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# THE MURRAY LEDGER.

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MURRAY, KENTUCKY, THURSDAY, MAY 10, 1917

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## 25 STUDENTS TO GRADUATE FROM MURRAY SCHOOL

### THE CLASS OF 1917

Ervin A. Albritton.  
Raymond C. Tolley.  
Fred M. Gingles.  
Uva S. Byrd.  
William Waldrop.  
Houston G. Curd.  
Pat Morris.  
James Prentice Glasgow.  
Charles V. Morris.  
Joseph S. Waters.  
John K. Shelton.  
Cullen A. Phillips.  
Lipton C. Wilcox.  
Pattie Laura Barnett.  
Ruth Frances Parker.  
Maryleona Bishop.  
Mary Frank Diuguid.  
Virginia Lenora McElrath.  
Nelle Radford Hughes.  
Nancy Faith Ellis.  
Laurine Wells.  
Mary Elizabeth Robertson.  
Obara Dorthan Wells.  
Genella D. Dunn.  
Evelyn Lion.

The Murray High School will close another successful term next week and preparations are now being made for the closing exercises which will begin Monday, May 14, and continue through the week. The program is as follows:

Class night, Monday, 8 o'clock, at the school auditorium.  
Baccalaureate sermon, Tuesday, 8 p. m., by Dr. Rutherford, at the Methodist church.  
Class play, Wednesday, 8 p. m., at the school auditorium.  
Commencement, Thursday, 8 p. m., at the school auditorium.

The graduating class this year is the largest in the history of the school and is composed of members who have made records that have never been equaled.



### Gifts For Graduates

FOR the sweet girl graduate whom you want to remember and whom you want to reward for her fine, delicate, beautiful, and useful gifts, see the complete assortment of ELGIN WATCHES—timepieces—a life companion of the recipient. Let us show you our suggestions to you.

JOE T. PARKER, Jeweler  
Murray, Ky.

And another historical event is that in number the boys excel, there being thirteen boys and twelve girls in the class.

The class play this year is something different from any previous. The class being of the present day type, has chosen a modern play, "Her Husband's Wife," by A. E. Thomas, one of the greatest present day writers. This will be one of the most enjoyable evenings you can possibly spend. The characters, who have been carefully selected, have before made wonderful records.

Reserved seats will be on sale at Dale & Stubblefield's at 35c each. These seats will also be reserved for you at the commencement address to be delivered by Dr. James I. Vance, of Nashville, Tenn. Dr. Vance is one of the ablest speakers of the south and has delivered more commencement addresses than any other two men of the south. Don't fail to hear him.

### Home Wedding

One of the most attractive home weddings was that of Mrs. Ione Smith and Mr. L. B. Harris, of Anderson, Ind. They were married at the home of the bride's sister, Mrs. Z. T. Conner. The house was artistically decorated with palms, ferns and carnations and lighted by hundreds of small candles.

The musical program consisted of a vocal solo by J. Rudy Oury and other selections by Mrs. Rob Mason, who played softly all through the ceremony which was said by Rev. H. B. Taylor. The bride is a daughter of the late Senator Gilbert and a sister of Noah and H. B. Gilbert, of this place. Her costume was of green tulle, with black picture hat and she carried orchids and sweet peas.

The groom is president of the Hutt-Harris Construction Co., of Indiana. After a short northern wedding trip they will make their home at Lake Winona, Ind.

### Cat Tobacco Acreage

Henderson, Ky., May 5.—It is estimated that only about one-half of the tobacco crop planned earlier in the season will be planted in this county.

During the market season, when tobacco brought higher prices than since the Civil War, growers declared they would set out a larger acreage than ever before. President Wilson's message urging farmers to raise more food crops is answered by farmers in this county, many of whom have cut their tobacco fields down one-half and, in some instances, altogether, to plant food products.

### 1st Regiment May go to France

Louisville, Ky., May 8. That the "Fighting First" will be assigned to France within the next three months, for active service on the Western battlefront of Europe, has become known in Louisville through the agency of a report from authoritative circles in Washington, D. C. Officers of the First Regiment disclaim any knowledge of possible foreign service for the Kentucky troops within so short a period of time.

## COMMITTEES ARE NAMED FOR DEFENSE COUNCIL

Frankfort, Ky., May 5. Initial steps toward organizing every county in the State for preparedness in food crop planting, cultivating and marketing were taken Friday by the appointment of representatives from congressional districts and counties on the Council of National Defense for the State of Kentucky.

Gov. Stanley is naming a committee for every county, which is expected to organize every neighborhood for the purpose of securing the production of every pound of foodstuff and every pound of livestock the county is capable of adding to the nation's store of feeding her own population, the army and her allies.

Already an agricultural subcommittee has started the work, and banks are notifying the residents of their communities that they stand ready to finance farm activities in food products and livestock.

Calloway county's representatives are J. D. Rowlett, Ben Grogan and Dr. P. A. Hart.

### Volunteers of 1861

W. R. Broach, a Confederate veteran, has compiled a list of names of Confederate soldiers, now living in Calloway county, who volunteered in 1861 to serve in the Civil War. Their names and ages are as follows:

J. L. Albritton, 77; W. P. Broach, 73; T. G. Broach, 75; T. F. Huie, 78; R. A. Hale, 83; S. M. Lancaster, 73; W. C. Robertson, 75; V. T. Roark, 74; J. N. Williams, 78; W. E. Dick, 73; W. M. Waterfield, 77; P. G. Thornton, 74; D. F. Waterfield, 79; E. G. Holland, 70; J. W. Ballance, 75; T. W. Kirkland, 74; W. J. Beale, 75; F. M. Perdue, 82; J. H. Litterback, 72; T. B. Grogan, 72; E. J. Cook, 77; J. M. Neale, 73; R. C. Campbell, 72; J. C. Denham, 77; R. C. Copeland, 73; J. G. Wilson, 80; J. S. Outland, 74; J. W. Story, 71; C. P. Lassiter, 78; O. T. Foster, 75; D. M. Butterworth, 76; J. P. Tucker, 73; J. M. Finney, 73; S. J. Story, 73; J. E. Cain, 73; W. G. Phillips, 78; A. F. Palmer, 73; N. G. Hooper, 80; Dr. E. B. Curd, 75; R. M. Blakeley, 73; C. M. Orr, 75; W. A. Pool, 75; J. K. P.

Wells, 74; B. F. Stone, 73; Ed W. Ryan, 77; S. C. Holcomb, 71; J. J. Swindell, 83; W. L. Gilbert, 78; Wint Coleman, 78; A. M. Doran, 84; Wm. F. Edwards, 80; C. C. Marshall, 78; C. B. Jones, 76; Clay Edwards, 73; John C. McCuiston, 82; Isaac Lassiter, 85; J. W. Morrison, 75; W. N. Beale, 75; J. H. Farley, 73; J. E. Hastings, 83; W. E. Hicks, 71; F. N. Wilson, 82; T. F. Williams, 75; Joe B. Ezell, 85; W. P. Tatum, 70; N. J. Bynum, 78; John W. Byrd, 74; W. M. Palmer, 74; R. B. Cunningham, 74; W. N. Wilson, 72; B. F. Hopkins, 71; S. P. Paschall, 77; W. W. Ellis, 72; B. F. Enoch, 74; Will Fiser, 75; J. T. Gingles, 74; A. W. Sweatt, 73; S. M. Enoch, 77; W. T. Hatcher, 73; Freeland Underwood, 73; John S. Irvin, 78; W. Ayers, 86; C. G. T. Manning, 76; P. M. McCuiston, 78; M. A. Clark, 77; J. L. Singleton, 71; W. B. Jones, 76; P. D. Wicker, 88; John Jackson, 75; S. H. Webb, 71; Joseph Orr, 72; T. P. Jones, 76.

