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The Fiscal Court of Crittenden County has appointed, under the provisions of an Act of the General Assembly of Kentucky at its last session, the following named as commissioners, viz: W. B. Yandell, Forest Harris, O. S. Denny, Clarence Grady, G. T. Belt, E. L. Nunn, C. H. McConnell and W. E. Asbridge; said commissioners in the matter of the issue and sale of said bonds, and the expenditure of the proceeds thereof, to have the powers of, and to act in the place of the Fiscal Court.

REMEMBER the day, Remember the question. Vote at your regular voting precinct.

D. E. GILLILAND,  
Sheriff of Crittenden Co.

Order calling for an election in Crittenden County, Kentucky, on the question of issuing bonds for the purpose of building and re-constructing roads and bridges.

CRITTENDEN COUNTY COURT.  
Regular Term, April 10th, 1916.  
Hon. John G. Asher, P. J. C. C.  
WHEREAS, on the 13th, day of March, 1916, a petition was lodged and filed with this court, as appears of record on the Order Book thereof, and

WHEREAS said petition asks that this Court call an election to be held in Crittenden County, on Saturday, the 27th, day of May, 1916, for the purpose of testing the sense of the voters of Crittenden County as to whether, or not, the Fiscal Court of said county shall have power and authority to issue and sell bonds from time to time in sums not to exceed One Hundred and Eighty-five Thousand (\$185,000.00) Dollars in the aggregate for the purpose of building, constructing and re-constructing public roads and bridges in Crittenden County, and

WHEREAS said petition was ordered to lie over until this date for action of this Court, and

WHEREAS the Court finds that the value of the taxable property of Crittenden County, including railroad, according to the last assessment roll, is \$3,783,537.00, and, from proof heard the Court finds that to be a fair

valuation of said property, and that 5% thereof will exceed the sum of the proposed One Hundred and Eighty-five Thousand Dollar (\$185,000.00) bond issue, and

WHEREAS, the said petition having been examined by the Court, the Court finds and adjudges that it is in proper form and, from his own knowledge and from proof heard, the Court finds and adjudges that same is signed by 187 legal voters, who are freeholders and residents of Crittenden County.

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## NOTICE TO FERTILIZER USERS.

In order to co-operate with our farmers and by request of our County Agent, Mr. J. Robert Bird, we will again act as agent for the purchases of Fertilizer for them this season.

Terms will be strictly cash, as our commission will be too small to admit of time prices.

We will pay for the fertilizer when it arrives and the purchaser pay us for same when loaded on his wagon.

By this arrangement the farmer will get his fertilizer practically at wholesale price, and a considerable saving to him.

MARION MILLING COMPANY,  
Incorporated.

Marion,

Kentucky.

"Are you in favor of issuing One Hundred and Eighty-five Thousand Dollars (\$185,000.00) in bonds for the purpose of building roads and bridges in Crittenden County, Kentucky?" as is provided in the General Election laws, Section 1459, Kentucky Statutes.

The sheriff of Crittenden County is ordered to have the polls open at all of the voting places and precincts of Crittenden County, on the 27th, day of May, 1916, for the purpose of holding said election.

It furthermore appearing that the Fiscal Court of Crittenden County has heretofore appointed, under the provisions of an Act of the General Assembly of Kentucky at its last session, the following named as commissioners, viz: W. B. Yandell, Forest Harris, O. S. Denny, Clarence Grady, G. T. Belt, E. L. Nunn, C. H. McConnell and W. E. Asbridge said commissioners in the matter of the issue and sale of said bonds and the expenditure of the proceeds thereof to have the powers of, and to act in the place of the Fiscal Court. It is therefore so ordered, and the sheriff is directed to incorporate the names of said commissioners, and the purpose of their appointment in the advertisement which he will make of said election.

This cause is now continued.

JOHN G. ASHER,

County Judge Crittenden County.

A Copy-Attest:

L. E. GUESS, CLERK  
Crittenden County Court.

This is the official advertisement of the special election on road bonds.

D. E. GILLILAND, SHERIFF  
Crittenden County.



## From Spinning Wheels to Motor Cars

Side by side with the first advertisement of the Hartford Fire Insurance Company, printed in 1810, a Hartford shop-keeper announced that he "made and repaired all kinds of spinning wheels." He would look in vain in this newspaper for advertisements of spinning wheels. But one familiar friend he would find—the announcement of "the old Hartford and its agent," as ready today to give protection from all the risks of a motor car as it was to insure a spinning wheel in 1810. If your property will burn, you can insure it in the Hartford.

GEORGE H. NUNN  
LOCAL AGENT,  
MARION, KENTUCKY.

## CHAPEL HILL

(delayed from last week.)

Some corn planted in this section. Tobacco plants are scarce, and there will not be more than half a crop put out this year.

Mrs. Nina Williams, of Levas, is visiting her nephew, H. S. Hill, of this neighborhood.

Albert Walker had a fine young mule colt to let Saturday night.

J. C. Adams is over between the rivers visiting his aunt, Mrs. Frank Cruce. Scott Paris was through this precinct delivering strawberry plants. Mr. Paris makes a good agent.

Miss Vida Bigham, of Crayne, spent one day last week with her grandfather, W. H. Bigham, of near Chapel Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Hill and Mrs. Nina Williams were the guests of T. M. Hill and family Sunday.

W. P. Loyd and wife, Ina, Marion and Howard Minner, Iva and Vida Bigham took a trip to the Cumberland river Friday. They took their dinner and spent the day and reported a nice time.

James A. Hill is on the sick list.

The boys are hustling around getting their tobacco off. Some of the boys had not stripped any tobacco, but they will get through stripping and hauling off. The boys say they liked to have had none to haul off.

## "Spick & Span"

Finish your floors with Hanna's Lustr-o-Finish and they will look spick and span under the hardest wear. It stains and varnishes at one application. You can buy

## Hanna's Lustr-o-Finish

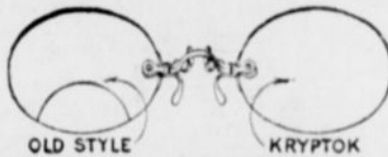
in any wood color to match your woodwork. It will dry with a tough elastic coating that will not show heel marks. Also fine for furniture, stair treads, window sills and all woodwork.

Will Not Fade

In all Wood Colors

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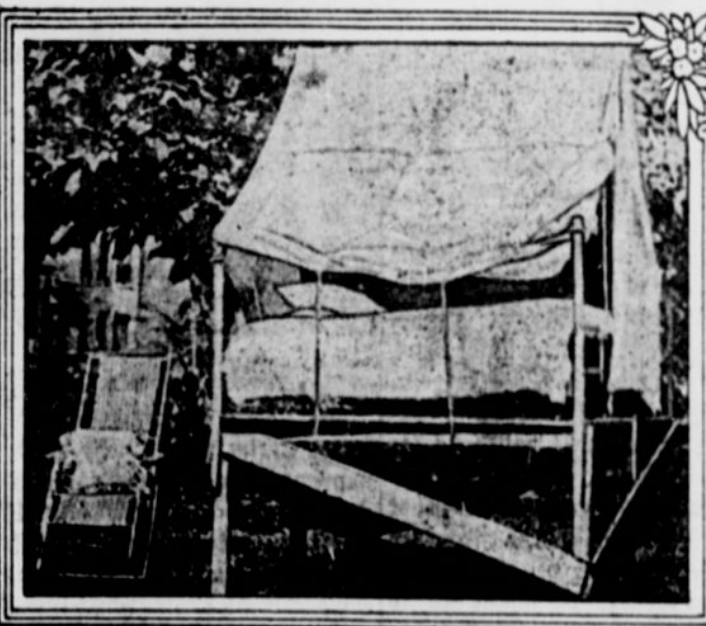
## Dr. J. R. GILCHRIST



## OPHTHALMOLOGIST

Is ready to relieve you of that headache, dizziness, nervousness, granulated sore and smarting condition and all discomforts caused by eye strain; also your eyes straightened without pain or operation; your lenses duplicated and old frames refilled. In office every day. Press Bldg., Marion, Ky.

## ALMOST ANY CONSUMPTIVE MIGHT HAVE THIS



POSTS support a framework on which a floor has been built. Above this is a tent. A mosquito netting surrounds the sides. Inside, this room is large enough for a bed and a chair. This can be used in any except the severest winter weather. A double canvas top with eight inches space between will make it cooler in summer than the single tent. Any practical builder can erect this cheaply.

## Big Day in Tobacco Circles.

Clarksville, Tenn., May 16.—This has been a big day in tobacco circles, nearly 100,000 pounds of loose tobacco being sold. Lugs sold for \$4.10 to \$6.20, and leaf from \$6 to \$11. The buyers were on hand early and only one lot of tobacco was rejected. Deliveries were again heavy today, and the loose-floor houses showed a busy appearance. The prizing houses had sales today at fair prices.

## ELECTRIC HEATING DEVICES.

THE perfection of the American Beauty Rose is expressed in the high quality of the "American Beauty" Electric Heating Devices, in so far as man can approach Nature's perfect work-

manship.

The Devices of the "American" Brand can be attached to the ordinary electric lamp socket and are instantly ready to give service. They make many household duties pleasant, easy and inexpensive.

Insist on getting "American" Electric Heating Devices, and you will be sure of the most complete and satisfactory service.

Write us for catalog and price list. Sent free on request.

THE JAMES CLARK JR.,  
ELECTRIC COMPANY,  
Louisville, — — — — — Ken tucky

Cures Old Sores, Other Remedies Won't Cure. The worst cases, no matter how long standing, are cured by the wonderful, old reliable Dr. Porter's Antiseptic Healing Oil. It relieves Pain and Heals at the same time. 25c. 50c. \$1.00

## STEPHENS BILL PROTECTS PUBLIC

Aimed at Dishonest Advertising and False Pretenses.

TO AID HONEST BUSINESS.

Measure Will Prevent Injury to Smaller Cities and Towns From Cutthroat Monopolistic Methods of Mail Order Houses and Big City Stores—Will Insure Uniform Prices and High Quality.

By W. BOB HOLLAND.

"A bill to protect the public against dishonest advertising and false pretenses in advertising."

This is the comprehensive title of a measure introduced in the present congress by Representative Dan V. Stephens of Nebraska. A similar bill has been introduced in the senate by Senator Ashurst of Arizona. No one can find fault with legislation that will achieve the objects stated in the title of the Stephens-Ashurst bill. The public certainly needs protection "against dishonest advertising and false pretenses in merchandising."

The bill now under consideration is the successor of the Stevens bill, a measure introduced in the last congress by Representative Stevens of New Hampshire. It was widely discussed and died in committee after several public hearings, at which its merits and demerits were considered. The Stephens bill embodies the changes that seemed advisable after these hearings and discussions, and it is believed that in its present form it safeguards the producer, the merchant and the consumer.

For many years the right of a producer to contract with merchants for the resale of his products at standard, uniform prices was generally recognized and its legality was not questioned. Then the supreme court of the United States held that such a contract was "in restraint of trade" and "against public policy." The court divided on the question, 5 to 4, and the majority found no specific law forbidding the practice that had long been common, but held that congress had intended the Sherman law to prohibit such business methods.

Agency System is Legal. This court made law upon long established custom, but it does not prevent the end sought from being reached by other means. Producers who wish to have no discrimination shown to favored individuals can insure uniform prices for their goods by establishing branch establishments or by appointing agents. This is the method followed by manufacturers of automobiles. Bakers who sell their products within a restricted area can also regulate their prices by making grocers their agents and thereby retaining title to their bread and rolls until they reach the consumer.

Producers of other articles, goods sold in small quantities and which must depend on established merchants for their distribution, are denied the right that men in other lines have. The Stephens-Ashurst bill is designed to restore to these producers a protection they had before it was taken away from them by the supreme court.

Cut rate department stores, so called "chain" drug and grocery stores in the large cities, and mail order houses use cut prices on standard, well known articles to draw trade away from small stores and small towns. The loss they may suffer on these standard articles is more than made up by the high profits on anonymous goods or goods put up under their own brands. In this way the producer is injured because the reputation of his product is ruined; the retail merchant is damaged because he cannot afford to advertise widely a special bargain "bait" to attract customers to whom other goods may be sold at a profit; the consumer is damaged because producers are not encouraged to maintain quality and because inferior articles are substituted.

Ample Protection Afforded.

The Stephens-Ashurst bill is not compulsory. To take advantage of its provisions the producer must register his trademark or special brand with the bureau of corporations in Washington and must pay a fee of \$10. He must not have a monopoly of articles belonging to the same general class of merchandise, and he must not agree with any competitor to control prices.

The producer must also file a schedule giving the prices at which his listed article is sold to wholesalers, to retailers and to the consumer. This schedule of prices becomes a public document. The prices scheduled must be uniform to buyers under similar circumstances. This permits reduction in prices for quantity purchases and allowances to equalize freight rates.

