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James Harvey Travis, who is familiarly known as "Uncle Harvey" died at his home, six miles East of Marion, Tuesday morning, Feb. 25, 1908, at 10:30 o'clock, in his ninety-second year. He had been in failing health for several weeks, and his death had been expected, but there will be many moist eyes when it is known that his spirit has crossed the dark river.

He was held in high esteem by all who knew him and his semi-annual visits here to his son, Albert, were the pleasure of his latter years. He was the oldest Mason in Kentucky, having joined the lodge at Princeton in 1839. At the time of his death he was a member of Zion Hill Lodge at Weston, and his burial was held under the auspices of that lodge Wednesday afternoon at the Crowell graveyard.

He was a member of the Cave Spring Cumberland church, and for many years had been a ruling elder of that congregation.

He was born near Copperas Springs school house, Dec. 5, 1816, thirty years before Marion was laid out, and never lived further than ten miles from where he was born.

He was the son of James Travis and Rachel Blakely. He was twice married, his first wife being Mary Brantly who died in 1864, leaving nine children. His second was Mrs. Elizabeth Ford Crowell, who survives him and who also is the mother of nine children. His living sons are: Ewell, of Weston; Lieurgus, of Sturgis; Joseph Hunter, of New Mexico; Lorenza Dow, of Whiting, Mo.; Sylvester, of Blackford; Daniel, of Mattoon; Albert H., of this city; Irvin, of Gladstone; John, Herman, George, the latter of whom is blind, live at home. The two daughters are: Mrs. Tressie Guess, wife of John, of Tribune, and Mrs. Florence Culley, wife of John Culley, of near Repton.

He is survived by one brother, Lindsey, who is nearing the ninth milestone and by one sister, Susan Brantley, who has been an octogenarian for years. The mother of the Rev. Jas. F. Price, of this city, who died a few years ago in her ninety-second year, was his sister.

His son, W. C. M. Travis, was elected County Attorney several years ago, but died soon after he was elected.

### Purchased Millinery Stock.

Mrs. E. L. Franklin and Miss Carrie Hughes have purchased Miss Fleta Barnes' stock of millinery at Salem and will continue business at the same place.

These ladies are now in St. Louis selecting their goods and learning the new styles for Spring and Summer. They will be ready for business by April first and invite all to call and see them.

### Found.

On Feb. 22nd, I found a pocket book containing between ten cents and sixty-four dollars. The owner may have same by describing it and contents and paying for this advertisement. J. M. FREEMAN.

### Oratorical Contest.

At the School Auditorium last Saturday evening, Feb. 22nd, the Annual Oratorical Contest took place.

Rev. Adams invoked divine blessing on the occasion.

The piano solo rendered by Misses Sallie Woods, Gwendoline Haynes and Lucile Nunn and the vocal solo by Mrs. Fannie Walker added much to the pleasure of the evening. The

song given by six of the first grade boys was especially good.

Each contestant showed that he or she had given the subject under discussion much study. The compositions were all very good and well delivered.

Mr. Jones Gill was awarded the medal. His subject being "My Own United States;" it was well written and splendidly delivered.

The other contestants were: Misses Allie Wilborn, Velda Hicklin and Nellie Sutherland and Mr. Hollis Franklin.

The Judges were Profs. McCartney, of Henderson, Gerton, of Morganfield, and Richards, of Princeton.

### Entertained at Supper.

The popular and enterprising firm of Davis & Davis, issued invitations to about 100 of their friends to take supper with them at the New Crittenden Hotel on the evening of Friday, Feb. 21st, at 8 o'clock and most of them who were in the city accepted and a jolly good time was had around the sumptuous repast served by mine host, Q. M. Conyer.

The affair was purely a social and friendly function given by the Beehive Block Clothiers and Gents Furnishers in recognition of the handsome patronage they received in their Tailoring Department recently when their tailor was here with samples from Chicago and spent two days supplying their friends with new suits, trousers, fancy vests, spring overcoats and various other requisites to the well dressed man. On that occasion they booked some 70 odd orders and were justly proud of it and concluded to celebrate and have some of their friends celebrate with them.

### James Suffers Intense Pain.

Washington, Feb. 24.—Word from the bedside of Ollie James, in New York, is not entirely reassuring, his friends here say. The operation was a delicate one. An instrument was inserted through his nose and a spoonful of pus was drained from underneath the frontal bone. He suffers excruciating pain, and the hypodermic has been resorted to for relief. His bosom friend, Representative Rhinock, is with Mr. James, and will stay at his side indefinitely. Mrs. James also is with him.

The surgeons who performed the operation on Ollie James are apprehensive that it may be necessary to make a direct incision in his forehead, which would be serious.

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### Big Real Estate Deal.

Thos. McConnell, the Main street merchant, has closed a deal with W. G. Carnahan for the two brick store rooms on the northeast corner of the public square. The consideration, we learn, was \$4000. The buildings are now occupied by J. S. McMurry & Co., on the corner, and A. M. Gilbert in the next room. It is fine property and is one of the best corners in the city.

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I thank my friends in this and adjoining counties for past patronage, and ask them to come to see me when in Marion. I am located on Main street. Will welcome you at any time. I invite my farmer friends too. There is no one so deserving as the tiller of the soil; they are the staff of the land. Thanking you in advance for future patronage, I remain, your true friend,

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He was a member of the Cave Spring Cumberland church, and for many years had been a ruling elder of that congregation.

He was born near Copperas Springs school house, Dec. 5, 1816, thirty years before Marion was laid out, and never lived further than ten miles from where he was born.

He was the son of James Travis and Rachel Blakely. He was twice married, his first wife being Mary Brantly who died in 1864, leaving nine children. His second was Mrs. Elizabeth Ford Crowell, who survives him and who also is the mother of nine children. His living sons are: Ewell, of Weston; Lieurgus, of Sturgis; Joseph Hunter, of New Mexico; Lorenza Dow, of Whiting, Mo.; Sylvester, of Blackford; Daniel, of Mattoon; Albert H., of this city; Irvin, of Gladstone; John, Herman, George, the latter of whom is blind, live at home. The two daughters are: Mrs. Tressie Guess, wife of John, of Tribune, and Mrs. Florence Culley, wife of John Culley, of near Repton.

He is survived by one brother, Lindsey, who is nearing the ninetieth milestone and by one sister, Susan Brantly, who has been an octogenarian for years. The mother of the Rev. Jas. F. Price, of this city, who died a few years ago in her ninety-second year, was his sister.

His son, W. C. M. Travis, was elected County Attorney several years ago, but died soon after he was elected.

#### Purchased Millinery Stock.

Mrs. E. L. Franklin and Miss Carrie Hughes have purchased Miss Fleta Barnes' stock of millinery at Salem and will continue business at the same place.

These ladies are now in St. Louis selecting their goods and learning the new styles for Spring and Summer. They will be ready for business by April first and invite all to call and see them.

#### Found.

On Feb. 22nd, I found a pocket book containing between ten cents and sixty-four dollars. The owner may have same by describing it and contents and paying for this advertisement.  
J. M. FREEMAN.

#### Oratorical Contest.

At the School Auditorium last Saturday evening, Feb. 22nd, the Annual Oratorical Contest took place, Rev. Adams invoked divine blessing on the occasion.

The piano solo rendered by Misses Sallie Woods, Gwendoline Haynes and Lucile Nunn and the vocal solo by Mrs. Fannie Walker added much to the pleasure of the evening. The

song given by six of the first grade boys was especially good.

Each contestant showed that he or she had given the subject under discussion much study. The compositions were all very good and well delivered.

Mr. Jones Gill was awarded the medal. His subject being "My Own United States;" it was well written and splendidly delivered.

The other contestants were: Misses Allie Wilborn, Velda Hicklin and Nellie Sutherland and Mr. Hollis Franklin.

The Judges were Profs. McCartney, of Henderson, Gerton, of Morganfield, and Richards, of Princeton.

#### Entertained at Supper.

The popular and enterprising firm of Davis & Davis, issued invitations to about 100 of their friends to take supper with them at the New Crittenden Hotel on the evening of Friday, Feb. 21st, at 8 o'clock and most of them who were in the city accepted and a jolly good time was had around the sumptuous repast served by mine host, Q. M. Conyer.

The affair was purely a social and friendly function given by the Beehive Block Clothiers and Gents Furnishers in recognition of the handsome patronage they received in their Tailoring Department recently when their tailor was here with samples from Chicago and spent two days supplying their friends with new suits, trousers, fancy vests, spring overcoats and various other requisites to the well dressed man. On that occasion they booked some 70 odd orders and were justly proud of it and concluded to celebrate and have some of their friends celebrate with them.

#### James Suffers Intense Pain.

Washington, Feb. 24.—Word from the bedside of Ollie James, in New York, is not entirely reassuring, his friends here say. The operation was a delicate one. An instrument was inserted through his nose and a spoonful of pus was drained from underneath the frontal bone. He suffers excruciating pain, and the hypodermic has been resorted to for relief. His bosom friend, Representative Rhinock, is with Mr. James, and will stay at his side indefinitely. Mrs. James also is with him.

The surgeons who performed the operation on Ollie James are apprehensive that it may be necessary to make a direct incision in his forehead, which would be serious.

About a year ago Mr. James submitted to an operation similar to the one which he has just undergone. For a time he had high hopes that it would be successful.

#### Big Real Estate Deal.

Thos. McConnell, the Main street merchant, has closed a deal with W. G. Carnahan for the two brick store rooms on the northeast corner of the public square. The consideration, we learn, was \$4000. The buildings are now occupied by J. S. McMurry & Co., on the corner, and A. M. Gilbert in the next room. It is fine property and is one of the best corners in the city.

