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Henry Youtsey and Curt Jett each serving life sentences in the state prison have both been paroled by the Prison Board. Youtsey will be remembered as one of the principals in the murder of Gov. Goebel Jett is said to have brutally murdered James Marcum, when he fired from ambush and took the life of that splendid citizen of Breathitt county. Whether Jett should have been turned loose, it is not our part to say, for we are not sufficiently familiar with all the facts to say, but so far as Henry Youtsey is concerned, there are but few who will not concede that he should have been released years ago. When Gov Wilson pardoned every other man in any way accused of Gov. Goebel's death, he should have pardoned Youtsey, but since he did not, Gov McCreary or Gov Stanley should have and it was fully expected by many that one or the other would. Youtsey has been the scapegoat and the majority of the people have long since believed him to be the least guilty of any of those who figured prominently in the dastardly murder

Although there is plenty of money in the State Treasury, it has not been distributed to the school fund, and teachers are not getting their salaries promptly. This has resulted in a storm of protest to State Superintendent V. O. Gilbert at Frankfort, who says there will be ample school funds available by the end of the year. The grounds for [illegible] are ample and there is no reason why the teachers should be treated as they have been They are today the poorest paid class in existence and when it comes to waiting three or four months overtime before they get their little, measley salary, it is time to go to kicking. The sheriffs have paid the state and a certain amount belongs to the school fund If it has not been placed to that account where is it? And if it has been placed to the proper fund, why is it that months and months are acquired to send out one hundred twenty pay roles There is either rottenness in Denmark or somebody is not looking after his job

We have read with pleasure the announcement of Judge James the convening of the Sixty-sixth Congress a year from next December.

Ordinarily Governor Stanley would assume his seat March 4, next, when the new Congress is sworn in. But if there is no session of Congress until December, he undoubtedly could retain the governorship and thus prevent Lieut. Gov. James D Black from getting eight months of a start on his opponents in the race for Democratic nomination for 1919.

"Congressman J. Campbell Cantrill and former United States Senator Johnson N. Camden, besides Judge John D. Caaroll, of the Court of Appeals, are among the other possible starters in the primary fight of 1919."

CANNING OF SPARE RIBS AND BACK-BONES

Many requests have come for the best method of saving spare ribs and back-bones which country people have in large quantities at hog-killing time. In Kentucky, weather is so variable that a few days of higher temperature may occur at any time during the winter, and even the spare ribs and back-bones have been well salted they acquire a bad flavor unless used promptly The temperate winter climate of Kentucky has heretofore occasioned great extravagance and waste, also much sickness, from excessive use of fresh meat. For several weeks after hog-killing country people eat fresh pork three times a day in order to use the supply before it spoils. The Food Administration now requires a conservation of meat and the following recipe is offered as a means of extending the family supply of spare-ribs and back-bones throughout the year.

Use a large roasting pan as will fit the oven and fill it with spare-ribs and back-bones. Salt and pepper to taste and add a little water, basting frequently and evenly until they are thoroly done and nicely browned as if for immediate table use. Remove from the oven and cut meat from the bone into small pieces and place it in quart glass jars that have been previously sterilized. Fill all spaces and to the brim of the jar with some of the liquid of the roasting pan. Place the rubber ring lid and clamp in position but do not close spring of clamp or screw Mason lid tight Place jars in oven, either on the rack placed one or two inches from bottom of oven or else in a dripping pan with a cloth laid on the bottom and add two inches of water. Heat the oven to about 300 degrees F, or about as it should be for baking bread Leave jars in the oven at this temperature for 45 minutes. Remove from the oven and tighten lids completely Invert jars to test seals and protect them from a cold draught. Let cool gradually. It is necessary to use a rubber ring that will stand this heat. The "Good Luck" or "Cold

Rockcastle Co[illegible] proceed to expose to public sale, to the highest bidder, the following described property.

A tract of land located near Quail in Rockcastle County, Kentucky, and bounded on the north by the lands of S. C Owens; on the east by the lands of R E. Hamm; on the south by lands of R. E. and John Hamm; on the west by the lands of John Stringer.

Sale to be made on a credit of six months. Purchaser will be required to give bond, with approved security, for the payment of the purchase money, to have the force and effect of a judgment, bearing legal interest from date of sale, with a lien reserved on said property until all the purchase money is paid.

G. S. Griffin,
Master Commissioner,
Rockcastle Circuit Court.

NOTICE

TO THE TAX PAYERS OF
ROCKCASTLE COUNTY:

Those owing taxes for the year 1918 will please call and settle same within the next ten days The year is almost out and I will have to make my settlement the first of the year and will necessarily have to collect to meet my obligations. To save the cost of advertising and the expense of levying, I give you this, the last notice I will regret to be forced to levy, but if not paid within the above time, I will proceed to collect

Tip Langford, S. R. C.