A merchant who decides to quit business, who wishes to discontinue any line of listed goods or who becomes bankrupt must first offer such listed articles to the manufacturers for redemption at the full price paid. Should the manufacturers neglect or refuse to redeem the goods then the dealer can sell them at any price he desires or can get. Damaged goods must also be offered for exchange or redemption, and if later offered for sale at reduced prices the reason for the reduction must be made known to purchasers. There is also a clause permitting seasonable sales.



## Notice Taxes Due.

The taxes for the Marion Graded School for 1916 are now due. After the first of June the penalty of 5 per cent. will be added. I will be found at my office in the Courthouse yard at all reasonable hours, ready and willing to receipt you for same.

J. G. Rochester, Collector.

## PURE BLOOD.

Your blood is the canal of life but it becomes a sewer if clogged up. All life consists of building up and tearing down and just in the same manner that the blood carries to the various parts of the body the food that the cells need for building up, so it is compelled to carry away the waste material that is torn down. These waste materials are poisonous and destroy unless the liver and kidneys are stimulated into refreshed and vigorous life.

Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery is the balancing power—a vitalizing power. It acts on the stomach and organs of digestion and nutrition—on the purifying filters which cleanse the blood. Thus fresh vitalized blood feeds the nerves, heart and brain. This well-known alternative relieves catarrh of the stomach and headaches accompanying same, and has been successful for more than a generation as a tonic and body-builder. It builds up the run-down system. You need it—if you are always "catching cold"—or have catarrh of the nose and throat. If you have a bad cough, bronchial, nasal or other catarrh, untended nerves or unsightly skin, get Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery today. The active medicinal principles of American native roots are extracted by using glycerine (without alcohol) and you can obtain this tonic in liquid or tablet form at any drug store or send Dr. Pierce 50 cents in one-cent stamps for trial box of tablets.

Send three dimes, or stamps, to pay cost of wrapping and mailing a free copy of the "Common Sense Medical Adviser," by Dr. R. V. Pierce, cloth bound, 1008 pages. Address Dr. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y.

## KENTUCKY TESTIMONY.

Newport, Ky.—"When I was much troubled with biliousness, indigestion and constipation I used Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets. They were advertised in our paper. I tried them and they were so good I used them for some months. They are perfectly satisfactory. I do not hesitate to recommend them."—Miss DAVID POPE, 221 4th St.

## SEVEN SPRINGS

(delayed from last week.)

John Patton and son, Burnie, of Mexico, visited relatives here Sunday.

Madison Armstrong has been quite sick the past week.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Shade Holder, May the 5th, a fine boy.

Owen Boaz, of Dycusburg, was in this neighborhood Thursday.

M. L. Patton, Billie Campbell and Riley Brasher were in Marion Saturday.

Phil Travis, of Emmaus, was in this vicinity Monday.

Rev. J. C. Kinsolving, of Emmaus, passed through this section Saturday.

Joe Bell and Dewey Grimes were the guests of Silas Manus and family Saturday night.

Collin and Carlton Patton visited Ed Perkins and family of near Frances Thursday.

Elbert Cook, wife and baby have been the guests of relatives in this vicinity the past week.

Jim Patton and family, of Caldwell Springs, were the guests of L. K. McClure and family Sunday.

Rev. Willie Crouch, of Tiline, was in this vicinity Sunday morning en route to Emmaus to fill his appointment there.

Spring is here with a fine green coat and fragrant flowers blooming everywhere, reminding us all of a higher and supreme being.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Eaton, of Dycusburg, have moved into our vicinity. We welcome them into our midst.

## Rheumatic Pain Stopped

The drawing of muscles, the soreness, stiffness and agonizing pain of Rheumatism quickly yield to Sloan's Liniment. It stimulates circulation to the painful part. Just apply as directed to the sore spots. In a short time the pain gives way to a tingling sensation of comfort and warmth. Here's proof—"I have had wonderful relief since I used your Liniment on my knee. To think one application gave me relief. Sorry I haven't space to tell you the history. Thanking you for what your remedy has done for me."—James S. Ferguson, Philada, Pa. Sloan's Liniment kills pain. 25c at Druggists. 3

## CLUBBING OFFER.

The Crittenden Record-Press, your home paper, weekly, one year; The Inland Farmer, weekly, one year; and the Evansville Daily Courier, till Oct. 1st, 1916, four and a half months \$2.00 for all three.

Phone, S. M. JENKINS.

Drives Out Malaria, Builds Up System The Old Standard general strengthening tonic, GROVE'S TASTELESS CHILL TONIC, drives out Malaria, enriches the blood, and builds up the system. A true tonic. For adults and children. 50c.

## Keep your Skin Clear And Healthy

There is only one way to have a clear, healthy complexion and that is to keep the bowels active and regular. Dr. King's New Life Pills will make your complexion healthy and clear, move the bowels gently, stimulate the liver, cleanse the system and purify the blood. A splendid spring medicine. 25c. at your Druggist.

## Norway Protests Seizure of Mail.

Christiana, May 15 (via London).—Norway formally notified the British and French governments today that she cannot admit the correctness of their interpretation of The Hague 1907 convention regarding the seizure of neutral mails at sea. The Norwegian Government has lodged a formal complaint at London and Paris stating that the action of the allied Governments in seizing Norwegian mails is against the interests of neutral nations.

## The Strong Withstand the Heat of Summer Better Than the Weak

Old people who are feeble, and younger people who are weak, will be strengthened and enabled to go through the depressing heat of summer by taking regularly Grove's Tasteless Chill Tonic. It purifies and enriches the blood and builds up the whole system. 50c.

## BLACKFORD

Delayed from last week.

The beautiful month of May is now here and the verdancy of the woods is luxuriant. The season for the grasshopper, lizard and snake is now dawning and the doleful note of the whippoorwill may be heard at even-tide.

Mrs. Bertha E. McNeely, of Princeton, was at Blackford during last week looking after some business affairs.

Miss Dixie Carnahan, of near Shady Grove, spent last week at Blackford visiting her grandfather, Darius B. Carnahan.

Astor Stone and sister, Ella, after spending a number of days with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. John A. Crowell, have returned to their home at Littleton, Ind.

James W. Franklin, of St. Louis, who was called here owing to the illness of his father, Dr. Ben Franklin, returned home last Friday.

Mrs. Vidye Van Allen, who spent a short time here owing to the illness and death of her mother, Mrs. Pernecia Vaughn, has returned to Fort Worth, Texas.

J. L. Chandler and wife, of Cave Springs; J. W. Edwards and wife, of Deanwood; and W. M. Babb and wife, of Piney, were over here shopping last week.

Albert E. Orr, of Providence, was here last Saturday enroute from Marion.

Abraham J. Vaughn, who recently lost his wife, has gone to Evansville to spend awhile with his sons, Curtis and Guy Vaughn, who reside at that place.

C. E. Weldon, of Paducah, was among the Blackforders recently.

An election of school trustees was held at the school building on last Saturday. It was necessary to elect two and the following gentlemen were chosen as trustees: Clarence L. Ringo and Hugh T. Reynolds.

It seems that a considerable turmoil exists among the hills and dales of old Crittenden, owing to the Road Bond question which is being "cussed" and discussed by the inhabitants thereof. Our habitation being on the Webster side of Tradewater river and desiring to be conservative and fair in all controversies, we shall say this much: Taxation without due remuneration is equivalent to "charity," a multitude of sins. The problem which confronts the citizens of Crittenden county is a very grave one and should be duly considered by each voter before he casts his ballot on May 27, 1916.—Puella.

## Silver of Quality

Rely on your own judgment as to pattern, but remember durability is the most important feature.

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is the name stamped on the back of spoons, forks and fancy serving pieces in silver plate of proven quality—

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Wide latitude for choice is offered in the many exquisite designs.

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## SUDAN REVOLT REPORTED FROM CONSTANTINOPLE

## Native Troops With 8,000 Camels Marching Against Fleeing British.

Berlin, May 15 (by wireless to Sayville).—An uprising against the British in the Sudan is reported in dispatches from Constantinople to the Overseas News Agency today. Ali Dinar, the Iman of Darfour, with a force of troops and 8,000 camels, is said to be marching against the British forces in Northern Sudan. The British, according to the advices, are retiring hastily toward the Nile.

The Constantinople reports state that Ali Dinar has proclaimed a holy war against the British, and that he intends to co-operate with the Senussi tribesmen in their operations against the British forces.

## Hostilities Brought To End At Santo Domingo.

Santo Domingo, Dominican Republic, May 15.—The hostilities which broke out yesterday, the outgrowth of the attempt to overthrow the Administration of President Jimenes resulting in several persons being killed or wounded, were suspended today. Members of the diplomatic corps are endeavoring to effect an amicable solution of the troubles here. The republic outside is quiet.

A warning from William M. Russell, the American minister, that armed intervention would result within seventy-two hours unless hostilities between the opposing Dominican factions ceased, caused a meeting of the municipality and the appointment of a commission to endeavor to persuade President Jimenes and Gen. Arias to arrange their difficulties.

## SINCE TAKING PERUNA

I can say my bowels are much more regular.

My heart is stronger.

My appetite is much better.

My throat is much better.



Mrs. William H. Hinchliffe, 20 Myrtle St., Beverly, Mass., writes: "I have taken four bottles of Peruna, and I can say that it has done me a great deal of good for catarrh of the head and throat. I recommend Peruna to all sufferers with catarrh. I do not think I ever felt much better. I am really surprised at the work I can do. I do not think too much praise can be said for Peruna."

Those who object to fluid medicines can now procure Peruna Tablets.

## Difference Between Amusing and Convincing

By HERBERT KAUFMAN

Author of "Do Something! Be Something!"

AN ADVERTISER must realize that there is a vast difference between amusing people and convincing them. It does not pay to be "smart" at the line rate of the average first-class paper. I suppose that I could draw the attention of everybody on the street by painting half of my face red and donning a suit of motley. I might have a sincere purpose in wishing to attract the crowd, but I would be deluding myself if I mistook the nature of their attention.

The new advertiser is especially prone to misjudge between amusing and convincing copy. A humorous picture may catch the eye of every reader, but it won't pay as well as an illustration of some piece of merchandise which will strike the eye of every buyer. Merchants secure varying results from the same advertising space. The publisher delivers to each the same quality of readers, but the advertiser who plants flippancy in the minds of the community won't attain the benefit that is secured by the merchant who imprints clinching arguments there.

Always remember that the advertising sections of newspapers are no different than farming lands. And it is as preposterous to hold the publisher responsible for the outcome of unintelligent copy as it would be unjust to blame the soil for bad seed and poor culture. Every advertiser gets exactly the same number of readers from a publisher and the same readers—after that it's up to him—the results fluctuate in accordance with the intelligence and the pulling power of the copy which is inserted.

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## AERIAL BOMBS EXCHANGED BY ITALY AND AUSTRIA

Albanian Seaport of Durrazzo Shellied By Hydroplanes, Says Rome Report.

Rome, May 16. (via Paris, 5:12 p. m.).—Four Italian hydro-aero planes yesterday effectively bombarded the Albanian seaport of Durrazzo, says an official statement issued here today. All the machines returned to their base unharmed.

## Road Bonds At Premium.

Ballard county's \$300,000 4 1/2 per cent. road bonds were sold last week, bringing a bonus of \$3,841. The purchasers were the Fifth-Third National Bank, and Breed, Elliott & Harrison, both of Cincinnati, Ohio.

All Kentucky county road bonds seem to be selling at fancy premiums. Thus we may reasonably expect Powell county bonds to yield no less than \$6,000 premium, and they will do so if the bidders figure their interest rate as low as they did in the Ballard county bond purchase.—Better Farms and Roads.

## ROSEWOOD CAMP

NUMBER 22

WOODMEN OF THE WORLD

Meet in regular session on the 2nd and 4th Monday Evenings in each month At seven o'clock.

S. H. RAMAGE, Clerk.

## ACTS OF GENERAL ASSEMBLY

Commonwealth of Kentucky, Chapter 87.

AN ACT to create and establish a system of public State roads and to provide for the construction and maintenance thereof.

Sec. 4. The State road taxes on all real, personal, franchises, and all intangible property not exempt from taxation, shall be for the year 1916 and every year thereafter, five cents on every one-hundred dollars valuation thereof.

Sec. 5. The money hereby set apart in the State Treasury to the credit of the State road fund shall be apportioned among the several counties applying for State-aid in the manner herein-after provided, and the amount so proportioned shall be based upon the amount of taxes levied and collected therein for the building, and reconstruction of public roads, and including the taxes collected from year to year to pay on or create a sinking fund for any bonded indebtedness, which may hereafter be created by any county to construct or reconstruct public roads, until such county shall have received from the State road fund an amount equal to one-half of the moneys appropriated for building roads by said county, whether the sum thus appropriated be from the sale of bonds or from direct taxation.

Provided, that said sum shall be expended in constructing or reconstructing public roads under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Roads.