#### GILL HOUSE.

I thank my friends in this and adjoining counties for past patronage, and ask them to come to see me when in Marion. I am located on Main street. Will welcome you at any time. I invite my former friends, too. There is no one so deserving as the tiller of the soil; they are the staff of the land. Thanking you in advance for future patronage, I remain, your true friend,  
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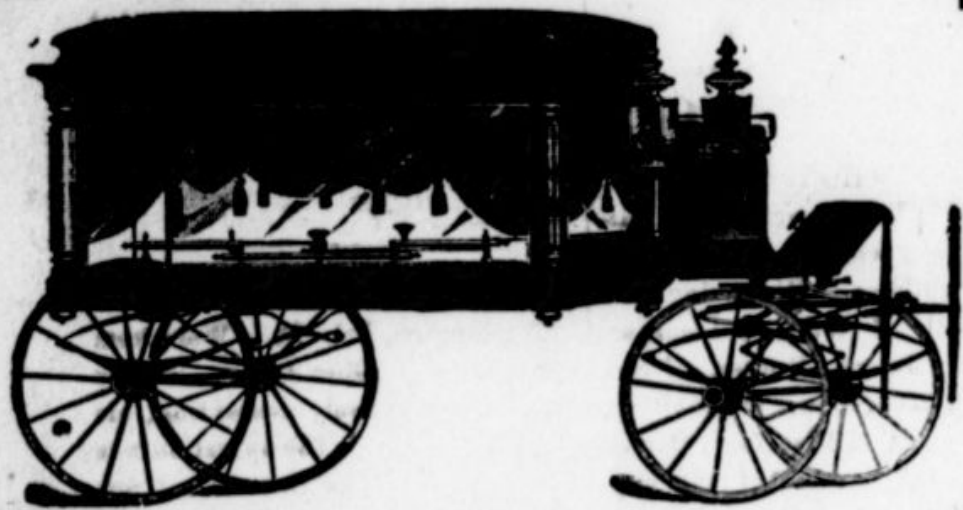


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### STARR.

Rev. J. W. Vaughn preached at Piney Creek the first Sunday and Rev. J. R. King at Piney Fork the second Sunday. Very small crowds were out at each place. What is the cause good people, why don't you go to church?

Harry Perkins, of Tribune, was here recently.

Farmers are at a standstill about a tobacco crop.

Miss Sylvia Travis closed her school here with an excellent entertainment.

Miss Travis is a cultured lady and a good teacher.

Several of our people are making sugar tree molasses and is fine just at this season of the year.

Rev. J. B. McNeely supplied for Bro Blackburn at the Grove last Sunday.

A little son of Wm. Wooldridge has been very sick, but is better at this time.

The roads are awful. There are not enough adjectives in the dictionary to express and defile their condition.

### State Board of Health Report.

Frankfort, Ky., February 19.—(Special.)—The bi-annual report of the State Board of Health, closing the 29th year of its history, was presented to the Governor and placed upon desks of members of the General Assembly to-day. On account of the popular interest in the prevention of tuberculosis, typhoid fever, diphtheria and other communicable diseases which has been aroused in recent years, and the plain, practical way these matters are treated in the report, it is likely to attract unusual attention. In fact, the reports of the board have already been made the text-book on public health in the Western Normal School, as will likely be done by other colleges throughout the state.

After showing that the annual drain upon the material resources of the State and Nation from preventable sickness constitutes the greatest tax which is levied upon our people, and is just as much a tax as if paid into the public treasuries, the report dwells upon and gives reasons for the legislative and popular indifference in regard to it. It shows that within the United States last year there were 1,200,000 deaths and 4,200,000 cases of sickness, involving the comfort and material prosperity of 5,000,000 homes and 25,000,000 people. At least one-third of this sickness and mortality is declared to be distinctly preventable, of the deaths 150,000 being due to tuberculosis and 50,000 in typhoid fever. Only 210,000 men were killed in both armies during the five years of the Civil War, while within the past five years 750,000 people have died in this country from tuberculosis and 250,000 from typhoid fever. In the face of these hard, cruel facts, the U. S. Government, within the last ten years has spent \$40,000,000 for the eradication of cholera in hogs and chickens, tick fever in cattle, scab in sheep, and pests to crops and fruit and shadetrees, but has never lifted a hand to protect its men, women and children from these domestic pestilences which destroy health and life every day in every year.

The facts and figures of Kentucky are of even more direct importance to our people, and no less impressive. In spite of our earnest efforts we have no system of vital statistics, but information gathered voluntarily from our physicians show that for the average year in this State there are 11,979 cases and 6,438 deaths from tuberculosis; 22,512 cases and 1,683 deaths from typhoid fever; 16,317 cases and 1,835 deaths from the diarrhoeal diseases of childhood; 5,181 cases and 1,068 deaths from diphtheria; 22,383 cases and 933 deaths from scarlet fever; a total of 79,532 cases and 12,116 deaths from these six preventable diseases annually.

Adam Smith first insisted, and later political economists have all agreed that a State can have no more valuable asset than that represented in its healthy men, women and children. They place the average value of an adult human life at \$1,000, some of them very much higher, and argue that farms, factories, mines and forests have any real value only so long as there is a live, virile, healthy population to open, develop and enjoy them. The medical profession of Kentucky, united as it never was before, believing that at least one-third of the deaths which come to our people every year are preventable, stands as one man for its accomplishment, but is confronted and thwarted at every turn by a popular indifference which is every day reflected in our legislative bodies, courts and other official activities.

In dealing with this problem the report urges that boards of health, National and State and Local, be so supported that their officials can devote their entire time to their duties, are just as important as the judicial or other departments, and that this must be realized if this great waste of health and life is to be stopped. In Pennsylvania the State Board of Health is given an annual appropriation of \$1,000,000, in Massachusetts, \$138,500; New York \$129,000; Illinois, 119,000; Florida, with one-fifth of our population, \$70,000, and so on down, Kentucky, at the foot of the list of States reporting, giving only \$5,000 to protect the health and

lives of 2,225,000 people, about enough to pay the postage of a properly conducted department. Much has been accomplished in the emergencies of epidemics, and in popular education, largely through the generosity of the public press, but the work has been hampered at every point for lack of funds.

The board asks that its appropriation be increased to \$25,000 in order that it may more effectively meet its obligations to the people. Out of this it proposes to establish a State laboratory with free service to every physician and citizen in the analysis of water and other causes and products of disease with the view of their prevention. This is absolutely essential if the benefits of modern scientific knowledge are to be applied practically for the protection of home, health and life. It also proposes to make a sanitary survey of the rivers, springs, drainage sheds and other influences affecting the sources of the water supply looking to such comprehensive, far-reaching action as will avert the decimation of population and the billions of expense which a neglect of such precautions has brought to the older civilized nations and States. In connection with the teachers' and farmers' institutes and other activities it proposes to conduct a campaign of education upon these life-saving questions which will finally reach into every county and school district in the State. The board insists that funds proposed for its work should not be looked upon as an expense, but as the best investment which the State can make, as is true in all educational work.

### No Opium in Chamberlain's Cough Remedy.

There is not a particle of opium or other narcotic in Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, and never has been since it was offered to the public. It is as safe a medicine for a child as for an adult. For sale by J. H. Orme.

### APPEAL.

I. P. Nunn is on the sick list. Sam Brightman is out again after a severe case of pneumonia.

Guss Nunn who has been in Evansville for several months, has returned home.

Will Winders, of Weston, visited the family of S. A. Dillard last Sunday.

Everybody is preparing for a big crop of tobacco, and nearly all have pooled.

Our Local Union meets every Thursday night.

There has been several converted to the union lately, and we understand there are several under deep conviction.

Jessie Garrett says he is a candidate for matrimony, subject to the will of his best girl.

Charlie Taylor and his two little brothers, of Aniston, Mo., are visiting their sister, Mrs. Almer Thurman.

### Simple Remedy For LaGrippe.

LaGrippe coughs are dangerous as they frequently develop into pneumonia. Foley's Honey and Tar not only stops the cough but heals and strengthens the lungs so that no serious results need be feared. The genuine Foley's Honey and Tar contains no harmful drugs and is in a yellow package. Refuse substitutes. Sold by J. H. Orme.

### Card of Thanks.

Through the columns of the RECORD-PRESS I wish to express my sincere thanks to the good people of Salem for the kindness shown us during the death of our precious wife and mother. I ask that heaven's richest blessings be yours, and that when afflictions come your way the same sweet spirit of love may administer unto you.

J. C. EBERLEE AND CHILDREN.

### Don't Put Off

until tomorrow what you can do today. If you are suffering from a torpid liver or constipation, don't wait until tomorrow to get help.

Buy a bottle of Herbine and get that liver working right. Promptness about health saves many sick spells. "Mrs. Ida Gresham, Point, Texas writes: I used Herbine in my family for six years and find it does all it claims to do." Sold by Jas. H. Orme, Marion, Ky.

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C W Taylor  
Robt Hughes  
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Tommie Brantley  
Tennie Brantley  
Ed Gilliland  
J J Butler  
T L Wright  
Lucy King  
E L Newbell  
C R Babb  
J S Bugg  
L Barnett  
R C Walker  
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C E Mayes  
L H Thurman  
M N Ford  
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J W Lamb  
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Mrs. Drew Johnson  
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G G Baker  
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### It Does The Business.