### Murray to Have Free Delivery of Mail

A telegram was received Wednesday from Congressman Barkley by the postmaster, saying that Murray would have free delivery beginning June 1st. Two carriers will be put on and two deliveries daily. Mr. Robertson has been working on this for some time and through Mr. Barkley it has been secured.

The deed to the Schroeder lot, recently purchased by the government for a postoffice building site, has been made, recorded and forwarded to the postoffice department at Washington.

### German Ends Life Rather than Fight

St. Louis, Mo., May 7. Joseph Rusch, of 1907 Dillon street, a former German soldier, committed suicide yesterday morning because he feared he would be conscripted into the United States army and that he would be forced to fight against the Fatherland.

Rusch took carbolic acid his family told the police, after brooding for several days over the possibility of being drafted into the army under the recent conscription bill. He was 40 years old and an iron worker.

### Commission Given Men of Third

Lexington, May 8.—Fifteen enlisted men of the Third regiment were certified as qualified for commissions in the army. Four are privates and others sergeants. The names were not given.

## CIVIL OFFICIALS TO BE IN CHARGE OF REGISTRATION

Washington, May 5. An official outline of the method by which military registration is to be carried out under the selective conscription bill, was made public today, with an appeal from the War Department for the voluntary services of State election and other officials in order that there may be no delay in enrolling and classifying millions of men for army duty.

Careful preparation has been made to place the whole task in the hands of civilian officials of the State and to remove every suggestion of military force in putting the measure into effect.

The only function of the Federal government will be supervision through the office of the Provost Marshall General.

The Department's statement follows:

There was a time in the country's history when military enumerators, backed by bayonets, went out among the people to take a compulsory service census. Today under the principle of universal liability to service the execution of the law is put into the hands of the people.

The approval of the new national army bill and the President's proclamation thereunder will be coincident.

All persons within the age limits prescribed will be required to present themselves for registration at the customary voting places in the voting precincts in which they have their permanent homes, on a day which the President will announce. The probability is, that from ten to fifteen days will elapse between approval of the bill and registration day.

The Governor of each State will be the chief of registration therein. The machinery of registration in each county is to be in charge of the sheriff, the county clerk, and the county physician, acting ex-officio, unless a different board shall be announced by the Governor. In cities containing populations of more than 30,000, the registration will be under the control of the Mayor and selected boards of registration.

Health of Soldiers to be Safeguarded.

Washington, May 7. Decisive steps for the hygienic and mental welfare of the nation's soldiers and sailors have been determined upon by the Council of National Defense as a strict war measure. The council, guided by the General Medical Board, has prepared to strike at the presence of insidious disease and at alcoholism in all military commands.

Decisions were announced yesterday as follows:

"First—That under military control an effective zone shall be created about all military commands as the most practicable and effective measure to prevent insidious diseases.

"Second—That these military

zones shall serve also as a means of control of alcoholic beverages to the troops. These decisions are reached by the council after exhaustive study of conditions to-day among great European armies.

"Zones about military commands will, therefore, be created and conditions in these zones will be guarded by military measures so as to prevent the spread of disease. The two military arms of the Government officially recognize that confidence is compatible with health.

"The council also recommends, as a further solution of the problem, that all military commands be provided with good facilities for the recreation of the troops. It urges that all suitable athletic be encouraged.

"The use of alcoholic beverages on the part of the soldiers and sailors in military commands has long been under military control. But the creation now of these military zones will in effect extend such control over the troops when they are off duty out of the commands."

"To face these ugly facts is an unflinching and no half-hearted fashion," said Dr. Franklin M. Martin, member of the Advisory Commission of the Council of National Defense, "makes for the fighting power of the nation. But our troops are inseparably a part of our civil life, and a clean, wholesome, temperate life among these troops will in the end make for our civil advancement, compared to which the cost of the war is nothing. The whole nation is indebted to the General Medical Board for its thoroughgoing research, and for its definite recommendations in the matter of real protection to our boys."

The General Medical Board, which unanimously approved the plan of the council, includes the Surgeons General of the army, navy and public health and a large number of the country's most noted medical men.

## FORMER MURRAY BOY WRITES REGARDING SHERIFF'S RACE

Albany, N. Y., April 27.

O. J. Jennings, Murray, Ky.

Dear O. J.: Am indeed glad to note you have announced your self as a candidate for sheriff, sorry too that I am not going to be on hand to give you another vote, however, am sure my vote is not needed, as the people of Calloway county are certainly broad minded enough to know, or realize, that you have worked among and for them, always looking forward to their welfare. The valuable service and advice which you have rendered them at all times cannot be computed in dollars and cents. You are surely entitled to and deserving of the best they can give. It behooves each and every citizen of the county to give you their earnest and loyal support, thereby electing you to the office of sheriff by an overwhelming majority, and in this way only can they express the appreciation they must have for one who has proven their friend at all times.

Extending to you congratulations which I know will be in order, and assuring you of my most high appreciation of your friendship, I beg to remain,

W. R. Frazier.



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This grade of ornamental roofing is surfaced with a mineral containing a beautiful and permanent green shade. The mineral surfacing, while giving a beautiful green effect to the face of the roofing which will never fade or discolor, also furnishes at the same time a weather-resisting coating that can be depended upon for service for many years to come. Green Slate Roofing is recommended for small homes, good barns or any class of buildings where an ornamental effect is desired at small cost. It is made on the heaviest wool felt used in best grades of roofing and is 32 inches wide, weighs 80 pounds per roll, complete with galvanized nails and cement.

In connection with the above roofing we can sell you some cheap roofing, but QUALITY COUNTS.

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For any pain, burn, scald or bruise, apply Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil—the household remedy. Two sizes, 25c and 50c, at all drug stores.

It will pay you to look over our line of pianos—Murray Furniture and Undertaking Co.

Home of S. C. Reds. Eggs for sale, 15 for 50c; packed \$1.—Mrs. Frank Beaman, Murray, Ky., Rt. 1. Phone 285.

Don't use harsh physics. The reaction weakens the bowels, leads to chronic constipation. Get Doan's Regulets. They operate easily. 25c at all stores.

### Enjoys Reading the Ledger.

Boatwright, Ky., Apr. 25, '17  
Mr. O. J. Jennings, Murray, Ky.  
Dear Editor:—I have been a subscriber to your paper for several years and am always glad to receive the Ledger. I am 64 years of age and have eight living children, all of which I am very proud of. I have 28 grand children and one great grand son, he is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Hale. I am going to call him Hackie Horner. Your friend,  
S. L. Chadwick.

Can't look well, eat well, or feel well with impure blood. Keep the blood pure with Burdock Blood Bitters. Eat simply, take exercise, keep clean, and good health is pretty sure to follow. \$1.00 a bottle.



JOE E. JOHNSON  
Candidate for Representative

Statement of the ownership, management, etc., required by the act of Congress of August 24, 1912, of the Murray Ledger, published weekly at Murray, Ky., for April 1, 1917.

Before me, a notary public, in and for the state and county aforesaid, personally appeared O. J. Jennings, who, having been duly sworn according to law, deposes and says that he is the owner of the Murray Ledger and the following is to the best of his knowledge and belief, a true statement of the ownership and management of the aforesaid publication for the date shown in the above caption, required by the act of August 24, 1912, embodied in section 413, Postal Laws and Regulations.

That the name and address of the publisher, editor, managing editor, business manager and owner is O. J. Jennings, Murray, Ky.

That the known bondholders, mortgagees and other security holders owning or holding one per cent or more of the total amount of bonds, mortgages, or other securities are: None.

O. J. Jennings.  
Sworn to and subscribed before me this 19th day of April, 1917.  
M. D. Hulston,  
Notary Public.

If it is a piano, organ or gramophone you need, we have it. Murray Furniture and Undertaking Co.

