to issue
warrants for the salaries of those who
had been employed by Gilbert.

A bond total of \$11,000 a year is
provided for the employing of ten
stenographers which includes five clerks
and six stenographers.

Representative Minor of Boyle's Com-
mittee, succeeded in having passed his
resolution requesting Kentucky's
representatives in Congress to vote
against a proposed amendment to the
Constitution that would extend the
authority of national banks to
issue and establish and operate
bank institutions.

He explained
such an amendment to charter state
banks. The resolution was adopted
by a five vote vote.

The Senate passed the bill of Sen-
ator Robertson of Louisville, to per-
mit non-resident children to appear in
state proceedings by a vote of 26 to 10.

"Well, that's why I failed to get re-
sponses to so many of my letters,"
explained a lad who had been defeated
for a position upon writing in news-
papers a statement attributed to Rep-
resentative John T. Murphy of Lud-
low in the contest that he had found
him in the lower house at Frankfort,
who cannot read or write."

The Senate passed the Knight
Meyers workmen's compensation bill
31 to 2. Senators Sanders and
Speer cast the dissenting votes.

A call for a Progressive State Con-
vention, to be held in Louisville,
April 29, has been issued by the State
Executive Committee. District meet-
ings were called for April 22 to be
held in the following cities, each
representing a district in the order
they are named: Princeton, Hender-
son, Bowling Green, Elizabethtown,
Louisville, Covington, Lexington, Lan-
caster, Maysville, Pikeville and Lou-
doun.

In investigating the accounts of
various county officers on file at the
State House, assistants in the Ator-
ney General's office have success-
fully secured a new form of graft. It is simple. A
man is employed by the sheriff at \$2
a day to go after a prisoner. He re-
ceives ten days. That would indicate
that his pay would be \$20. But in a
bill sent in to the state for the
pay asked for was figured like this:
"Ten days of 24 hours make 240
hours a working day or eight hours
240 hours divided by eight hours
make 30 days; at \$5 a day it would
be \$150. Sheriff's profit \$30."



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can smoke it without a comeback
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Will do for you what it
has done for thousands
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You can't
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"Puff of a Prince
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For Prince Albert pipe-peace and makin's-peace message,
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Level Green

DR. W. S. McWilliams was here
Sunday, also Tuesday to see
Jack DeBord, who has pneumonia.
Mrs. F. E. Mullins returned
home Sunday after a week's visit
to her mother. She was accom-
panied by her sister, Little Miss
Gladys Price. Several from
here attended the entertainment
at Rock Spring school house last
Friday. Rescue Soldier, near De-
shererville, spent Tuesday
night with his uncle, W. F. De-
Bord. Miss Ida Sowder, of Etna,
is visiting her grandparents, Mr.
and Mrs. A. C. Sowder. Mrs.
Glen Cummins, who underwent an
operation last week for a tumor
of the ovary, is now fairly well and
is getting on very nicely. Dr. G.
J. Lawrence has been very sick
for several days. A. C. Sowder
was in Mt. Vernon last Monday
and Tuesday on business. M. E.
Bilton, Jr., spent Saturday night
and Sunday with the family of his
uncle, A. J. McMillan, at Bromo-
field. M. G. DeBord, of Washington,
and James Rash, of Union, re-
turned home Wednesday after a
short visit to relatives and friends
here. George Long, of Lee Dick
Spout Sunday here. J. H. Brown
and W. H. Foster were in Somerset
last Sunday evening. Mrs. Sallie A.
Long is visiting the family of her
brother, W. E. Denard, this week.
Miss Alva Owens spent the first
of the week with her aunt, Mrs.
Dora Cummins, who underwent an
operation last week. Dr. Walker
Owens was down from Mt. Ver-
non last Saturday, to see Dr. G.
B. Lawrence.

CATARHAL DEAFNESS CANNOT BE CURED

by local applications, as they can
not reach the diseased portion of
the ear. There is only one way to
cure catarrhal deafness and that is
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deafness is caused by an
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lining of the Eustachian tube.
When this tube is inflamed you
have a rumbling sound or imper-
fect hearing, and when it finally
closes, deafness is the result.
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duced and this tube restored to its
normal condition, hearing will be
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The needed sum for the auditorium is not raised says Uncle Ajax, the people should take what they have and build a manseum in which to bury all civic pride—Louisville News-Press.

If a sufficient amount is not subscribed to erect the auditorium, there will be no need for any manseum, for the simple reason no civic pride can be found: "no rich animal" will be alone in the city. If liberated it would be scattered before a wind travel from the city hall to the court house.

"We can, We will, in Louisville," is the slogan of the city by the Falls, and the State's metropolis, again demonstrated its right full claim to the six words contained in the above slogan. The business and professional men of that live city have just raised, after a few day's canvass the sum of \$250,000 to erect the construction of an auditorium. The soliciting committees will continue the work until the sum reaches \$300,000.

Knox, Laurel and Rockcastle counties should seriously consider the Dixie Highway situation as shown by a dispatch from Chattanooga in Monday's Courier Journal and copied elsewhere in this issue of the Signal and to make every possible effort to get the Dixie-Boone constructed through their territory during 1916, and gain the great tourist route.

The Atlanta Constitution of Feb. 20th had a full page article and a map of Eastern Division of Dixie Highway, by A. F. Snodgrass, one of Knoxville's good roads men. A copy can be seen at the store of U. G. Baker, or Fish & Son, and county clerk's office. Of course, Mt. Vernon is on this map. She is on all of them since Boone Way was anchored thereon.

