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# THE MURRAY LEDGER.

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MURRAY, KENTUCKY, THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 26, 1914

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## BLIND STAGGERS

Department of Agriculture Answers Request for Advice on Cure of This Disease.

Washington, D. C., Feb. 24. In past years horses have died by the thousands in Texas, Iowa, Kansas and Nebraska from a disease effecting the nervous system, popularly known as the blind staggers, or forage poisoning. The Department of Agriculture has received urgent requests for help against this disease from sixteen different states, and as a result it is now publishing a bulletin containing definite instructions for combating this disease.

The states that appealed to the Department of Agriculture for assistance include the following: Colorado, Georgia, Kentucky, Louisiana, Maryland, Missouri, Nebraska, New Jersey, North Carolina, Oregon, South Carolina, South Dakota, Virginia and West Virginia.

This shows the universality of the disease. Kansas and Nebraska bore the brunt of the affliction during the past year but other states have also suffered seriously. Kansas has had more than her share. Severe outbreaks extended over almost the entire state in 1911 and since that date have recurred with equal severity on two occasions in various portions of the state.

The bulletin takes notice of the fact that additional deaths have undoubtedly been due to the use of fake "cures" sold by unscrupulous persons. It is reported that in Nebraska "black-leg vaccine" was used on at least 1500 unaffected horses, nearly 1500 of which are said to have died as a direct result.

Investigators have practically established that this horse disease can be controlled effectively only by a total change of feed and forage. It is quite obvious that there is a direct connection between the green forage, exposed pasturage and newly cut hay or fodder which the horses eat, and this cerebro-spinal meningitis, as the disease is known to scientists. In fact, eating of such forage when contaminated is undoubtedly the most impor-

tant cause. Over 95 per cent of cases of this disease in Kansas and Nebraska during the outbreak of 1912 were maintained under such conditions.

Great care must be taken that horses do not obtain the dangerous forage unknown to their owners. The owner of one farm informed the department's investigator that his dead horses had eaten nothing but old hay and grain.

"But what about the closely cropped grass in this pasture?" remarked the investigator, noticing the adjacent field.

"Oh!" answered the farmer innocently, "I always turn the work horses into pasture over night."

Many horses have died from blind staggers caused by eating moldy baled hay. As soon as the hay was eliminated the disease ceased. Other horses in the vicinity not fed upon this hay failed to contract this disease. Later some of the moldy bales were opened and exposed to the sun for three or four weeks. After this the hay was fed to horses without producing any ill effect. Forage poisoning, therefore, seems not to be an infection but rather what is called "auto-intoxication" that is, it is due to certain chemical poisons or toxins formed by the activity of internal organisms.

These poisons may be present when the forage is taken into the body or may be formed in the stomach. The nature of this poison is still unknown.

### CHARACTERISTIC SYMPTOMS.

When the horse is taken with the blind staggers it usually exhibits a disturbance of the appetite, depression and weakness, while there is trouble in swallowing, drooping of the head and sleepiness which may give way to excitement and attacks of dizziness. The vision is impaired, which results in the staggering gait that gives it the popular name. Certain muscles of the neck and flanks are cramped and there is a grinding of the teeth. Sometimes the animal has pain, as though it were afflicted with colic. The animal will walk strangely if in an open space and will try to push through any obstacle it encounters. In the stable he will

## PETITIONED

Strong Call Being Made Upon Railway Officials to Maintain "Billie" Hills as Agent.

Immediately following the announcement in the Ledger last week to the effect that "Billie" Hills had tendered his resignation as local agent for the railway company at this place to President Preston, friends of Mr. Hills started the circulation of a number of petitions asking that Mr. Hills be retained in his present capacity and persons circulating the petitions stated to the Ledger that every person to whom the petitions were presented were not only willing but eager to attach their names to the paper.

Murray never had a more popular public official than Mr. Hills. Always courteous to the people, no task ever seemed too great for him to perform to accommodate the patrons of the road, a man universally satisfactory to the people in the capacity he has served; progressive, untiring in his effort to promote the business interests of the city; a strong factor in the organization of the county fair that has brought to his company hundreds of dollars; an enthusiastic member of the commercial club; a social favorite and together with estimable wife and family would be greatly missed in the town of Murray.

The Ledger sincerely hopes that the officials of the road will refuse to accept Mr. Hills' resignation and that he will be permitted to remain a citizen of our town. The business man want him, the country people want him, in fact the Ledger does not believe there is a single citizen of the entire county but who would be delighted to know that he is to remain the local agent for the railway company for an indefinite time.

### Public School Entertainment.

Possibly the largest crowd that even attempted to gain entrance to the Woodruff opera house greeted the two literary societies, the "Qui Vive" and "Minerva" of the public school

of this place last Friday night, in their public debating-declamatory contests. The eager interest shown by the pupils was splendid evidence of the enthusiasm displayed in school work. Each of the numbers were splendid and each participant evidenced training and study of the different subjects assigned them. It was a jolly "howling" success and the Ledger wishes to congratulate the contestants for the ability shown.

### How is Your Boiler?

It has been stated that a mans stomach is his boiler, his body is his engine and his mouth the fire box. Is your boiler (stomach) in good working order or is it so weak that it will not stand a full load and not able to supply the needed energy to your engine (body)? If you have any trouble with your stomach Chamberlain's Tablets will do you good. They strengthen and invigorate the stomach and enable it to do its work naturally. Many very remarkable cures of stomach trouble have been effected by them. For sale by Dale & Stubbsfield.

### Applicants Take Examinations.

Quite a number of applicants took the civil service examination here the latter part of the past week and of course all the boys are expecting to be appointed to the different offices to which they aspire. These examinations are required for the fourth class postoffices and Calloway has four such offices, Hazel, Almo, Dexter and Kirksby. Those who took the examination for Hazel were J. D. McLeod, Billie Bridges, J. Robertson, Chester Singleton and J. T. Turnbow. Almo, Pat Beale and Claude Bailey. Dexter, Joe Ernestberger and a son of Mr. Ernestberger. Two applicants applied for the Kirksby office but the Ledger could not learn their names.

When the bowels become irregular you are uncomfortable and the longer this condition exists the worse you feel. You can get rid of this misery quickly by using Herbine. Take a dose on going to bed and see how fine you feel next day. Price 50c. Sold by Dale & Stubbsfield.

## FIRST SESSION.

Calloway Fiscal Court Convened in Extra Session by Judge Langston Wednesday.

The Calloway County Fiscal Court was convened here in called session by Judge Langston Wednesday morning. It was the first business term of present court and all members answered to their names upon roll call.

Not a great amount of business for transaction, while a few orders were made that might be construed to mean that endeavor would be made in the future to institute proceedings looking toward repudiating the payment of a number of warrants issued under orders of the old board. The county treasurer and sheriff were ordered not to pay any warrants issued prior to January 5th, 1914, unless further ordered by the court, and a special order was directed against the payment of warrants issued in favor of the Falls City Construction Co. for furniture and fixtures for new court house, and the Kentucky Culvert Co., for corrugated steel culverts.

The Ledger predicts that if endeavor is made to make permanent these orders that endless litigation will follow and thousands of dollars expense incurred contesting these matters in the courts. Further more the Ledger is free to state that every man who has rendered Calloway county a service or furnished the county merchandise, his claim properly passed upon and warrant issued, is entitled to his money at the very earliest date possible. It would indeed be a sad day when this county made order repudiating her own obligations. In other words, "take the bankrupt law" and settle at nothing on the dollar.

The chairman of the board of education was ordered to file at the next meeting of the court an itemized statement of the receipts and expenditures of the board for the past year.

The road engineer was ordered not to pay any claims until passed upon by the court.

An order was made that all claims against the county must be presented to the county attorney prior to term of court.

## Horrible Boches of Eczema.

Quickly cured by Dr. Hobson's Eczema Ointment. C. P. Caldwell, of New Orleans, La., states: "My doctor advised me to try 'Dr. Hobson's Eczema Salve.' I used three boxes of Ointment and three cakes of Dr. Hobson's Derma Zema Soap. Today I have not a spot anywhere on my body and can say I am cured." It will do the same for you. Its soothing, healing, antiseptic action will rid you of all skin humors, blackheads, pimples, Eczema blotches, red unsightly sores, and leaves your skin clean and healthy. Get a box to day. Guaranteed. All druggists, 50c; or by mail, Pfeiffer Chemical Co. Philadelphia or St. Louis.