For the first time, according to statistics soon to be issued by the Rev. Dr. H. K. Carroll, of the Federal Council of the Churches of Christ in America, the enrollment of the religious bodies of the United States has passed the 40,000,000 mark. The figures include Protestants, Roman Catholics, Orthodox Catholics, Jews and all other religious organizations and sects. The increase in membership during the past year was 746,669 of whom about 500,000 were Protestants. The Methodist are credited with a gain of about 136,000, the Baptist with 139,000, Presbyterian and Reformed Churches with 87,562, the remainder of the half million increase being divided among more than 100 other sects. Dr. Carroll has found that during the past 20 years the net increase in the membership of all religious bodies in the country has been 94 per cent., while the population of the country in the same time only 61 per cent.

### A TEXAS WONDER.

The Texas Wonder cures kidney and bladder troubles, dissolves gravel, cures diabetes, weak and lame backs, rheumatism, and irregularities of the kidneys and bladder in both men and women. Regulates bladder troubles in children. If not sold by your druggist, will be sent by mail on receipt of \$1.00. One small bottle is two months' treatment, and seldom fails to perfect a cure. Send for sworn testimonials. Dr. E. W. Hall, 2926 Olive street, St. Louis, Mo. Sold by druggists.

To Guardians, Administrators and Fiduciaries. The law requires that you settle with the court at least once every two years, even if you have never received any funds into your hands. All guardians, administrators, executors, etc., whose settlements are due, must come and make settlement within the next thirty days, as required by law. Please attend to this, bringing with you vouchers for all money that you have paid out. L. A. L. Langston, J. C. C. C.

### Registered Stock.

If you want to breed to a good registered saddle horse, jack or Hampshire hog, go to I. T. Crawford's, 6 miles west of Murray, Ky. He insures an 8 day old colt. Postoffice, Lynn Grove, Ky. 4194

Hives, eczema, itch or salt rheum sets you crazy. Can't bear the touch of your clothing. Doan's Ointment is fine for skin itching. All druggists sell it, 50c a box.



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Cowboy Herbalist

### COM-CEL-SAR

Was Over \$1,000 Worth of Doctors and Other Medicines.

Paducah, Ky., R. 2, April 17, 1917.—I am writing this for the benefit it may do someone else, says Mr. Will Jolly. For the past four years this has been my trouble: Yellow, swarthy color, constipated, lazy, dull feeling, no appetite, bloating of stomach, always nervous. Everything I would try to eat hurt my stomach, then I would vomit up and my heart would seem to stop beating. Cold sweat would pop out over my body and I would get so nervous I would think I was going to die. If I would take a drink of coffee I would spit it up in five minutes. Everything would sour my stomach. I was short of breath and it was impossible for me to do a day's work. I was afraid to leave home by myself for fear I would never get back. My doctor told me not to go out any distance by myself. He said I had heart trouble. I have taken all kinds of medicines doctors' and patents, and I am sure that one thousand dollars wouldn't cover my bills. Five weeks ago I went to B. B. Hook's drug store. There I met DAKOTA JACK. He says, "Mr. Jolly, if this medicine don't make you feel like a new man, it won't cost you a cent," so I started taking COM-CEL-SAR. I then weighed 120 pounds. Today I weigh 142 1/2 pounds, a gain of 22 1/2 pounds in 5 weeks and I sure feel like a new man. All my bad feelings have left me. I sleep well at night, drink coffee. It tastes good and stays with me. I eat anything I want any time I want it. No more heart trouble. No more stomach trouble and I sure feel like a new man. I advise everybody who has any of the above troubles to take COM-CEL-SAR. Upon my word it's a wonder. If you doubt this, call and see me, or write me. Ask any friends who know me the condition I was in and the change that has taken place. I will always be a preacher for this great remedy, COM-CEL-SAR.

Yours for good health about all things.

WILL JOLLY, Paducah, Ky., R. 2.

Com-Cel Sar, the wonder Medicine, Price \$1. Cowboy Lintment for All Pain, 25 Cents; Science Soap for Human Skin, 10 Cents; 3 bars 25 cents.

All on sale at H. D. Thornton & Co's drug store.

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## HOUSTON APPEALS TO THE WOMEN

CAN DO THEIR "BIT" BY PRACTICING STRICTEST ECONOMY IN THE HOME.

### MUST NOT WASTE FOOD

Housewives Must Learn To Plan Economical and Properly Balanced Meals—Should Be Economical in Clothing.

Washington.—In an appeal "to the women of the United States," Secretary Houston declares that they can do their "bit" most effectively in the national emergency by practicing effective thrift in their households. The appeal was prompted by many requests for a statement as to the service women can render the nation in the direction of producing and conserving agricultural products.

"Every woman can render important service to the nation in its present emergency," says the appeal. "She need not leave her home or abandon her home duties to help the armed forces. She can help to feed and clothe our armies and help supply food to those beyond the seas by practicing effective thrift in her own household."

"Every ounce of food the housewife saves from being wasted in her home—all food which she or her children produce in the garden and can preserve—every garment which care and skillful repair make it unnecessary to replace—all lessen that household's draft on the already insufficient world supply."

"To save food the housewife must learn to plan economical and properly balanced meals, which, while nourishing each member of the family properly, do not encourage overeating or offer excessive and wasteful variety. It is her duty to use all effective methods to protect food from spoilage by heat, dirt, mice or insects. She must acquire the culinary ability to utilize every bit of edible food that comes into her home. She must learn to use such foods as vegetables, beans, peas and milk products as partial substitutes for meat. She must make it her business to see that nothing nutritious is thrown away or allowed to be wasted."

### NEW ELECTRICAL DEVICE

To Stop Ravages of Submarines—Device Has Been Experimented With in the Atlantic.

New York.—A program to stop the ravages of German submarines on maritime commerce has been submitted to the government by the naval advisory board. This was announced by W. L. Saunders, chairman of the board. He said the plan, in his opinion, was a practical solution of the U-boat problem. He said that it was not purely theoretical, but that it had been proved by actual tests along the Atlantic coast. The scheme is not merely a defensive measure against the submarine. Mr. Saunders said, but called for "offensive operations on an offensive scale."

### GERMANS ARE PRAISED.

Attorney-General Gregory Says They Are Obeying the Law.

Washington.—Atty Gen. Gregory publicly praised German-Americans of the United States for their obedience to the laws of the country since war was begun with Germany. The attorney general announced that only 135 arrests had been made in this country because of the failure of enemy aliens to abide by the rules laid down for them in President Wilson's recent proclamation.

"The foreign-born citizens of America as a class deserve the highest commendation and praise for the manner in which they have conducted themselves since the declaration of war against Germany."

### GERMAN ATTACK FAILS.

British Held All Ground Won in the Region of Bullecourt.

London.—The British are successfully maintaining themselves in the breach they have made in the Hindenburg line, near Bullecourt. The Germans delivered a determined attack at this point, which, entirely futile, and were balked again in a similar effort, the war office announced, the British fire breaking up the attempt. Northwest of St. Quentin the Germans were failed in an effort to take ground lost east of Leverghier.

### Martial Law in Bohemia.

London.—Martial law has been proclaimed throughout Bohemia, according to a Prague telegram to the Exchange Telegraph correspondent at Geneva. All newspapers of Bohemia have suspended publication; the only exception being the Prague press.

### Textile Wage Increase.

Lowell, Mass.—A wage increase of approximately 10 per cent. for 20,000 cotton mill operatives, effective May 14, was announced by mills here.

## FRENCH CAPTURE 4,300 MEN

Brilliant Success of French Army When Advance is Made On a Four-Mile Front.

Paris.—A brilliant success for the French army is recorded in the official communication issued by the war office. An important French advance has been made against powerful opposition along the road from Soissons to Laon, over an extent of nearly four miles. French troops have captured all the plateau in the neighborhood of Cerny and Caronne and the hills dominating the valley of the Ailette river. The number of prisoners captured was 4,300. In addition to the 1,000 taken May 4.

The text of the statement reads: "Our operations continued to develop in conjunction with those of the British armies in the region northeast of Soissons and the Chemin-Des-Dames. Notwithstanding the desperate resistance of the Germans who have been thrown without number into the struggle important contingents, our troops gained a very brilliant success."