Mr. E. E. Chamberlain, of Clinton, Maine, says of Bucklen's Arnica Salve "It does the business; I have used it for piles and it cured them. Used it for chapped hands and it cured them. Applied it on an old sore and it healed it without leaving a scar behind." 25c at Jas. H. Orme and Haynes and Taylor's drug stores.

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More than likely the worst part of the winter is yet to come and you will still need Heavy Shoes. You can find some real values here in Shoes as we are Making Special Prices on Good Shoes. If you want Shoe Bargains SEE US.

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F. W. Nunn, dentist, Press Building  
J. D. Asher, of Sturgis, was in the city Sunday.

W. B. Kee, of Ripley, Tenn., was in the city Sunday.

Mrs. W. C. Carnahan is visiting relatives in Blackford.

Mrs. Akridge spent Saturday and Sunday with relatives in Fredonia.

Mrs. T. C. Guess was the guest of relatives at Crider Saturday and Sunday.

John Sedberry is confined to his room, he is threatened with pneumonia.

Lookout for the "Father Knickerbocker" Dutch Auction. It's coming to Town.

Mrs. Deboe, of Blackford, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Will Carnahan.

Rev. J. F. Price left Friday for Edmonton, Ky., where he will hold a series of meetings.

K. B. Williams, of Providence, spent Sunday with his sister, Mrs. Sam Gugenheim.

Mrs. Lola Davidson returned Saturday from Cincinnati where she bought her Spring Millinery.

Joe Kuykendall and Burl Woodson, of Princeton, attended the Oratorical Contest Saturday night.

FOR RENT—Four-room house on West Depot street.

MISS MARTHA HENRY..

Mrs. Dixie Franklin and children are the guests of her sister, Mrs. K. B. Williams, of Providence.

Miss Clara Crawford, of Tolu, was in town Saturday, enroute to Nashville, where she is studying music.

Sherman Clark has purchased the Lige Franklin place on the Fords Ferry road and move to it as soon as Mr. Franklin vacates.

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**19c. - 19c.**

F. W. Nunn, dentist, Press Building  
Richard McConnell, of Dekoven, was in the city Sunday.

Robt. Bennett, of Hartford, spent a few days with friends here.

J. H. Scott has accepted the position as station agent at Clay, Ky.

Mrs. J. S. G. Green who has been sick for several weeks is reported better.

Maurice Sutherland who has been working at Burlington, Ill., is at home on a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Summerville of Mattoon, were the guests of Mr. C. E. Doss and family.

Mrs. B. Henry, of Wheatcroft, was the guest of her mother, Mrs. Shuttlesworth, last week.

Mrs. T. F. Newcom, of Blackford, spent a few days last week with her mother, Mrs. J. H. Clifton.

Rev. J. R. McAfee, of Louisville, was in the city a few days last week shaking hands with his many friends.

The "Father Knickerbocker" Dutch Auction is the latest. One of our live merchants will offer it soon.

Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Green, of near Fords Ferry, returned Tuesday from an extended visit to relatives in Missouri and Texas.

Attorney W. H. Clark is now visiting relatives in California and will probably remain several weeks, before returning to Marion.

Have you tried one of those juicy tenderloins from Givens' cold storage butcher shop? Well if you have not you had better get the habit!

J. H. Young is building a nice home on East Depot Street which is now nearing completion and will be ready for the occupancy of he and his family before April first.

E. T. Franklin has sold his residence here and will move to his farm near Fords Ferry. His family will remain until school closes and will occupy the Boston Cottage on Belleville Street.

Dr. Joe Clark, of Princeton, Ind., who has been quite ill for several weeks is reported much better. His daughter, Alma, who now resides in California, and who was called to his bedside has returned home.

Givens' butcher shop now does an exclusively cash business and is selling to all its patrons without friction that way. The meats are cold storage products, and come here by express daily from Northern slaughter houses.

LOST—Gold brooch, love knot with pearl in center. Finder will be rewarded for returning.

J. W. BLUE, JR.

Roy Stevens, of Princeton, spent Sunday with James Carliss.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Hurley who have been visiting their sons, in Carmi, Ill., returned home Monday.

F. W. Nunn, dentist, Press Building  
Miss Bena Hill, who has been visiting, Mrs. H. K. Woods, left Wednesday.

R. L. Davis has rented a suit of rooms at R. F. Dorr's and will occupy them with his bride March 5th.

### The Dutch Auction.

A "Father Knickerbocker" Dutch Auction seems to be the thing just now, according to the Cresson (Pa.) Record.

Some enterprising merchant offers the "Father Knickerbocker" Mission Clock the first day at the regular price and then reduces the price 50 cents each day until sold.

This creates great excitement, especially among the ladies, each one waiting and planning to buy it at her own price, when lo! some one snaps it up, then every one goes and buys a "Father Knickerbocker" just to show that they can have a "good time" and the "Dutch Auction" has done its work, every one is happy, the town has "better times" and the dealer has boomed his business, besides having his share of the fun.

Which of our Local Merchants will be first to have a "Dutch Auction" here?

### Jeff Newcom at Jacksboro, Tenn.

Jacksboro, Tenn., Feb. 16, 1908.  
Mr. S. M. Jenkins.

Marion, Ky.

Dear Sir:—Have not heard from you through the valuable old RECORD PRESS. I am afraid you did not get the letter that I sent you Monday, so I am writing you again.

I am at the place mentioned above and will be here for a month or two, do not know when I will leave here. Night operator says I can hold an office alright by the first of April, so that makes this old boy feel good.

I will now try to describe this place to you. It has about three hundred inhabitants and is situated about three-fourths of a mile from the railroad and is the county seat of Campbell county. It has two or three churches, three or four stores and a postoffice.

It is situated between two hills and a small mountain between it and the depot. After I left Corbin I came through seven tunnels and do not know how many during the night while I was asleep.

Am just South of the Cumberland mountains a few miles, and by this you can judge the county for yourself for it would be hard for me to give you a very brief description of it at all.

Will close for this time. Hope to hear from you through the dear old Press soon. Sincerely yours,

JEFF NEWCOM.

### Corn Wanted.

We will pay the highest market price for white corn shucked. See us before selling.

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### Deeds Recorded.

M. Schwab to Loewenthal & Co. 65 acres on Crooked Creek, \$100 and other considerations.

Griffin & Wells to Jas. R. Glass and wife two lots in Dycusburg, \$650.

Geo. H. King to J. T. Branley 79 acres of land, \$600.

G. B. Taylor to Nancy Maynard two lots in Marion, \$850.

E. T. Franklin to W. S. Clark house and lot in Marion, \$350.

J. H. Young to Jas. H. Agee 10 acres, exchange of land.

Cochran & Pickens to E. T. Franklin house and lot in Marion, \$350.

J. A. Daughtery to Herrin Bros. 130 acres on Hurricane creek, \$3275.

### FREDONIA.

Mrs. Heath returned last week from a visit to relatives at Memphis, Tenn.

Mrs. W. F. Akridge, of Marion, was the guest of relatives here last week.

The public school was out here last Friday and an entertainment was given Friday night at Loyd's hall for the benefit of the school library. \$19.75 was taken in. The entertainment was a splendid success and speaks well for Prof. Crow and his assistant, Miss Cora Buckner, as the large crowd was well pleased with the showing made by the pupils.

Prof. Crow will teach a subscription school for two months.

Mrs. G. W. Stone was here Sunday to see her mother, Mrs. W. T. Reid.

Ben Wiggington, of Marion, has been in this vicinity several days.

Flour 60 cents per sack.

Bennett & Son.

C. F. Jean, of Princeton, has established a branch produce house here and Mr. Hale, of Marion, is manager.

Mrs. Annie Hillyard, wife of Mack Hillyard, who was operated on for appendicitis last week, is reported to be improving and is thought to be out of danger. Dr. Bailey performed the operation.

Several cases of grip in this section just now.

We buy chickens, eggs, butter, etc.

Bennett & Son.

Mrs. Butts, of Kuttawa, was the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Willis Ray, last week.

Henry & Henry, of Marion, were here Wednesday to put up a monument at the grave of Mrs. Charlie Travis at the graveyard hill two miles East of town. It is a fine piece of work.

Lela, the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Patterson, has been very sick, but we are glad to note that she is much better at present.

### Cheap Lands.

Jas. B. Pierce, of Elizabethtown, Ky., was here Tuesday in the interest of his company, which is now selling land near New Orleans, La. His company owns and controls a vast average of level prairie land thirty to fifty miles from New Orleans, the greatest Southern market.

The lands are level, black, rich soil and produce wonderful crops of sugar cane, corn, cotton and vegetables of all kinds. These lands are being bought up very fast owing to their cheapness, good soil and location. Mr. Pierce and his associates have sold over 46,000 acres of these lands in the past forty-five days.

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If you cannot buy as much as a section you had better get one of your friends or some one to go in with you, buy a section and then divide it to suit you. We know such lands cannot be found at these prices in any other state.

### IRMA.

There is considerable sickness in this community, but we are glad to report Messrs. Kimsey and Johnson better.

Mr. and Mrs. Earnest Slayden, of St. Louis, are visiting her father, J. P. Sullenger.

R. C. McMaster has moved from Wheatcroft to W. A. Tackwell's farm, where he will be engaged in tilling the soil.

Our school closed Thursday, and in our midst we were glad to behold the face and grasp the hand of our dear old friend, J. C. Harden. We understand he is not going to remain with us but a few days, nevertheless, the talk made by him and R. C. McMaster were greatly appreciated.

Little Miss Blanche Sullenger is on the sick list.

Dr. Moore, of Tolu, was here Sunday.

Our lodge at Irma is growing and getting along fine. It's for our good come along men and boys and join for a cause that is just.