RED CROSS CHRISTMAS ROLL CALL

This roll call is not limited to any section of the United States, but every county in every state is organized, and millions of workers will start on Monday the 16th and keep up the solicitation until the evening of the 23rd. Most every one of the hundred million people in the United States will have a chance to enroll in this wonderful organization. On the evening of Dec. 23, the American Red Cross will have a larger membership than any four organizations in the nation. They will have a membership dedicated to one purpose and that purpose to relieve suffering. Those of us who miss the opportunity of being a member of the Red Cross for the year 1919 will have missed a chance to do our bit in the greatest reconstruction work that has ever been done in the history of the world.

The universal membership of one dollar brings the membership in the reach of every person, and it is the desire of the Red Cross officials to have the new service flag with the two blue lines on the margin showing that it is a 1919 service flag in the window of every home in the Nation. Rockcastle County must not be behind. Our workers will give you an opportunity to become a member

RED CROSS FUTURE IS LINKED WITH ROLL CALL

Davison, War Council Head, Outlines Tasks That Lie Ahead

Next week's Red Cross Christmas Roll Call for members is characterized as "the foundation of the Red Cross" by Chairman H P Davison of the Red Cross War Council in his statement describing the future of the Red Cross.

"Wherever our soldiers and sailors may be, the Red Cross will stay with them until they are demobilized. Nothing which we may do will be left undone, either for the men in the war zone, their families at home, to whom will continue to be devoted the ministrations of the Red Cross Home Service," promises Mr. Davison.

Volunteer Aid Needed.

"The wake of the war will, however, reveal the prevalence of disease, and give rise to emergencies which in all parts of the world will call for unlimited voluntary effort.

"Here will be the opportunity for the American Red Cross. But even our Red Cross must not act and cannot act most effectively alone. We must labor in co-operation with the national Red Cross and relief societies of other nations, to the end that not alone the heart of America but the heart of all mankind may be mobilized on behalf of suffering humanity."

Mr. Davison declares the American Red Cross to be planning "to develop its permanent organization in this country on a scale never before contemplated in time of peace."

Home Work to Grow.

"Study," he says, "is being given by the national organization not alone to problems of international relief, but to plans in this country for enlarged home service, promotion of public health education, development of nursing, care and prevention of accidents and other co-related lines which may contribute to the health and happiness of men, women and children.

"The work of supplementing governmental activities, which the Red Cross will be called upon to do in all parts of the world, will be upon a great scale, but it will call for human service rather than for large expenditures.

"What the Red Cross needs now is not so much contributions of money, as the sustained devotion and loyalty of its members.

"Join and Stay!

"Annual membership involves the payment of only one dollar.

"The money thus received not only defrays all the administrative expenses of the organization, but leaves a substantial balance, which, together with all funds subscribed directly for relief, are solely devoted to that purpose.

"The Roll Call of the nation is thus to be called at Christmas time, that through enrollment in the Red Cross the American people may send a message to our soldiers still overseas and to the peoples of the world that we are not merely content with seeing our arms united with our allies in victory, but that our abiding purpose is that the love, the sympathy and the intelligence of all America shall be rededicated to the permanent service of mankind."

EXILED BELGIAN TOTS SEND GREETINGS TO U. S. CHILDREN

Washington, [illegible] and cordial greetings [illegible] 0 Belgian [illegible]ing from [illegible] some 620 [illegible] children for [illegible]s sent Belgium [illegible]lies! Long live the United States [illegible] to the American [illegible]lie Commission for [illegible]

[illegible] scholars, boys and [illegible] in the Havre region, [illegible] with a deep emotion the [illegible] the reality of the high [illegible]nsideration rendered by the American [illegible] to the Belgian population, [illegible]t of their dear country, and [illegible] in a foreign land.

[illegible] have themselves felt its con[illegible]d generous solicitude, always [illegible] where there is a good to do, a [illegible] to relieve, a misfortune to [illegible]rect.

[illegible]hey also send their grateful and [illegible]st affectionate remembrance to the [illegible]nd children of America, whose fa[illegible]ers and big brothers have crossed the [illegible] oceans either for the American Red Cross or in the gallant, powerful and glorious American army to share in the triumph and the right of civilization, to help the Belgians reconstruct their homes, and—to save their country.

"Fraternal and cordial greetings to our little comrades, the American scholars."

POSTED.

(Your name under this head until Jan. 1st 1919 for 25 cts.)

Those whose names appear below strictly forbid hunting or trespassing upon their property, and any one guilty of so doing will be prosecuted.

[illegible] Devasiti, J. B. Livesay, [illegible]

ROCKCASTLE CIRCUIT COURT.

T. J. Nickley, Admx. of Sherman Moore, Dec'd, Plaintiff,

vs: Notice of Sittings to Receive Claims,

Mildred Patterson, [illegible] Moore, Gladys Lafayette, &c., Defendants.

All creditors of the estate of Sherman Moore, deceased, are hereby notified to present their claims against same, properly proven, before me on the 14th day of December, 1918. Beginning on said date I will sit daily to receive and register such claims and proof, and will hold my said sittings at the law office of L. W. Bethurum, Mt. Vernon, Ky.