"Southeast of Vauxilles we attacked a salient in the Hindenburg line and carried German positions on a front of about six kilometers, one part on the line extending from the Moley farm to Moulins de Laffaux and the other east of Moulins, where we advanced our lines as far as the immediate vicinity of the road from Soissons to Laon, north of Nanteuil-La-Posse and Bancy."

"The enemy suffered exceptionally heavy losses in the course of his counter attacks, which he has multiplied in this region and which have broken down under our artillery and machine gun fire."

### RIVAL PARTIES IN CLASH

Soldiers and Workmen Determined To Have Their Way—New Regime Is Threatened.

Petrograd (via London).—A clash has occurred between rival parties in the Nevsky Prospect. In which a number of shots were fired. An officer and a girl are reported killed and several persons wounded. Many hundreds of factory workers, men, women and boys preceded by double files of soldiers, marched down the Nevsky Prospect with a banner inscribed "Away with the temporary government."

Although the sentiment of the workmen and soldiers' council apparently is against extreme measures unless they are absolutely necessary, every speaker at the meeting emphasized the contention that the power in Russia rests in the hands of the representatives of the workmen and soldiers and that they are determined to enforce their views upon the temporary government or immediately dispose of it and construct a government of their own liking.

### MAY GET \$100 MONTHLY.

Congress May Enact Law Requiring Pay For Boys At Training Camp.

Washington.—The Tennessee boys who are anticipating a course of military study in the officers' training camp to be established at Fort Oglethorpe, Ga., May 14, will be glad to know that in all probability congress may enact a law requiring the government to pay them \$100 per month. Representative Dent, chairman of the house military committee, stated that the war department had communicated to him its desire for such a law.

### REVOLTS IN CENTRAL MEXICO

Gen. Garcia Chavez Said To Have Denounced New President and Opposed Against Government.

El Paso, Tex.—Revolts against the Carranza government are reported to have broken out in the states of Tepic, Jalisco, Guanajuato and Irapuato, Central Mexico, according to advices received by government agents.

Gen. Garcia Chavez, of the Carranza army, is reported to have denounced the new president and to be operating against the government in Jalisco. He has severed all communications between Guanajuato and Irapuato, the main line between the Pacific coast and Mexico City. Gen. Orozco Pina, Carranza paymaster-general, is reported to have revolted to Tepic.

### WALKS FAR TO ENLIST.

Travels 140 Miles Without Food To Become Marine.

Chicago.—Johns Hopkins, of Whitehall, Wis., great-grandson of the founder of Johns Hopkins University at Baltimore, is a United States marine, having walked the 140 miles to Chicago to Madison, Wis., where he was a student in the University of Wisconsin, without food or sleep. His physical condition as a result of the walk was such that when he first applied he was rejected. After obtaining a meal, however, he again was examined and passed.

### SOCIALISTS IN STOCKHOLM

May Day Demonstration Brought To A Peaceful Conclusion.

London.—A Stockholm dispatch says the greatest Socialist demonstration was brought to a peaceful conclusion.

A crowd assembled in the streets of Stockholm, carrying banners, with inscriptions demanding more food and better conditions of life. Hundreds of children with queer banners participated and order was maintained by special police.

## EXPLAINS METHODS OF OPERATION OF ARMY DRAFT LAW

EXPLICIT INSTRUCTIONS FOR THE GUIDANCE OF THOSE HAVING MATTER IN CHARGE.

### COUNTY OFFICIALS TO ACT

Their Duties Designated. With the Governors of Each State Placed at the Head of All Registration Machinery—Voting Places to Be Used as Centers of Gatherings.

Washington.—To facilitate the work of raising the military forces called for by the army draft law, now in effect, the war department has issued the following letter of instruction, by which all officials connected with the duty will be governed:

"The approval of the new national army bill and the president's proclamation thereunder have been coincident. All persons within the age limits prescribed are required to present themselves for registration at the customary voting places in the voting precincts in which they have their permanent homes, on a day which the president will announce."

There was a time in the country's history when military enumerators, backed by bayonets, went out among the people to take a compulsory service census. Today, under the principle of universal liability to service, the execution of the law is put into the hands of the people.

The governor of each state is the chief of registration therein. The machinery of registration to each county is in charge of the sheriff, the county clerk, and the county physician, acting ex officio, unless a different board shall be announced by the governor. In cities containing populations of more than 30,000, the registration will be under the control of the mayor and selected boards of registration. In order that the designated county and city officials, and the people generally, can get a clear understanding of the census methods the following brief outline is given:

The sheriffs, or other designated officials, immediately upon receiving notice from the governor, shall appoint registrars for each voting precinct.

### Apportionment of Registrars.

The proportion of registrars shall be one for each 170 persons to be registered. Each age to be registered will comprise about 1 per cent of the population.

If, for instance, all men between nineteen and twenty-five years of age, inclusive, are to be registered, the registrar would have to enroll about 7 per cent of the precinct population.

It is desirable to accept the services of competent volunteer registrars to serve without compensation. All registrars must be sworn.

The voting place in each precinct must be prepared for registration. Full printed instructions covering every detail of registration will be in the hands of sheriffs and mayors on the fifth day after the president's proclamation.

### Cities of Over 30,000 Population.

The mayor of a city containing more than 30,000 inhabitants, or the officials designated by the governor therein, shall, with approval of the governor, appoint a board of registrars, or a board of minor subdivision containing about 30,000 people one registration board, and shall designate one officer of each board to perform duties similar to those imposed on the sheriff, as heretofore outlined. If the mayor desires, he may appoint a central board to coordinate the work of minor boards. Duties of County Clerks, and of Clerks of Cities of Over 30,000 People.

On the fifth day after the president's proclamation, the clerks of counties and cities of over 30,000 must secure a supply of blanks and copies of the registration regulations from the sheriff or from the mayor. Absentees and the Sick.

Persons absent from their home counties may be registered by mail. If so absent, a man should go to the clerk of the county where he may be staying, on the sixth day after the date of the president's proclamation. If he is in a city of over 30,000 population, the city clerk is the official to whom to apply. The absentee will be told how to register, but he must mail his card in time to reach his precinct by registration day.

Persons too sick to present themselves for registration must send a competent person to the county or city clerk on the sixth day after the issuance of the proclamation.

### CONTROL OF FOOD SUPPLIES

Measure Introduced in Congress to Give President Full Authority in the Matter.

Washington.—Governmental control of food, fuel, clothing and other necessities of life is contemplated in a bill which Representative Lever introduced. The measure has administrative support.

The bill would bring every agency connected with the food supply under

control of the president. This will include stimulation of production, prevention of waste, regulation of distribution, prohibition of hoarding and elimination of speculation.

The president would have authority to direct shipments of foodstuffs into markets where needed most. He would also have power to requisition factories, mines and other establishments. The bill contains a clause to prevent flooding of the American market by imports, so these articles will not compete with American products.

Officials of educational, charitable and other institutions should apply for instructions to the county or city clerk on the sixth day after the date of the proclamation for instructions as to a convenient method of registration. The wardens of jails, penitentiaries, and reformatories should apply to the county or city clerk for instructions on the sixth day.

Five days after the date of the president's proclamation complete regulations will be in the hands of all sheriffs and of the officials of cities of over 30,000 population.

The president is authorized to call upon all public officers to assist in the execution of the law. The plan is, however, to rely on the people for the proper execution of the law. It is expected that patriotic citizens will offer their services free as registrars. Volunteers for this service should communicate immediately with the proper official.

### BANKS ASKED TO CO-OPERATE

Secretary Authorizes Financial Institutions to Receive Subscriptions for the Bond Offerings.

Washington.—Secretary McAdoo telegraphed the entire list of 27,518 noteholders and stockholders and trust companies in the United States, authorizing them to receive subscriptions for the \$2,000,000,000 bond offering, soliciting their cooperation, and requesting them to telegraph a rough estimate of the amount of bonds each would take for itself and its patrons.