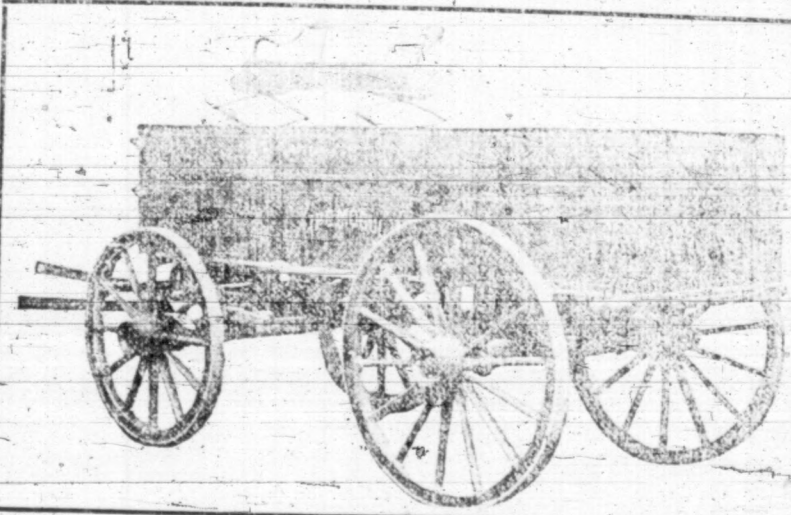
Lost.—On the 10th of December in the neighborhood of Brandon Mill, one white hound bitch, red spots and ears. Finder please notify R. R. Hicks, Hazel, Ky., and get \$5 reward.

"Billie" Stone returned home last Friday from a several days visit to Frankfort, Lexington and other central Kentucky towns. He was the guest of Judge Wells and wife while in Frankfort.

## Our Statements.

About ten days ago we mailed several hundred statements to subscribers who are due us on subscription. We have received quite a large number of replies with remittances, and we thank these friends for their promptness. However, a still larger number have failed to write us regarding the account and trust that early attention will be given the matter.

Mr. Harry Maddox, who is so efficient and collecting in the county, has also called upon a large number of friends and in most instances prompt settlement was made. It will be his intention to go out over the entire county and when he comes to see you try and pay him. It is necessary that these matters be adjusted at the very earliest date convenient. Please do not make it necessary for him to call again and again, but pay him the first time he comes. Your prompt attention of this small matter will be appreciated. Yours truly, O. J. JENNINGS.



## A. B. BEALE & SON

To the Front Again With Some Red-Hot Cash Prices.  
We Have Not Been Asleep, Only Making Some Good Purchases  
And Are Now Ready to Pass Them On to Our Friends

LOOK AT THE PRICES QUOTED BELOW:

**BUGGIES AND WAGONS**  
2 1-2 inch KARGES, MOGUL or FISH Wagons, at \$55.00 each.  
2 3-4 inch KARGES, MOGUL or FISH Wagons, at \$57.50 each.  
This includes Bed, Spring Seat and Gear Brake.  
Also have just received a car of Brand New BUGGIES and we are making prices that will move them.

**WE ARE STILL COMING, LOOK:**  
Northern Seed Oats, white or black, at 52c bushel in bag lots. This is a good heavy Oat. Also we are making SPECIAL PRICES, for CASH, on Sewing Machines, Furniture, Stoves.  
Don't forget to see our line of Farming Tools. We have got them bought right. ALL THESE PRICES mean CASH when you get the goods—nothing charged at these prices.  
Dollars saved in buying is easy money made. We save you hard-earned money—Investigate and see if this isn't so!  
Yours truly with the goods,

**A. B. BEALE & SON MURRAY, KY.**

**WIRE FENCING**  
We have stacks of Wire Fencing bought at a big contract price. Look what we are doing:  
32 inch 12 inch Stay, 17 1-2c rod  
40 " " " 20c rod.  
80 rod Spool Barb Wire \$1.50 Spool.  
This is the Southern Fence and a Cracker-Jack Good One



## SENATE RATIFIES FIVE TREATIES

ACTION MARKS FIRST STEP IN PRESIDENT WILSON'S FOREIGN POLICY.

### TOLLS QUESTION STILL UP

Amendment to Exempt Panama Tolls Question From Arbitration Rejected by More Than Two-Thirds Vote.

Washington.—General arbitration treaties ratified by the senate renewed for five years agreements with Great Britain, Japan, Italy, Spain, Norway, Sweden, Portugal and Switzerland, and marked the first step in the policy of President Wilson to place the United States in a more advantageous position in the world of nations.

Amendments to the treaties having been rejected previously, the ratification resolutions were adopted one after another without a roll call. Opponents of the treaties made no effort to delay the vote.

The treaties, briefly, provide for reference to the Hague tribunal of legal differences, and questions relating to the interpretation of other existing treaties which cannot be settled by diplomacy, but in view of the long delay in their ratification, during which many disturbing factors, both at home and abroad, have contributed to general agitation, the feeling among the senators is that the action will serve to place the United States on a firmer confidential basis.

Matters still before the senate foreign relations committee are the Panama tolls question, the pending treaty with Nicaragua, and the treaty with Colombia growing out of the surrender of the Panama strip. Reports on these are understood, will be laid before the senate in the near future.

Although the majority for the ratification of the treaties was overwhelming and the amendment to exempt from arbitration the Panama tolls question was rejected by more than a two-thirds vote, senators who urge repeal of the tolls exemption provision insist that these votes are not significant of the attitude of the senate on the tolls issue.

### MAY RECOGNIZE GEN. VILLA

Senate Leaders Have Plan for Securing Official Report on Execution of Englishman.

Washington.—A resolution recognizing the rebel general Villa, as a belated, is being considered by active members of the senate foreign relations committee.

This is a direct result of Great Britain's demand that the United States take such action on the warrant killing of William S. Benton of Juarez as the facts justify.

Under such a resolution, Villa, as a combatant, might also be recognized as the de facto ruler of the Mexican states, which have revolted against the Huerta regime. As such he would be compelled to make reparation for the death of a British subject, or suffer the consequence, which would result from a refusal to treat with the United States.

### \$100,000 FIRE AT ATLANTA

Five Firemen Injured During a Spectacular Blaze in the Downtown Section.

Atlanta, Ga.—Five firemen were slightly injured here in a spectacular fire which did damage estimated at from \$100,000 to \$150,000 to the McKee building, located in the heart of the city and immediately adjacent to two of Atlanta's largest hotels. One of the firemen fell from a ladder, smoke and flame being caused by the others.

The fire, which is reported to have started in the basement of the Johnson-Greene Automobile Supply company's store, resulted in the loss of the company's entire stock of automobiles for several hours.

### 8,000 Foreigners Take Oath

Chicago.—An unique incident of the three days celebration of Washington's birthday here was the repeating of their formal oath of allegiance to the stars and stripes by eight thousand foreign-born citizens naturalized here in 1913.

### Three Killed by Explosion

Ajzena, Mich.—Three men were killed and two others seriously hurt by a premature explosion of dynamite at the quarry of the Michigan Alkali Company near here.

### C. W. Murphy Quits Baseball

Chicago.—Charles W. Murphy, president of the Chicago National League Baseball Club, has resigned that position and sold his stock in the club to Charles P. Taft of Cincinnati. Murphy says he is through with baseball.

### Gunboat Sacramento Launched

Philadelphia.—The gunboat Sacramento was launched from the Cramp shipyard. The Sacramento is 225 feet long, 22 feet wide, and will carry a crew of 150.

## SENATOR RANDELL



Senator Joseph E. Ransdell of Louisiana proposed an amendment to the federal constitution prohibiting forever in the United States divorce with the right to remarry, and directing the enactment of uniform marriage laws in all the states with the provision for separation without the right to remarry.

### BANDITS GET \$40,000 LOOT

Q. & C. Train Held Up on Outskirts of Birmingham, Ala., and Registered Mail Taken.

Birmingham, Ala.—Queen & Crescent passenger train No. 1, New York to New Orleans, running forty minutes late, was held up about twelve miles north of here. Three masked robbers secured four packages of registered mail, said to have contained over \$40,000.