G. S Griffin,
Commissioner.

ROCKCASTLE CIRCUIT COURT

T. J. Nickley, Admr. of Sarah Lee, Plaintiff,

vs: Notice of Sitting to Receive Claims,

Alice Gentry, &c., Defendants

All creditors of the estate of Sarah Lee, deceased, are hereby notified to present their claims against same, properly proven, before me on the 14th day of December, 1918. —Beginning on said date I will sit daily to receive and register such claims and proof, and will hold my said sittings at the law office of L. W. Bethurum, in Mt. Vernon, Kentucky.

G. S. Griffin,
Commissioner.

ROCKCASTLE CIRCUIT COURT.

T. J. Nickley, Admr of George W. Anderson Dec'd Plaintiff,

Vs Notice of sitting to receive claims.

Frank Anderson, &c., Defendants.

All creditors of the estate of George W. Anderson, deceased, are hereby notified to present their claims against same, properly proven, before me on the 14th day of December, 1918 Beginning on said date I will sit daily to receive and register such claims and proof, and will hold my sittings at the law office of L. W. Bethurum, in Mt. Vernon, Kentucky

G. S. Griffin,
Commissioner.

FEW ESCAPE.

There are few indeed who escape having at least one cold during the winter months, and they are fortunate who have but one and get through with it quickly and without any serious consequences. Take Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and observe the directions with each bottle, and you are likely to be one of the fortunate ones. The worth and merit of this remedy has been fully proven. There are many families who have always used it for years when troubled with a cough or cold, and with the best results

For Sale:—30 acres more or less, fairly good house, good barn and smoke house, 2 running springs, one never fails, half acre in garden with new paling fence. Located ½ miles from court house on Hansford road. Will sell at a bargain if sold at once.

A. C. Sowder.

17,000 DEATHS IN CAMPS

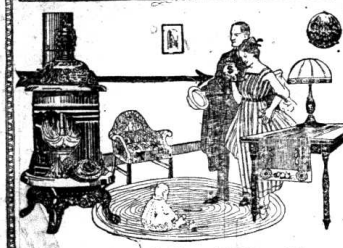
Washington, Dec. 10.—An official summary of the results of the influenza epidemic in army camps and military centers in the United States, made public by the War Department today, shows that there were 338 257 cases of the disease up to December 1, with approximately 17,000 deaths

Because the deaths resulting from influenza and pneumonia were not seperately grouped, only approximate figures were given for those due to the epidemic. From September 13, the date of the outbreak, to December 1, 19,694 deaths from all causes were reported by military stations in the United States. Army medical authorities estimate that about 2,000 of these were due to causes other than influenza and pneumonia.

FOR CROUP.

"Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is splendid for croup," writes Mrs. Edward Hazzett, Frankfort, N. Y. "My children have been quickly relieved of attacks of this dreadful complaint by its use." This remedy contains no opium or other narcotic, and may be given to a child as confidently as to an adult.

C.C. COX



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No. 112

STOMACH TROUBLE

Mr. Marion Holcomb, of Nancy, Ky., says: "For quite a long while I suffered with stomach trouble. I would have pains and a heavy feeling after my meals, a most disagreeable taste in my mouth. If I ate anything with butter, oil or grease, I would spit it up. I began to have regular sick headache. I had used pills and tablets, but after a course of these, I would be constipated. It just seemed to tear my stomach all up. I found they were no good at all for my trouble. I heard

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BLACK-DRAUGHT

recommended very highly, so began to use it. It cured me. I keep it in the house all the time. It is the best liver medicine made. I do not have sick headache or stomach trouble any more." Black-Draught acts on the jaded liver and helps it to do its important work of throwing out waste materials and poisons from the system. This medicine should be in every household for use in time of need. Get a package today. If you feel sluggish, take a dose tonight. You will feel fresh tomorrow. Price 25c a package. All druggists.

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TIME TABLE.

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24 north	8:35 a m
23 south	12:35 p m
21 South	12:45 a m

JAS. LANDRUM, Agent.

Phone No. 8.

Entered at the Mt Vernon, Ky. Postoffice as second-class mail matter.

PERSONAL

Roscoe Hansel is moving to Harlan county.

Mrs. Ray Bentley is the guest of Mrs. R. A Sparks.

Mrs. Fanny Adams is with Dr. and Mrs. John M. Williams at Paris.

Mrs. Bently came Tuesday to visit her daughter, Mrs. [illegible] Sparks.

D. Bamsey and family who have been living at Maretburg will move back to town.

S. W. Davis was here this week from Mystic. Sam has made good in the rock crushing business.

Charley Thompson has been mustered out of the service and is now on his way back to Kentucky.

W. F. Houk was here durtng the week on a visit to relatives and looking after some business matters

Mrs. E. S. Albright and son, spent from Friday until Sunday with Rev. and Mrs. W. L. Brock, at Lexington.