Farmers are hustling around getting ready to farm.

We are sorry to report Chas. Perry no better.

E. F. Sullenger was here Saturday.

Miss Ethel Funkhouser went to Marion last week.

We have plenty of water and muddy roads in these parts.

### REPTON.

We are having some very bad weather.

W. S. Jones and daughter went to Sturgis Sunday.

Rev. W. B. Brooks, of Sturgis, filled his regular appointment at this place Saturday and Sunday.

Rev. H. C. Hopewell passed through this place Monday en route to his home at Sturgis.

Mrs. Marie Smith is very ill at this writing.

There was an entertainment at Ben Duval's Thursday night.

Mrs. Pearl Gilbert, of Blackford attended church here Saturday.

Miss Laura McChesney was the guest of Mrs. Onie King Thursday afternoon.

Harris Smith, of Sturgis, was called to the bedside of his mother, who is very ill, Monday.

### TRIBUNE.

James & James moved their saw mill from Uncle Billie Hill's to the Repton neighborhood Tuesday of last week.

William James and son, J. L., have moved to their farm near Tribune.

W. M. Towery was in Marion Thursday on business.

Mrs. F. I. Travis spent last week in Marion the guest of her son, Dr. Travis.

J. A. Pickens and family visited J. E. Perry and family, of Iron Hill Saturday and Sunday.

Dr. Taylor, of Marion, was here Thursday to look at a mule belonging to Lewis Horning, which is badly crippled.

Bro. LaRue passed through here on his way to Shady Grove Friday and spent the night with J. A. Pickens.

Some of our young people attended the last day of the Lamb school Friday and report a nice time.

The roads in this section are very bad.

Dr. Perry is on the sick list.

Bob Spence is very ill.

### Commercial Teachers Wanted.

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#### REPTON.

Most all the farmers are done burning plant beds.

Roads are very bad in this vicinity.

Prof. W. K. Powell who has been very sick is now on the road to recovery.

Willie Jones, now employed by the West Kentucky Coal Co., as coal digger at Sturgis, visited his parents here a few days ago.

John S. Brantly called on his best girl last Sunday.

John Jones, formerly of this place but now working in the box factory at Evansville, writes that he is well pleased with his work in that city.

Since Mr. Sam Asher's large dwelling and mercantile store burned our town seems very dull. We would be glad that some one financially able to handle a general line of everything needed in a country town like this would locate here.

Lonnie Moore and sister, Bertha, two of our leading school teachers, will start to Bowling Green soon to attend school.

Charlie and Fred Howerton have purchased the old homestead, Howerton farm consisting of 200 acres and are repairing it in first class shape.

## WOMAN'S BACKACHE



The back is the mainspring of woman's organism. It quickly calls attention to trouble by aching. It tells, with other symptoms, such as nervousness, headache, pains in the loins, weight in the lower part of the body, that a woman's feminine organism needs immediate attention. In such cases the one sure remedy which speedily removes the cause, and restores the feminine organism to a healthy, normal condition is **LYDIA E. PINKHAM'S VEGETABLE COMPOUND**. Mrs. Will Young, of Columbia Ave., Rockland, Me., says:

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Everitt Jours, formerly employed by the West Kentucky Coal Company as Master-mechanic at Sturgis, has resigned his position and has made application for a position as traveling engineer for the I. C. R. R. We hope he will be successful in securing employment with this leading railway system.

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#### The Jumping off Place.

"Consumption had me in its grasp and I had almost reached the jumping off place when I was advised to try Dr. King's New Discovery; and I want to say right now it saved my life. Improvement began with the first bottle and after taking one dozen bottles I was a well and happy man again," says George Moore, of Grimesland, N. C. As a remedy for coughs and colds and healer of weak sore lungs and for preventing pneumonia New Discovery is supreme, 50c and \$1.00 at Jas. H. Orme and Haynes & Taylor druggist. Trial bottle free.

#### Seven Springs.

Mrs. Sarah Patton is improving.

Miss Lizza Kingsolving, of Emmaus, visited her parents here Saturday and Sunday.

There was a singing at Billie Guess's Saturday night.

Rev. Eli Eaton filled his appointment here Saturday and Sunday and spent the night with Mose L. Patton.

When we speak of fashions we can say there is no danger of the blue overalls and calico dresses going out of style.

Ridley King, of near Sulphur Springs, and Miss Kate Fuller, of this place, were united in marriage February 4th 1908.

The Rev. Kingsolving and wife visited M. L. Patton and wife Monday night.

LaGrippe has attacked most every family in this vicinity.

L. K. McClure, of near Tiline, was a caller in this section Sunday.

Miss Phoebe Burklow is confined to her room with rheumatism.

Jim Patton, of Caldwell Springs, was a pleasant caller in this section Wednesday.

Tom Fuller was in Marion Monday.

Bro. Lee Travis is our sexton now at Seven Springs.

Matt Patton, of the Pinkneyville vicinity, visited his parents here Sunday.

The Rev. J. C. Kinsolving passed through this part Saturday enroute to Hebron to fill his appointment.

"Health Coffee" is really the closest Coffee Imitation ever yet produced. This, the finest Coffee Substitute ever made, has recently been produced by Dr. Shoop, Racine Wis. Not a grain of real Coffee in it either. Health Coffee is made from pure toasted cereals, with malt, nuts, etc. Really it would fool an expert—who might drink it for Coffee. No twenty or thirty minutes boiling. "Made in a minute" says the doctor. Sold by Morris & Yates.

#### Cease Your Worry.

If your child is threatened with croup give it Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and all danger will be avoided. It contains nothing in any way injurious and is pleasant to take. Sold by J. H. Orme.

## BRITAIN'S AWAKENING

Opinions of Eminent Englishmen on Municipal Ownership.

Increasing Debt and Taxes, Failure to Provide for the Future, Reckless Expenditure and Difficulty in Keeping Good Men as Officials Are Some of the Results They Note—The Open Door For Socialism.

The Yorkshire Observer quotes the mayor of Bradford as saying in a public meeting that on account of the great demands upon the time of members of the council it was difficult to get good men to enter or remain in that body. Yet the corporation had £11,000,000 invested in its undertakings, which must be managed in some way or other, good, bad or indifferent."

According to Dr. Ingram, chairman of the finance committee of Woolwich, that borough reached the verge of bankruptcy under the management of the M. O. party, which tried to show that the electric plant was profitable by the simple expedient of not paying bills. The new administration was faced with a floating indebtedness of \$75,000, which has to be provided for by taxation.

The Yorkshire Observer states that at a meeting of the Rotherham borough council Alderman Gummer objected to the amount which the gas undertaking contributed to the rates on the ground that it had been made possible only by raising the price of gas and thus making its consumers bear an unfair proportion of the rates. This bore especially upon the poor, who use gas instead of electricity.

If a city is well governed municipal ownership is the most dangerous thing imaginable and should be carefully avoided. There is always the danger that the public utilities the city is supposed to own will become nothing more or less than the private property of the people at the head of the government, who will work to their own advantage and the enhancement of their private wealth.—William T. Stead, Editor Review of Reviews.

At the fifth annual conference of the Municipal Tramways association G. W. Holford, general manager of the Salford corporation tramways, stated that the probable average life of rails was twelve years. Commenting upon the fact that in many cities no depreciation or renewals fund was being set aside, he "earnestly warned the gentlemen responsible that serious results would follow in ten or twelve years' time, when heavy calls would have to be made upon the ratepayers for the purpose of renewals."

Four years ago London took over its waterworks, with the result that water rates have increased rather than diminished. Referring to the operating expenses, Sir Melville Beachcroft, chairman of the water board, recently said:

"So far it must be admitted that no saving has been effected. I do not think that it was ever anticipated that there would be any saving in the expenses of administration, as the management of a trading concern by a municipal body must always involve expenditure quite outside that which falls on a private company."

In my opinion, the root of the evil is to be found in the too great facilities afforded by parliament for crazy municipal traders to borrow money upon periods of repayment out of all proportion to the lifetime of the work upon which the money is expended. In Huddersfield we are wearing out our third set of tram rails, and yet payment for the first set will not be completed until 1957. In our capital of £414,000 for some thirty miles of tramways there is at least £100,000 for which we cannot produce any asset whatever.—T. H. Moore, Esq., Alderman and Chairman, Huddersfield Corporation Tramways.

An English correspondent writes: "The tram cars in Liverpool until late years were owned by a private company, whereas now they are owned by the corporation. In the time of private ownership overcrowding was unknown; now it is the rule. On inquiring the reason of the change I was told that it was this: The regulations as to numbers remain the same, but they are never enforced. The police dare not enforce it because they are servants of the corporation; the corporation will not enforce it because its enforcement would mean a reduction in the receipts, and the borough bench so largely consists of justices either members of the corporation or under its influence that no conviction would be obtained."

Keir Hardie, one of the Socialist members of parliament, voiced the sentiments of English Socialists when he said at Bradford a year ago: "It becomes increasingly evident that Socialism in this country will come through the municipalities—municipal tramways, municipal water, municipal gas, municipal electricity, municipal bread, municipal coal and municipal land. These things are all put into the people, or will put them, in possession and control of the essentials of life, and that is what Socialism aims at."

Roswell, N. M., has voted two to one against bonding for a city water plant.

## NEW ZEALAND'S RAILWAYS.

Keen Financial Analysis by Professor Le Rossignol of Denver.