It is further provided that any county voting bonds and expending the proceeds of same in building public roads under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Roads may, in case the amount thus expended exceeds the proportional amount, said county may be able to secure from the State road fund, then in that event, said county shall be entitled to receive from the State road fund in subsequent years such further amounts as will make the total amount received from said fund equal to one-half the moneys expended by said county under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Roads. Provided that the said county shall expend said funds thus secured in construction or reconstructing public roads. Provided, further, that no one county shall receive in any one year more than two per cent of the amount collected for State road fund. The amount of taxes upon which this apportionment is based shall include all district and county road taxes and any tolls levied and collected for the construction or reconstruction of any hard surfaced roads in the Counties applying for State-aid. Any balance remaining in the State road fund after one year's apportionment shall be retained and included in the next year's apportionment.

Sec. 6. If any county shall not avail itself of the aid from the State apportionment under the provisions of this Act, then and in that case the amount so apportioned shall remain in the Treasury of the State to the credit of the State road fund to be again apportioned among the counties of the State at the next annual apportionment.

There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and until the last few years was supposed to be incurable. For a great many years doctors pronounced it a local disease and prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Science has proven Catarrh to be a constitutional disease, and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is the only Constitutional cure on the market. It is taken internally. It acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. They offer one hundred dollars for any case it fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials.

Address: F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. Sold by Druggists. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

No single factor plays such an important part in the social and business life of a community as the quality of its roads.

## IN MEMORIAM.

Died at his home near Repton, Ky., March 17th, 1916, in his fifteenth year, Little Joe Thurman, son of Mrs. Carrie Thurman. He was sick only a few days with acute hepatitis, he suffered so much but alas! All that loving hands or doctors could do, was done, but to no avail; every wish was gratified and when he fell a sleep in Jesus, "blessed sleep from which none ever wake to weep." He was laid to rest in the Repton cemetery amid a profusion of floral offerings. The funeral service was held in the Baptist church by Bro. Newman, of Marion. He leaves a mother, grandfather, three brothers, one sister and host of friends and relatives to mourn his loss.

A beautiful flower is plucked in his boyhood; God's will be done. It was hard to give him up but God knew best. He is standing on yonder bright shore, waiting to welcome us home.

Weep not dear mother for his sufferings are over. He cannot come back to us but what a consolation we can go to him. Oh! It is sad to live here without him. There is a vacant chair which never can be filled, but we know he is safe in the eternal home with God and His angels, where there is no sickness or death.

Joe is sleeping, calmly sleeping In a new made grave, today. While we are weeping sadly weeping For the dear one gone away.

He is singing, sweetly singing In the paradise above, Where celestial courts are ringing, With the melody of love.

Joe is blooming, brightly blooming, Mid the fairest flowers of light In the garden of sweet Eden, Where the flowers never blight.

Joe is waiting, ever waiting For the friends he loved the best, He will gladly hale their coming, To the mansions of the blest.

One by one the Lord will call us, As our labor here is done, And then as we cross the river, He will meet us one by one.

Father and brother gone to that chime, Wait for the others, coming some time; Safe with the angels white as the snow, Watching for dear ones waiting below.

Darling brother light of the home, Looking for someone becking come; Bright as the sunbeam pure as the dew, Anxiously looking, mother, for you.

From a school mate, —LOLA DUNNING—

## OLDER BUT STRONGER

To be healthy at seventy, prepare at forty, is sound advice, because in the strength of middle life we too often forget that neglected colds, or careless treatment of slight aches and pains, simply undermine strength and bring chronic weakness for later years.

To be stronger when older, keep your blood pure and rich and active with the strength-building and blood-nourishing properties of Scott's Emulsion which is a food, a tonic and a medicine to keep your blood rich, alleviate rheumatism and avoid sickness. No alcohol in Scott's.

Scott & Bowne, Bloomfield, N. J.

## SALEM

(delayed from last week.)

Master Norburn Allen Farris, of Paducah, is the delightful guest of J. O. Gray and family.

Hon. J. R. Summers has a business position with a company of Marion, Ill., and is located there at present.

The Methodist meeting closed Thursday. Eld. Hummel, of Morganfield, did the preaching to the delight and profit of all that heard him.

Rev. Sidney Moore, of Smithland, visited his mother and brother here last week and attended the meeting.

Robt. Ryan, under the care of Dr. Waddell, was taken to Paducah for an operation for appendicitis Friday. He was getting along fairly well Sunday.

J. O. Pierce is suffering with a broken arm. While setting a heavy post it fell with him, breaking his left arm.

Hon. Isaac Linley returned to his office in Smithland Sunday, having visited his family here several days.

Aubry Cochran has moved to Salem and is running an automobile.

Dr. Wallace Martin and family, of Oklahoma are visiting his parents and friends in the Pinckneyville section.

Miss Josephine Tynor, of Truman Ark., is spending her vacation with her parents and friends here.

## LARRIPIN SPRING

(delayed from last week.)

House cleaning is the order of the day with the ladies in this neighborhood at present.

G. C. Stone and wife were the guests of Ike Stone and family Sunday.

G. L. Lott was in Marion Monday.

Misses Ialeen Furgerson and Pearl Griffith attended Sunday school at Seven Springs Sunday.

Mrs. Sallie Duval was the guest of Mrs. Jessie Stone Tuesday.—Lily Of The Valley.



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Come and Get  
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Editor and Publisher

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#### SUBSCRIPTION RATES

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"And an highway shall be there and a way."--Old Testament.

"And Achish said whither have ye made a road today?"--Old Testament.

Go through, go through the gates; prepare ye way of the people; cast up, cast up the highway; gather out the stones; lift up a standard for the people."--Old Testament.

A writer to the Record Press last week in opposition to good roads, advised the people to wait about voting bonds until it could be seen whether we would get Federal aid; leaving the inference that he would favor the bond issue in that event. Now, that the people have waited and Congress has passed the law for Federal aid, all opposition should cease, and it is presumed that the writer of the article referred to will now favor the proposition.

Under the Constitution of Kentucky, the only tax the county is permitted to levy for all purposes is \$1.50 poll and 50 cents for general purposes, including roads, and 20 cents a special tax for road improvement where a bonded indebtedness has been incurred to build said roads. This is the limit of taxation which the Constitution permits. The only way this could be increased or the only way that this could be changed, would be by a two-thirds vote of a Constitutional Convention.

The people of Crittenden county already pay \$1.50 poll and 50

cents for general purposes; so, in no event, can there be an increase of the taxes in this county exceeding 20 cents on the \$100.00.

It is, therefore, plain that there is no basis in the argument of those interested to frighten people when they say that an additional poll tax may be levied, or an additional property tax increased even more than 20 cents on the \$100.00. No other poll tax can be levied and no other property tax can be added.

But some are saying that "we have no assurance as to the amount the State will refund, and that it may not be enough to pay one-half of the principal and interest on bonded debt, as it matures, and that, therefore, there is a possibility of Crittenden county failing to pay it; since, as the argument, a 20 cent tax on present property values is hardly sufficient to pay interest." As a matter of fact, last year, this county's share of the State apportionment would have been something like \$20,000.00; since something like fifty counties were receiving State aid. This year, on the basis of the distribution of 103 counties which have applied for State aid, Crittenden county's quota would be approximately \$10,000.00, assuming that the road fund is not increasing over last year, but in truth it has increased and will increase each year.

The danger that the opponents of good roads threaten us with, are, therefore, purely imaginary. But even if these dangers were real, it would present a question about which bond holders might worry; not us,--a trouble which the Legislature of Kentucky would need to, and, indeed, would remedy.

There is no limit on the amount of property tax the State can levy. The State of Kentucky, by law, has proposed a contract to every county in the State whereby the State puts up \$1.00 for \$1.00 with the counties. Every county that accepts this proposition, has for that time a binding and subsisting contract with the State until the whole indebtedness is paid by the State paying one-half of it. But the State, by the very law which proposes and completes this contract, places two limitations on the counties. The first is that the whole indebtedness must not exceed 5 per cent of the county's taxable values; and, the second is that the counties can, in no event, levy or increase the tax

for this purpose more than 20 cents on the \$100.00. If the counties keep within these limits, and comply with their part of the contract, then, in conjunction with the State aid, the debt can be surely and easily paid.

If, as the enemies of the proposition say, the State will be unable to pay its part, then the remedy, as we have already indicated, is with the Legislature, and not with the voters of the county. The bondholders have no recourse on the county in excess of limits already referred to. Can there be any doubt about the remedy which the Legislature will propose? Already 103 counties of Kentucky have obligated themselves in order to receive State aid for road purposes. This obligation was assumed by the counties on faith of the State's offer to extend aid. The Representatives and Senators from these 103 counties will be a large majority of the next and all succeeding sessions of the Assembly. Should, perchance, the funds in the State Road Department not be sufficient to make good the States contract, whereby it is able to pay one-half of the road indebtedness of the several counties, a bill will then surely be introduced in the Legislature to provide adequate funds by increasing the State property tax. Does any one doubt how the members from the counties referred to, will vote? Will not each of them feel that the State should raise the money throughout its bounds in order to relieve an embarrassment in his own county and save the faith and credit of the State? Does any one imagine that the failure of Crittenden county, to assume an obligation under the same circumstances, for its own benefit, would, in the slightest, affect these Legislators from other counties, when they go to vote on a question of relief for their own counties?

When this question is looked squarely in the face, it will be seen, in the first place, that the threatened danger is not real; and, in the next place, the remedy is sure and certain.

If we fail to vote this bond issue, the remedy (for other counties) will be largely at our expense.

#### Notice

The license tax on all male dogs over three months old

is \$1.00 each; on all female dogs \$2.00 each that are kept within the City limits. This tax is now due and must be paid at once, I am prepared to receipt you and give you a tag with number to be placed on the collar on your dog. The ordinance provides that all dogs that a license tax is not paid on must be killed by the City Marshal. I don't want to kill your dog, so it's up to you to pay the tax and keep your dog or refuse to pay it and have him killed. This means all who own dogs within the City limits. May 12th, 1916.

G. E. BOSTON,  
City Marshal.

#### Interesting Article On Good Roads. (Concluded from first page.)

apportioned among those counties that will place themselves in position to receive State aid. We will have to contribute to the State fund for building roads in other counties, and it seems to me that it would be bad business for us to refuse to take advantage of a chance to get more back than we will have to pay out.

Let us all look at it from a business standpoint, and build our roads, enjoy them and let the other counties help us pay for them.

Crittenden county people are as good as any other people, and deserve good roads as much as any other. --W. R. CRUCE.

#### Beautifying The Capital.

Washington is chiefly spoken of as "the parlor of the nation." It has the most extensive park system of any city in the world, and whenever it is attempted to put up any unsightly building within the area that is being improved for public purposes, there is always a large protest. In keeping with the general plan for beautifying Washington is the scheme by which more than fifteen thousand school children have been enlisted as gardeners this spring. A plan of a systematic work was carried out a year ago at which time 170,000 packages of seeds were used by the youngsters. Washington has made wonderful progress in the movement, which may well be extended to every city and village in the country. As a result of co-operation on the part of the

chers, youthful gardeners have been educated to work out their individual problems, and the cultivation of flowers has become a keen rivalry among the children.

#### MORE ABOUT COUNTY FINANCES COUNTY ROAD BONDS

My statement that the county was more than \$30,000.00 in debt, was denied in the last week's issue of the Record-Press, and I was the object of a lot of venom and spleen. Believing that the information upon which I based my statement was correct, and to show you that I am not attempting to "mislead or bluff" any one, I have obtained this information from the County Clerk. We have sold to a New York firm \$22,500.00 of bonds, running from 5 to 20 years, and paying 5 1/2 per cent interest. We have in the two banks of Marion \$8000.00 in county warrants, drawing 6 per cent interest. These bonds and warrants are non-taxable. Figure interest for a year on these amounts, and see if it does not run to over \$30,000.00. That is the way the county debt is "provided" for, at present. There are something over \$5000.00 on hands to care for outstanding warrants and running expenses to July 1st, 1916. If any deception, who is guilty of it?

Although Judge Asher thinks an understanding of the county's financial condition, in connection with the bond issue, is out of place, I think it is entirely proper. Let the tax payers know how conditions are, and then decide for themselves whether they want this enormous bond issue added to what we already owe. It is my understanding that these bonds are non-taxable. While we are working and digging out the interest, the bondholder will not even be paying any tax. We will have a debt of over \$200,000.00 against us, drawing interest and paying no tax. If you like it, vote for it, or stay at home. There is only one way and one time to beat it, that is to vote "NO" Saturday, May 27th.

Remember we can get all the money back we pay into the State road fund without issuing one dollar's worth of bonds or creating a "SINKING FUND." Some people are so anxious for a "SINKING FUND," or more popular speaking a "FUND SINKING." We have a "sink" of that kind in the State now, into which we might drop, if we were so fortunate as to have it,

a fund of from \$3,000,000.00 to \$5,000,000.00, and one in the county into which we could dump eight or ten average-sized Crittenden county farms. Do you want the "SINK" bigger? Vote bonds and, before they are paid the sink will be big enough to hold a good big slice of every farm in the county.