Miss Georgia Rice Sheets is here from Oklahoma visiting her sisters, Mesdames M. J. Miller and Chas. C. Davis.

Miss Georgia McFerron was call to Louisville yesterday on account of the illness of her sister, Mrs. Coleman.

Mrs. Sam Cox was called to Richmond Wednesday evening on account of the serious illness of her father, Mr. Johnson.

James Proctor, Bogue Smith and W. O. Yaden were some of the Rockcastle delegates to the Mason Grand Lodge in Louisville this week

Mrs Cleo Brown, our most efficient and accommodating post master, has been very sick since last Friday. We understand she is suffering from influenza.

Rev H. T. Young, Att'y J. W. Brown and Dr M. Pennington, attended the Grand Lodge of Kentucky Masons, which met in Louisville, Tuesday and Wednesday.

Walter Henderson has been discharged from service. He was joined in Louisville by his mother and they returned to their home here Wednesday morning

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Fish spent Tuesday in Louisville. They took Mrs. Fish's little sister, Mary Lucas Brock, of London, with them to have Dr. Barbour, the great child's specialist, examine and prescribe for her.

Mr. and Mrs. John Mullins are with Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Lair, Mrs. Mullin's parents. Mr. Mullins is just recovering from a long and severe siege of pneumonia and they will be here until he is able to return to work.

J. J. Painter is here from Rowland today looking after some business matters. Mr. Painter, his wife, mother and sister, Mrs. Emerson Rice, expect to leave in a few days for Pueblo, to see his sister, Mrs. Luther Jarrett, who if in bad health.

Charley Thompson has been discharged from army service and he and Mrs. Thompson have been with Mr. and Mrs. McBee this week. He received a telegram this morning that his brother, Phil, is very low with flu at his home near Preachersville.

Miss Bernice Landrum returned home Monday from North Carolina where she has been teaching, her school being closed on account of influenza. A short time after arriving the family received a message that another daughter, Miss Ruth, is very sick in Louisville with flu. Miss Bernice took the next train for Louisville to nurse her.

Miss Pearl Phillips, of Winchester, was the week-end guest of Misses Mary and Fay McClere.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Cox and daughters, Misses Annette and Geneva and son, Master William, are in Louisville today.

LOCAL

Ball Band—you know the rest, get them at Fish's.

A week from next Wednesday will be Christmas day.

Sweaters and knit caps for the whole family at Fish's.

The best is the cheapest in the long run—that is one reason why you should wear Fish's clothes.

A man by the name of Wells, not a citizen of this county, died on Crooked Creek this week of flu.

Mr. and Mrs. Harp, of Bond, announce the marriage of their daughter, Ella Mullins, to Brack King, Dec. 7.

Mrs. Luke Farmer received a message today that her sister, Miss Montie Owens is dead. The deceased was living in Cincinnati.

A telegram from Logan Bryant states that he is back on American soil and expects to be at home soon. He is now in Massachusetts.

Elmer Cummins a brother-in-law of our merchant, A.E Proctor died in Louisville first of the week of influenza. Mrs Cummins, a sister of Mrs. Proctor is very low. Burial took place at Providence, this county.

At Maple Grove church tomorrow evening, Chairman Chas. C. Davis, of the Red Cross Christmas Roll Call, will present fifty-three picture slides showing the work of the Red Cross. These pictures will be given just after preaching services

CARD OF THANKS:—To the people of Mt. Vernon who were so kind to us during our recent sadness, in the loss of our dear mother, we desire to express our heartfelt thanks.

MR. AND MRS. MENRAC GENTRY.

PINEY GROVE CEMETERY.

The citizens of that splendid town of Brodhead realizing that a more suitable and attractive home for their loved ones who will from time to time pass into the great beyond, recently organized themselves and set about to find a desirable place for a cemetery The land is secured and a more desirable spot could not have been bought. It consists of 12 acres; and just outside the corporate limits of the town of Brodhead on the pike toward Crab Orchard, on a high dry spot overlooking the Boone Way and in splendid view of the L. & N. tracks for more than half a mile. Piney Grove Cemetery is an incorporation, a mutual company from which no officer receives any salary and all profits that may accrue from the sale of lots, will be turned into the treasury and held there for such expense as may come in taking care of and beautifying the grounds. The officers are A. E. Albright, President and O. R. Cass Secretary—Treasurer. The incorporators, Granville Owens, R. H. Hamm, A. M. Hiatt, W. T. Brook, Rev. L. N. Bowling, Rev. A. J Pike, J. W. Moore, W. P Hayes, C. H. Frith and A. J. Haggard. These names does not mean that these are the only men behind the move, for the entire citizenship of the town and community are backing it. There are 12 acres in the boundary, but for the present only three acres are being improved. The grounds have been systematically laid off, with walk and drive ways leading to every section and quartet of the grounds, which will soon be macadamized. A large number of lots have already been sold, and several have been taken there for their last resting place. C. A. Wheeldon was the first to be buried in the new grounds. Mrs. A. E. Albright and Mr. John Riddle and others whose names we do not have, have been moved from the old burying grounds at the Baptist and Christian churches. The lots sell for $30 a lot, which are 24x24. Piney Grove Cemetery is beautifully located and when put in the condition that those in charge intend that it shall be, will be one of the most attractive homes for the dead in all Eastern Kentucky.