A recent issue of Moody's Magazine contains a thorough analysis of "New Zealand Railway Finance" by Professor J. E. Le Rossignol of the University of Denver. The writer points out that the New Zealand government, which owns the railways, "borrows money at 3.75 per cent and latterly at 4 per cent for the maintenance of railways which earn less than 1.50 per cent upon the capital cost, and this yearly deficit of over 2.25 per cent must ultimately fall upon the taxpayers."

Commenting on a tabular exhibit of the finances, Professor Le Rossignol says:

"From these figures it is clear that the capital cost of the roads had increased out of all proportion to the increase in mileage, that the working expenses have increased much faster than the gross earnings and that the net loss in ten years has amounted to the enormous sum of \$4,380,147, or more than \$21,000,000, and this in a time of great prosperity, which cannot be expected to last forever."

After showing that fares average about the same as in this country the service is described as follows: "There are no night trains, and the service on most of the lines is rather infrequent. The best service in New Zealand is that between Christchurch and Dunedin, where there are two express trains daily, traveling at a speed of twenty-five miles an hour. On most of the other lines express trains travel from fifteen to twenty-one miles an hour and ordinary trains from ten to fourteen miles an hour."

The author goes into considerable detail in regard to freight rates, which he considers to average about five times those of the United States. The most serious charge against the management is that it lends itself to political uses:

"Politics has had altogether too much to do with the construction of roads, the appointment and promotion of officials, the frequency of service, the fixing of rates and the departmental administration in general. Railways have frequently been built for the sake of securing votes rather than traffic and business has been so often subordinated to politics that it is no wonder that the net returns are political rather than financial in their character."

#### DEAD OR DYING.

Reaction is Slow, but Sure, Against Civic Commercialism.

The mayor of Holland, Mich., writes that negotiations are on foot to have a private company supply the lighting. It would cost \$30,000 to put the municipal plant in condition for efficient service.

At a citizens' meeting recently held in Trenton, Mich., the city council was instructed to enter into negotiations for the sale of the electric light plant.

Chester, Ill., has voted against the purchase of the waterworks system. Manitowish, Wis., recently voted two to one against purchasing the water works and four to three in favor of submitting the question of rates to the state commission. Only about a quarter of the regular vote was polled, which is not encouraging to advocates of the "referendum."

By a vote of 329 to 44 the people of Washington, Ind., rejected a scheme for remodeling the municipal lighting plant notwithstanding the alternative presented by the common council of providing for extensive repairs or eventually abandoning the business of municipal lighting. The plant has fallen behind year after year, although liberal appropriations have been made for its support, and repairs have been neglected till it is little better than a mass of junk. An expert who recently examined it decided that it would require \$38,000 to put the plant in good running order, and the people were asked to vote on the question of expense. The negative vote means that the plant will be sold.

#### Who Profits?

Politicians manage municipal affairs in such a way that their own interests are cared for first and public service is only a minor and subsidiary feature. Money collected from taxpayers is spent for the benefit of the "gang" instead of for that of the people, and the consequence is that enterprises conducted by the city are invariably not merely ill managed, but enormously expensive.

There is no reason to hope that this state of affairs will be changed so long as human nature remains what it is, and therefore the people will not be likely in their sober senses to entrust any public utility that can safely be left in the hands of private enterprise to any city government.—Chicago Journal.

#### The Dream and the Reality.

Municipal jobs are usually given out as political rewards. The fitness of the applicant, his faithfulness to duty, his honesty, integrity and industry are all secondary considerations. His faithfulness and his value to party or faction are of first importance to the party managers, who really run all municipal plants. The result is indifference and extravagance, high costs of production and operation—in short, the complete annihilation of the beautiful theory of the dreamer.—Connellsville (Pa.) Courier.

#### The Tax Rate in Indiana.

Indiana is one of the few states that have a bureau of statistics. Its latest report shows that the tax rate in the twenty-eight cities which operate their own light and water plants is \$1.96, while the rate in the other fifty-seven cities is only \$1.77.

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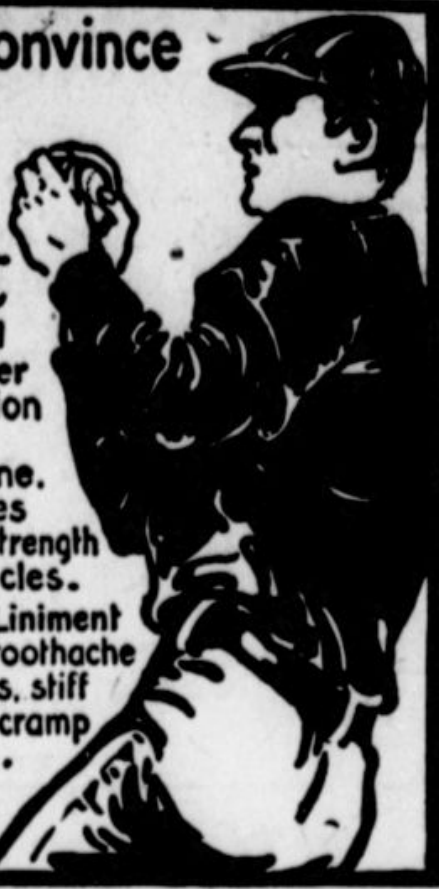
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## The Passing of Hargis.

James Hargis is dead, and the manner of his death was the most horrible imaginable. Shot down by his only son; a son who had been indulged by his parents; a son who had always been given every luxury he desired; a son who was the petted idol of a fond father; a son who thousands of times has been kissed and caressed by parents who planned for him a great future. But now all is over so far as the father is concerned. He has been shot to death by "bone of his bone and flesh of his flesh," his own son. Could his greatest enemies wish for him a more horrible death? In fact did he have an enemy who wished for him, such an end? It seems impossible. After all was Judge Hargis guilty of all the vile deeds of which his enemies accused him? Truly and honestly we doubt it. Once and only once the writer shook hands with Judge Hargis and looked with a searching look into his manly eyes, that part of man which is said to be the index to the soul, and we are free to confess that our limited knowledge of phrenology and power to read the man through the index of the soul, revealed nothing which denoted the criminal. Hargis had a kind look and his voice had that peculiar ring about it, calculated to make friends and not foes of his fellow men. While he may have been guilty of many wrong deeds, and if there is anything in rumor he was. Yet, who knows the hidden causes which drove him to do these things, if indeed he was guilty? Now as he is dead let us forgive. Let us also hope that Kentucky may have no

more feuds and that lawlessness may cease in all parts of the State. Whether Judge Hargis was guilty or not guilty, he has gone, and his going in such a tragic manner is to be regretted. Let us hope that the sins of Judge Hargis, be they few or many, were forgiven, and further, that no other Kentucky home may ever be broken up by the sad occurrence of the son killing the father. — Dixon Journal.

## Suffering and Dollars Saved.

E. S. Loper, of Marilla, N. Y., says: "I am a carpenter and have had many severe cuts healed by Bucklen's Arnica Salve. It has saved me suffering and dollars. It is by far the best healing salve I have ever found." Heals durns, sores, ulcers, fever sores, eczema and piles. 25c at Jas. H. Orme's and Haynes & Taylor drug store's.

## Closing Exercises.

Friday Feb. 14th, Prof. Hardin closed a most successful school at Lily Dale in which both pupil and parents took great interest. We as pupils of Mr. Hardin were very sorry to see the last day come as it has broken the ties of friendship and love that have bound us together for the past six months. That is, it has taken us to our many homes and has set him free to do anything he may choose, still we will remember how kind and obliging he has been to us. Never did a pupil go to him for anything, no matter what, he was always ready and willing to help.

The program for the last day consisted of recitations, dialogues, tableaux and music, of which all were well said and played. It was a very rainy day, but nevertheless there were quite a number present and all seemed to enjoy themselves. At the

noon hour there was quite a nice dinner spread and all ate heartily. We must thank the ladies of the district for preparing this dinner and also for the loan of curtains, etc. for our use on this occasion.

We have in Lily Dale District as good people as can be found in the state and we hope that Mr. Hardin thinks so, as we all have done our best to make the school a pleasure to him, as well as a profit to us. We would be very glad to have Mr. Hardin with us again next year, but we do not know where he will be, or whether he will teach at all or not. If he does teach, the pupils of the school that he gets can rest assured that they have a teacher who will do anything in his power for their advancement and they need never fear but what he will be a friend to them always and anywhere.

May happiness peace and prosperity go with Mr. Hardin through life, is the sincere wish of his Lily Dale Pupils. A PUPIL.

## A Cure For Misery.

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## LILLY DALE.

Mrs. J. S. McCord, of Benton, is visiting her parents, D. W. Deboe and wife.

Miss Grace Deboe visited at Uncle Billy Loyd's Saturday evening.

Uncle Bill Jacobs is on the sick list.

Miss Jennie Clement visited at Uncle Billy Loyd's Thursday night.

Jennie Brown visited her parents Saturday.

Lilly Dale school closed Friday with an exhibition in the afternoon. A large crowd was present, the rain not keeping them away. Mr. J. C. Harden was teacher and he taught a very successful school. We can give him praise for his work. He was loved by all his pupils and also the patrons and we all regret very much to part from him.

Dennis Carlton, of Crayne, visited Loren and Stinson Stallions Saturday night and Sunday.

J. C. Harden went to Marion Saturday.

Miss Bertie Guess, of Kuttawa, is visiting at John Barrers.

## Keeping Open House.

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Sunday School every Sunday at 9:30 a. m., Deacon J. P. Pierce, Supt.

## First Presbyterian Church.

Rev. Benjamin Andres, Pastor.  
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Regular meeting Saturday night before full moon in each month.  
T. Atchison Frazer, W. M.  
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G. B. Taylor, Jr. D.  
C. V. Franks, Steward.  
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## Crittenden Chapter, No. 70, R. A. M.