I will say as before, there is no "LAW" extending Federal aid. There is a bill before Congress to that effect, and I have never said there was not. As yet it is not a law. If passed in its present form, it will not pay one single dollar of these bonds, and does not agree to join the State in its present agreement with the counties. It requires the State to put up as much as she gets from the Government, and, no doubt, the State will require the Counties to raise as much as she appropriates to them probably something similar to the present arrangement. As yet "no chick is hatched", not even a "frizzly."

We hear something about the "State having to amend the Road law, so as to raise more revenue to carry out her present agreement with the counties". I am informed by a good lawyer, if the State should do that it would be no trouble to amend the law so the County would raise enough revenue to still get as much from the Road fund as she puts into that fund, thereby losing nothing in that way. No necessity for floating bonds to get back what money we put into the Road fund.

Somewhere or another a "vampirish farmer" saw a very commendable hope, hoping no vampirish farmer" were in Crittenden County. It is to be hoped also, there are no "vampirish officeholders" in Crittenden County.

J. I. CLEMENT.

#### Night Riders Guilty.

Madisonville, Ky., May 10.--W. H. Peterson and Holly Jackson were found guilty in circuit court here today on a charge of being members of a night riders, band which attacked a negro cabin at Carbondale last October, killing a negro boy. They were given from one to two years.

The Advocates For and Against good Roads Have crowded us so with copy, that we have tied up all our body type, and we are compelled to go to press Tuesday afternoon, instead of Wednesday afternoon.





## Yes sir, the New Ones Are Here.

You can get your new straw hat anytime now, as all the new styles are on display at this store.

They're just as cool and comfortable as ever, with a good dash of distinctive style. Sennets, Braids, Leghorns and panamas with plain and fancy bands.

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MARION, KY.



## PERSONALS

Nice wash skirts white and striped effect at 99 cts. white silk blouses 99 cts. Panama hats 99 cts. Clearance sale of all summer goods. Palm Beach suits at close out price. Nice woolen suits full satin lined this spring suits from \$5.99 up. Spring coats at a sale price come early and get choice every one invited to see the bargains at Lottie Tinsley Terrys.

Go to Haynes & Taylors for the best candy in town—Rudolph & Bauer's. Fresh every week. tf

Miss Isabel Guess was hostess to the Wednesday Bridge Club last week.

Money to loan on farms at 7 per cent. Geo. M. Crider.

Miss Mary Moore has typhoid fever at her home west of the Crittenden Spring.

My entire stock of Hats at a sale price. Lottie Tinsley Terry.

Miss Gwendoline Haynes left Monday for a visit in Lexington Ky., and Danville, Ill.

FOR SALE—A guaranteed cure for the Gapes or money refunded. Price .25 and .50cts.

Mrs. W. E. Belt, Marion, Ky. Phone 174.

Misses Virginia Blue and Isabel Guess left Thursday for several weeks visit in Lexington Ky and Falmouth Ky.

"RECEPTION," a coffee of quality, with an aroma all its own. Try it and you will thank us. ASHER & LAMB.

Elbert Thomas returned from Bowling Green last week. He was attending the Western Ky State Normal.

The next chicken feed order you make try our mixed chicken feed, you will get the best. Marion Milling Co. Incorporated.

Mrs. Joe Holt was called from Henshaw, Ky., to East Prairie, Mo., to the bed side of her son Willie Russell who is very low with typhoid fever.

Cleaning, dressing and repairing. Agents for the White Swan Laundry. Best in town. All work called for and delivered. Huffman & Cook. Jenkins Bldg.

Mrs. Harold McDonald of Chicago arrived Friday for a visit to her parents Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Barnett on South Main street.

Remember, May 30th is Decoration Day, and also the election of Directors at Cemetery. Services at 8:30. Be on the ground at that hour. Be ready to pay for the care of your lot if you have not paid before this. You will confer a favor upon the Secretary of the Association if you can pay this before the 30th.

We will bond you. Crider & Woods.

Lal D. Threlkeld, wife and little son of Oklahoma City, Oklahoma spent several days here the guest of his parents Dr. J. D. Threlkeld and wife.

WANTED:—100 bushels yellow corn in shuck, for which will pay in cash 60 cents. Answer. P. O. Box No. 8, Marion, Ky.

Mrs. Sue Dixon who has been quite ill for several days and under the care of a trained nurse, was no better Wednesday at noon.

Do not go to the cemetery and ask for the loan of tools. Our Sexton will be very busy and not at liberty to loan them. Do the proper thing and place your lot under the care of the Committee.

Mrs. T. J. McConnell who has been afflicted with rheumatism for several months is still a great sufferer but has improved slightly her family thinks.

FOR SALE—My house and lot on Gum street, Marion, Ky., in splendid neighborhood. The house has four rooms. Barn and all necessary outbuildings. Lot 80 x 200 feet. For prices and terms, see me. J. Ernest Fox.

J. P. Reed of Kuttawa who has been in the "Riverside Hospital" at Paducah has been taken home, as he is somewhat improved, altho still quite weak.

Marion Milling Cos. mixed chicken feed is clean, pure and whole. Some. A trial order will convince you of its merits.

Judge J. M. Davis is very happy this week. Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Threlkeld, of Oklahoma City, Okla., are visiting him with their fine boy baby.—Smithland Enterprise, of May 11th.

The Chapel Hill Cemetery Association will hold its annual meeting on May the 30th. Services to begin at 10:30. Every one interested in the cemetery should attend. Bring flowers to decorate graves. Bring dinner and spend the day. Part of the day will be spent in cleaning off graves. Come early and bring tools.

J. A. Hill, Sec'y, B. F. Walker, Pres.

F. Julius Fohs of Tulsa Oklahoma, accompanied by his wife and little daughter, stopped off to spend the week end, with his parents Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Fohs, enroute to Henderson to visit his wife relatives.

One of our good Cumberland Presbyterian brethren called us down on the Sunday school attendance as reported in last week's paper, and objected very seriously to being placed in a class with the two small Presbyterian Sunday schools. "Why," he said, "you are not posted, we had 109 at the Cumberland Presbyterian Sunday school which puts us in a class to ourselves."

Any price typewriter you want. See Walter Guess.

Judge J. M. Davis went to Paducah Monday to meet his daughter, Mrs. L. D. Threlkeld, who is in old Kentucky on a visit from her home in Oklahoma.—Smithland Enterprise, of May 11th.

To meet the growing demand to chicken feed we have equipped machinery for the manufacture of same. We are now ready to fill orders. We will appreciate a trial order. Marion Milling Co., Incorporated.

No single factor plays such an important part in the social and business life of a community as the quality of its roads.

### Decoration Day

Tuesday, May 30th is Decoration day. The Cemetery Association hopes to interest everybody in Marion at the services at cemetery on this day. The usual Decoration services will be held at 8:30 that morning. The hour is made earlier so the services can be over and election of directors held before it gets so warm. When you take your flowers there, can you not wait until this time, so all can be done at once.

A special programme will be prepared for this service. Cannot the business people of Marion close their houses just one hour and go out there? Surely we owe this to our dead. We owe this also to our Cemetery Committee that is trying so hard to get the Cemetery in proper condition.

Have you a lot out there? Have you contributed anything to the Cemetery fund? If you have a lot and are not contributing regularly, then someone is bearing your burden for you, paying your part to the general care of the Cemetery. Do you think this is treating the Association fairly? Begin this year by your contributions. Much work needs to be done and we must have your co-operation in order to keep up the Cemetery.

The Association wishes to express their appreciation for the help given them by many of the lot owners who are so prompt to pay each year. Some of these are out of Marion. This has meant much toward the improvement of conditions out there. We regret the fact, however, that many lot owners here in Marion, take little or no interest whatever in the Cemetery.

\$3.00 per year is a reasonable price for the care of your lot, and helping to keep up the general work. \$1.00 per year for vacant lot.

The Association plans to place several car loads of rock on drives and walks this year. The cistern is to have a new top and a pump. A chapel out there is contemplated, and, if every lot owner will contribute each year,

## Dialogue Between a Marionite And a Farmer.

Marionite—"Are you for the road bonds?"

Farmer—"No; I'm not. Are you?"

Marionite—"I am trying to decide just what is best. Why are you against the bonds?"

Farmer—"Well, for several reasons; good ones, too. First, I am against anything that raises our taxes. Second, I am against anything that Marion gets all the good from. Marion gets the big end of all the appropriations."

Marionite—"Well, I once thought so, too; but after looking into the matter, I find it different. For instance, the two Marion Magisterial Districts have three bridges, one on Ford's Ferry road (a wooden bridge over 49 years old), and on Salem road, (cost \$300.), and one on Memphis Mines road, (cost \$1000.) On the other hands, Piney District has four that I can think of now; Bell's Mines has seven, Tolu has two, Union eight, and Dycusburg about six. So, you see that Marion, despite its large population, is behind the other districts in Bridge appropriations. As to the road work, each district got \$200. Marion no more than the others, except for one hill. This hill is at Crayne, and was picked for a distance of about 200 yards. I don't know about the cost, but I do know that its benefit was not entirely to Marion's people. The other pike near Marion was built by private subscriptions, mostly Marion people. The only appropriation that I can find that was devoted all for Marion, was the appropriation for building the jail yard building, the court house and the alms house. So, when I looked at the matter without prejudice, I found that I was mistaken."

Farmer—"But, can't you see that the roads near Marion are better than anywhere else in the county?"

Marionite—"Yes, but it is thickly settled around Marion. The roads around there have more hands to work them than at any other place in the county. Of course, they can work the roads better, having more people to the mile than the other districts."

Farmer—"Well, it's the folks at Marion that want the pikes. Let them pay for 'em."

Marionite—"Well, the town of Marion, the railroad and other franchises, pay over one-third of the taxes."

Farmer—"You are certainly mistaken about that."

Marionite—"Perhaps; but, if you will look into the matter, you will find that I am not so far wrong as you think."

Farmer—"Do you mean that, if these bonds are voted on us, that we outside of Marion will only have to pay two-thirds or \$120,000.00?"

Marionite—"No; I don't mean that either, for the State, or the tax-payers all over the State, (with the help of the automobile tax) will have to pay half of that \$120,000.00, which would leave only \$60,000.00 for the people out from Marion to pay."

Farmer—"Well, we are too deep in debt now, and I don't want to help pile more debts on us."

Marionite—"Yes, we are now somewhat in debt. I am informed that the debt of the last four or five years is about \$25,000.00 and mostly for roads, such as we have. However, piking the roads will stop that sort of annual appropriation."

Farmer—"I'm against the tax, anyway. I don't believe in making a tax debt for our children and grand-children to pay. Our fore-fathers did not leave a big debt for us to pay, and I am proud of them for it."

Marionite—"It is true that they did not leave a big debt for us to pay, but I am not so proud of the way they worked all the life out of the land and left us nothing but mud-holes to haul our little nubbins through. This bond issue should be studied from an impartial standpoint, and your vote cast for the good of the most of the county, regardless of private means and wishes of a few of us. It makes no difference whether we live in or out of Marion."

Farmer—"Yes; but you will see that, when they build the pike, they will commence to build them at Marion."

Marionite—"They may start at the corporate limits of Marion and build out from Marion; but if they are going to build a pike ten or fifteen miles long, I don't see that it makes much difference which end they begin on; and, by the way, had it ever occurred to you not one dollar of this \$185,000.00 bond issue will be spent in Marion? Not one dollar! Marion has to build her own roads, single-handed and alone. Of the total bond issue the State pays one-half with interest, which leaves \$92,000.00, and Marion pays one-third of this, which leaves only \$61,000.00 for the balance of the county to pay. It looks to me like a good chance to make the business men of Marion 'come across' with something tangible for the good of the country people. Say, do you know that Marion people do not have to travel our roads? Not until they are at their best in the summer-time, anyway."

Farmer—"Well, I'm against it anyway. Aren't you?"

Marionite—"Not until I study it over and find some reason for being against it. I haven't found any against it yet. It looks like a good proposition to me. And here's another thing, and don't forget it: Good roads are coming in Crittenden county, whether it be soon or late. The whole State is full of the 'good road' idea. 103 counties are headed that way, and have taken advantage of the road law. The next Legislature will be full of 'good road' Representatives and Senators, and very likely they will raise the 5c road tax. You know they will if they need it. How would you like to be compelled to pay a 20 cent road tax for the benefit of other counties, and none of it used here?"

Farmer—"I would not like it; I believe we had better get in line."

Marionite—"I thought so. Here is a final parting shot, and be sure and remember it: We spent last year, \$12,000.00 for bad roads in Crittenden county, besides \$2,000.00 sent the State for good roads in other counties. We have been appropriating money for roads until we are \$25,000.00 in debt. Do you want that to continue? Is so, vote for bad roads, and when the county gets in debt \$185,000.00 and has the same roads we have now, remember that you had an opportunity in 1916 to change the conditions and would not do it."

this one great need can become a reality. Have we not some citizens, possibly not personally interested in the Cemetery, who will make private contributions to this cause?