At Atlanta three men boarded the engine and one and one-half miles south of Atlanta held up the engine crew at the point of revolvers. They then ran the train to within five miles of Ironton, where they forced the crew to uncouple the mail and express cars.

They ran the express car down the tracks for a mile and then forced the engine crew to uncouple the mail car. The engine was taken further south and derailed. The robbers then entered the mail car and covered the five clerks. They asked for the chief clerk and demanded the registered mail. The clerk replied that he had none. He was slightly on the left shoulder, upon attempting resistance. The robbers ransacked the car and secured the registered mail sacks. They then took the New Orleans-New York registered mail and derailed, leaving one sack containing \$10,000 behind. The express car was not molested.

According to Conductor John White, the robbers boarded the train at Chattanooga. That they were familiar with everything about the train there is little doubt, judging from the deliberate manner in which they went about their task.

Birmingham officials of the road were notified of the hold-up and a special train rushed officers and bloodhounds to the scene. No trace of the robbers was found.

### REPORT AGRICULTURE BILL

Appropriation Measure Before the Lower House of Congress Carries \$18,947,000.

Washington.—The house committee on agriculture has reported to the house the annual agricultural appropriation bill. It aggregates \$18,947,000, exclusive of permanent appropriations, an increase of \$960,000 over last year's total.

The bill is accompanied by the most comprehensive report ever submitted by the committee. Many radical changes are proposed, including reorganization of the weather bureau and preparation by the secretary of agriculture of a plan for reorganizing and systematizing department work. The report sets forth that the department is now developed to a point where its present system of bureau organization has become cumbersome and is not as effectively efficient as it should be and the bill contemplates that existing bureaus should be arranged to cover five or six main lines of work, such as the research, rural organization, state relations, forest and weather services.

### FOUR KILLED IN CAR CRASH

Freight Train Runs Into Street Car at Indianapolis—Thirty-one Persons Injured.

Indianapolis, Ind.—The thirty-one persons injured in the street car accident near the Virginia avenue viaduct, in which four men were killed, were reported to be in an improved condition. It is believed the death list will not be increased, although some of the injured will be maintained for a few days.

### Frank Chance Saves Three Lives

Glensford, Cal.—Frank Chance, manager of the New York American League baseball club, saved the lives of his brother-in-law, Karl Pancake, and two other men in the floods which were caused by a storm here.

### Wilson Appoints Underwood

Washington.—E. Maria Underwood of Atlanta, has been nominated by President Wilson for assistant attorney general in place of Whitford T. Denton, who went to the Philippine commission.

## BRITISHER IS SHOT BY GENERAL VILLA

EXECUTED FOR ALLEGED PLOT AGAINST LIFE OF MEXICAN REBEL LEADER.

### BORDER SHOWS INDIGNATION

Mass Meeting Held at El Paso Criticizes American State Department. Inquiry by Congress Is Requested.

El Paso, Tex.—A storm of indignation broke along the border, when it became known that William S. Benton, a British subject and wealthy landholder in Mexico, had been executed by rebels in Juarez after he had made a protest to Gen. Francisco Villa about alleged depredations of the constitutionalists.

A mass meeting was held and resolutions were adopted censuring the state department at Washington for its alleged suppression of the consular report of the Benton case and calling on congress to demand from the state department a full record of all alleged crimes and outrages against foreigners in Mexico.

Benton was arrested in Juarez on February 17 and had not been heard from since. His wife and friends feared he had been executed by Gen. Villa, constitutionalist leader. Villa at first denied knowledge of Benton's whereabouts, but later intimated that he knew something about the Englishman, and added that Benton had been tried by court-martial and found guilty of complicity in a plot to take Gen. Villa's life, he was executed by a firing squad.

A Washington dispatch says that Secretary Bryan, after a cabinet conference, ordered an immediate investigation of the killing of W. S. Benton, the English ranch owner at Juarez.

### DEPOSITORS WILL GET HALF

Receiver for Defunct Mercantile Bank of Memphis Makes Report—Total Shortage, \$1,091,750.

Memphis.—After submitting the report of his examinations to the grand jury, J. L. Hutton, state bank supervisor, ordered a receiver for the defunct Mercantile bank, hazardous to the state, that the indications are that by a careful handling of the bank's resources he will be able to pay depositors at least 50 cents on the dollar of their claims, after deducting the necessary extent of hazardous to the state. The first statement made in the receivership for a receivership indicated a shortage of \$788,000. Later it became known that the shortage would exceed \$1,000,000. It was impossible to proceed with any plan until the exact shortage was established. The state superintendent's report places the shortage at \$1,091,750.

### OHIO RIVER RISES RAPIDLY

Ice Jams Augment Danger From the High Water—Wabash Out of Banks.

Evansville, Ind.—The Ohio river here continues to rise rapidly. It is predicted it will pass the danger line of 25 feet by February 25. Flood waters are reported in the Wabash and its tributaries near here. Thousands of acres of land are under water from the overflow of White river, in Pike county. Ice jams in the rivers are increasing the dangers.

Weather bureau officials have warned farmers living in the lowlands on the Ohio river in this region to move to higher land.

### MacKay Get Mutual Divorce

New York.—Mr. and Mrs. Clarence H. MacKay were granted a mutual divorce in Paris on February 11. In French law a mutual divorce means that each principal interposes a counter claim and that the claims are identical. According to their attorneys, both charged desertion.

### Medal for Heroic Dog

New York.—The heroic dog belonging to H. B. Gallipoli has been presented with a bronze medal by the New York Women's bureau for animals. On October 21 the saved that man's life by dragging him from his burning apartment.

### Seven Die in Blast

Glasgow, Scotland.—Seven workmen were killed, several injured and many buildings destroyed at Ardree, Ayrshire, by an explosion at the Nobel gunpowder works.

### Family Is Found Frozen

Detroit, Mich.—The frozen bodies of Andre Rosasco, his wife and their 5-year-old daughter were found in their home here. Authorities believe the family was overcome by gas about a week ago.

### Firemen Save 300-Pound Invalid

Albion.—Trapped on the third floor of a burning apartment house, with the temperature at zero, Mrs. Annie Nolan, 63 years old, an invalid weighing more than 300 pounds, was carried down a ladder by three firemen.

## AL J. JENNINGS



Al J. Jennings, former train robber, bandit and convict, who "came back" and established himself as a reputable lawyer, seeks the democratic nomination for the governorship of Oklahoma.

### GORE IS CLEARED BY JURY

Woman Loses Sensational Damage Suit Brought Against Blind Oklahoma Senator.

Oklahoma City, Okla.—Upon the testimony of Mrs. Minnie E. Bond and her own witnesses Senator T. P. Gore was vindicated of any wrong conduct toward Mrs. Bond by a jury in the district court here.

The jury was in the jury room two minutes and one-half, and one ballot was taken. It was unanimous for Senator Gore, and denied Mrs. Bond one cent of the \$50,000 she asked from the blind senator, whom she had charged with attempting to assault her in a Washington hotel on March 24, 1913.

The jury retired for its deliberations at 5:35 o'clock, and in ten minutes had filed back into the courtroom and taken their seats. The packed courtroom was silent as Judge Clark read the verdict.

"At his final words, 'in favor of the defendant,' those near the front of the room heard Mrs. Gore utter a stifled cry, and she leaped from her chair, clasped the hand of the senator and whispered something into his ear. When she turned and shook hands with Henry Carpenter, the foreman of the jury, tears were streaming down the eyes of both her and the aged farmer. Senator Gore said:

"The verdict confirms my faith that truth will triumph. I never for a moment doubted the outcome at the hands of a jury."

In her declaration Mrs. Bond alleged that the senator attacked her while she was in conference with him at a hotel in Washington in connection with the possible appointment of her husband, Julian Bond, as internal revenue collector at Oklahoma City. Gore seized her, she alleged, and threw her violently across a bed and freed her only after several men appeared in the doorway of the room. In the scuffle, she asserted, her face was scratched and her hand lacerated by fragments of her broken eye-glasses.