A KENTUCKY Judge is after the society women in Madisonville for playing bridge. And in Virginia the Legislature has been talking about abbreviated skirts. But no bign-blam blammy Judge or Legislature can take away from woman the prerogative of the last word.—(Columbia Record.)

AN EXCHANGE says all chickens come home to roost. Yes, but some of them frequently get back to the parental roof only a short time before daylight.—(Danville Messenger.)

This sounds Landslamesque and somewhat Waltzese.

SINCE the recent decision of the Court of Appeals that only a majority is required, instead of two-thirds of the vote cast, in road bond elections, a greater impetus has been given road building throughout the state.

THE greatest battle that has ever been fought in the history of the world has been in progress for eleven days around Verdun, France, between the German and French armies. The slaughter is appalling.

Now that old-time furniture is coming back in style, we expect at any minute for father to crawl under the house and drag out the horse-hair sofa and the what-not.—(Macon News.)

THE Interior Journal is now issuing a four page, seven-column paper on Tuesday, and eight pages on Friday to its 1,000 subscribers.

LOUISVILLE good roads advocates are preparing to resist efforts to divert travel from the Western Dixie Highway.

THE Germans say they believe the war is nearing an end. The British and French seem to think otherwise.

GET into the road-boasting game.

THE Boone Trail Highway Association of North Carolina are making arrangements to erect a monument to the memory of Daniel Boone at Washington City.

KNOXVILLE BOOSTERS COMING

One hundred Knoxville business men will visit sections of Kentucky, North Carolina, Virginia and Tennessee, between April 19th and 24th. This party will represent all of the biggest commercial and industrial organizations in Knoxville. Manufacturers, bankers, wholesalers, retailers, and professional men have arranged to go on Knoxville's special trade trip. A special train will be secured to accommodate the Knoxville trade builders. The committee in charge has announced that every effort will be made to make the trip of mutual advantage to business men of the forty-three towns which will be visited. The Knoxville Board of Commerce has arranged the tour so that the members may come in personal touch with the business men throughout Knoxville's trade territory. One of the slogans of the party is "Get Acquainted." Stress has been laid upon the fact that the men who will make the trip are just as anxious to buy as they are to sell. This is the first tour of the kind ever undertaken by the Knoxville Board of Commerce and it is expected to be profitable to both the visitors and the visited.

The personnel of the party is made up of the most prominent men of Knoxville. Planned every bit as enterprising in that it has signified its intention of having a representative make the four days trip on the special train.

Commercial bodies in many of the towns and cities to be visited have already arranged a program for the entertainment of the visitors. These programs include banquets, automobile trips, in section tours, parades, speech makings and hand shakings galore. Committees in other towns are planning novel ways to get acquainted in the shortest time.

The Knoxville Committee is delighted with the enthusiasm which the announcement of the trade trip schedule has created. Every effort is being made by them to cooperate with the local trade bodies in their entertainment plans, so that the trip may be of mutual profit and pleasure. It is considered one of the most important steps ever taken in the building of a closer relationship between the small town merchant and manufacturer and the Knoxville merchant and manufacturer, and promises to be one of the most successful trade trips ever made in the south.

The committee in charge are endeavoring to impress upon the commercial bodies in the towns to be visited that this trade trip isn't made for selfish motives. The social and personal contact features are considered the most important, and every effort will be made by the men of the "special" to make real friends of the men they meet along the route. The Knoxville wholesalers want to visit the stores of the men to whom they have sold goods in the past. The retailer wants to meet the men who have bought their supplies from him. The bankers in the party want to get the bankers in other towns and cities, and so on through the list. Of course, every man in the party wants to increase the business he is now doing but what is more important every man wants to know from whom to purchase some of the products of the sections visited.

The special train to be used in transporting the party through East Tennessee, Western Kentucky, Southwestern Virginia, and the Western portion of North Carolina, will consist of eight all-steel Pullman coaches, including two dining cars. It will be completely fitted out with all conveniences of modern travel and will be the home of the men composing the party for the four days of the trip. Knoxville's reputation, business advantages, advertising specialties and souvenirs will all find a place on the "special". Knoxville's business men are undertaking the trip in a whole-hearted way which assures its success, and are planning to do things on a big scale. A band

will accompany the party to furnish music at all entertainments, as well as to head the parades which have been arranged for by several of the towns to be visited. It is hard to number about twenty-one pieces and is considered one of the best organizations of its kind in East Tennessee. No expense is being spared by the Knoxville Board of Commerce to make this trip successful in every detail. Committees have been appointed to arrange for the special train, the band, and other special features of the excursion, which will be announced later. All members of the party are to be dressed alike, and each will carry a red, white and blue umbrella, and wear a white duck hat. The participants will distinguish the visitors from the local

"Do-overs" in the towns visited and is calculated to make an impression wherever seen. One member of the trade trip party is reported to have taken off the striped umbrella, but, upon being told that it would help him make a vivid impression upon strangers he consented to carry it. The keynote of the whole trip and of the men who are behind it, is a desire for personal acquaintance. Many of these men will be repairing and business dealings, they may meet upon other trips. They believe that by getting acquainted their circle of friends will be widened, their business increased and their past and prospective patrons placed on a friendly relationship, which will be impossible without knowing them individually.

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