Have you been to the Cemetery this spring? If not, go out there and see how pretty it is now, ere the weeds grow up on the uncared for lots. Let us have a contribution from every lot owner this year. Committee.

## CHANGE IN TIME

VIA ILLINOIS CENTRAL R. R.

Effective May 14th, train No. 321 now leaving Henderson at 7:40 A. M. will be fifteen minutes earlier. This affords connection at Princeton Ky., for all points east thereof, including Dawson, Central City, Nortonville. Call up local agents as to exact time train passes intermediate Stations.

G. W. Schelke, TPA.

Evansville, Ind.



## NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC.

I have recently gotten an excellent Jack from Illinois. He is nearly five years old fifteen hands and one inch high, black with white points, with a fine head and ears, lots of bone, a big foot and of heavy and compact build.

This Jack is almost like the one I have stood for service for two seasons. They are the kind that produce the heavy bone mule with body in proportion. These two magnificent Jacks will make the season of 1916 at my farm five miles north of Marion, Ky., known as the E. M. Duvall farm, at \$10.00 to insure a living colt. Mares from a distance will be cared for on good pasture at \$1.50 per month. B. H. Easley, Owner and Proprietor. 5112t



**TEXAS WONDER**  
THE Texas Wonder cures kidney and bladder troubles, dissolves gravel, cures diabetes, weak and lame backs, rheumatism and all irregularities of the kidneys and bladder in both men and women. If not sold by your druggist, will be sent by mail on receipt of \$1. One small bottle is two months' treatment and seldom fails to perfect a cure. Send for testimonials from this and other States. Dr. E. W. Hall, 225 Olive Street, St. Louis, Mo. Sold by druggists.—Adv.

## Haiti Senators Dispersed

By American-Led Police.

Port-au-Prince, Haiti, May 8.—Members of the Haitian Senate who persisted in holding a meeting in spite of the warning of Rear Admiral Caperton, in command of the American forces here, were dispersed today by a detachment of gendarmes commanded by an American officer. The Senators protested, but offered no resistance.

## DEEDS, NOT WORDS

Marion People Have Absolute Proof of Deeds at Home.

It's not words but deeds that prove true merit.

The deeds of Doan's Kidney Pills, For Marion kidney sufferers, Have made their own reputation. Proof lies in the testimony of Marion people.

Wm. R. Ed, a farmer, Marion, Ky., says: "I had a severe pain in the small of my back and it ached and felt lame in the morning. I tried very easily and was nervous all the time. The kidney secretions were too frequent in passage and contained sediment. Having Doan's Kidney Pills highly recommended, I began using them. I was helped almost at once."

OVER FOUR YEARS LATER Mr. Reid said: "I haven't had to use Doan's Kidney Pills since I last recommended them, but I keep them on hand if I happen to catch cold or strain my kidneys."

Price 50 cents a small dealer. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mr. Reid had. Foster-Milburn Co., Props., Buffalo, N. Y. 411-18.

## England Expects War

To Continue Three Years.

New York, May 8.—Lloyd C. Griscom, former American Ambassador to Italy, who has been in Europe for some time representing the Chicago meat packers in their claims against the British Government, arrived here today on the steamship Baltic from Liverpool.

Mr. Griscom, said that while the thinking people of Great Britain have no doubt as to the outcome of the war, they look for it to continue three years yet, and preparations are being made toward that end.

## MUSTANG

For Sprains, Lameness, Sore, Cuts, Rheumatism, Penetrates and Heals. Stops Pain At Once For Man and Beast. 25c. 50c. \$1. At All Dealers.

## LINIMENT

## Your Optical Work.

Gold mountings in frames or rimless spectacles \$4.00. Eye glasses in frames or mountings \$4.00. Other kind in proportion. Office lower floor Jenkins' Bldg. Saturdays and Mondays only. Geo W. Stone, Optometrist.

## New Principal Elected

For Hickman College.

Hickman, Ky., May 8.—At a meeting of the School Board here Prof. Calvin, of Princeton, Ky., was elected principal of Hickman College, taking the place of Prof. B. F. Gabby, who resigned a few weeks ago. A high school teacher has not yet been elected, but will be named at the next meeting of the School Board. Mrs. Lena Parham, of Hickman, and Mrs. Shelbourne, of Bardwell, are new teachers, succeeding Miss Mattie Debow and Mrs. Annie Jones.

## CANTON BUSINESS MAN SUFFERED 20 YEARS

M. Gibson Swiftly Restored and Feels Like Young Man Again.

M. Gibson, a business man of Canton, Ill., for 20 years was a sufferer from stomach disorders. He took many treatments and spent large sums seeking relief.

One day he tried a dose of Mayr's Wonderful Remedy. The results he sought came at once. He found quick relief. Telling of his experience, he wrote:

"Your medicine is the best on earth. I have spent hundreds of dollars on medicine, doctor bills and hospital expenses. I have been sick for 20 years. Since I took your medicine I feel like a young man again."

Mayr's Wonderful Remedy gives permanent results for stomach, liver and intestinal ailments. Eat as much and whatever you like. No more distress after eating, pressure of gas in the stomach and around the heart. Get one bottle of your druggist now and try it on an absolute guarantee—if not satisfactory money will be returned.

For sale by HAYNES & TAYLOR, and all other reliable Druggists.

## Court Says Horn Must Stand Trial

Boston, May 8.—Warner Horn, who attempted to destroy the international bridge a Vaneb ro, Me., on February 2, 1915, was stand trial on a charge of illegal transportation of dynamite, the Federal Court of Appeals ordered.

In denying his petition for a writ of habeas corpus, the court held that the indictments were based on alleged personal acts, and not on those which might be considered part of a national act of war.

## Avoid Spring Colds.

Sudden changes, high winds, shifting seasons causes colds and grippe, and these spring colds are annoying and dangerous and are likely to turn into a chronic summer cough. In such cases take a treatment of Dr. King's New Discovery, a pleasant Laxative, Far Syrup. It soothes the cough, checks the cold and helps break up an attack of grippe. Its already prepared, no mixing or fussing. Just ask your druggist for a bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery. Tested and tried for over 40 years.

## OAK HALL

(delayed from last week.)

Miss Ruth Belt spent Saturday night and Sunday with Miss Melvel Robinson of Forest Grove.

J. R. Sutherland, of Marion, has closed the second session of a singing. The singing class visited Mt. Zion Sunday school Sunday.

J. U. Claghorn was in the Heath neighborhood last week looking for cattle.

Mrs. W. G. Conditt attended the birthday dinner of little Miss Christine Hatcher, of Glendale, last Thursday.

J. R. Postleweight and family and sister, Miss Mandenia, spent last Sunday with J. U. Claghorn and family.

R. H. Enoch and family spent Sunday with his brother, Walter.

Miss Lettie Conditt sold a nice bunch of baby chicks to Ed Cook last week.

Allie Postleweight and family spent Sunday with her father, Fred Cook, of Mt. Zion.

The Quinine That Does Not Affect The Head Because of its tonic and laxative effect. LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE is better than ordinary quinine and does not cause nervousness or ringing in head. Remember the full name and look for the signature of E. W. GROVE.

## WOMAN'S DREAM IS TRUE AT LAST

She Knows Why Multi-Millionaires Offer to Divide Fortunes.

To be a sufferer from nervous dyspepsia for ten years, and to bear all the tortures, mental and physical, that this all too common ailment brings, and then to find relief almost over night is like having a happy dream come true.

But this was the delightful experience of Mrs. Margaret Hunter, of 40 Eighteenth St., Newport, Ky. Mrs. Hunter, the wife of a well-known and highly successful real estate dealer in the Kentucky city, recently told of the long hoped for change in her life.

"For ten years," explained Mrs. Hunter, "I have suffered from nervous dyspepsia. When I read of the offers of multi-millionaires to divide their fortunes if they might be cured of this terribly distressful malady, I felt that in this way they most eloquently told of their sufferings, and I felt, too, that I would never be cured, because I had no millions to offer.

"I used all manner of remedies without avail. Even the strictest dieting did not help me materially. Food in any form was absolutely repellant at most times. But worst of all, of course, was the constant nerve strain. I had all of the symptoms that dyspepsia causes—headaches, backaches, and pains in the kidney regions, nausea, dizziness, sleeplessness, bad taste in my mouth, a coated tongue, forming of gas in my stomach and bloating, and I was in a general run-down and thoroughly nervous condition.

"And then came the joyful surprise. After the first few doses of Tanlac I was benefited. Now I am back to a normal condition, nerves quieted, restful sleep, and my food digesting as it should, and, of course, I am gaining strength daily.

"My husband, who has seen the splendid effect of Tanlac on me, has also taken it."

Tanlac, that inspired this intensely interesting story, big in importance to men and women everywhere, now is being introduced in Marion by James H. Orme, where it is being fully explained daily.

Tanlac may be obtained in the following nearby towns:

Blackford, A. T. Brown; Wheatcroft, Hardin Pharmacy; Clay, Kearney blue; Providence, R. G. Baynham; Sturgis, Meacham & King; Caseyville, W. E. Ames; Fredonia, W. E. Cox; Crider, L. W. Guess; Princeton, Wylie & Walker.

## HEBRON

(delayed from last week.)

Rev. Terry preached a fine sermon at this place Saturday night and Sunday.

Miss Denzil Beard attended church at this place Sunday.

Mrs. Beard was the guest of Guy Lofton and family Sunday.

Several from this place attended church at Barnett Sunday.

Mrs. Woodside returned home Sunday after a visit with her daughter, Mrs. Batt Phillips.

Herschel Franklin has returned home from Louisville, where he spent several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Knight and little daughter were guests of Elvis Croft and family Sunday night.

Gene Beard and family were guests of John Vaughn and family Sunday.

Whenever You Need a General Tonic Take Grove's

The Old Standard Grove's Tasteless Child Tonic is equally valuable as a General Tonic because it contains the well known tonic properties of QUININE and IRON. It acts on the Liver, Drives out Malaria, Enriches the Blood and Builds up the Whole System. 50 cents.

## CHICKADEE

Penothrestes atricapillus



Length, about five and one-fourth inches.

Range: Resident in the United States (except the southern half east of the plains), Canada, and Alaska.

Habits and economic status: Because of its delightful notes, its confiding ways, and its fearlessness, the chickadee is one of our best known birds. It responds to encouragement, and by hanging within its reach a constant supply of suet the chickadee can be made a regular visitor to the garden and orchard. Though insignificant in size, titmice are far from being so from the economic standpoint, owing to their numbers and activity. While one locality is being scrutinized for food by a larger bird, ten are being searched by the smaller species. The chickadee's food is made up of insects and vegetable matter in the proportion of seven of the former to three of the latter. Moths and caterpillars are favorites and form about one-third of the whole. Beetles, ants, wasps, bugs, flies, grasshoppers, and spiders make up the rest. The vegetable food is composed of seeds, largely those of pines, with a few of the poison ivy and some weeds. There are few more useful birds than the chickadees.

## IN MEMORIAM

Once again the Death Angel has visited our community, and claimed for his victim Mrs. Tabitha Campbell Robinson. She was born July 6th, 1849, in the State of North Carolina, and died April 6th, 1916.

She was married to J. H. Robinson, Dec. 1st, 1866. To this union was born nine children, of which seven still live: Rev. R. Robinson and Mrs. Ada Simpson, of this county; Mrs. Annie Worley, of Detroit, Mich.; Mrs. Lucy Barger, of Livingston county; Mrs. Ellen Oats, of New Albany, Ind.; Frank and George Robinson, of Muhlenberg Co. She has three sisters and four brothers, all of whom are living in Tennessee, except one brother of this county.

She professed faith in Christ Jan. 1st, 1880, and united with the Mount Zion Baptist church, of Tennessee. Later moved to Kentucky, and joined Crooked Creek church, and later united with the Dunn Spring church, where she remained a faithful and consistent member until God called her home.

All medical skill and loving hands could do was done, but Jesus said, "It is enough. Come up higher."

The funeral service was conducted by Rev. J. B. Trotter at the church, and the remains were laid to rest in the Dunn Spring cemetery.

Mother has gone, God bless her! God bless the name, "Mother." It is the sweetest note in the great anthem the ages chant of God, and the radiance of His infinite mercy is reflected in a mother's smile, a mother's tear, a mother's prayer, and a mother's love. Not until the tired hands that supported the cares of infancy and ministered to the developing years have been folded forever, not until the tired eyes grow dim and weary with anxious vigilance of countless hours and endless days and nights that seemed eternal have closed in pallid death, do we begin to grasp the depth and tenderness of this mother love.

"A mother's love if there be one thing pure when all else besides is sullied, That can endure when all things else have passed away, if there be aught— Surpassing human deed, or word or thought, is a mother's love."

## Notice to Sorghum Cane Raisers.

I will make two sets with my sorghum mill this fall. One at Bob Drury's place and one at Lick Skillet pond on the John Vaughn place, where I had my mill last fall. I will make sorghum for all parties who will haul cane to these points.

Fred Cook.