In his answer Senator Gore made a general denial of the charges and made the counter charge that the suit was instituted by a coteries of his political opponents who had failed in their efforts to secure federal patronage.

### SLAYS HIS WIFE'S FATHER

Oklahoma Man Also Fatally Wounds His Own Father as Result of Quarrel Over Note.

Wellston, Okla.—Everett Norris, 22, farm hand living near here, shot three of his relatives, one of whom is dead, one dying and one probably fatally wounded. The dead:

W. W. Riley, father-in-law of Norris.

The wounded:

Frank Norris, dying, father of Everett.

Alcorn, brother-in-law of Everett Norris.

Young Norris rode to his father's farm and after a few words about the renewal of a note, shot his father four times. Then he rode to the farm of his father-in-law, killing him instantly, and fatally wounding his brother-in-law. Declaring he intended to go to the school house and murder all the children, he rode off toward town.

Aide of John Brown Dies.

Tabor, Iowa.—Lemuel E. Webb is dead, aged 81. Mr. Webb was a personal friend of John Brown and often assisted him in operating his "underground railroad" for runaway slaves.

Tabor was one of the important points on the line.

### Spanish War Pensions Favored

Washington.—A bill to authorize pensions of \$42 a month for widows and \$2 a month for children of dead Spanish War veterans is reported favorably by the house committee.

### Mrs. Gen. Logan Near Death

Washington.—Mrs. John A. Logan, widow of the Civil War general, took a poisonous medicine at her home here, thinking it was a cold remedy, and for several hours was in a precarious condition.

### Expects Venezuela Revolt

New York.—Gen. Jose Hernandez, who has arrived from the West Indies, where he conferred with other Venezuelan revolutionary chiefs, makes no secret of the fact that he expects a revolution in Venezuela in April.

## News of Western Kentucky

### MURDER TRIAL DATE SET

Woman and Man Will Again Face Accusers at Mayfield.

Mayfield.—The most important and sensational case on the docket of the March term of circuit court is that of Miss May Copeland and Lucian Turk, charged with killing Hugh Atchison, near Harbo, 11 miles west of Mayfield. The trial of this case is set for Wednesday, March 11.

May Copeland and Lucian Turk were tried here last November, but after the jury had failed to arrive at a verdict and was discharged, the defendants were released on a bond of \$20,000 each. Bonds were immediately furnished following the discharging of the jury. The jury which heard the initial trial of the case voted nine to three for acquittal.

Attorneys for the defense contend that the failure of the prosecution to uncover new evidence and the discovery that the bullet found in Atchison's body, which was exhumed after the trial, was of the same caliber as that of the pistol which May Copeland says she used in shooting Atchison, will make the case of the defense much stronger at the second trial.

### THE LAST OBSTACLE REMOVED

Railroad Will Build Double Track to Proposed Bridge Site.

Raduach, Tenn.—The last obstacle to the proposed double track of the Nashville and Chattanooga Railway Company, which will build the double track road from this city to the site of the proposed \$5,000,000 bridge to span the Ohio river, twelve miles below Paducah, for damage that will be caused by the right-of-way crossing his residence property practically removed the last obstacle in the construction of the road. The appraisers awarded Mr. Keller \$18,000, to which the railway company objected, but the dispute was adjusted to the satisfaction of both principals, the company taking a strip of ground that fronts 250 feet on the Broadway side instead of 100 feet. Mr. Keller claimed that the railroad would practically ruin his property for a residence, which is the finest in the city. Terms of the settlement were private. Actual work on the road is expected to commence at once.

### MAD DOG SCARE AT KEMP

Shin, Cow Dead of Hydrophobia and Are Rushed to Madhouse.

Greensboro.—As a result of a "mad dog scare" around Kemp, nearly all the dogs have been killed. The neighborhood was in a state of great excitement for several weeks and it was thought all dogs had passed. A valuable cow belonging to Wash Coffey became affected and was killed. Without disclosing their plans, two boys of the neighborhood, not thinking of the danger to which they subjected themselves, skinned the cow to sell its hide. Relatives became greatly alarmed and hurried them to a madhouse at Camp Knox, Ky., which is thought to have been successfully applied to treat animals, which the boys had on their hands.

### Dr. S. M. Jefferson Dies

Lexington.—Samuel M. Jefferson, professor of philosophy at Transylvania University and formerly professor at Indiana University, Bethany College (West Virginia), and a number of other universities, died here last night shortly after delivering a lecture to his class. Dr. Jefferson was the author of several books and a writer of religious questions. He was among the best known educators in the South.

### Sell Phone Franchise

Hopkinsville.—The fiscal court has ordered a franchise to regulate telephone outside of incorporated towns in Christian county to be sold under the authority of the Christian county commission, now holding a telephone franchise, will receive the franchise, in which case the matter will go to the courts.

### Boy Killed by Train

Fulton, Tenn.—A young boy, the son of an Atlanta resident, was killed by a train here, having been caught in the wheels of a freight train. The boy was standing on the tracks and was probably preparing to leave the train when the accident happened.

### Farmer Slain by Fire Bug

Barbourville.—A fire bug, a fire that destroyed his barn, killed a farmer living near here, aged 62, and his home, accompanied by his family, only to be met with a volley of bullets that killed him instantly and injured several of the others. The money for the shooting was \$1,000.

### Fire at Hopkinsville

Hopkinsville.—A fire did extensive damage to the \$2,000 stock of dry goods in O. R. Gibson's company's store. The flames started from a stove and had gained high momentum when discovered. The fire department rushed down the doors and saved the building.

### Killed by Falling Tree

Glasgow, Tenn.—An 81-year-old farmer and former slave, who was working in the woods, was killed by a falling tree on his head.

## ENDS DYSPEPSIA, INDIGESTION, GAS

"Pape's Diapepsin" cures sick, sour stomachs in five minutes—Time It!

"Really does" put bad stomachs in order—really does—overcome indigestion, dyspepsia, gas, heartburn and sourness in five minutes—that's what makes Pape's Diapepsin the best selling stomach regulator in the world. If what you eat ferments into stubborn lumps, you belch gas and eructate sour, undigested food and acid, head is dizzy and nerves break out, tongue coated, your insides filled with bile and indigestible waste, remember the moment "Pape's Diapepsin" comes in contact with the stomach all such distress vanishes. It's truly astonishing—almost marvelous—and the joy is its harmlessness.

A large fifty-cent case of Pape's Diapepsin will give you a hundred dollars' worth of satisfaction. It's worth its weight in gold to men and women who can't get their stomachs regulated. It belongs in your home—should always be kept handy in case of a sick, sour, upset stomach during the day or at night. It's the quickest, surest and most harmless stomach doctor in the world—Adv.

### Frenchwoman's Cold Cure

Having been without a cold for 27 years, a French lady, who holds this fortunate record, attributes it to the following process. Each morning after taking a warm bath, she immediately sponges her throat, her face and the back of her neck and ears with the very coldest water she can get for about two minutes. In cold weather one may feel inclined to shirk, she says, but the result of steady application she has found a plentiful reward.

## MUCH HAPPIER THAN 10 YEARS AGO

Bradyville, Lady Tells Why She Is So Much Happier Now Than Ten Years Ago.

Bradyville, Tenn.—Mrs. Mattie Spry, of this place, makes the following statement: "Ten years ago, I was a great sufferer from womanly troubles, and was in bed nearly all the time for about two years. I tried many treatments, but they did not seem to do me any good."

"I read in 'The Ladies' Birthday Almanac' about Cardui, the woman's tonic, and I put all other treatments, and began taking it. I took 8 bottles, and was cured."

"That has been ten years ago, and since then I have been in better health and spirits than for 20 years."

"My oldest daughter was very puny at the age of 16. I gave her Cardui, and she was soon all right, and now enjoys the best of health."

"I am so thankful that I know of a true medicine that I can give my girls, or take myself, and that I know what medicine to send for, when I need a tonic."

"I am very much alive now, and certainly enjoy telling my friends, when they ask me what I found at last to help me so much, about Cardui. I can never praise it enough."

"You too, can surely depend on Cardui to help you."

Begin taking it today.

N. B. Write to Ladies' Advisory Dept., Chas. H. Roeder, Medicine Co., Chattanooga, Tenn., for free information, and 64-page booklet, "How to Get Well from Women's Troubles," of recent date.