LOST:—A pair of leather saddle riders somewhere in Mt. Vernon. Contained can of paint and bottle of medicine. Finder return and recieve reward.

JAMES DERRY.

Mercer co[illegible] is under a rigid fl[illegible] county health authorities yesterday closed the schools and theaters and announced that all business houses must be closed unless there is an immediate abatement of the epidemic.

RUPTURE EXPERT HERE.

F. H. Seeley of Chicago and Philadelphia, the noted truss expert, will personally be at Glyndon Hotel and will remain in Richmond this Monday only, Dec. 16th. Mr. Seeley says: "The Spermatic Shield will not only retain any case of rupture perfectly, but contracts the opening in 10 days on the average case. This instrument received the only award in England and in Spain, producing results without surgery, injections, medical treatment or prescriptions. Mr. Seeley has documents from the United States Government, Washington, D. C., for inspection. All charity cases without charge, or if any interested call, he will be glad to show same, without charge or fit them if desired. Business demands prevents stopping at any other place in this section.

P. S.—Every statement in this notice has been verified before the Federal and State Courts.—F. H. Seeley.

Please read this from Federal Trade Commission, Article No 2 of this ruling respecting the use of paper says: NO PUBLISHER MAY CONTINUE SUBSCRIPTIONS AFTER THREE MONTHS AFTER DATE OF EXPIRATION, UNLESS SUBSCRIPTIONS ARE RENEWED AND PAID FOR.

This must be complied with If yant the Signal please send in your remittance. Those now in arrears are asked to pay up. We need what you owe us and remember that your subscription to your county newspaper is as much an obligation as any other debt you might owe. We are not giving subscriptions to any one, and if you are receiving the paper, you are expected to pay for it. If the paper is not worth the subscription price to you, then don't take it, but if you take it and read it, then expect to pay for it. It costs money to send out statements, please don't wait and expect us to do so. We must clear up our list by January 1st; you know what you owe send us a check, or money order right NOW, don't wait until tomorrow then it will be forgotten. NOW.

LOUISVILLE-LIVINGSTON TRAIN.

A gentleman who is in a position to know whereof he affirms, told the writer Sunday that he had it on excellent authority that if Stanford people would go at it right they could secure a train from Louisville to Livingston. Those who remember the business Stanford got from the so-called mountains when the Northbound train passed at about noon and the Southbound an hour later, will see what a great help such a train would be to this city. Then, too, it would prove a wonderful convenience to the people living at Maywood, Crab Orchard and all points South, who get no day trains to this city or any place North as the trains now run. The morning Louisville passenger passes at a little after 4 o'clock and the afternoon passenger to the Falls City at 5:53, and it is always late, hence those persons living South of Rowland on the Knoxville division of the L. & N. must use the night trains or none at all. To give the public a Louisville-Livingston train would not entail a great expense to to the railroad company, as a train from Rowland to Richmond leaving the former place after the arrival of No. 27, could do the work just as well as the Louisville Richmond train does it now. Let us all make an effort to get the train and get busy about it.—Interior Journal.

The Local Board for Rockcastle County has finished their work and under order from the department, closed up office Wednesday night.

Christmas Roll Call workers are especially requested to send in their report on Dec. 16 and every day thereafter till the campaign closes Dec. 23—please make this report to Dr. M. Pennington or Chas. C. Davis, Mt. Vernon, Ky.

Next Sunday Dec. 15, 1918 is Red Cross Sunday. Every minister in the United States is requested to preach a sermon on Red Cross. Ministers be governed accordingly.

The United War Work Committee is asking us to pay up our subscriptions. Those of us in arrears please send in check to Chas. C. Davis, treasurer. You know the first payment was due Dec 2, 1918. There are several who have never paid their first payment. So please attend to this at once.

McFarland Memorial Church

Sabbath School and Senior Christian Endeavor at the usual hour next Sunday. Dec. 15th.

The pastor will preach at Richmond, Saturday evening, and at London, Sunday morning, returning here for preaching services, at 7:30, Sunday evening. As this is the last church services before students leave for Christmas holidays, we are hoping to have full attendance.

WILL GO TO FRANCE.

The famous Kentucky trio, composes of Miss Em Smith and Miss CZelma Crosby, of this city, and Miss May Bingham, of Pineville, will sail for France on the 14th of this month, where they will play for six months under auspices of the Y. M. C. A.. They will go to New York immediately where they are to fill two important private engagements on December 11th and 12th respectively. This trio gave numerous concerts in Kentucky and other States in the past few months and have gained a very wide reputation. Their many friends in this community will be gratified to learn that they have been so signally honored.—Danville Messenger.