## CRISIS FOR ROADS IN THE MOVEMENT FOR HIGHER WAGES

Would Add Millions to Expenses Of Southeastern Lines—Public Viciously Interested.

Washington, D. C.—"The railways of the southeast are facing a critical situation in the proposed demands of the engineers, firemen, conductors and trainmen's Brotherhoods which have joined in a nation-wide effort to force the railways of the country to grant further wage concessions, which would add millions of dollars to the payrolls of the railways without enabling them to earn a cent more than under present conditions or to in any way give better service to the public," declares a statement given out by the executive committee of the southeastern railways.

"The demands of the Brotherhoods are generally referred to as demands for an eight hour day and time and a half for overtime, but they are not in reality for an eight hour day in the sense in which that term is commonly understood," the statement continues. "The employees are not asking that they be relieved from service at the end of eight hours, as they realize that this is not practicable in road service, and the form in which the demands have been made clearly shows this."

## More Pay For Overtime

"Thus the language of their own proposed demands is that on runs of one hundred miles or less overtime will begin at the expiration of eight hours. This simply means that if a freight train requires, as it usually does, at least 16 hours to run 100 miles, the train and engine employees shall receive their day's pay for eight hours of work and shall receive time and a half for the two additional hours."

"There is not a line in the proposals concerning road service that in any way limits the number of hours the employees are to work, and their proposition simply resolves itself into fixing the period at which overtime begins to accrue and after which they shall receive time and a half instead of their regular hourly rate."

"In a discussion of the proposed demands in the official journal of the Trainmen's organization, the following explanation of the demands is given by one of the vice-presidents of that Brotherhood:

"There appears to be some difference of opinion as to what such a proposal involves, therefore it may be reasonable to say that there is quite a difference between an eight-hour work-day and an eight-hour basic work-day."

"The first contemplates that eight hours shall be the maximum working time, and as a rule where the eight-hour work-day obtains through contract relations between employer and employee, it is the constant endeavor to prevent working overtime except in case of necessity. It appears that some of the men in the train service are of the opinion that this is the proposal of the organizations. However, this is not the case. The second, the eight-hour basic work-day contemplates that eight hours shall be the basis for a day's work, and any time in excess thereof shall be paid for as overtime, consequently under such a provision there is no limit to the hours worked. The latter system is the one proposed by the train service Brotherhoods and is in accord with the action taken by the delegates, at the Eleventh Biennial Convention of the Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen."

## Same Work, More Money

"The proposals of the employees, as in reality formulated and officially explained, in the above citation, simply mean that they shall be paid more money than at present for the same work they are now doing. The matter, therefore, resolves itself primarily into a question of wages and consequently of increased cost."

"Applying the proposed demands to the present conditions of work would mean an increase ranging from 12 to 40 per cent in cost, as the roads would be compelled in most cases to continue the present hours of operations since changes to escape the payment of overtime would cause a higher percentage of increase than the figures already given."

"The railways of the southeast are in no condition to stand any increase in their operating expenses, much less such increases as would result from granting these demands. They already pay higher wages to train and engine employees than are paid in other sections of the country where traffic is much more dense, and they have had no part in the rate increases which recently have been granted by the Interstate Commerce Commission to railways in other territories."

"Preliminary estimates show that on some lines the increases asked by the employees would more than wipe out all income after payment of operating expenses, fixed charges and taxes. The railways would be forced either to secure increases in their rates or to lower their cost of operation by curtailment of train service and reducing the outlay for maintenance and improvement necessary to meet the transportation needs of the rapidly developing southeastern territory."

"This is a question in which the whole public has a direct and vital interest. The railways of the southeast merely ask of the public that it inform itself of the real nature of the proposed demands, and of the ability of the roads to meet them."

## A Good Family Cough Syrup

Can be made by mixing Pine-Tar, Aconite, Sugar, Hyocyanus, sassafras, Peppermint, Ipecac, Rhubarb, Mandrake, Capsicum, Muriate Ammonia, Honey and Glycerine. It is pleasant, healing and soothing, raises the phlegm, and gives almost instant relief. For convenience of those who prefer not to fuss, it is supplied ready made in 25c. bottles under name of Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar-Honey. Can be had at your druggist. Insist on getting Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar-Honey and see the formula is on the package.

## ROLL OF HONOR SINCE OUR LAST REPORT

Adams, J. F.; route 2,	Jan 1917
Alley, A. L.; Salem,	Jan 1917
Ainsworth, J. W.; Tola,	May 1917
Belt, Charles; Sheridan,	Apr 1917
Bigham, E. M.; California,	Feb 1918
Browning, W. D.;	" 1918
Butler, James; city,	" 1917
Cowan, L. F.; city route 4,	Apr 1917
Chandler, J. M.; city,	Jan 1917
Cannan, A. S.; city,	Jan 1917
Crowe, W. H.; Texas,	Apr 1917
Campbell, Hobart; Kansas,	Oct 1916
Crowder, —; Smith Mills,	Aug 1916
Champion, Thos.; Oklahoma,	June 1917
Davidson, A. U.; Oklahoma,	Jan 1917
Dean, J. N.; city,	Jan 1917
Franklin, Mrs. Jane; Missouri,	Oct 1916
Franklin, Wallace; Oklahoma,	Apr 1917
Hogard, W. F.; Eliza town, Ill.	July 1916
Hunt, J. F.; route 2,	June 1916
Higginbotham, G. T.; Minn.,	Jan 1917
Hodge, O. T.; Fredonia,	Aug 1916
Herron, James; Illinois,	May 1917
Joiner, John H.; city,	Apr 1917
Kee, V. G.; Tennessee,	Sept 1917
Kirk, O. N.; route 3,	Apr 1917
Langham, T. J.; route 4,	Oct 1916
Lemon, Mrs. E. C.; route 5,	Feb 1917
Lewis, Mrs. Mollie; Kansas,	Apr 1917
Lemon, Mrs. Lizzie; route 4,	Nov 1916
Lemon, J. G.; Atlanta, Ga.,	May 1916
Moore, D. B.; city,	Jan 1917
Minner, Mrs. T. A.; Missouri,	May 1917
McCaslen, Jesse; Crayne,	Aug 1917
Nunn, S. A.; Sullivan,	Apr 1917
Newcom, Wm.; Repton,	May 1916
Neal, Robert; Missouri,	Apr 1917
Nunn, John; Kansas,	Feb 1917
Nelson, George; route 4,	Feb 1917
Patterson, G. W.; city,	Feb 1917
Peek, J. D.; Fredonia,	Feb 1917
Ragsdale, Otis; Minnesota,	Apr 1917
Ramage, Ed; Crider,	Feb 1917
Stevens, Della; Fulton,	July 1916
Smart, M. C.; Salem,	Feb 1916
Sisco, Mrs. Fannie; route 3,	Jan 1917
Shadows, J. H.; Fredonia,	Feb 1917
Seabers, C. E.; Salem,	July 1916
Slater, G. P.; city,	Jan 1917
Sumter, Miss M.; Bowling G'n	July 1917
Taurman, B. H.; Westford,	Jan 1917
Thomas, George; S. D.,	Apr 1917
Thomas, C. E.; Oregon,	May 1917
Towery, A. P.; city,	Jan 1917
Taylor, Mrs. E. M.; Oklahoma,	Apr 1917
Threlkeld, R. E.; route 3,	Jan 1917
Threlkeld, Mrs. M. L.; Cal.,	Feb 1917
Tucker, W. O.; city,	Dec 1916
Threlkeld, J. D.; city,	May 1917
Threlkeld, Roy; Dawson,	May 1917
Vanhouser, R. W.; route 1,	Jan 1917
Woods, E.; Missouri,	July 1916
Weldon, T. A.; Missouri,	Feb 1917
Witherspoon, R. A.; Kansas,	Jan 1917
Wathen, H. E.; Ford's Ferry,	Aug 1917
White, L. F.; route 3,	Apr 1917
Wheeler, R. L.; city,	Jan 1917
White, Dr. D. T.; Blackford,	Apr 1917
Walker, J. M.; Deanwood,	Jan 1917
Wheeler, J. A.; Crofton,	Feb 1917
Wright, E. F.; Caseyville,	Oct 1916
Worley, J. D.; city,	Apr 1916
Wheeler, Mrs. Evira; route 1,	Feb 1917
Wilborn, Mrs. R. F.; Oklahoma,	May 1917
Young, R. N.; Kansas,	Jan 1917

## Physician's Prescription For Rheumatism

Business and professional men of large means who have taken expensive baths at famous resorts and have spent money lavishly to rid themselves of the tormenting agony of rheumatism have turned to Rheuma and get well.

When Rheuma goes in, poisonous secretions go out. No opiates or narcotics are used. Rheuma drives out the cause of rheumatism and speedily brings comfort and health, and most druggists will admit it.

Two bottles of Rheuma will cost you a dollar of J. H. Orme or any druggist, and if this purchase does not bring you the freedom from pain and misery you expected, your money is waiting for you.

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## STANDARD PRICES AID COMPETITION

The Stephens Bill Encourages  
Rivalry In Quality.

REAL BENEFIT TO PUBLIC.

False Pretense in Merchandising as  
Practiced by Big City Stores Is Meth-  
od Used to Injure Small Dealers and  
to Destroy Small Towns—Dishonesty  
Can't Benefit Consumers.

The true competition is between  
rival articles, a competition in ex-  
cellence, which can never be main-  
tained if, through the perfidy of  
the retailer who cuts prices for  
his own ulterior purposes, the  
manufacturer is forced to compete  
in prices with goods of his own  
production, while the retailer re-  
coups his losses on the cut price  
by the sale of other articles at, or  
above, their reasonable price. IT  
IS A FALLACY TO ASSUME  
THAT THE PRICE CUTTER  
POCKETS THE LOSS. THE  
PUBLIC MAKES IT UP ON  
OTHER PURCHASES. Fixing  
the price on all brands of high  
grade flour is a very different thing  
from fixing the price on one brand  
of high grade flour. The one  
means destruction of all competi-  
tion and of all incentive to in-  
creased excellence. The other means  
heightened competition and in-  
tensified incentive to increased ex-  
cellence.

This language, used by the supreme  
court of the state of Washington in a  
unanimous decision of the case of the  
Flouring Mills Co. versus C. A.  
Wanson, clearly sets forth the inter-  
est of the consumer in maintaining  
the highest form of competition—that  
of quality. Competition in price re-  
sults in inferior quality and the evil  
of substitution. Dishonest advertisers  
use cut prices on standard and widely  
known merchandise to lure customers  
into their establishments, where an  
effort will be made to sell anonymous  
goods.

The genuine bargain is used as "bait"  
to spread the impression that all mer-  
chandise is sold at the same low mar-  
gin of profit. If this impression can be  
created the cut rate merchant can sell  
unknown goods at as high a figure as  
his conscience will permit him to  
charge—and his conscience is elastic.  
Nearly every man's is more or less so  
where profits are concerned.

**A Bill to Protect the Public.**  
Representative Dan V. Stephens of  
Nebraska and Senator William F. Ash-  
urst of Arizona have introduced in  
congress "a bill to protect the public  
against dishonest advertising and false  
pretenses in merchandising." A simi-  
lar measure was introduced in the last  
congress by Representative Stevens of  
New Hampshire.

It ought to be axiomatic that the public  
cannot profit through dishonesty or  
through false pretenses. The individ-  
ual may make a pecuniary gain; thieves,  
burglars and confidence men  
occasionally escape paying the penalty  
of their crimes and are peculiarly bet-  
ter off. But the public, the victims of  
the successful criminals, loses.

The Stephens-Ashurst bill provides  
for standard and uniform prices on  
articles sold under a trademark or spe-  
cial brand, with the widest possible  
publicity for buyers and sellers. Oppo-  
nents of the bill—adherents of dis-  
honest advertising and users of false  
pretenses in merchandising—have de-  
clared that it will encourage monopoly  
and prevent competition. They have  
tried to make consumers believe that  
it will increase the cost of living, that  
it will raise the price of everything  
sold in any sort of store.

**No Monopoly Possible.**  
The bill does not encourage mono-  
poly, because producers who have a mo-  
nopoly of any particular line or who  
make an agreement with a competitor  
to maintain prices are barred from  
taking advantage of the privilege of  
preventing discrimination by contract-  
ing for the resale of their goods at uni-  
form prices. A monopoly, no matter  
how it is gained, cannot do business  
under the terms of the Stephens bill.

On the other hand, cutthroat competi-  
tion in price has always been the  
chief weapon of monopoly.  
The bill will not raise prices and in-  
crease the cost of living. Producers  
already have the right to sell their  
goods at wholesale at any price they  
can get, at what they are worth. The  
proposed legislation merely permits the  
producer to control the retail price, and  
if he puts this too high—higher than  
the public is willing to pay—then his  
goods will not be sold and he loses.