### Explained

"Madame de Massague wrote a great book called 'How to Become Beautiful'."

"Did it have a big sale?"

"No, she made the fatal mistake of publishing her own picture on the title page."

## "CASCARETS" FOR LIVER, BOWELS

No sick headache, biliousness, bad taste or constipation by morning.

Get a 10-cent box.

Are you peevish, your bowels, liver, and stomach mean, pure and frothy with Cascarets, or merely forcing a passage every few days with Salts, Cathartics, Pills, Castor Oil or Purgative Waters?

Stop having a box each day. Let Cascarets thoroughly cleanse and regulate the stomach, remove the sour and fermenting food and foul gases, take the excess bile from the liver, and carry out of the system all the constipated waste matter and poisons in the bowels.

A Cascaret to-night will make you feel great by morning. They work while you sleep—never grip, sicken or cause any inconvenience, and cost only 10 cents a box from your store. Millions of men and women take a Cascaret now and then and never have headache, biliousness, coated tongue, indigestion, sour stomach or constipation. Adv.

### It's Known

"How do they manage to entertain the company of their friends for hours?"

"By taking a box of Cascarets."



to know  
 please to entertain  
 after business hours?

Gradually, day by day, hour by hour, the terrible strain of this suddenly developed situation began to show its effects upon Kaine. He slept but little, small time for him. The disturbed condition of the stock market was creating a stir as the business world reflected, of course, in the daily news.

Knowing that some trees have reached the age of several thousand years, it is surprising that so many of our shade trees should die so young. The age of a dragon tree on one of the Canary Islands is said to be more than 3,000 years; that of a bald cypress in Mexico is believed to be more than 4,000 years; and that of an English oak in Europe and a "Redwood" giant tree in California is known to be more than 2,000 years. Many trees also have attained to enormous size, both in height and diameter. The eucalyptus in Australia is known to reach a height of 300 feet.

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## THE MURRAY LEDGER

O. J. JENNINGS, EDITOR.

Entered at the postoffice at Murray, Kentucky, for transmission through the mails as second class matter.

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 26, 1914

### KENTUCKY WOMAN, SUFFERER FROM KIDNEY ILLS, QUICKLY RESTORED

Mrs. Belle Hawkins Uses Mayr's Remedy—"Never Felt Better In My Life."

Mrs. Belle Hawkins, Eminence Ky., was a victim of stomach disorders. She took a great deal of treatment and medical attention.

At last she tried Mayr's Wonderful Stomach Remedy and got real results. In a letter telling of her experience she said:

"I have taken all the medicine I ordered of you and will say it has done more good than all the doctors and medicine I ever tried. I don't really think I need any medicine now, as I think I am well. I never felt better in my life. If I ever should need any medicine I know where to get it."

That is a typical letter, taken as one among the thousands from the users of Mayr's Wonderful Stomach Remedy. The first dose

proves—no long treatment.

Mayr's Wonderful Stomach Remedy clears the digestive tract of mucoid secretions and removes poisonous matter. It brings swift relief to sufferers from ailments of the stomach, liver and bowels. Many declare it has saved them from dangerous operations and many are sure it has saved their lives.

Because of the remarkable success of this remedy there are many imitators, so be cautious. Be sure it's MAYR'S. Go to Dale & Stubblefield's drugstore and ask about the wonderful results it has been accomplishing, or send to Geo. H. Mayr, Mfg. Chemist, 154-156 Whiting St., Chicago, Ill., for free book on stomach ailments and many grateful letters from people who have been restored. Any druggist can tell you its wonderful effects.

#### A 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. 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 Kentucky testimonials. Dr. E. W. Hall, 2936 Olive Street, St. Louis, Mo. Sold by druggists.

#### To Establish New Paper.

Elder I. T. Green, pastor of the local Christian church, has about completed arrangements to launch a religious publication in this place to be known as the "Purchase Evangelist." The paper will be issued from the office of the Calhoun Times. Elder Green has been a resident of this city only a short time, coming here from Fulton, and during his brief citizenship here has made many friends.

#### Death from Wire Scratch.

Mr. Henderson Stevens, aged 72 years, died at the residence of G. F. Overcast, Tuesday morning shortly after midnight. His death was due to a slight scratch of a barbed wire while en route home from Hazel about three weeks ago. Blood poisoning resulted and for the past week he has been gradually declining.

The body was buried at the old family grave yard Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock, the funeral service being conducted by Elder G. W. Powers, of Hazel. News.

A heavy cold in the lungs that has been expected to cure itself has been the starting point in many cases of disease that ended fatally. The sensible course is to take frequent doses of Ballard's Great Peppermint Cure. It checks the progress of the disease and assists nature to restore normal conditions. Price 25c and \$1.00. Sold by Dale & Stubblefield.

#### Stock for Sale.

Two mares, in foal by good jack, one mule, 2 years old this spring. Price \$100. Six miles north of Murray, three miles west of A. W. M. Bryant, 2268.

### SIDE-STEP CALOMEL

It's Poison to the Human System and Works Great Harm.

You perhaps know cases in your own experience when people have been salivated—injured for life by the use of calomel. Such cases are matters of daily occurrence. Modern medical science has discovered a vegetable remedy which eliminates liver poisons more effectively than dangerous calomel and at once saves you all the disagreeable effects. It is gentle in effect, no griping, no nausea, no chance of salivation. It cleanses the system thoroughly.

It is known as GRIGSBY'S LIV-VER-LAX, and is sold in 50c and \$1.00 bottles by E. D. MILLER under an absolute guarantee that your money will be refunded if you wish it after trying this wonder remedy.

For your protection and the protection of the druggist, the likeness of E. K. Grigsby, appears on every bottle.

Claude Lamb, of Wadesboro, who has been very low of pneumonia, is reported some better. His parents, Tom Lamb and wife of Belleville, Ark., were telegraphed to last week and his condition made known to them. They arrived last Thursday to be at his bedside for a week or ten days. His many friends will be glad to learn of his improved condition. Hardin Enterprise.

For a mild, easy action on the bowels, try Doan's Regulator, a modern laxative. 25c at all stores.

\$100 Reward. \$400.

The foundation of this paper will be placed to learn that there is at least one feared disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known in the medical fraternity, catarrh being a constitutional disease. It requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease and giving the patient strength by restoring the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials. F. J. CRENEY & CO.

## We Promise You Relief from All Stomach Troubles Or Your Money Back

We honestly believe we have the best remedy in the world for indigestion and dyspepsia. We urge you to try it at our risk. If it doesn't relieve you—as we feel sure it will—we'll give back your money without a word. You know us—your family druggist. You know we wouldn't dare recommend anything we didn't know about, nor dare to break a promise. Therefore, when we recommend any remedy it is because we believe it to be better than any other to relieve the ailment for which it is made, and when we prove our faith in it and our sincerity toward you by promising to give back your money if it doesn't relieve you and in every way satisfy you, you have no possible excuse for doubt or hesitation.

## Rexall Dyspepsia Tablets

are, we honestly believe, the best remedy made for indigestion, Dyspepsia and all other Stomach Ills

We Know They're Good Delays Are Dangerous You Risk No Money

Rexall Dyspepsia Tablets, in addition to other ingredients, contain Pepsin and Bismuth, two great digestive aids used by the entire medical profession. They soothe the inflamed stomach, check the heartburn and distress, stimulate a healthy secretion of the gastric juices, aid in rapid and comfortable digestion of the food and help to quickly convert it into rich red blood, and thereby into flesh, bone and muscle. They relieve stomach distress promptly, and, used regularly for a short time, tend to restore the stomach to a comfortable, easy-acting, healthy state. They aid greatly to promote regular bowel action.

Don't neglect indigestion, for it frequently leads to all sorts of ills and complications. The pain and discomfort is not the least unfortunate part. The fact that when the stomach is not in its right, the material needed to repair the wastes that are constantly taking place in the body is not being given to the blood, either in the proper condition or fast enough, is far more serious. Nothing will cause more trouble than a gradually formed 125% indigestion, lack of strength and energy, constipation, biliousness, headaches and sores of other serious ailments result from the failure of the stomach to properly do its work.