Regular meeting on Saturday night after full moon.  
P. C. STEPHENS, H. P.  
J. BELL KEVIL, Secretary.

## Wingate Council, No. 35, R. & S. M.

Regular meeting second Monday night in each month.  
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Regular meetings first and third Tuesday nights in each month.  
Ed Metz, Past Con. Com.  
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Chas. D. Haynes, Banker.  
W. E. Minner, Clerk.  
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## Rosewood Camp, No. 22, W. O. W.

Regular meetings on second and fourth Monday nights in each month.  
A. J. Butler, Past Con. Com.  
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S. H. Ramage, Clerk.  
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T. Atchison Frazer, A. J. Driskill, Walter Travis, Camp Physicians.

## Watstika Tribe, No. 224, I. O. R. M.

Regular meetings on second and fourth Tuesday nights in each month.  
J. C. Wallace, Sachem.  
C. E. Weldon, Prophet.  
Walter McConnell, Sr. Sagamore.  
Wathen Rankin, Jr.  
S. H. Ramage, Keeper of Wampum.  
C. V. Franks, Chief of Records.  
Silas Ross, First Warrior.  
John H. Scott, Second Warrior.  
Robt. E. Wilborn, Third Warrior.  
Thos. Conyer, Fourth Warrior.  
J. Q. Lawson, First Brave.  
J. W. Ross, Second Brave.  
J. R. Glass, Third Brave.  
Ray Duvall, Fourth Brave.  
Jas. Tolley, Guard of Wigwam.

## Blackwell Lodge, No. 57, K. of P.

Regular meeting on first Friday night in each month.  
C. C. Taylor, C. C.  
John W. Wilson, V. C.  
Geo. M. Crider, Prelate.  
C. W. Haynes, K. R. & S.  
J. B. Sedberry, M. F.  
Gus Taylor, M. E.  
R. L. Flanary, M. A.  
J. F. Dodge, Master of Work.

## New Marlin Lodge, No. 198, I. O. O. F.

Regular meetings every Thursday night at 7:30.  
Rufus McMican, N. G.  
Walter McConnell, V. G.  
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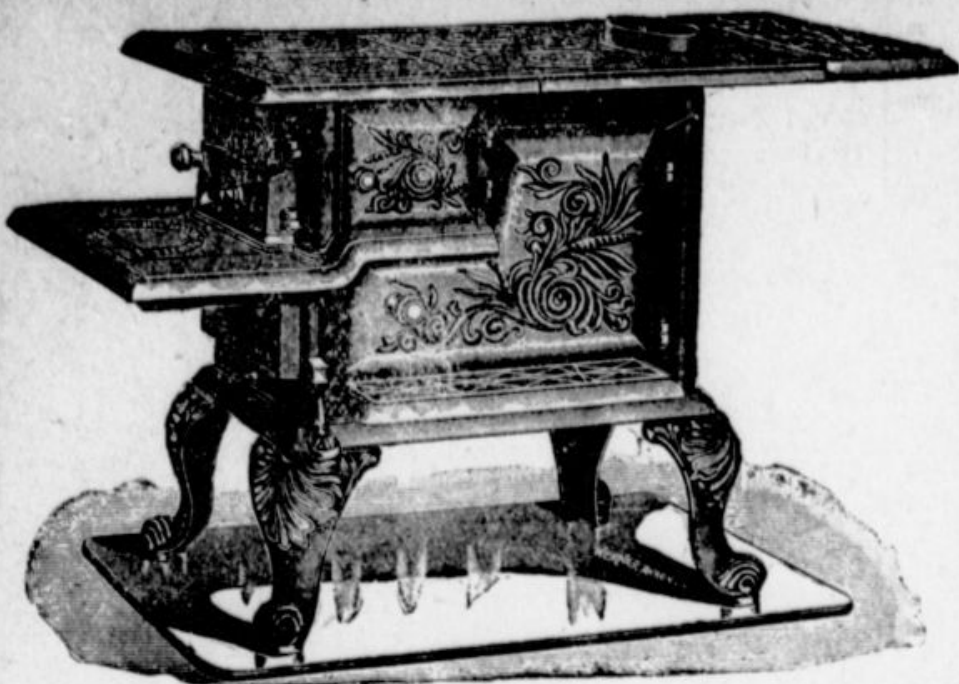
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Dick Mayes bought George Perry's farm a few weeks ago and has sold it back to George for a nice profit.

Will Dorrah has moved back to Crayne and will make a crop with J. C. Minner.

Miss Una Clement, of View, was visiting Miss Vaden Stovall Sunday.

### BLACBURN.

Several in this section have the measles.

Mrs. Stella Fralick visited her mother of Shady Grove Thursday.

Roscoe Pickens, of Tribune, visited his grandparents Saturday and Sunday.

Little Ida Winn visited her uncle, George Winn, last week.

Andrew Eskew, of Mrrion, visited his sister, Mrs. Mattie Coleman, last Sunday.

Davis Horning and Miss Ona Brown visited her sister, Mrs. Alma McConnell, Sunday.

Rev. J. T. Davis visited Johnie Tudor, who is very sick with measles, Sunday.

Misses Rosa Murry and Frona Stenbridge visited Misses Clara and Nannie Davis Sunday.

Billie Murry happened to a severe accident last week by cutting his foot, but is improving nicely.

Bill Boyd contemplates moving his mill to H. R. Stenbridge's farm.

H. R. Stenbridge visited his son, W. B. Stenbridge, last week.

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Ballard's Snow Liniment is praised for the good it does. A sure cure for Rheumatism and all pains. Wright W. Loving Grand Junction, Colo., writes: "I used Ballard's Snow Liniment on the market. I thought at the time I was taken down with this trouble, that it would be a week before I could get about, but on applying your Liniment several times during the night, I was about in 48 hours and well in three days." Sold by Jas. H. Orme.

### IRMA.

Miss Irma Sullenger is on the sick list.

School will close here Friday. Mrs. Chas. Perry has taught a fine school.

Mr. Shelly Franklin, of Fords Ferry, attended the Farmers' Union Lodge here Wednesday night and made a good talk. We are proud for any of our men to visit us.

Misses Bird Large and Ethel Croft were the guests of Misses Pearl and Bertha Sullenger Monday.

Clyde McMaster, of Wheatcroft, will move on his father's farm near here soon.

Misses Mina and Trecey Hoover are on the sick list.

John Edd Bracy was here one day last week.

Mr. Sam Kimsey's little son happened to a very serious accident by almost cutting his foot off one day last week. Dr. Lowery dressed the wound and it is getting along nicely.

Curtis Harden, of this place, has finished his school at Lilly Dale and will return home soon.

John Harden was here shopping Saturday.

Byron White went to Fords Ferry Sunday.

Mrs. Lee Pettillo was the guest of Mr. S. S. Sullenger's family Tuesday.

Clyde McMaster and wife are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Tackwell this week.

Tobe James and Roy Belt, of Fords Ferry, were here Sunday.

Miss Cora Highfill was here shopping Saturday.

Miss Pearl Pettillo visited Mrs. Lee Pettillo Saturday.

Mr. L. Highfill delivered hogs here last week.

### CEDAR SPRINGS.

Pleasant Hill school closed last Friday, which was well taught by Mr. Fred Stone.

Mrs. George Baker has been ailing with the rheumatism, but is better at this writing.

Ross Young, wife and daughter, Miss Juanita, were visiting Charlie Newbell and wife Thursday.

Noble Hill, our mail man, can be seen on the road again. Glad to welcome you back, old boy.

Miss Minnie Hunt has been staying with Mrs. George Baker for the past two weeks.

C. R. Newbell and wife visited Shellie Agee and wife, of Crayne, Saturday.

W. G. Paris has just completed a new poultry house and yard which he intends to fill with fine fowls.

George Mauley is in our beat quite often. What's the attraction, George?

Earl, the oldest son of S. R. Gass, who has been in the West for a year seeking his fortune, has returned home jingling his gold. Glad to see you back, Earl.

Chas. Newbell, a prominent young farmer, of Cedar Springs, has purchased a fine drove of geese. No doubt, from the number he has, he is going to raise feathers for the market.

Misses Ruby and Nona Gass were pleasant callers at Mrs. Ida Young's the last of the week.

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The United States government recently waived the Civil Service examination in order to induce stenographers to go to the Isthmus of Panama to do stenographic work at \$125 per month. There has never been as urgent and unceasing demands for stenographers in all the history of this country.

The Business University at Bowling Green, Kentucky, trains as many good stenographers as any other business institution in America, and yet, it is unable to supply even half the calls made upon it for stenographers.

## AN EXTRA SESSION

Rumor Now Has It That Kentucky Legislators Will Be Kept at Work.

### LITTLE BEING ACCOMPLISHED

Senatorial Deadlock and Tension Over Local Option Bill Have Put the Brakes on All the Normal Activities of the Present Assembly—All the "Interests" Appear to Be Fighting for Delay and the Session is Merely Dragging Along.

Frankfort, Ky., Feb. 25.—One would think the senatorial fight had become a stale and uninteresting subject in Frankfort by this time, but it is nearly the sole topic of conversation now, just as it was the first week in January, in every little coterie of politicians that happen together in the hotels every day and night. The deadlock still continues and the death of Representative McKnight of Mason county seems to have made no change in the situation, except that it now takes one less to elect than it did before McKnight's death. Beckham lost another vote when Representative Arnett of Covington voted for Congressman Ollie James, but as long as none of the Democrats who desert Beckham vote for Bradley, the deadlock will continue. The county unit local option bill is still hanging fire, and it is still asserted that upon its fate will depend the result of the senatorial race. The legislative session will end by limitation on March 17, so that only about three weeks more remain from the state. The bill does not conflict or interfere with the Confederate Soldiers' Home at Pewee Valley. It is believed the bill will pass the house of representatives with but little opposition, and an amendment may be adopted providing that any servant who accompanied his master while serving in the Confederate army, and who is indigent or disabled, may also be entitled to a pension. This provision was in the bill as first presented, but owing to the fact that the session was not carefully drawn, it was stricken out.