"You can render an invaluable service to your country," Mr. McAdoo told the banks, "by receiving subscriptions and co-operating with the federal reserve bank in your district."

### To All Clearing House Associations in the Country Mr. McAdoo Sent a Telegram in Which He Said:

"The amount of the initial loan has been determined by the needs of the government and not arbitrarily. The enthusiastic and patriotic co-operation of the banks and bankers of the country will guarantee the success of the undertaking."

The result of the first announcement of the loan has been a deluge of subscriptions, aggregating many millions. Most of these came in by wire to the treasury. Virtually every large city and every state in the Union was represented.

Lend \$100,000,000 to Italy.

Negotiations continued today with representatives of the nations to which the United States is extending credit. Count de Celleri, the Italian ambassador, received the full amount of this first \$100,000,000 loan made by the government to Italy.

Subscriptions to the second offering of treasury certificates were received during the day by the federal reserve banks. Indications are that the secretary will call for the proceeds within a week, possibly a few days.

The \$100,000,000 loan to France will be turned over to Ambassador Jusserand, in whole or part, within a day or so.

### MAY CENTER IN WASHINGTON

Probability That One Committee Will Purchase All Supplies Needed by the Allied Countries.

Washington.—Creation of a central purchasing committee in Washington for all supplies bought in the United States for the allied governments was forecast here by Sir Hardman Lever, financial expert of the British war mission. The committee will supplant J. P. Morgan & Co.

Discussing the world financial situation, the British expert expressed the opinion that Germany will be practically bankrupt in the credit markets after the war.

"Our enemies," he said, "for all their boasted efficiency, have never had the courage to face their financial problems, with the result that when the war is over they will be hard put to it."

The Teutonic governments having perambled one internal loan upon another, he explained, their interest charges would be so great that he believed they would either have to repudiate a large part of their debt or face inability to buy the enormous quantities of material they would need for reconstruction.

The allies, he added, had paid their way in the war "by the straightforward and natural means, by pouring out their gold, by selling enormous masses of American securities, by raising loans." As a result, he predicted, that the end of the war would find the allies in good shape financially, despite their enormous permanent debts.

### Another U. S. Ship Sunk.

Washington, May 4.—The American sailing vessel Willard Abrahams was sunk off the Irish coast, the crew of six being rescued, according to a message received by the state department.

## WORK IN HARMONY

PARTIES FORGET DIFFERENCES AT COUNTRY'S CALL

Threat of Peril to Nation Brings All Together—Salvation of the State the One Thing to Be Fought For.

At the beginning of his first term Mr. Wilson called for "team work." He was addressing the members of his own party. Charged with full responsibility, the party, as he pointed out, could not, unless by united effort, redeem its promises and meet its obligations to the country.

The call was heeded and obeyed. Democratic factions ceased "factioning" and worked together. A great deal of legislation was accomplished, United the party stood; and it did not fall last November.

At the beginning of his second term Mr. Wilson addressed this call to both parties. There must be "team work" by both in providing for the war. Declared by both, the war has claimed upon both for adequate support. Neither partyism nor factionism should show itself inside or outside of congress at this time.

The president and the secretary of the treasury confer with both Democrats and Republicans about war questions. The former invited Republican leaders to the White House, and the latter invited bankers of all shades of opinion to the treasury department. Both sought the benefit of the best thought going on subjects relating to the war, and are assuming, wisely, let us all hope—that only patriotic and unselfish opinions will be offered.

This does not mean, nor should it mean, that differences of opinion will not arise as to expenditures and results. It is altogether likely that they will, and when they do it will be desirable that they find frank and public expression. In this country discussion is at once the life and the salvation of the state. Without it we should get nowhere as a nation.

But likely as such differences are, it is quite as unlikely that they will take on a party phase, or be conducted to the country's peril.

### Wise Financial Policy.

Any doubts that may have existed as to the success of the war loan have been laid at rest. The fundamental distinction between bonds and taxes is not, as is often asserted, that bonds postpone the payment for the war, for their purchase entails a present sacrifice as surely as does the payment of taxes. Bonds repay the present loss to the individual with a future income, whereas taxes are a payment—once and for all. Some time, the bonds must be paid for by taxes, and the question is: Why not tax at once?

There are several reasons. First is the greater ease with which money can be raised through a bond sale. But more important is the temporary harm that results through any sudden change so violent as would be the attempt to pay for the war entirely by taxation. If the war is to last for a long time, there will be plenty of opportunity to increase the taxes gradually, and with a minimum of evil results. On the other hand, if the war is over this year, we should be forced to make two drastic readjustments within a short time, first in meeting the taxes, and then in removing them.

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Today there's only one party in America—the American party. It is made up of all American citizens. Its platform is "America first." Its main duty is to represent the American people. Everything else is merged in the one great ideal.

### In for a Real Fight.

We believe that Mr. Wilson and his advisers fully appreciate the wisdom of waging a real war. They know that a war in which we can count quickly make Germany feel the full weight of our arms would be at once the most humane and the least expensive war we could undertake. The victory of such a war, the limitation of our naval operations to the mere patrolling of ocean lanes and the controlling of ships and a refusal to send an army abroad would neither before Germany nor satisfy the now plainly expressed demand of the American people.—Brooklyn Eagle.

### Taxation Problem.

The problem of the war before the nation is one of raising the vast sums that we shall need in such a way as to cripple industry as little as possible. New taxes and heavy ones there must be. The country has the right to expect that the best expert advice will be taken. Little has been said recently of stamp taxes. We trust that there will, constituting a part of the new tax system. There are, however, many who are not ready to pay as a patriotic duty. They are not ready to pay as a patriotic duty.

## BROKEN DOWN IN HEALTH

Woman Tells How \$5 Worth of Pinkham's Compound Made Her Well.

Lima, Ohio.—"I was all broken down in health from a displacement. One of my lady friends came to see me and she advised me to take Pinkham's Compound."

"I began taking your remedies and took \$5.00 worth and in two months was a well woman after three doctors said I never would stand up straight again. I was a widow for seven years and I recommended the Vegetable Compound to every woman to take before birth and afterwards, and they all got along so nicely that it surely is a godsend to suffering women. If women wish to write to me I will be delighted to answer them."

—Mrs. Jennie Morris, 342 E. North St., Lima, Ohio.

Women who suffer from displacements, weakness, irregularities, nervousness, backache, or bearing-down pains, need the tonic properties of the Vegetable Compound in Lydia E. Pinkham's Compound.

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A Careful Young Man.

"You want to marry my daughter?" "I'm not certain, but I'd like to take an opinion on her hand, sir."

### NO MALARIA—NO CHILLS.

"Plasmodin" Chills Tonic is guaranteed to drive away Chills and Fever or your money refunded. Price 50c.—Adv.

### Told Truth for 148 Years.

On Lincoln's birthday, an aged man was brought into the jail at Butte, Mont., for drunkenness. When he proved that he had voted and fought for Lincoln, Jailer Lovell sent him home in a fasten. Word of this got around town, and on Washington's birthday, a "drunk" announced that he had voted for Washington.

"You must be a pretty old man," the jailer said.

"Past eighty," ventured the drunk. "You'll have to come again," declared the jailer.

"I didn't say how much past eighty," cautiously replied the alleged drunkard.

"What's Washington famous for?" asked Lovell, as he continued his work of writing the man's name down on the blotter.

"He never told a lie," simply answered the old fellow.

"And I suppose you're following his example?"

"You bet your life," said the drunkard.

"Bring this fellow to jail and we'll charge him with lying," instructed the jailer in one of his assistants—Butte Post.

### A Guess From the Gulch.

"What's this Hindenburg line we read so much about?" asked Three-Fingered Sam.

"I can't say for certain," replied Broncho Bob, "but judging by the looks being put into it, it must look like a larlet in the hands of a tenderfoot."