Our willingness to have you try Rexall Dyspepsia Tablets rests on our risk, proves our faith in them. We always sell them this way, and it is because we know that they have greatly lessened scores of sufferings to whom we have sold them. There's no red tape about our guarantee. It means just what it says. We'll ask you no questions. You needn't sign anything. Your word is enough for us. We know that when they help you you will consider it money well spent. If they don't help you, the money you paid for them is yours, and we want you to have it.

Sold only at the more than 7,000 Rexall Stores—the World's Greatest Drug Stores. In convenient boxes—three sizes: 25c, 50c, \$1.00

## Dale & Stubblefield

Murray

Kentucky

Rexall Means "KING OF ALL"—Ours is The Rexall Store in this town.

#### Grain Privileges.

##### Money In Wheat.

Puts and calls are the safest and surest method of trading in wheat, corn or oats. Because your loss is absolutely limited to the amount bought. No further risk.

Open an account. You can buy 10 puts or 10 calls on 10,000 bushels of grain for \$10, or you can buy both for \$20, or as many more as you wish. An advance or decline of 1 cent gives you the chance to take \$100 profit. A movement of 5 cents \$500 profit.

Write for full particulars.

R. W. NEUMANN  
New First National Bank Bldg.  
Columbus, Ohio.

One mule colt, one 2-year-old male and one 8-year-old work mare for sale at a reasonable price—Todd Bros., on T. B. Hendley place, west of Murray.

Judge and Attorney Good Matches.

A singular coincidence developed here a few days ago in connection with Judge Hanberry, our circuit judge, and Hon. Denny T. Smith, our commonwealth attorney, who have been "working together" in circuit courts by the appellate court.

in this district for the past four years, and who are very intimate friends. They are both the same height, weight exactly the same and Mr. Smith is only 12 days older than Judge Hanberry. As to which is the best looking, we will leave that for their wives to decide. Hopkinsville News-Era.

##### Don't You Believe It.

Some say that chronic constipation cannot be cured. Don't you believe it. Chamberlain's Tablets have cured others—why not you? Give them a trial. They cost only a quarter. For sale by Dale & Stubblefield.

##### Has Seen Everybody.

The Ledger is in receipt of the following telegram from S. H. Dees, who is in New Orleans taking in the Mardi Gras sights: O. J. Jennings, Murray, Ky.—Dear Sir: I am in New Orleans and have seen everybody with the exception of F. C. Allen, Geo. Wallis and E. S. Dinguid.

##### In Appellate Court.

Frankfort, Ky., Feb. 21.—Orr's administrator vs. Orr from Calhoun county, was affirmed by the appellate court.

### TO THE TOBACCO GROWERS OF THE DARK TOBACCO ASSOCIATION:

We are now ready to receive and make advances on Association tobacco. We would like to prize and store your tobacco, and we assure you we will give you the VERY BEST SERVICE in pricing it and putting it on the market, so that you may get the very best price obtainable for it.

We can put your tobacco on any market of the Association you wish: Clarksville, Hopkinsville, Springfield, or Paducah. When delivering tobacco to us, please deliver all your crop at one time as near as possible, also in good order. Yours truly,

### F. B. Outland & Bro.

MURRAY,

KENTUCKY

"Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil is" Out of date and out of use—go the best remedy for that often heavy eye, but the light, fatal disease, croup. It has strong, and is sold in ever been used with success in our families, the world family for eight years." Mrs. Over. For a full list of names in Whitehead, Buffalo, N. Y., & Co.

### ROUGH, WINDY WEATHER

Causes Rough Skin, Chapped Hands, Face and Lips and for this roughness there isn't anything quite as good as

### MILK LORINE

If you have never tried it do it. If you are not pleased with the results come and ask for your money back and it will be returned free.

H. P. WEAR - Drugs - MURRAY, KY

### A BRONCHIAL COUGH

is wearing and dangerous because the inflamed, mucus-filled tubes interfere with breathing and the fresh air passes through that unhealthy tissue.



Probably no other remedy affords such prompt and permanent relief as Scott's Emulsion; it checks the cough, heals the linings of the throat and bronchial tubes and strengthens the lungs to avert tuberculosis. This point cannot be emphasized too strongly—that Scott's Emulsion has been suppressing bronchitis for forty years and will help you.

Be careful to avoid substitutes and insist on SCOTT'S.

AT ANY DRUG STORE.







## Watch Carefully the Child's Diet

Start Them Off Right With a Good  
Laxative and Then Watch  
Their Food.

Mothers are often unconsciously very careless about the diet of their children, forcing all to eat the same foods. The fact is that all foods do not agree alike with different persons. Hence, avoid what seems to constipate the child or to give it indigestion; and urge it to take more of what is quickly digested.

If the child shows a tendency to constipation it should immediately be given a mild laxative to help the bowels. By this is not meant a physic or purgative, for these should never be given to children, nor anything like salts, pills, etc. What the child requires is simply a small dose of the gentlest of medicines, such as Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin, which, in the opinion of thousands of watchful mothers, is the ideal remedy for any child showing a tendency to constipation. So many things can happen to a constipated child that care is necessary. Colds, piles, headaches, sleeplessness, and many other annoyances that children should not have can usually be traced to constipation.

Many of America's foremost families are never without Syrup Pepsin, because one can never tell when some member of the family may need it, and all can use it. Thousands endorse it among them Mrs. M. E. Patten, Valley Junction, Iowa, who is never without it in the house. Mrs. Patten



RALPH M. PATTEN

says that Syrup Pepsin has done wonders for her boy Ralph, who was constipated from birth but is now doing fine. Naturally, she is enthusiastic about it and wants other mothers to use it. Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin is sold by druggists at fifty cents and one dollar a bottle, the latter size being bought by those who already know its value, and it contains proportionately more.

Everyone likes Syrup Pepsin, as it is very pleasant to the taste. It is also mild and non-gripping and free from injurious ingredients.

Families wishing to try a free sample bottle can obtain it postpaid by addressing Dr. W. B. Caldwell, 203 Washington St., Monticello, Ill. A postal card with your name and address on it will do.

### HAD OLD LADY'S GRATITUDE

Stories Boy Had Absorbed May Have  
Been Inventions, But She Was  
Satisfied.

It was on a Wade Park car on the line of 40 angles, and it happened but a day or two ago.

A boy of perhaps fourteen suddenly arose from his seat and gave it to a stout lady. The stout lady looked up at him.

"You're a polite lad," she said. "Few boys nowadays would do the like."

"I guess you didn't read yesterday's paper," said the boy. "There's a story about a boy who saved up his seat on a street car to a lady, and when she died last week she left him \$7,000."

"I didn't see it," said the lady.

"Maybe you saw the one about the boy who carried the old woman's basket and she gave him a brick house and a moving picture theater?"

"No," said the lady, "I didn't see that one, either."

"There was another one," the lad went on, "about the boy who had a lower berth in the sleeping car and gave it to a sick lady and she gave him all her fortune. I don't know how much it was, but it must have been an awful lot. You see how it is—you can't afford to risk any chances."

The lady solemnly nodded her head. "Blessings on the man who invents those stories," she solemnly said—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

### Enjoyment!

"Do you get much enjoyment out of the new dances?" they asked the stout man of mellow years.

"Enjoyment!" he echoed. "Watch me!"

Selling his partner in a grip of iron, he ambled to the right, kicked to the left, doubled his knees, kicked all around, lunged ahead, dipped to the rear, kicked some more, took a short run, beat a retreat, kicked a passing couple and sank down heavily.

"Doesn't that look like enjoyment?" he stammered.

### The Mexican Attitude.

What do you think of American art?"

"I must say I don't much care for their marine views."

### Speaking Of Lunch

the wife said, "Bring home a package of

## Post Toasties

—Sure!

Toasties are wonderfully good at any meal, and somehow seem to match the appetite of both home folks and guests.

Bits of selected Indian Corn, delicately seasoned, cooked, rolled thin and toasted to a rich golden brown—that's Post Toasties.

Fresh, tender and crisp, ready-to-eat direct from the package. With cream and a sprinkle of sugar—

"The Memory Lingers"

Toasties sold by grocers everywhere.