MARETBURG.

The people of this vicinity are busy gathering corn and stripping tobacco.—Leon Houk has been busy running his broom factory and has turned out quite a number for the market.—Mrs. Helen Griffin is spending the winter in St. Louis with her son, Egbert, and daughter, Mrs. Lou Parcell.—Mrs. S C. Franklin, our teacher, is having fairly good attendance considering the long dissmissal during the "flu" epidemic.—Some thieves broke into a box car hear Saturday night by filing the iron bars across the door and carried away 200 lbs of sugar, 1 dozen axes, some harness and a great many other things. Two detectives were sent here Sunday but did not get a clue to the parties.—Mrs. J. J. McCall is visiting her daughter at Brodhead.—Mrs. J. G. Howard and [illegible] Ruby, have been on

A MERRY CHRISTMAS

This country has a lot to be thankful for this Christmas; but thoughts of our boys away from home and of those who wont come back should make us all pretty serious; no one is going to feel like giving and doing useless and impractical things this Christmas.

Give only the things that are useful

YOU'LL find this store a good place to come for the things men want; for the things they buy for themselves.

Our name in any article is a sign of quality; it means that whoever gets your gift will have respect for your taste.

Here are some suggestions:

Handkerchiefs	Collars	Underwear
Hosiery	Jewelry	Caps
Belts	Neckwear	Gloves
Shirts	Sweaters	Hats

You may know before you come what to ask for; or you may wait until you get here to decide; either way, it's here.

THE CASH STORE.

NOTICE.

I have bought a fine Jersey bull, subject to register, and now ready for service. Fee $1.00 which is due when cow is turned in. At my pasture field near No 1 tunnel.

M. E. BURTON.

Dec. 13-4t.

NOTICE TO TOBACCO GROWERS:

I will on Monday, Dec. 16th, 1918 begin to receive tobacco at the Warehouse of the Rockcastle Milling Co., Brodhead, Ky.

December 5, 1918.

COME IN and renew that old acquaintance of 20 years ago when I taught your boys and girls in the old log school house in almost every section of the county.

DRUM[illegible]
CAS[illegible]
GROCERY

PILGRIM CO[illegible]
Every pound guaran[illegible]
please or money refu[illegible]
17c pound

BROWN BEAU[illegible]
Steel Cut, Coffee
35c pound
3 lbs. for $1.00

MEAL $1.10
FLOUR $1.50

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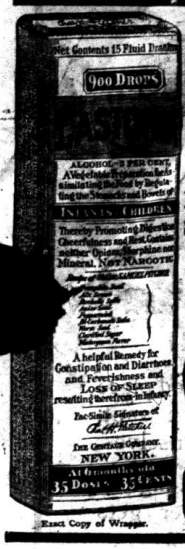

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dress by Dr. [illegible] Rosenow, of Rochester, Minn., before the annual meeting of the American Public Health Association today.

Surgeon General Blue, head of the United States Public Health Service, also a speaker at the conference, said that nearly 350,000 deaths occurred among civilians from September 1, 1918, to December 1, 1918, from influenza and pneumonia. He had no figures on the epidemic in the army camps.

Dr. Rosenow read figures on the results of inoculation around Rochester, showing that after the third inoculation there were nine cases of influenza per thousand against 220 per thousand among the uninoculated, and one and eight tenths cases per thousand of pneumonia, against fourteen per thousand among those not inoculated. Over 20,000 persons were given the three inoculations, and their cases were compared with 61,000 not given the treatment. The deaths from influenza and pneumonia among those inoculated were one-tenth those inoculated, Dr. Rosenow showed.

Surgeon General Blue came to arouse the health officials attending the meeting to realization of the problem confronting communities when the armies are demobilized.

The conditions after the war, with demobilization of troops and resumption of immigration from areas in which sanitation has been necessarily neglected, constitute a situation of far greater menace to the health of the nation than has previously existed," Surgeon General Blue said. "Public health officials must be prepared for increased demands from the soldiers themselves, for they have seen certain measures of hygiene and sanitation insisted on as indispensable to good health. The proposition of

rejections by draft boards be cause of physical defects, [illegible] eloquent testimony [illegible] cial shortcomings [illegible] administrate a program [illegible] policy, [illegible] supervision school children and children pre-school age."

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Vs. Commissioner's Sale.

Ida Harper, Ronald Harper, Bessie Renner, Hell Renner and Amanda Taylor, Defendants.