### Frequently a young man has no

much common sense that a college education doesn't unfit him for a useful career.

### Economy! Flavor! Nutrition! Grape-Nuts

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## ANNOUNCEMENTS

The Ledger is authorized to announce the following candidates for office in Calloway county before the primary election on Saturday, August 4, 1917, subject to the action of the democratic party:

For County Judge—  
L. A. L. LANGSTON.  
K. P. PHILLIPS

For Sheriff  
JOE CLARK  
TOM M. JONES.  
FELIX L. BAILEY.  
CLINT DRINKARD.  
DEE HOUSTON.  
WILL F. JORDAN.  
O. J. JENNINGS.  
T. M. HAYDEN

For County Court Clerk  
R. M. (Thal) PHILLIPS.  
JOE W. WINCHESTER.  
O. W. (Lum) ADAMS.  
E. B. ROSS.  
KENNETH MATHENEY.  
G. H. WINDSOR.  
H. CLINT BROACH.

For School Superintendent  
ROBERT E. BROACH.  
C. A. HALE.

For County Attorney  
ISAAH W. KEYS.  
Wm. H. JONES.

For Representative  
LEE CLARK  
T. P. OLIVER.  
JOE E. JOHNSON

For Jailer  
S. M. CAGLE.  
WERT ALDERSON.  
SAM MARR.  
ALLISON WILSON.  
GEORGE E. ROWLETT.  
W. S. BLAKELY.  
G. P. KLINE.  
ALBERT I. JONES.  
JOHN T. WICKER.  
SAMUEL H. BYRD.  
ULOUS CUNNINGHAM

For Assessor  
GUY F. FIELDER.  
WALTER DARNELL.  
W. WALTER CRISP.  
ELMER E. WILSON.

Magistrates.

Murray District—  
T. F. CARPON.  
L. C. JONES.  
W. N. BEALE.

Concord District  
JOE P. THURMAN.

Liberty District

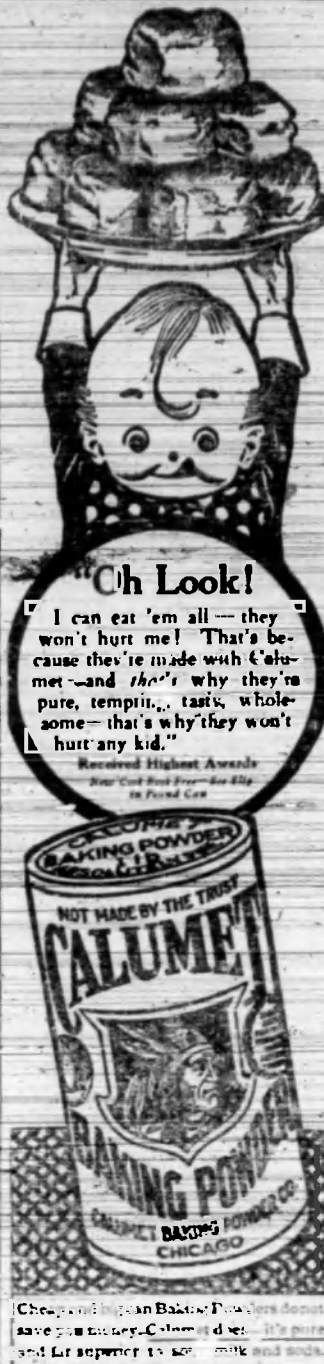
Brinkley District—  
A. J. BURKEEN.  
J. H. HUGHES.  
A. P. R. (Doc) ADAMS.

Hazel District  
W. N. WILLIS.

Vadoboro District.  
TOM P. RADFORD.  
J. DEMIS TREATHAN.  
EUGENE WOODALL.

Medical Association Meet.

Paducah, Ky., May 8.—The Southwestern Medical Association which convened at the city hall this morning in its forty-seventh annual meeting, waived plans for entertainment and adjourned over to the American Red



Cross Society over \$100 that had been made up for a banquet for tonight. The money will be given to the local Red Cross organization. It was contributed by the McCracken County Medical Society and the association voted its approval of doing away with the entertainment and helping the Red Cross.

About 100 doctors from all over this end of the state are in attendance at the meeting. The program this morning and this afternoon was devoted to scientific topics with many interesting addresses. Dr. W. A. Jenkins, professor of medicine in the University of Louisville, spoke this afternoon on "Blood Pressure in Medicine."

Drs. Jones, Outland and Houston of Calloway attended this meeting.

Divine Right in Germany.

"Another iron flag," says the New York Times, "is closing around Germany. The ring is welded not of armies, but of democracies. Isolated, cut off from the world, the German people are being strangled by the modern world, Germany, dragging Austria after her."

hee's, makes her last stand, a feudal, absolutist State, driven toward ruin by military caste, desperately confronting self-governing States that seek permanent peace."

The picture is a true one. A month ago Germany was waging war against Great Britain, France and Russia, and the last named of her enemies was an absolute, and at times, a tyrannical monarchy. Since then Russia has freed herself, and the great self-governing nation of the United States has come into the war. Today the German government is opposing something more potent than the armies and fleets of Great Britain, France, Russia and the United States; it is opposing the spirit of democracy; it is making a last effort to preserve a doomed order, wherein absolute monarchs dispose of the lives and property of their subjects as they will.

It is well at this time that the President of the United States is making known the fact that he is making war not against the German people, but against the German government to make clear again just what that government is. Upon that subject there is no room for dispute. It has been stated by the German Kaiser himself, fearlessly and clearly, and his version has been submitted to by the German nation. The Kaiser's own analysis of the German government is as follows:

First—I am Emperor and King by divine right, by the direct election of God.

Second—The State is my property, to be administered justly, but with absolute freedom from interference, criticism or attack.

Third—The weapon of the government is my army, which is the inheritance of my family. To be used to snipe down my enemies.

In 1910, only four years before the outbreak of the present war, the Kaiser made a speech at Konigsberg, in East Prussia. He read from manuscript as follows:

"And here my grandfather, again, by his own right, set the Prussian crown upon his head, once more emphasizing the fact that it was accorded him by the will of God alone and not by Parliament or by any assemblage of the people or by popular vote, and that he thus looked upon himself as the chosen instrument of Heaven, and as such performed his duties as Regent and Sovereign."

Continuing the Kaiser said: "I, too, regard my whole position as given to me direct from Heaven, and that I have been called by the Highest to do His work. There is only one matter in this country. That, and I, Who oppress me I shall crush to pieces."

Not long before, addressing a regiment of the Prussian Guard, the Kaiser said:

"Recruits! You have now before the consecrated servant of the Lord sworn fealty to me. You have given yourselves up to me, body and soul; there is for you but one enemy, and that is my enemy. In view of the present socialist agitation it may come to pass that I shall command you to shoot your own relatives, which God forbid, but even then you must follow my commands without a quiver."

There are not exaggerations, or caricatures; they are hard facts. Of all the nations of the world, Germany has more to gain by a crushing German defeat than the people of Germany.



## CHAUTAUQUA WEEK IN MURRAY JUNE 9 TO 16



H. CLINT BROACH  
Candidate for County Court Clerk

### Settlement Notice.

All persons holding claims against the estate of W. C. Smith deceased are hereby notified to present same to me properly proved, on or before July 1, 1917, or be forever barred from collecting same. All persons knowing themselves indebted to said estate, are hereby notified to come forward on or before said date and make settlement or be proceeded against as the law directs. —T. Leslie Smith, p.

Don't use harsh physics. The reaction weakens the bowels, leads to chronic constipation. Get Doan's Regulets. They uprate easily. 25c at all stores.

It is a piano, organ or grand piano. We have it. Murray Furniture and Undertaking Co.