### TESTING SMALL SEEDS

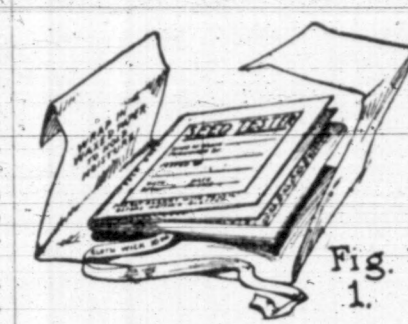
EXCELLENT METHOD FOR OATS,  
WHEAT, ALFALFA, ETC.

Ordinary Blotting Paper With Squares  
Marked Off Will Be Found Entirely  
Satisfactory—Make the Test  
Every Year.

(By BERT ZALL, National Crop Improvement Service)

A simple method of testing small grains for germination is to take an ordinary piece of white blotting paper, about five or six inches wide by 19 inches long, fold twice, making paper about square, as in cut.

Mix the sample thoroughly so that when you count out 100 seeds they will fairly represent the entire lot. Take them as they come, large, small, shriveled, smutted and weed seeds, if there are any in the sample. Mark of 100 squares on one page.

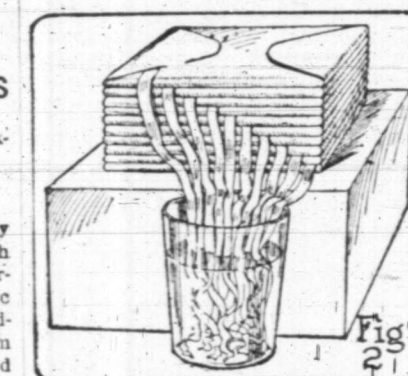


Seeds Wrapped in Blotting Paper.

of blotter after folding. Place one kernel in each square, fold as shown in Fig. 1 after wetting thoroughly. Wrap test in waxed (buttered) paper after inserting a strip of cloth about ten inches long to act as a wick.

Pile up the tests as in Fig. 2 with wicks leading into a glass of water. Keep cool but do not let the test freeze. Read the test in six to ten days. Ninety-six seeds should germinate.

It is important to test all of the seeds every year, because, for many reasons, there are times when the germination of the seeds is very low, and many a poor crop, as, for instance, the oat crop of 1913, is largely due, not only to the weather, but to the fact that a great deal of the seed was not in proper condition to plant.



Wicks Lead to Water.

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### DAMAGE BY POCKET GOPHERS

Little Animals Are Very Destructive  
to Orchard and Nursery Stock and  
to Garden Truck.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture)

According to the biological survey of the department of agriculture, the pocket gopher are very destructive to orchard and nursery stock, and to garden produce. Apricot trees six inches in diameter have been destroyed by the gopher. In one orchard in California alone an assistant of the survey counted seven trees that had been killed by gophers. The ranchman did not seem to know what was the trouble, but thought it was due to some blight. A gopher was seen boring under one of the trees and later was caught in a trap. One of the greatest enemies of the gopher, is the barn owl. One-half bushel of the remains of gophers was found near the nest of an owl of this species, and yet almost every ranchman would shoot an owl at sight. The survey is trying to educate them to the value of owls.

The best method of killing the pocket gopher is to destroy them by the use of poison mixed with choicest sweet potatoes. The potatoes are very acceptable to the gopher owing to the fact that they keep well underground. In one experiment of 20 different runways, dead gophers were found in 15, and in the twentieth the potato had been stored up by the gopher for a future meal.

Poultry Experiments.

As a result of feeding experiments conducted at the Missouri station, it was concluded that whole grain does not fatten chickens, that it is cheaper to feed the grain finely ground; and that the best grains can be had by feeding birds finely ground feeds when confined in crates. The best returns resulted from a ration consisting of 24 parts white bolted corn meal, 6 parts low grade flour and 1 part each of oatmeal, pea meal, buckwheat middlings, and wheat middlings. The flesh of the birds fed on this ration was creamy white in color, the fat was distributed over the body, and the entrails were congested with fat.

### Better Cows

Let the serious, earnest watchword be, fewer cows and better. The cows that bring no profit to the owner are put to the shambles. The price of milk would, at once advance 10 cents if each of the 100,000 cows in the United States were replaced by the better cows now.

### ERRORS IN MANAGING SOILS

Soil Acidity Is Responsible in Many  
Instances for Failure of Seeding  
of Alfalfa and Clover.

To be careless in the treatment of the soil is as fatal to profitable agriculture as to be indifferent in the care of live stock upon the farm, writes A. R. Whitson, chief of the State Laboratory, established by the last legislature to aid Wisconsin farmers.

We seem content to stop with the knowledge that there is something decidedly wrong with our fields. We know that at one time they yielded much better crops, but we willingly rest with the conclusion that they are "wearing out." Large areas of soils even in this state are acid, and as a consequence will not yield as plentifully as they should. We have to determine by means of a very simplest method of soil testing, the acidity, and if so apply a known and dependable remedy.

When a farmer finds that he cannot get a good stand of thrifty clover on his land, when he sees that certain weeds, such as corn spurry and sheep sorrel, grow readily in his fields, he could, by obtaining a small quantity of blue litmus paper at his drug store, easily test his soil to find if it is acid. Soil acidity is responsible, in many instances, for the failure of seeding of alfalfa and clover.

Growing in soils well supplied with lime these plants are able to obtain the nitrogen essential for their growth through the work of certain kinds of bacteria or germs which penetrate the smaller roots, forming tumors or swellings, called nodules. Each of these nodules is a tiny chemical laboratory, in which nitrogen gas is built up into compounds for use by the plant.

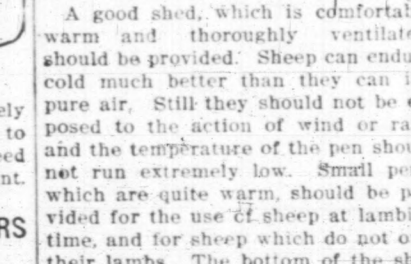
### MANAGING SHEEP IN WINTER

Where the Weather Is Severe  
Shelter and Food Must Be Furnished to Prevent Loss.

Even at the far south, sheep should be provided with comfortable sheds, and in those portions where snows fall and the food is destroyed by frost, hay and roots of good quality and in abundance should be furnished. When the winters are severe, shelter and food must be provided. The sheep should be brought to the pens early in the season. At the very first of the feeding season, the oldest and coarsest of the flock should be separated from the others and put upon higher keeping. They should have grain in abundance and be made ready for the butcher as soon as possible. Too many sheep must not be kept in a single pen. If the pens are small, or the food is poor, large flocks will soon become diseased, and the owner will sustain a heavy loss.

A good shed, which is comfortably warm and thoroughly ventilated, should be provided. Sheep can endure cold much better than they can impure air. Still they should not be exposed to the action of wind or rain, and the temperature of the pen should be kept as nearly as possible at 50 degrees. If the pens are small, or the food is poor, large flocks will soon become diseased, and the owner will sustain a heavy loss.

An occasional feed of bright cornstalks will be relished by sheep, and do them good. It is not well to keep breeding ewes on the other hand, it is simply ruinous to allow them to get very thin in winter. A variety of food will be relished and will keep them in good condition.



A Thrifty Trio.

give better results. As in summer, salt should be kept in a box to which sheep can have free access.

### NECESSITY FOR PLANT FOOD

Can Farmer Afford to Take Risk in  
Seed, Kind of Fertilizer Used and  
Culture Employed?

The crops which you are growing average to mature in 60 to 90 days. The seasons are short. The plants must have their food every hour they are in the soil, and it must be available or they will not grow.

If you think you can trust quick-growing crops on insoluble fertilizers, that is for you to determine, but in my judgment, taking the seasons as they go, wet and dry, hot and cold, you will find you will be disappointed. As a writer in an exchange. You have to take a great risk as to the weather. That is the largest factor in raising crops.

Can you afford to take any risk in the seed, the kind of fertilizer used, or the culture employed, factors over which you have control?

### Practical Farming

When a milk farmer begins to pick himself up and grow ambitious, one of the surest signs is better stock, better feed. When a truck farmer begins to really hustle, he commences by getting more genuine, and you know that a really successful practical farmer who feeds his food with both his eyes and his crop.