By virtue of a judgment and order of sale of the Rockcastle Circuit Court, rendered at the August Term, 1918, thereof, in the above styled cause, the undersigned will on Monday, December 23, 1918, between the hours of 10 o'clock and 4 o'clock p. m. at the front door of the court house at Mt. Vernon, Rockcastle County, Kentucky proceed to expose to public sale, to the highest bidder, the following described property:

Two tracts of land on Line Creek, in Rockcastle County, Kentucky, and bounded as follows:

1st Tract: Beginning at a stone near the center of the dividing ridge in Jasper McGraw's line, thence south to a stone with pointers; thence a north west course 10 A. stone and pointers, Matilda Arthur's corner; thence N. 12 W 58 poles to a pine and white oak by a path; thence with John Harper's line N. 22-7-8 E 115-3-4 poles to a pine, said Harper's corner; thence north with Shiplett's line to a stone corner in the east hollow beyond the clay spring; thence down the branch with a marked line 80 poles stone corner near old Mill Seat; thence, a south west course, a straight line up the hill, to a stone near the center of the dividing ridge; thence down the the ridge a south east course, with a marked line near, the center of the ridge, to the beginning, containing 175 acres, more or less.

2nd Tract: Beginning on a stone near the branch in the old Shiplett line; thence a straight line to a stone near a spring, a north-east course, thence south-east course to the top of the hill to a stone; thence south to a stone in Matilda Arthur's line; thence with Matilda Arthur's line to a stone in the old Shiplett line; thence with the Shiplett line to a small branch, west course to stone near the branch; thence to a stone; thence running with the branch to a stone at the mouth of the same branch, at side of the county road; thence with the county road North to a stone; thence crossing the county road in the branch, to a stone in Elbert McCrary's line at the branch; thence East a straight line to the beginning, containing 10½ acres, more or less.

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A natural feeling, does it "get you?"

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Dear wife:—

THE WAR IS OVER. Whether we have played a large or small part in the greatest struggle of any age, matters very little in view of the great fact that it is over. No words can adequately describe how happy we are, the French are happier still. I meant to write you yesterday, was in town all day and did not get back until late. It would be impossible to in any way describe the rejoicing and celebration there and I think the censor might now let me say that this town which I have mentioned so often is a city of more than one hundred thousand population and if the celebration in Paris was carried out anything like the same proportion as here, it must have been a wonder. Of course the big time started day before yesterday, as the armistice was signed at 5:40 and the news reached us soon after we were up. I tried to get into town that night but failed. The holiday lasted all day yesterday and the streets were filled with a laughing, shouting, screaming mob all day, getting larger and happier as the afternoon wore on. It was almost impossible to get along the main streets. The French were kissing each other indiscriminately and while I escaped, I doubt if many American soldiers here could say as much and I am sure many of their faces are sore today from the smacks on the cheek. It seemed to matter little to the girls whether he was a Major General or a buck private, just so he wore khaki. She grasped him by both ears, kissed him on both cheeks and shoved him to the next while she in turn caught some one else. At one place a dozen or so had a bunch of American soldiers out in one of the squares, where they were having a great game of "ring around rosy," with the soldiers in the center while the girls took turns going in the ring and kissing the whole bunch, always on both cheeks, while he was firmly held by each ear. It would be impossible to write all the funny things I saw. At one place two American soldiers were carrying an old woman on their shoulder while she screamed and laughed and cried together. I suppose the boys saw she was having difficulty getting through the crowd. On the sides street was little better except not so crowded. Two American soldiers at one place were furnishing amusement for a whole street full of people by "Bunny Hugging", Fox Trotting" and all the others with some that had never been heard of, up and down the side walk to a lively tune furnished by a group of American and Canadian soldiers singing and whistling while a Frenchman beat an old tin pan. But the funniest thing I have ever seen happened late in the afternoon. Two American soldiers who were so drunk, they had to hold to each and lean against a wall to stand up were singing everything from "What in the H— Do we care" to "The Star Spangle Banner" and by the way they were the only drunk American soldiers I saw that day. Just then a French soldier just as bad off as they came along. The Frenchman evidently conceived it his patriotic duty to kiss those two American soldiers, so he waded in. If you see Judge Bethurum or Tom Niceley, they can tell you the first thing I thought of. The Americans resisted with all the power they had but the Frenchman held on and never stopped until he had kissed them both on both cheeks. I have never seen anything so funny. Just to see those fellows struggle and hear them curse that Frenchman, not a word of which he understood, is beyond any description. While everybody was happy and shouting, you could see on the faces of many a deeper joy than could possibly be expressed by any outward demonstration. Belgian refugees, who have been driven from their homes for four years, many of them leaving loved ones from whom they have not heard in all that time. One of the girls who works in our headquarters office left her brother in Liege four months after the Germans captured it and has not heard a word from him during the time. She, her mother, father and young brother escaped, not being so closely watched, as the boy who was of military age. It must have been a wonderful day on the front when hostilities ceased; when the fury of war had passed into history; when the blood which has drenched this battle wrecked, war cussed land for four long years had ceased to flow; when our boys are no longer aroused in the morning by the sound of the barrack creeping forward, paving the way for their advance, thousand of them to their own death; when the whirr of machine gun fire no longer sweeps over the hills and down the valleys; when the screaming shells no longer pass over their heads and drop death and destruction among them; when rifles were laid down, cannons cooled; machine guns dismounted, and our boys who one minute before were facing death in their magnificent advance, sat down beside their weapons of destruction, to rest, safe and secure. The world has been won not only for Democracy, decency, and liberty, but for Christianity, which is the greatest of all.