### MUSTANG

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### LINIMENT

### Growing Hogs

For a hog to be profitable he must be kept growing from birth to marketing age. He cannot be profitable unless he is healthy. He can always be in a profit-producing condition if he is fed B. A. Thomas' Hog Powder. We positively tell you that this remedy prevents cholera, removes worms and cures thrumps. If the powder does not make good, we will—Sexton Bros.

### Saloon Keepers to Close Up.

Chicago, May 8. Two hundred Chicago saloonkeepers voluntarily are preparing to allow their license to lapse and withdraw from the business because of the prospects of a dry America during the war, according to a report to-day to the City Council Finance Committee from the Controller's office. Under the ordinances these license once allowed to lapse, may not be renewed.

## Rudy & Sons

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### Home Cleaning Time is Here

Brighten up the home with new Draperies, Lace Curtains, etc. Let our Drapery Department suggest to you how you can improve the home at a saving.

Curtain Scrims and Draperies, 10c to \$5.00 per yd.  
Lace Curtains, \$1.00 to \$25.00 per pair.  
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Window Awnings, Ready to Hang, With all Accessories. Made of Striped Duck.

3 ft. wide size	1.60	6 ft. size	2.50
3 ft. wide size	1.70	8 ft. size	3.50
4 ft. wide size	1.80	10 ft. size	3.90

Vendor Porch Shades Keep the View Out, Let the Air In.

4 ft. size	2.50	4 ft. size	1.00
6 ft. size	3.50	6 ft. size	1.50
8 ft. size	4.50	8 ft. size	2.00
10 ft. size	5.50	10 ft. size	2.50

Bambo Porch Shades, Outside Back.

### Wedding Presents

We assure you it will be a pleasure for us to show you our beautiful stock of articles so suitable as wedding gifts, and may we suggest:

Sterling Silver, Cut Glass, Electroliers, Clocks, Fancy Vases and Many Other Articles.

DIAMONDS WATCHES

### WILCOFF

327 Broadway Paducah, Ky.



## LOCAL and PERSONAL

For Whippoorwill peas, see Houston, Hendon & Co., Cherry.

G. E. Curd, of the firm of Curd & Son was a Murray visitor Wednesday of this week.

Lee Martin and wife returned Wednesday from parts in Texas, where they spent the winter.

Mrs. Frank Price, of Chattanooga, Tenn., is here this week the guest of her brother, T. H. Stokes and wife.

Miss Kate McCutcheon, of Fort Henry, Tenn., underwent an operation at the Murray Surgical Hospital Monday.

The 16 months old child of Enoch Harding, who lives near Paris, died Saturday of dysentery. Burial at Cottage Grove.

Mrs. Emma Jones and daughter, Gladys, of Paris, are here this week visiting their daughter and sister, Mrs. G. O. Gatlin.

Mrs. J. W. Ratteree, of Paris, was called to Murray the first of the week on account of the serious illness of Toy Bailey, son of Felix Bailey.

Letters from Los Angeles, Cal., announce the serious illness of Dr. Will Keys. He is a son of the late Butler Keys and a nephew of Mrs. Tom McElrath.

R. E. McDermott, who left Calloway some few months ago and located in Missouri, has returned to old Calloway and is again feeling perfectly at home among old friends west of the city where he is now located. Glad to welcome you home, Bob.

John Schroeder, age 35, died at the Riverside hospital at Paducah, Wednesday afternoon, several hours after being struck by a street car. Schroeder was a native of Hardin, but had for a number of years lived in Paducah. The body was shipped to Hardin for burial.

Henry Guerin's team caused quite a little excitement on Poplar street last week when he went to Chas. Broach's mill to have some grinding done. The team became frightened and ran into a telephone pole on the corner near the home of R. S. Cutchin and were caught by passers by. Mr. Guerin was not in the wagon, and the team was not seriously hurt.

Dr. O. B. Irvan was re-elected school trustee Saturday by a unanimous vote.

Dr. R. M. Risenhoover is attending the State Dental meeting in Louisville this week.

Miss E. M. Freeland, of Dresden, visited her brothers, D. M. and Lee Freeland, of this city, the first of the week.

T. B. Bearson, who has been attending school in Georgetown, has come home to raise his part of the world's rations.

Neely Wright, member of company L, who has been in the hospital for operation for appendicitis, is convalescing at his home at Coldwater.

Dumas Scott will preach at Center Ridge church the third Sunday in this month at 11 a. m. The public is invited to attend this service.

The date of the recital to be given by Mrs. E. J. Beale's music class has been changed to May 19, at the school house, 2:30 and 7:45 p. m.

For any pain, burn, scald or bruise, apply Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil—the household remedy. Two sizes, 25c and 50c, at all drug stores.

Aubrey Purdom left for Bowling Green the past week to attend the West Kentucky Normal. David Gatlin has taken his place at Cleaver's grocery but the "hoss" balks with him too.

Mrs. Beauchamp, state president of the W. C. T. U., spoke at the Methodist church Tuesday afternoon and night and organized a Union at this place.

The chicken law was passed by the city council Saturday night. Mesdames W. E. Swann, J. E. Owen and K. Robertson circulated petitions the past week which were presented in its behalf.

Richard Lee, of Paducah, was here the first of the week the guest of his brother, Rob Lee. Mr. Lee tells us that he is leaving Paducah the last of the week for Flint, Mich., where he will join his sons and make his future home.

Mrs. Taz Miller entertained the Arts and Crafts Wednesday afternoon in her usual delightful way. A large crowd was in attendance. An interesting feature of the afternoon was the large and beautiful display of Chinese needle work by Mrs. Richard Beale.

## Mid-Summer Pattern Hats

Now on Display

Mrs. M. L. Wells

Beautiful Graduation Hats  
See Our Line Before Buying

Thos. Fain has sold his interest in the Hood, Fain & Hood lumber business to his partners and is now in charge of the restaurant on the east side. Wesley Waldrop and wife, who have been conducting the restaurant business for some time, have returned to their home near Coldwater.

Warren Brooks, who has been attending Marvin college at Clinton, Ky., arrived in Murray Friday of last week to visit his parents, Rev. H. W. Brooks and wife. He, accompanied by his brother, Stanford, left Monday morning for Magdolene, N. M. where they have employment for the summer.

An Audubon Society has been organized at the public school in two divisions. Miss Wadie Miller organized the upper grades and Misses Maggie Houston and Wadie Miller the lower grades. Pat McRee was elected bird-house supervisor. The children are being taught to protect the insectivorous and song birds and to be able to distinguish them.

Hall Hood received a summons Monday morning to report for physical examination for the Officers Reserve Corps Training Camp at Fort Benjamin Harrison, Ind. His diploma from the State University was taken as a guarantee of his mental fitness. A great many rejections have been made in this special branch of service as all the conditions are very rigid.

Toy Underwood Bailey, 15 year old son of Felix Bailey and wife of this city, died at the family residence on Poplar St. Toy came in from the farm Saturday afternoon, sick. A physician was called, and finally four were in attendance, but his condition continued to grow worse until Monday afternoon when death relieved his extreme suffering. Pernicious malaria was pronounced the cause of his death. Funeral services were conducted by Eld. E. B. Motley at the First Christian church at 8:30 Tuesday morning. His school-mates in the Murray school acted as pall bearers. Interment in Ratteree cemetery.

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For Whippoorwill peas, see Houston, Hendon & Co., Cherry.

Rev. Cleanth Brooks, of Jackson, Tenn., visited in Murray Monday morning.

B. O. Langston and wife are occupying the Pat Holt house just east of R. T. Wells.

Mrs. M. E. Cobbs, of Paducah, is here this week visiting her daughter, Mrs. D. M. Wear.

Joe Wear has returned from a week's visit to his parents, E. W. Wear and wife, of Wickliffe.

Mrs. Elmus Scott is seriously ill of measles and complications.

Mrs. Robert Tinsley is a patient in the Murray Surgical Hospital.

The United States Health Service films have been shown at Hazel, Murray, Gunter's Flat and the colored Free Baptist church. Any other organization who wish to push good health and sanitation can secure these films free of charge.