The cut price storekeeper that sells  
goods at a loss does not stand the loss;  
he passes it on to his customers. What  
he loses on one article is made up, or  
more than made up, on another. The  
use of cut prices on standard articles  
for the purpose of drawing customers  
into the store with the intention of  
selling them something else, that is  
where "dishonest advertising" is found  
and where "false pretenses in mer-  
chandising" injures the public.

Cut rates by big department stores  
enable them to kill off the small store  
and the small towns. Those residents  
of rural communities, villages and the  
lesser cities who want to see their  
home folks injured that the large cities  
may grow richer and larger should  
naturally oppose the Stephens bill.  
Those who desire to see their own  
vicissitudes prosper should support the  
principle of uniform standard prices.

# Health for Sick Women

For Forty Years Lydia E. Pinkham's  
Vegetable Compound Has Been  
Woman's Most Reliable Medicine  
—Here is More Proof.

To women who are suffering from some form of  
woman's special ills, and have a constant fear of breaking  
down, the three following letters ought to bring hope:—



North Crandon, Wis.—"When I was 16 years  
old I got married and at 18 years I gave birth to  
twins and it left me with very poor health. I could  
not walk across the floor without having to sit  
down to rest and it was hard for me to keep about  
and do my work. I went to a doctor and he told  
me I had a displacement and ulcers, and would  
have to have an operation. This frightened me so  
much that I did not know what to do. Having  
heard of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound  
I thought I would give it a trial and it made me as  
well as ever. I cannot say enough in favor of the  
Pinkham remedies."—Mrs. MATTIE ASBACH, North Crandon, Wis.

### Testimony from Oklahoma.

Lawton, Okla.—"When I began to take Lydia E. Pinkham's  
Vegetable Compound I seemed to be good for nothing. I tired easily  
and had headaches much of the time and was irregular. I took it again  
before my little child was born and it did me a wonderful amount of  
good at that time. I never fail to recommend Lydia E. Pinkham's  
Vegetable Compound to ailing women because it has done so much  
for me."—Mrs. A. L. McCASLAND, 559 Hove St., Lawton, Okla.

### From a Grateful Massachusetts Woman.

Roxbury, Mass.—"I was suffering from inflam-  
mation and was examined by a physician who found  
that my trouble was caused by a displacement. My  
symptoms were bearing down pains, backache,  
and sluggish liver. I tried several kinds of medi-  
cine; then I was asked to try Lydia E. Pinkham's  
Vegetable Compound. It has cured me and I am  
pleased to be in my usual good health by using it  
and highly recommend it."—Mrs. B. M. OSOON,  
1 Haynes Park, Roxbury, Mass.

If you want special advice write to Lydia  
E. Pinkham Medicine Co. (confidential) Lynn, Mass. Your  
letter will be opened, read and answered by a woman and held  
in strict confidence.

## "I BOUGHT A BUNCH OF PIGS"



"Got the biggest piece of news yet,"  
yelled Dave Thurman as he rode up  
to the old blacksmith shop at Ash-  
bottom.

"Well give it to us, Dave."

"John Hughes's goin' to run for  
school trustee."

"No, you're jokin', Dave. John, he's  
too busy a farmer to bother with bein'  
school trustee, besides he hasn't got  
any kin folks teachin' school that I  
ever heard of."

"That may be so, but I got word  
about it mighty straight. His wife  
told mine he was goin' to run an' I  
reckon that's just about as straight as  
anybody could get anything. Here he  
comes now on his ol' bay mare, an' you  
can ask him for yourselves."

When the tall, fine-looking man had  
given the blacksmith some instruc-  
tions concerning the mending of a  
doubletree, he turned to the men and  
said:

"I'll bet anything Dave has told you  
I'm out for the office of school trustee  
for Ashbottom Sub-district."

"Yes, he said you were goin' to run,  
but we couldn't hardly believe it," an-  
swered one of the neighbors.

"Why not?"

"Well, because mighty few men ever  
wanted the trouble and bother of wor-  
ryin' with a young teacher an' a lot  
of children. Besides there ain't a  
penny in it an' plenty of hard work if  
the mau does his duty."

The candidate sat down on the  
frame of the grindstone under the big  
elm and quietly crossed his legs. For  
a time he was silent with an odd, bit-  
ter smile on his face. At length he  
arose and said:

"Any one of you men would fight if  
anybody told you that you really didn't  
love your children, wouldn't you?"

The men about him nodded their as-  
sent and he hurried on.

"You do love 'em, I know you do  
because I love mine, too. But boys,  
there's ever so many ways of lovin'  
children an' it's only lately that I've  
seen a new way to love 'em. My chil-  
dren have been goin' to school out at  
the little school house for five years  
an' I hardly ever gave 'em a thought.  
I voted for any ol' school that wanted  
to be trustee just like you have."

"What made you awop around in  
your ideas?" asked one of the men.

"Feedin' hogs an' keepin' my eyes  
open."

"Don't you joke with us, John, we  
want to know."

"I have already told you, but I  
haven't told you the whole story just  
as it happened to me. You fellows  
recollect I bought a big bunch of pigs  
just about the time school opened.  
Well they were as nice a bunch as I  
ever saw, so I wanted 'em to be fed  
right. My regular hand, ol' St, was  
sick, so I had to hire a new man to do  
the feedin'. While I was lookin'  
around I put the hogs in that clover  
field down next the school house so  
they'd have grazin' enough an' plenty  
of water."

"I reckon you boys think I'm takin'  
a long time to tell you the story, but  
I believe I'll change your ideas about  
the school like it did mine. Well, the  
day I put the hogs in on the clover  
a nice lookin' youngster about 18 years  
old come over to hire to me an' feed  
the hogs. I talked with him an' he  
was bright all right, but he never had  
fed hogs. He had worked on a farm  
an' he had a pretty good education,  
an' I wanted to hire him, but you see  
I was afraid to risk feedin' a lot of  
corn to pigs that stood me five hun-  
dred dollars in hard money."

"I don't blame you," remarked one  
of the men, "but how did that make  
you decide you wanted to be trustee?"

"I'm comin' to that now. After the  
young man had left an' I'd finished  
feedin' the pigs, I went over to the  
school house as I was so close by.  
When I went in the door I reckon I  
was still thinkin' about the pigs an'  
the young man I was afraid to hire.  
At any rate I looked over the room.  
My children and your children goin'  
to school to a mite of a sweet little  
girl of 18. I'd known her nearly all  
her life an' I was certain this was the  
first school she'd ever taught. I knew  
she'd only finished goin' to school her-  
self last year."

"For a minute I felt like a fool be-  
cause I knew I'd been afraid to trust  
the feedin' of my hogs to a youngster  
without experience an' yet here were  
four of my own children goin' to  
school to an 18-year-old little girl  
without any experience."

"That's the reason I told you I was  
learnin' to love my children a new  
way, an' that's the reason I'm goin' to  
take time to be trustee so I can see  
that my children an' your children get  
a fair square deal from now on."

## MEADOWLARK

*Sturnella magna* and *Sturnella neglecta*



Length, about ten and three-fourths  
inches.

Range: Breed generally in the  
United States, southern Canada, and  
Mexico to Costa Rica; winter from  
the Ohio and Potomac valleys and  
British Columbia southward.

Habits and economic status: Our  
two meadowlarks, though differing  
much in song, resemble each other  
closely in plumage and habits. Grassy  
plains and uplands covered with a  
thick growth of grass or weeds, with  
nearby water, furnish the conditions  
best suited to the meadowlark's taste.  
The song of the western bird is loud,  
clear, and melodious. That of its east-  
ern relative is feebler and loses much  
by comparison. In many localities  
the meadowlark is classed and shot  
as a game bird. From the farmer's  
standpoint this is a mistake, since its  
value as an insect eater is far greater  
than as an object of pursuit by the  
sportsman. Both the boll weevil, the  
foe of the cotton grower, and the al-  
falfa weevil are among the beetles it  
habitually eats. Twenty-five per cent  
of the diet of this bird is beetles, half  
of which are predaceous ground bee-  
tles, accounted useful insects, and one-  
fifth are destructive weevils. Cater-  
pillars form 11 per cent of the food  
and are eaten in every month in the  
year. Among these are many cut-  
worms and the well-known army  
worm. Grasshoppers are favorite food  
and are eaten in every month and al-  
most every day. The vegetable food  
(24 per cent of the whole) consists  
of grain and weed seeds.

## Why those Pains?

Here is a testimonial unsolicited

"If I had my will it would  
be advertised on every street  
corner. The man or woman  
that has rheumatism and fails  
to keep and use Sloan's Lin-  
iment is like a drowning man  
refusing a rope."—A. J. Van  
Dyke, Lakewood, N. J.



Sloan's  
Liniment



for  
RHEUMATISM  
SPRAINS  
SORE MUSCLES

## OUR PUBLIC FORUM

R. C. Duff  
On Cotton As Contraband.



Hon. R. C. Duff, one of the highest authorities on  
International law in the nation and one of the most  
capable citizens in the United States, when asked to  
investigate the exporting of cotton and interpret the  
laws of nations on this subject for the American plow-  
man, said in part:

"Article 28 of the Declaration of London reads as  
follows: 'The following may not be declared contraband  
of war: (1) raw cotton, wool, silk, etc.' Great  
Britain is not only a signatory of the Declaration of  
London, but in fact called the conference and insisted  
upon the inclusion of raw cotton on the list of absolute  
non-contraband. Under this declaration, which was subscribed to by all the  
maritime nations, we have a right absolutely to ship cotton, not only to  
neutral ports of Europe, but to Germany and Austria themselves. Humanity  
shudders at the thought of the death of the splendid Americans who went  
down on the Lusitania, but humanity would have more cause for shuddering  
if it could have presented to it in some similarly striking and dramatic way  
the woe, sorrow and suffering that will be occasioned to multiplied thou-  
sands of men, women and children in the Southern states as a result of  
cotton being forced down to starvation prices."

"The reason why cotton does not command 18 or 20 cents per pound is  
simply because Great Britain has a naval strangle hold on our shipments  
and, therefore, on the world supply. England sends her ships of war out  
into the open seas, captures American cotton, no matter to whom the same  
may be destined, carries it into British ports, sets up prize courts of her  
own nomination, which prize courts, of course, are operating in her favor  
and which, under such circumstances, after whatever delay they elect to im-  
pose, assess the damages of the American shipper at whatever price they see  
fit and then, after having by such process 'bought' our cotton, she avails  
herself of the extraordinary high prices existing on the continent of Europe,  
produced in part by her diversion of our shipments, to resell it at a profit.  
The American shipper has no recourse except to the government. The acts  
of Great Britain referred to, according to the well-recognized principle of  
International law, constitute war against the United States."

"This grievance is now of many months standing and the South is about  
to bring to market another great crop of cotton. Under such circumstances  
one would expect that our government, without prompting, would know per-  
fectly well how to deal with acts on the part of the British government,  
amounting to warfare against our trade and country."

"It is not necessary for us to resort to war against Great Britain in re-  
taliation. A simple, adequate and obvious remedy would be for the president  
to advise Great Britain that unless she respects the law of nations as regards  
our foreign commerce, he will call on congress to adopt a resolution forbid-  
ding the exportation of arms and munitions of war to foreign countries."

### MEXICO

(delayed from last week.)

Mrs. Caroline Humphreys, of Kut-  
taw, who has been visiting her son,  
Will Humphreys, for the past week,  
returned home Saturday.

Lark Wheeler and wife and two little  
daughters, Magdalene and Girlie, were  
guests of Will Brown Saturday night  
and Sunday.

Mrs. Lucy Dobbins and Mrs. Zane  
Wheeler were in Fredonia shopping  
Saturday.

Miss Robbie Humphrey is visiting  
friends in Kuttaw this week.

Mr. and Mrs. George Whitt visited  
their son, Henry, and family Sunday.

Mrs. Ella Nelson spent Sunday with  
Miss Sarah Lott.

Greene Franklin and family, of  
Frances, spent Sunday with Will  
Wheeler and family.

Mrs. Jim Champion and Mrs. Lula  
Sutton went to Paducah Sunday to visit  
Mrs. Guy Ordway.—Selma.

### CRAYNE.

(delayed from last week.)

Planting gardens is the order of the  
day in this neighborhood.

Bro. Smith filled his regular appo-  
intment here Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. J. R. Smith and little son,  
Franklin, have returned to their home  
in Sturgis after several days' visit  
with her parents. They were accom-  
panied home by her sister, Miss Vera  
Ordway, and little Miss Irene Jones.

Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Loyd went to  
Dycusburg Friday.

Mrs. Max Deboe, of Uniontown, is  
visiting her father-in-law.

Misses Effie and Vida Bigham and  
Fannie Hill attended church here Sat-  
urday afternoon.

Mrs. Perryman and Miss Iva Horn-  
in, of Mexico, visited in Crayne Sat-  
urday.

## "Cured"

Mrs. Jay McGee, of Steph-  
enville, Texas, writes: "For  
nine (9) years, I suffered with  
womanly trouble. I had ter-  
rible headaches, and pains in  
my back, etc. It seemed as if  
I would die, I suffered so. At  
last, I decided to try Cardui,  
the woman's tonic, and it  
helped me right away. The  
full treatment not only helped  
me, but it cured me."