Since writing you, I run across two more Rockcastle boys here in camp, Ben Purcell and Buford Meredith, who is from Brodhead. They are both looking fine and getting along nicely. Ben wears the Sergeant stripes. Meredith was in the great drive which started just south of Soisson on July 18th and turned the tide of the war. He was gassed and was in the hospital for sometime, but has fully recovered. He gave me the names of a dozen or more Rockcastle boys who were in that fight, among them Vess Brown and Everett Kirby. As far as he knew or I have learned, they were the only boys from home killed. I had possibly better not give the names of those he gave me, but of course knew them all. Of course there is sadness in the thought that some have gone, yet I feel more a glory in the fact that they have not died in vain, but that the great cause for which they sacrificed their lives and that their own glory in this great victory is greater than we dream of, because I would not be true to the faith I profess in God, if I did not believe that they see and know of this crowning victory of that faith and that the life they gave for their mothers, wives and sisters has born fruit in the fullest. I wish that these loved ones could realize this and amidst the earthly joy which will be around them at the return of those who come back, they may be filled with that greater joy which "Passeth Understanding", that must come to those who have placed so costly a gift at the feet of the Master.

I must get to work, but will write you again soon. I am sending a copy of this letter to Edgar, but if he does not receive it you might send him yours. I am feeling fine and expect to take a vacation the first of December.

With lots of love,
Ed.

LIVINGSTON

Mrs. Neal Parrot, of Mt. Vernon, has returned home after a few days visit with her daughter, Mrs. Wm. Langford.—Mrs. Sarah Inabundt, of Dallas, Pulaski county, is spending a few days with her mother, Mrs. James H. Owens.—Mrs. E. J. Cockrell and son, Brown, were in London, Saturday.—Mrs. George Griffin was called to Pittsburg Saturday, on account of the illness of her sister, Mrs. Bettie Warren.—Walter Niceley is spending a few days with his sister, Mrs. T. W. Catlin, at Highland Park.—Mrs. Victor Owens and children, of Hazel Patch, are spending a few days with relatives here.—Mrs. J. P. E. Drummond has a genuine attack of flu.—Mrs. Sue Mullins, better known as Mother Mullins, was in Mt. Vernon, Sunday.—Miss Myrtle Brown, of Parksville, is visiting her cousin, Miss Ella Mae Blanford, this week.—Mrs. W. A. Rice, of Bond, is visiting the family of C. H. Rice.—Miss Verale Gentry, of Mareebsburg, was here between trains Saturday, en route home from Richmond, where she is attending school.—J. M. Foust, the blind man, is in Pineville this week selling song books.—Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Mullins, of Berea, were here between trains, Tuesday, en route to Mt. Vernon.—John is getting over the flu and if there is anything in looks he surely must have had a genuine case.—Dr. A. G. Lovell, of Mt. Vernon, was here Saturday.—Mrs. Monroe Pennington was here in the interest of the Red Cross Saturday. She could not represent a better work and we are satisfied Livingston will respond, as they have always done in the past. Some have said otherwise but by their works ye shall know them.—The flu is raging in and around Livingston again.—The following are new cases: Henry Daugherty, Mrs. and Mrs. Delbert Loyles, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Smith and their child.—Mrs. Robert McClure, who had pneumonia, is much improved.—Richard Moberly, who has had a severe case of pneumonia, is some better.—Mr. and Mrs. John N. Clark and little son are visiting relatives in Knoxville, this week.—[illegible] Clough, who once [illegible] our town but [illegible] Ky., was here Mo[illegible]—Mrs. C. E. Rice, of [illegible] there later past of la[illegible] later went to visit re[illegible] Brodhead.—A. C. Carp[illegible] in a few days move his [illegible] Mississippi. Uncle Quil[illegible] is familiarly known, says [illegible] going there to fish and hun[illegible] we think it is quite a distance [illegible] go to fish. We say to him, goo[illegible] luck old boy.—Born, to the wife of James Neal, on the 7th, a fine boy, another democrat in Livingston.—K. B. Gold, round house foreman, was in Lexington, Saturday.—Ben Hellard is confined to his room with pneumonia.—Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Hellard were in Mt. Vernon, Sunday.—Sam Mullins has been transferred to Paris and now is firing out of that city in place of here.—Leroy Coz sent two little sons were in Lily, Monday on business.—The [illegible] Mrs. C. E. Rice, [illegible] been [illegible] fined to her room [illegible] the home of her parents, Dr. and Mrs. W. T. Amyx, is able to return to her home in Corbin.—Our merchants have their store windows filled with Christmas goods and toys, which is pleasing to the kiddies, but the best part of it all is, you may look them all over and you can find the trade mark, "Made in Germany."—Mrs. J. B. Walton has returned from Paris after spending a week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. [illegible] Preston, who have been in for Mrs. Walton's [illegible]

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