"Civilization," the million dollar picture, will be presented at the Dixie Theater May 19, both matinee and evening, 2:30 and 8 o'clock. Prices will be 25, 35 and 50 cents. This movie show is said to be bigger than the "Birth of a Nation."

Elder Linn, of West Virginia, will preach at Shiloh, Friday, May 18, at 11 a. m., at Rough Creek the following Saturday and Sunday at the same hours, and at Solder's Creek Monday and Tuesday, May 20 and 21 at 11 a. m.

Dr. Vance, who is to deliver the commencement address, for the graduating class of the Murray high school, is said to be the best speaker ever brought to Murray, with the possible exception of W. J. Bryan. He was in Berlin when war was declared, attending the World's Peace Congress, and was several months getting home. His son was a class-mate of Isaac Keys. Dr. Vance is pastor of the First Presbyterian church in Nashville. Hear him.

Prof. Ed Philbeck, of Marshall county, has been engaged to teach in the Murray high school, to fill the place recently made vacant by resignation of Prof. C. H. Jaggars. Prof. Philbeck, B. A., received his degree from Vanderbilt University and has taught for the past few years at Spring Hill Academy, one of the best known prep. schools in Tennessee. He is a christian gentleman, a scholar and known as a fine disciplinarian.

Flag etiquette demands that if a flag be carried in parade that the passers by shall stop walking and stand at attention until the flag passes. That the flag, when shown on the stage, either in moving pictures or legit. shall be greeted by everyone in the audience standing as should the opening measure of The Star Spangled Banner. A great many places greet all patriotic songs in this way. Considerable criticism by out of town people was made of an audience at the Dixie Theater last week which failed to observe this.

Go to Sunday School Day.

For some unknown reason Murray Sunday schools did not equal the record set at other times by themselves. The Baptist Sunday school has the list with 332; Methodist, 303; Christian, 261; and Water Street Christian, 10. Colored Free Baptist, 33; Missionary Baptist, 36; Methodist, 31. Total 1024. Murray should have at least doubled this attendance last Sunday.

The Old Harmony Singing.

Benton, Ky., May 9.—It is just two weeks from next Sunday, until the Old Southern Harmony Singing will be held at the court house. This will be the 32nd annual gathering of these interesting singers held in this county, and will in all probability outstrip any of its predecessors in point of attendance and interest.

**CONFIDENCE**

In the Federal Reserve Banking System played an important part in the recovery of business from the adverse conditions, following the outbreak of the European war, thirty months ago, and is still helping to keep business on an even keel.

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Herman Crick, member of Appraisement Committee No. 4 at Work company L, who has been in the hospital here, went to Paris Saturday to convalesce. Mr. Crick was shot in the neck recently by a negro, as will be remembered, in a disturbance near the army some few days ago. Corporal Ray has also been released from the hospital, but it is doubtful that he will ever be able to be a soldier again on account of being a cripple from his wound. Gen. Albritton, who was shot in the heel is able to be on the street on crutches.

Are We Down-Hearted?

Washington, May 7.—Crop reports gathered by the Chamber of Commerce of the United States indicate that the winter wheat yield may be slightly greater than that of last year, if future weather is favorable, and that chances are for a bigger production of spring wheat than last year. Corn, oats and potatoes, the report says, seem likely to break all previous production records.

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Dr. J. E. Wall, of Boatwright, has located at Golden Pond for the practice of medicine. If he likes the location he will move his family there in the fall.

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GEORGE E. ROWLETT  
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Will Use Prisoners on Farm.

Paducah, Ky., May 3.—Following a conference between officials of the Paducah Patriotic Association and Commissioner of Public Safety Eugene Graves, a plan for working the city farm was announced. City prisoners, vagrants and loafers will be made to work on the farm or farms, as there probably will be more than one, and the produce will be used by the Patriotic Association. The chain gang will also be made to help in this work. The first work will be the cultivation of a part of the Bradshaw creek bottom. The plan is to secure a number of large tracts near Paducah to raise garden products. Prisoners will be given choice between working or going to war if they are eligible. The Murray Furniture & Undertaking Co. is showing some excellent values in pianos. Call and see them.

## UNSHAKEN TESTIMONY.

Time is the test of truth. And Doan's Kidney Pills have stood the test in Murray. No Murray resident who suffers backache, or annoying kidney ills can remain unconvinced by this twice told testimony.

Mrs. S. J. Pool, N. 4th street, Murray, says: "I suffered for a long time from kidney trouble. Mornings I was all tired out, nervous and had headaches. My sight was blurred and often had dizzy spells. When I stooped, sharp twinges darted across the small of my back. I heard of Doan's Kidney Pills and used them as directed. They gave me relief and since then, I have taken them whenever I have felt any kidney trouble coming on. Doan's Kidney Pills have kept all complaints away."

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Price 50c, at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mrs. Pool has twice publicly recommended.—Foster-McBurn Co., Props. Buffalo, N.Y.

Sell Your Old Tires.

I will pay from 5 cents to 10 cents for all your old auto tires, or will trade you new stuff for them. Bring them to me for cash.—T. C. BEAMAN TIRE COMPANY, Woodruff opera house building, Murray, Ky.

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That every Dollar of Public Funds buy one hundred cents worth of service.

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### After Four Years Service

County now on cash basis and will remain so as long as I am your County Judge.

Have abolished three county offices—Superintendent of Poorhouse, Road Engineer and County Treasurer, reduced the salaries of two others, thereby saving \$1,600 each year or \$6,400 in one term in salaries alone. This with other savings in the general expenses has enabled us to add \$5,000 more to the road fund, making more than \$16,000 to be expended this year.

More than \$30,000 in claims and outstanding warrants, much of this in the hands of the farmers, have been paid with cash and bonds at lower rate of interest.

### April 1st of This Year

Cash on hand:  
General Fund ..... \$ 4,987.85  
Road Fund ..... 1,311.79  
Sinking Fund (now loaned at 5 per cent) 8,254.87  
Total now on hand ..... \$14,553.87  
Nothing due and no outstanding warrants.

If You Like the Cash System Then Vote for Me and You Will Have Voted for Your Friend.

Withdraws From Race for Magistrate. To the voters of Concord district: Since entering the race for magistrate of Concord district I find that I will be unable to see each voter and present my claims as I would like to on account of my work, and after deliberation the matter have decided to withdraw from the race. I take this method to thank each voter of the district who offered me their vote and support and hope at some future time to be able to offer you my services. Yours truly, A. J. Wilson.

For Rent. Nine 6-room house south of Murray. See J. H. Churchill.

## German Pat on Clothes Rations.

Berlin, May 5.—New regulations for putting the German people on clothes rations are now in force. They go into considerable detail as to the number of garments which citizens may possess and even specify the amount of cloth which may be used in making suits and dresses.

The following list of adequate wardrobes for men and women is officially fixed and no supply beyond this limit may henceforth be purchased:

For Men—One everyday suit, one Sunday suit, one overcoat or cap, two smocks or jerseys, two waistcoats, two pairs working trousers, two pairs overalls, one pair winter gloves, six handkerchiefs, three shirts, three suits underclothes, two nightgowns and four pairs stockings.

For Women—Two everyday dresses, one Sunday dress, one extra skirt, two blouses, one cloak or cape, one shawl, one dressing gown, three aprons, one pair winter gloves, six handkerchiefs, four chemises, three nightgowns, three suits of underclothing, three petticoats and four pairs stockings.

Both men and women are limited to three pairs of shoes, one pair of house slippers, three pillow cases, two sheets, two blankets, one eiderdown, three towels, two kitchen towels and three

dusting towels. Both men and women are limited to three and a quarter yards of material for a suit or dress. Trousers must not be made "turned up" and overcoats must not have plaits or belts.

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You should talk directly into the transmitter—not simply at it. Keep your lips about one inch from the mouthpiece. Speak in an even tone. It is not necessary to shout.

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