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[President Pro Tem of the Senate.] main in which to do anything. All the "interests" appear to be fighting for delay. Motions to adjourn early each day without doing any real work, are constantly adopted. As a result all the bills will be jammed together the last ten days of the session and some vicious legislation will likely be enacted. There is some talk of an extra session being called, but it is not believed that Governor Wilson will call one unless the appropriation to complete the new statehouse fails to pass, and even that may not induce him to call one.

The senate has passed by a unanimous vote the Renaker bill providing a pension for indigent and disabled Confederate veterans. The provisions of the bill are carefully guarded and no one can receive the \$125 per year if he has as much as \$500 worth of property, nor if he has a member of his immediate family that is able to take care of him. A board of investigation in each county is provided for, and each applicant for a pension must have his case passed on by this board favorably before he can draw the pen-

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Neither the senate nor house has taken any final action yet on the numerous bills to repeal the dog-tax law, but the house may pass the question this week. The sheep breeders are making an active fight against the repeal of the law, and a number of members have changed their views since coming here. The State Farmers' Institute, which met here last week, with an attendance of about 200 from all over the state, adopted by an almost unanimous vote a resolution calling upon the legislature not to repeal the dog tax. The advocates of the repeal, however, are vehement in their demands for the passage of the bill, and it may be pushed through yet.

There seems to be something curious, not to say peculiar, about the Kentucky legislatures, or rather some of the Kentucky legislatures. When the legislatures of other states find that something is needed by the state, they appropriate enough money to get what is needed and get it of the first class. In other words, what is worth doing is worth doing well. Not so in Kentucky, however. Ordinarily when the state of Kentucky needs something that other states readily pay \$50,000 or \$60,000 for, to get it first class, the legislative cheese-parers take it in hand and cut it down to \$5,000 or \$10,000, which results in poor building or poor service. As an example, other states expend from \$75,000 to \$200,000 a year to enforce their pure food laws, while Kentucky expends but \$15,000, and as a consequence the fund gives out the first six months each year and nothing can be done the last six months to prosecute the violators of the pure food laws. A recent legislature appropriated a million dollars for a new statehouse and a magnificent building has been erected but is not yet furnished. To hear some of the cheese-parers talk they want the building furnished out of a 10-cent store. A million-dollar structure should have all its appointments in keeping with its appearance, and if a proper appropriation is made, Kentucky will have a statehouse that will be a matter of state pride. If the penurious ones get in their work, everybody will be disgusted with it and in a short time all the cheap furniture will be thrown out or worn out and another appropriation will be necessary, which means that the first inadequate appropriation will be an absolute loss.

The cheese-parers and record-makers are afraid to vote their sentiments on any of the education appropriation bills because the cause of education is so popular now in Kentucky that it may mean political suicide to anyone who dares to oppose any bill that stands for educational progress. This was demonstrated in the house last week when the bill appropriating \$500,000 to the state college and the two state normal schools came up for discussion and passage. The bill gives \$150,000 to each of the normal schools and \$200,000 to the state college, one-third to be paid this year, one-third next year and the other third in 1910. The cheese-parers all expressed themselves as being in favor of the bill, but they urged that the amounts appropriated were too large. This argument reduced to its final absurdity would be the same as asking the legislature to meet in a tent without a stove in zero weather. The c. p. s., however, were not in the majority and the bill passed by a vote of 69 to 17, and will probably pass the senate almost unanimously. All of which goes to show that the record-maker and alleged economist, who wants to give you a mosquito-bar overcoat when a chinchilla would hardly keep you warm, does not always succeed.

There is a bitter war on between two factions of the Kentucky Dairymen's association, and it looks like two associations will be the result. It all comes about over the bill in the legislature providing for a rigid inspection of all cows and the killing of all those found to be infected with tuberculosis. The annual meeting of the association was held here last week, and after a spirited argument over the propriety of passing the bill, the meeting split up like a political convention and one faction left the building with the avowed intention of forming a new association. Some of the dairymen say that every herd of cows in the state has more or less tuberculosis in it and that such has been the case from time immemorial, and that if the proposed law passes, nearly every herd of dairy cows in the state will have to be slaughtered when there is no real reason for it.

Senator Burnam of Madison county has introduced a bill that is intended to reach the unlawful acts committed by the "night riders." The bill provides that where two or more persons conspire together to commit some unlawful act and do commit said act, the circuit judge, attorney general or the commonwealth's attorney may have a change of venue to another county to have the unlawful acts investigated by the grand jury of that county, and if the grand jury of that county indicts anyone they shall be tried in that county and not in the county where the act was committed. It is claimed that this is the only method by which a fair and impartial investigation of the acts of the "night riders" can be secured, as the grand juries and petit juries in the county where the acts are committed are said to contain members of the "night riders" association.

Every day of the session brings fresh evidence that the senatorial race and the county unit local option bill are so closely interwoven that they cannot be separated. The two candidates for United States senator have gone into print on the situation, Beckham proposing that the senatorial race be postponed till the county unit bill is disposed of, and Bradley charging that Beckham's proposal is only a grandstand play. Meantime there is a persistent rumor that if the legislature fails to pass the county unit bill, Governor Wilson will at once call an extra session and demand that the bill be passed. It has been rumored for several days that the governor is preparing a surprise for the legislature, and it is now claimed that the surprise will be the call of an extra session or else a message stating that unless the bill is passed an extra session will be called. All of this may, however, be but the idle talk that always comes at the end of nearly every legislative session if some important bill fails to get through.

JOHN H. STUART.

### Burned to Death.

Mrs. Rachel Catherine Howerton, the aged mother of R. L. Howerton, was burned to death at his home near Repton last week. She was eighty-four years of age and had been partially paralyzed for eight years. Until four months ago she could speak, but at that time she was paralyzed in her speech also.

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Will Adams has been appointed as one of the commissioners to change the big road at the railroad crossing between here and Marion. This change will be a great help as the present one is bad and dangerous.

Dick Mayes bought George Perry's farm a few weeks ago and has sold it back to George for a nice profit.

Will Dorrah has moved back to Crayne and will make a crop with J. C. Minner.

Miss Una Clement, of View, was visiting Miss Vaden Stovall Sunday.

### BLACLBURN.

Several in this section have the measles.

Mrs. Stella Fralick visited her mother of Shady Grove Thursday.

Rosecoe Pickens, of Tribune, visited his grandparents Saturday and Sunday.

Little Ida Winn visited her uncle, George Winn, last week.

Andrew Eskew, of Marion, visited his sister, Mrs. Mattie Coleman, last Sunday.

Davis Horning and Miss Ona Brown visited her sister, Mrs. Alma McConnell, Sunday.

Rev. J. T. Davis visited Johnie Tudor, who is very sick with measles, Sunday.

Misses Rosa Murry and Frona Stenbridge visited Misses Clara and Nannie Davis Sunday.

Billie Murry happened to a severe accident last week by cutting his foot, but is improving nicely.

Bill Boyd contemplates moving his mill to H. R. Stenbridge's farm.

H. R. Stenbridge visited his son, W. B. Stenbridge, last week.

### Even from the Mountains

Ballard's Snow Liniment is praised for the good it does. A sure cure for Rheumatism and all pains. Wright W. Loving Grand Junction, Colo., writes: "I used Ballard's Snow Liniment on the market. I thought at the time I was taken down with this trouble, that it would be a week before I could get about, but on applying your Liniment several times during the night, I was about in 48 hours and well in three days." Sold by Jas. H. Orme.

### IRMA.

Miss Irma Sullenger is on the sick list.

School will close here Friday. Mrs. Chas. Perry has taught a fine school.

Mr. Shelly Franklin, of Fords Ferry, attended the Farmers' Union Lodge here Wednesday night and made a good talk. We are proud for any of our men to visit us.

Misses Bird Large and Ethel Croft were the guests of Misses Pearl and Bertha Sullenger Monday.

Clyde McMaster, of Wheatcroft, will move on his father's farm near here soon.

Misses Mina and Trecey Hoover are on the sick list.

John Edd Bracy was here one day last week.

Mr. Sam Kimsey's little son happened to a very serious accident by almost cutting his foot off one day last week. Dr. Lowery dressed the wound and it is getting along nicely.

Curtis Harden, of this place, has finished his school at Lilly Dale and will return home soon.

John Harden was here shopping Saturday.

Byron White went to Fords Ferry Sunday.

Mrs. Lee Pettillo was the guest of Mr. S. S. Sullenger's family Tuesday.

Clyde McMaster and wife are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Tackwell this week.

Tobe James and Roy Belt, of Fords Ferry, were here Sunday.

Miss Cora Highfill was here shopping Saturday.

Miss Pearl Pettillo visited Mrs. Lee Pettillo Saturday.

Mr. L. Highfill delivered hogs here last week.

### CEDAR SPRINGS.

Pleasant Hill school closed last Friday, which was well taught by Mr. Fred Stone.

Mrs. George Baker has been ailing with the rheumatism, but is better at this writing.

Ross Young, wife and daughter, Miss Juanita, were visiting Charlie Newbell and wife Thursday.