### TAKE

Cardui  
The Woman's Tonic

Cardui helps women in time  
of greatest need, because it  
contains ingredients which act  
specifically, yet gently, on the  
weakened womanly organs.  
So, if you feel discouraged,  
blue, out-of-sorts, unable to  
do your household work, on  
account of your condition, stop  
worrying and give Cardui a  
trial. It has helped thousands  
of women.—why not you?  
Try Cardui. E-71

### CAVE SPRINGS

(delayed from last week.)

G. M. Woodward went to Marion  
Monday on business.

Tom Roberts has lagrippe.

R. T. Brantley and son, Alvis, and  
Albert Orr went to Blackford Thurs-  
day.

Charley Crowell spent Wednesday  
night with his aunt, Mrs. Ann Perkins,  
of Tribune.

Gips Brantley and daughters, Tilda  
and Carol, and son, Thomas, were in  
Marion Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Chandler went  
to Blackford Friday.

Clarence Jeffreys and family visited  
his father, J. W. Jeffreys Thursday.

Several of the young people of Black-  
ford and Repton attended the singing  
at his place Sunday.—Blue Bells.

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Get details and tickets from  
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# GOOD ROADS

## Facts Of Interest To The Voters Of Crittenden County.

There is not a single point of argument left for the opposition to the bond issue. Congress has passed a bill appropriating eighty-five million dollars to roads and forests. Ten million goes to forests. Seventy-five million to be distributed among the States for road building. Kentucky will get more than a million and a half of this money. Should Crittenden county vote the bonds we will get something near \$20,000. If we do not vote the bonds on Saturday May 27th, we do not get one cent, either from the State or the Federal government, but continue to contribute to the State's Good Road Fund, and travel over mud roads!

Here are the figures on the county and state alone, which will prove that the man who wrote the law knew what he was doing. The bond issue is for \$185,000. The state will take care of half of this amount, interest and all. We do not have to consider but \$92,500. This is the only amount for us to make our figures to meet. Then the interest on \$92,500 at 5% is \$4,625. This must be paid annually. Our income from our tax will be \$7,600 annually. This will pay the interest on the bonds and give us a net sum of \$2,975, which becomes our sinking fund. If there be no increase nor decrease in our property values we will be able to pay this entire debt without assistance of the Federal Aid in our allotted time, lacking about \$800. With the Federal Aid we will be amply able to meet our obligations, also, to improve more roads than was at first anticipated. Boys, this looks good to me.

The appropriation from the U. S. government is to be used principally on star and rural mail routes. This removes all the fear of so many roads not receiving attention. There are sixteen roads in the county over which the mail is carried, or rather sixteen mail routes. This insures a large per cent. of our roads to be made better by the bond issue. It may mean the discontinuance of some of our mail routes if we do not take advantage of the assistance offered us.

There are 103 counties in the state that have accepted the offer and are receiving State and Federal Aid. There are only seventeen left. Six of these have refused for some technical reason. Let's not let Crittenden lag behind, simply because of the repulsive sound of the word "tax," or the "creepy" feeling you may have at its mention. It is no more than borrowing money from your bank, or your neighbor, to make a profitable investment, except in this case we borrow \$3.00 and pay back \$1.00. This comes by the state and the U. S. sharing with us.

Some claim the state will go bankrupt by helping all the counties. Foolish idea, but if she goes we can't save her by staying out. Let's get our part.

We will illustrate this by parable: The Lord of hosts makes a grand feast, and invites his many friends, and we are among them. The table is spread, and the feast is bountiful, but before we begin our festivities he announces that next year there will be a great famine and this is the last of the festivals, but "eat, drink and be merry while you may." Will we sit with dull apprehension and pine our time away, while our neighbors, Webster, Union, Hopkins, Christian, Jefferson and all the others are devouring all the good things? "Not me!"

Come on, and let's get what's coming to us. I will see you at the polls, on Saturday, May 27.

Yours very truly,

E. JEFFREY TRAVIS.

### Getting The Figures Down To Where We Can Understand.

Let us sum up the GOOD ROAD question in a nutshell and see where the farmer gets off.

Assessed valuation of Crittenden County \$3,800,000.00, less one-third for Marion and Franchises \$1,266,666.66, total valuation of farms \$2,533,333.34. Proposed to borrow \$185,000.00, less one-third for Marion and Franchises \$61,666.66, total debt against farms \$123,333.34.

Then we have a farmer's big farm called Crittenden County, value \$2,500,000.00, proposing to borrow \$123,000.00.

But \$123,000.00 is more money than any of us ever saw; so, to understand it better, we will leave off the three naughts in the value of the Crittenden County farm and the three naughts in the amount you propose to borrow (ask any school boy if this is not correct) and then we will have, farmers big Crittenden County farm, value \$2,500.00, proposed to borrow \$123.00.

Now the farmers of Crittenden County own a big farm and it is valued at \$2,500.00, and it is proposed (for illustration) to borrow \$123.00 to erect a barn on that farm. But, while you are trying to decide about whether it is best or not to borrow the money, along comes "Daddy State" and says, "Boys, go to it; if you will build that barn, I will pay one-half of it, including interest. You'd better do it, too, for I'm going to make you help build barns for all your 119 brothers." Then, we have this proposition, farmers big Crittenden County farm, value \$2,500.00 proposed to borrow for improvement \$61.50.

What farmer in Crittenden County, being in lawful and peaceable possession of a farm GIVEN IN FOR TAXATION at \$2,500.00 would hesitate to borrow \$61.50 to to make permanent improvements thereon, and that at 5 per cent interest and 30 years in which to pay it. The word "permanent" is used relatively, of course, because nothing is permanent in this world. Paul says "For the things which are seen are temporal; but the things which are not seen are eternal." Remember these figures, farm value \$2,500.00 proposed debt \$61.50-

### THEIR MOTHER WAS A MARION WOMAN.

Worsham Boys Are Mollie Hodges' Sons.

Congressman Lieb, in a telegram to Dr. Ludson Worsham, 608 Adams avenue, stated that the doctor's son, Raymond Worsham, had passed the examination for entrance to Annapolis and would be able to enter there in June.—Evansville Courier.

### Nothing Too Good For Marion.

#### NEW POST OFFICE—

A topographic survey was made this week of the lot on which the Government Post Office building will be located this summer or fall. When completed which will be in about a year, this new Post Office will be a credit to Marion, a thing of beauty and a joy forever. It will cost around \$70,000.00.

#### NEW HIGH SCHOOL BUILDING—

The county and town high school building is a necessity which must be built ere the fall term of the Marion Graded and High School begins. Just what proportions it will assume remains to be seen but sufficient it is to say that the trustees will be equal to the occasion and will give us a building adequate to our need.

#### WILSONIA HOTEL—

In Central Park. The Wilsonia Hotel improvements are rapidly approaching completion. It will be equipped with water works, bath room, hot water heating system, spacious verandas, ample porches, electric lights, and will present a cool and inviting place of rest for the dust stained traveler.

#### BUNGALOW—DE—LUXE—

The Dixon residence on Bellville street is assuming proportions and it's beautiful contour is already plainly describable. It is to be equipped with modern improvements, will have drive ways, cozy porches and many attractive features. It will add much to that section of the city.

### LARRIPIN SPRING

(delayed from last week.)

J. C. Stone was in Paducah Monday on business.

J. C. Griffin and wife, of Dy-cusburg, were guests of his father, W. F. Griffin, Sunday.

Mrs. G. C. Owen and Leah Owen were in Fredonia Saturday shopping.

Sunday school every Sunday afternoon; and prayer meeting every Sunday night at Caldwell Springs. Everybody invited to attend.

Mrs. Mollie Hughey is slowly improving.



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# Good Roads Meetings.

The road question will be fully discussed at the following places, by the following named persons, and on the dates indicated.

FRANCIS school house, Wednesday 17th, at 7:30 p. m. W. B. Yandell and T. C. Bennett.  
BOAZ school, Thursday 18th, at 7:30. Yandell & Bennett.  
BLOOMING ROSE school house, Tuesday May 23rd, at 7:30. W. B. Yandell.  
WESTON school house, Wednesday May 17th, at 7:30. C. S. Nunn.  
HEBRON school house, Thursday May 18th, at 7:30. C. S. Nunn.  
BAKER school house, Thursday May 18th, at 7:30. R. E. Cooper, Hopkinsville.  
PINEY FORK school house, Friday May 19th, at 7:30. R. E. Cooper.  
MARION court house, Saturday May 20th, 1:30. R. E. Cooper.  
PROSPECT school house, Monday May 22nd, at 7:30. Hon. J. W. Blue & W. B. Yandell.  
OLIVE BRANCH school house, Thursday May 25th, at 7:30. Hon. J. W. Blue.  
MATTOON store, Friday May 19th, at 7:30. T. C. Bennett.  
TOLU school house, Wednesday May 24th, at 2. Speaker supplied.  
SHERIDAN, Wednesday May 24th, at 7:30. Speaker supplied.  
LEVIAS, LARUE'S store, Tuesday May 23rd, at 7:30. Speaker supplied.  
SHADY GROVE school house Wednesday May 24th, at 7:30. Speaker supplied.  
BELLS MINES school house, Friday May 26th, at 7:30. Speaker supplied.

The question before us today is one of considerable moment, and a question on which we need education. If we are against it let's inform ourselves why. If we are for it let's know the reason why. The men that are coming to you at these different places on the dates mentioned have been fully informed as to their position on this question and will be able to give you information on any and all points concerning the road issue. Come out, and hear them.

Yours very truly,

E. JEFFREY TRAVIS.

### MOCKING BIRD

(Mimus polyglottos)



Length, ten inches. Most easily distinguished from the similarly colored loggerhead shrike by the absence of a conspicuous black stripe through the eye.

Range: Resident from southern Mexico north to California. Wyoming, Iowa, Ohio and Maryland; casual farther north.

Habits and economic status: Because of its incomparable melodies and imitative powers, the mockingbird is the most renowned singer of the western hemisphere. Even in confinement it is a masterly performer, and formerly thousands were trapped and sold for cage birds, but this reprehensible practice has been largely stopped by protective laws. It is not surprising, therefore, that the mockingbird should receive protection principally because of its ability as a songster and its preference for the vicinity of dwellings. Its place in the affections of the South is similar to that occupied by the robin in the North. It is well that this is true, for the bird appears not to earn protection from a strictly economic standpoint. About half of its diet consists of fruit, and many cultivated varieties are attacked, such as oranges, grapes, figs, strawberries, blackberries, and raspberries. Somewhat less than a fourth of the food is animal matter, and grasshoppers are the largest single element. The bird is fond of cotton worms, and is known to feed also on the chinch bug, rice weevil, and bollworm. It is unfortunate that it does not feed on injurious insects to an extent sufficient to offset its depredations on fruit.

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## OUR PUBLIC FORUM

F. C. Howe

On The Advantages of Free Ports



Mr. F. C. Howe, Federal Commissioner of Immigration, who is one of the best American authorities on marine commerce, in discussing the relation of free ports to the development of sea trade said in part:

"Ships will go hundreds of miles out of their way to avoid ports surrounded by a tariff wall. The only way, therefore, for a country with a tariff to compete in the shipping world with a free-trade country is to establish free ports at strategic points along its coast line. Germany has done so, and in a comparatively short period has built up a carrying trade which before the war was seriously threatening England's supremacy. Hamburg, in the world, its total foreign commerce in 1913 being only \$6,000,000 under that of New York.

"The free port would offer great opportunity for financial operations, now made possible by the recent currency act. It would stimulate international banking, and would tend to shift the financial center of the world to this country. And America, by the logic of events, has become the natural center for the world's financing, just as London became the natural center ago, when it shifted from the cities of the Netherlands. But the financial center will only move to this country when it becomes a clearing house of goods as well as of money. For credit the world over is created by currently created wealth in transit or change so that our financial expansion is dependent upon the opening up of American ports to the clearance of the wealth of the world. A port should not operate to yield a return on the investment, but to develop the prosperity of the country." In recapitulating the advantages, Mr. Howe brings out the importance of the free port in developing our shipping and linking us with South America, Asia and Africa, and then concludes:

"The most important gain is the direct gain to America. It will cheapen commodities by bringing great quantities of goods to our doors for importation or export, as trade needs demand. It will stimulate the growth of exporting houses, which can hold goods for an indefinite period without payment of tariff dues (often equal to the cost of the article itself) for disposal to meet the trade demands of the whole world. It will uphold international credit and shift to America an increasing and ultimately a predominant share in international exchange.

"Finally, America is the natural country to be the counter of the world. Its seacoasts face every other continent; it is the greatest of all reservoirs of raw materials and foodstuffs. In iron and steel and standardized production it is in a position to compete with the world. But international trade (and this is always overlooked) must be reciprocal. It cannot be one-sided. And credit balances cannot for any prolonged period be paid in gold. They can only be paid by exchange of wealth."