Noble Hill, our mail man, can be seen on the road again. Glad to welcome you back, old boy.

Miss Minnie Hunt has been staying with Mrs. George Baker for the past two weeks.

C. R. Newbell and wife visited Shellie Agee and wife, of Crayne, Saturday.

W. G. Paris has just completed a new poultry house and yard which he intends to fill with fine fowls.

George Mauley is in our beat quite often. What's the attraction, George?

Earl, the oldest son of S. R. Gass, who has been in the West for a year seeking his fortune, has returned home jingling his gold. Glad to see you back, Earl.

Chas. Newbell, a prominent young farmer, of Cedar Springs, has purchased a fine drove of geese. No doubt, from the number he has, he is going to raise feathers for the market.

Misses Ruby and Nona Gass were pleasant callers at Mrs. Ida Young's the last of the week.

## FROM THE PINE WOODS

**Hyomei's Aromatic Air is Guaranteed to Cure Catarrh or Cost Nothing.**

When using the Hyomei treatment, the air you breathe is like that on the mountains high above sea level where the pine woods fill the air with aromatic healing that gives health and strength to those suffering from diseases of the respiratory organs. Breathed through the neat pocket inhaler that comes with every outfit, the healing balsams of Hyomei reach the most remote air cells of the throat, nose and lungs, destroying all catarrhal germs and giving quick relief and cure.

Hyomei has performed almost miraculous cures of catarrh, often restoring health in chronic cases that had given up all hope of recovery. Its best action is at the start of the disease, when the breath is becoming offensive and when discharges from the nose, droppings in the throat and frequent sneezing or spasmodic coughing begin to make life a burden. At the first symptom of catarrhal trouble, use Hyomei and see how quickly you get relief and cure.

The complete outfit costs but \$1.00 and is sold by Haynes & Taylor under guarantee to refund the money if it does not give satisfaction.

### In Great Demand.

The United States government recently waived the Civil Service examination in order to induce stenographers to go to the Isthmus of Panama to do stenographic work at \$125 per month. There has never been as urgent and unceasing demands for stenographers in all the history of this country.

The Business University at Bowling Green, Kentucky, trains as many good stenographers as any other business institution in America, and yet, it is unable to supply even half the calls made upon it for stenographers.

## AN EXTRA SESSION

**Rumor Now Has It That Kentucky Legislators Will Be Kept at Work.**

### LITTLE BEING ACCOMPLISHED

Senatorial Deadlock and Tension Over Local Option Bill Have Put the Brakes on All the Normal Activities of the Present Assembly—All the "Interests" Appear to Be Fighting for Delay and the Session Is Merely Dragging Along.

Frankfort, Ky., Feb. 25.—One would think the senatorial fight had become a stale and uninteresting subject in Frankfort by this time, but it is nearly the sole topic of conversation now, just as it was the first week in January, in every little coterie of politicians that happen together in the hotels every day and night. The deadlock still continues and the death of Representative McKnight of Mason county seems to have made no change in the situation, except that it now takes one less to elect than it did before McKnight's death. Beckham lost another vote when Representative Arnett of Covington voted for Congressman Ollie James, but as long as none of the Democrats who desert Beckham vote for Bradley, the deadlock will continue. The county unit local option bill is still hanging fire, and it is still asserted that upon its fate will depend the result of the senatorial race. The legislative session will end by limitation on March 17, so that only about three weeks more remain from the state. The bill does not conflict or interfere with the Confederate Soldiers' Home at Pewee Valley. It is believed the bill will pass the house of representatives with but little opposition, and an amendment may be adopted providing that any servant who accompanied his master while serving in the Confederate army, and who is indigent or disabled, may also be entitled to a pension. This provision was in the bill as first presented, but owing to the fact that the section was not carefully drawn, it was stricken out.



SENATOR CONN LINN.

[President Pro Tem of the Senate.] main in which to do anything. All the "Interests" appear to be fighting for delay. Motions to adjourn early each day without doing any real work, are constantly adopted. As a result all the bills will be jammed together the last ten days of the session and some vicious legislation will likely be enacted. There is some talk of an extra session being called, but it is not believed that Governor Wilson will call one unless the appropriation to complete the new statehouse fails to pass, and even that may not induce him to call one.

The senate has passed by a unanimous vote the Renaker bill providing a pension for indigent and disabled Confederate veterans. The provisions of the bill are carefully guarded and no one can receive the \$125 per year if he has as much as \$600 worth of property, nor if he has a member of his immediate family that is able to take care of him. A board of investigation in each county is provided for, and each applicant for a pension must have his case passed on by this board favorably before he can draw the pension.

Neither the senate nor house has taken any final action yet on the numerous bills to repeal the dog-tax law, but the house may pass the question this week. The sheep breeders are making an active fight against the repeal of the law, and a number of members have changed their views since coming here. The State Farmers' Institute, which met here last week, with an attendance of about 200 from all over the state, adopted by an almost unanimous vote a resolution calling upon the legislature not to repeal the dog tax. The advocates of the repeal, however, are vehement in their demands for the passage of the bill, and it may be pushed through yet.

There seems to be something curious, not to say peculiar, about the Kentucky legislatures, or rather some of the Kentucky legislatures. When the legislatures of other states find that something is needed by the state, they appropriate enough money to get what is needed and get it of the first class. In other words, what is worth doing is worth doing well. Not so in Kentucky, however. Ordinarily when the state of Kentucky needs something that other states readily pay \$50,000 or \$60,000 for, to get it first class, the legislative cheese-parers take it in hand and cut it down to \$5,000 or \$10,000, which results in poor building or poor service. As an example, other states expend from \$75,000 to \$200,000 a year to enforce their pure food laws, while Kentucky expends but \$15,000, and as a consequence the fund gives out the first six months each year and nothing can be done the last six months to prosecute the violators of the pure food laws. A recent legislature appropriated a million dollars for a new statehouse and a magnificent building has been erected but is not yet furnished. To hear some of the cheese-parers talk they want the building furnished out of a 10-cent store. A million-dollar structure should have all its appointments in keeping with its appearance, and if a proper appropriation is made, Kentucky will have a statehouse that will be a matter of state pride. If the penurious ones get in their work, everybody will be disgusted with it and in a short time all the cheap furniture will be thrown out or worn out and another appropriation will be necessary, which means that the first inadequate appropriation will be an absolute loss.

The cheese-parers and record-makers are afraid to vote their sentiments on any of the education appropriation bills because the cause of education is so popular now in Kentucky that it may mean political suicide to anyone who dares to oppose any bill that stands for educational progress. This was demonstrated in the house last week when the bill appropriating \$500,000 to the state college and the two state normal schools came up for discussion and passage. The bill gives \$150,000 to each of the normal schools and \$200,000 to the state college, one-third to be paid this year, one-third next year and the other third in 1910. The cheese-parers all expressed themselves as being in favor of the bill, but they urged that the amounts appropriated were too large. This argument reduced to its final absurdity would be the same as asking the legislature to meet in a tent without a stove in zero weather. The c. p. s., however, were not in the majority and the bill passed by a vote of 69 to 17, and will probably pass the senate almost unanimously. All of which goes to show that the record-maker and alleged economist, who wants to give you a mosquito-bar overcoat when a chinchilla would hardly keep you warm, does not always succeed.

There is a bitter war on between two factions of the Kentucky Dairy-men's association, and it looks like two associations will be the result. It all comes about over the bill in the legislature providing for a rigid inspection of all cows and the killing of all those found to be infected with tuberculosis. The annual meeting of the association was held here last week, and after a spirited argument over the propriety of passing the bill, the meeting split up like a political convention and one faction left the building with the avowed intention of forming a new association. Some of the dairymen say that every herd of cows in the state has more or less tuberculosis in it and that such has been the case from time immemorial, and that if the proposed law passes, nearly every herd of dairy cows in the state will have to be slaughtered when there is no real reason for it.

Senator Burnam of Madison county has introduced a bill that is intended to reach the unlawful acts committed by the "night riders." The bill provides that where two or more persons conspire together to commit some unlawful act and do commit said act, the circuit judge, attorney general or the commonwealth's attorney may have a change of venue to another county to have the unlawful acts investigated by the grand jury of that county, and if the grand jury of that county indicts anyone they shall be tried in that county and not in the county where the act was committed. It is claimed that this is the only method by which a fair and impartial investigation of the acts of the "night riders" can be secured, as the grand juries and petit juries in the county where the acts are committed are said to contain members of the "night riders" association.

Every day of the session brings fresh evidence that the senatorial race and the county unit local option bill are so closely interwoven that they cannot be separated. The two candidates for United States senator have gone into print on the situation, Beckham proposing that the senatorial race be postponed till the county unit bill is disposed of, and Bradley charging that Beckham's proposal is only a grand stand play. Meantime there is a persistent rumor that if the legislature fails to pass the county unit bill, Governor William will at once call an extra session and demand that the bill be passed. It has been rumored for several days that the governor is preparing a surprise for the legislature, and it is now claimed that the surprise will be the call of an extra session or else a message stating that unless the bill is passed an extra session will be called. All of this may, however, be but the idle talk that always comes at the end of nearly every legislative session if some important bill fails to get through. JOHN H. STUART.

### Burned to Death.

Mrs. Rachel Catherine Howerton, the aged mother of R. L. Howerton, was burned to death at his home near Repton last week. She was eighty-four years of age and had been partially paralyzed for eight years. Until four months ago she could speak, but at that time she was paralyzed in her speech also.

She was alone when she caught fire and no one knows just how it happened. She lingered only a day after the accident.

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