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A little girl of eight, living on the South side, asked her mother: "Mamma, what are boys after they are dead—elf?"

"No, dear," replied her mother, "they are angels, as all other people are when they die, if they have been good. Why do you think they would be elf?"

"Well," the child answered, "I didn't think boys ever could be angels. I should think they would be browns, or elfs, or kewpies, or something like that," was the child's answer. Kansas City Star.

### SAGE TEA DARKENS GRAY HAIR TO ANY SHADE. TRY IT!

Keep Your Locks Youthful, Dark, Glossy and Thick With Common Garden Sage and Sulphur.

When you darken your hair with Sage Tea and Sulphur, no one can tell, because it's done so naturally, so evenly. Preparing this mixture, though, at home is messy and troublesome. For 50 cents you can buy at any drug store the ready-to-use tonic called "Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Hair Remedy." You just dampen a sponge or soft brush with it and draw this through your hair, taking one small strand at a time. By morning all gray hair disappears, and after another application or two, your hair becomes beautifully darkened, glossy and luxuriant. You will also discover dandruff is gone and hair has stopped falling.

Gray, faded hair, though no disgrace, is a sign of old age, and as we all desire a youthful and attractive appearance, get busy at once with Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur and look years younger.—Adv.

His Firm.

The drummer was boasting about the immensity of the firm he was traveling for.

"I suppose your house is a pretty big establishment," said the customer.

"Yes," the drummer replied, "it is. You can't have any idea of its dimensions. Last week we took an inventory of the employees and found out for the first time that three cashiers and four bookkeepers were missing. That will give you some idea of the magnitude of our business."

Make the Liver Do its Duty

Nine times in ten when the liver is right the stomach and bowels are right. CARTER'S LITTLE LIVER PILLS gently but firmly compel a lazy liver to do its duty.

Cures Constipation, Indigestion, Sick Headache, and Dizziness After Eating.

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This is a blood purifier and alternative that starts the liver and stomach into vigorous action. It thus purifies the body to manufacture rich red blood which feeds the heart, nerves, brain and organs of the body. The organs work smoothly face machinery running in oil. You feel clean, strong and strenuous instead of tired, weak and faint. Nowadays you can obtain Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery Tablets, as well as the liquid form from all medicine dealers, or trial box of tablets by mail, on receipt of 50c. Address: R. V. Pierce, M. D., Buffalo, N. Y.

Dr. Pierce's Great Kidney Pills Illustrated Common Sense Medical Advice will be sent by Parcel Post on receipt of price. Arthur H. Co., Louisville, Ky.

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PISO'S REMEDY FOR COUGHS AND COLDS

PARKER'S HAIR BALM





Better cookies, cake and biscuits, too. All as light, fluffy, tender and delicate as mother used to bake. And just as wholesome. For pure Baking Powder than Calumet cannot be had at any price. Ask your grocer.

RECEIVED HIGHEST AWARDS  
World's Fair Exposition, Chicago, Ill.  
Paris Exposition, France, March, 1912.

You don't want to know when you buy cheap or big-size baking powder. Don't be misled. Buy Calumet. It's the purest, most reliable, most economical—give you best results. Calumet is far superior to any other brand.

Wanted—A New Baseball Rule.  
Walter Johnson was pitching for the Washington team, and Mr. Jennings was trying to pump out of him his desperate players, sent up an ambitious young man to try to make a hit. He acted briefly. After swinging wildly at two of Johnson's offerings, he made a third wild swing, and, entirely by accident, popped up a little fly to first base.

As he looped down toward first, and was called out, he turned to Jennings, let out a stream of emphatic and picturesque language, and wound up with this observation:  
"I am a son of a gun if there oughtn't to be a rule making that guy hang lights on the ball."  
Jennings, who got his start in life as a miner, smiled grimly.

"Where do you think you're working," he asked softly, "in a coal mine?"—The Popular Magazine.

Unmatched.  
Miss Oduva appears to be a woman of unusual qualities.

Yes, the absence of suitors long ago convinced her father that she was matchless.

The result.  
Lady (pondering boots for her husband)—Do you keep your boots?

Shopman—No, madam, but we keep up to nine in women's.—London Opinion.

No Compliment.  
"Really, Willie, you look more like your father every day."  
"Quit your gawin, maw."—Life.

Epical Result.  
"What is to be the outcome of the romance?"  
"Depends on the fellow's income."

Every woman is a good housekeeper, or, at least, it is wisdom to tell her so.

Even the highest cost of living doesn't seem to have any effect on the wages of sin.

If men were as perfect as their wives expect them to be, the monotony of married life would be debilitating.

A victim, imagination is as dangerous as a little learning.

If we are going anywhere and have anything to do after we get there, let us make a start.

## LOG-ROLLING ENDED

Direct Result of Wise Democratic Statesmanship.

Underwood Tariff Bill Was Passed Without Any Resort to That Perpetuous "Bully" Time-Honored Practice.

Among the wealth of laurels for the passing of old-time customs, why has no one sounded a dirge for the vanished business of political log-rolling?

The practice used to be at its best—or worst—in the senate handling of a tariff bill. New England senators, who wanted prohibitive duties on textiles, would get together with western senators, who grazed sheep on government land, and therefore wanted a government-boosted price for their wool. Then both would sit down with steel trust senators and sugar trust senators, and a few swartling representatives of other combines—and the job was done.

Every properly represented group had a graft to offer. Every insider had helped every other insider bend his private log on the public bonfire, and all were happy—save the consumer, who pays.

The Underwood tariff bill was passed without any of this unbusinesslike trading of public powers for private privileges. Mr. Underwood, who has a direct financial interest in such prices for ore and pig iron, insisted on putting those products on the free list. Manifestly, no one could roll logs with an impractical creature like that—and yet the bill passed.

The banking and currency law offered a fine chance for log-rolling, and a group of "experts" gathered from far and near to show inexperienced senators and representatives how the thing was done—but the result was discouraging. The currency measure was passed because of its value to the people at large, not because it favored a nicely balanced and closely organized group of grafters.

Verily, "practical politics" has fallen on evil days. It is high time for someone to begin the log-rollers' funeral march.

Democracy and Suffrage.  
Leader Underwood has boldly grappled with the suffrage problem with which President Wilson temporized. He declares the Democratic position to be that against the national suffrage legislation, holding the extension of the franchise to women to be purely a matter of state's rights. His colleagues in the house in caucus practically approved his position by a vote of 123 to 57.

This makes more interesting the division in the suffrage ranks at Washington. The congressional suffrage committee is composed of women who desire to keep clear of party lines. The congressional union is composed of women who wish to emulate the militant policy in England of holding the administration responsible. The union demands a general declaration of war by the suffragists on the Democratic administration in the fall.

What may lend some importance to the controversy is the fact cited by the militant wing that president Wilson was elected by a majority smaller than the numerical strength of the votes of the suffragist states. That the militants can enlist the women voters in a general war on Democratic candidates is, however, extremely improbable. But they might influence enough to have a serious effect on the general result.

Mr. Underwood's antagonism, supported generally by the congressmen from the "chivalrous" south, is apt to add fuel to the fire.—Pittsburgh Dispatch.

Reserve Districts.  
Secretary McAdoo, in defining the principle upon which he and his associate, Secretary Houston, will proceed in organizing the new currency system, declared that not the interest of the system and of the whole country, but the best and broadest service.

This may not be politics. It is statesmanship and practical patriotism, and every community should support it. Some of the representatives of aspiring cities seem to be actuated rather by the "boom town" spirit than by broad considerations of public good, even as it really concerns them. The possession of a reserve bank as Secretary McAdoo smilingly reminded his hearers, is not like having a new postoffice. What should be sought by us all is the maximum of effective mobilization and use of reserves, the recognition and utilization of natural conditions of banking and business.

For the Public Service.  
The postmaster general throughout his administration is showing a fine comprehension of the possibilities of making the post office department a great agency for the service of the people.

## COLDS

An up-to-date remedy for colds. That is what Peruna is. In successful use over 30 years.

Colds are caught in many ways. Illy ventilated rooms; rooms that have direct draughts; crowded rooms; damp houses; stuffy school rooms; offices illy heated.

A dose of Peruna at the right time, at the first symptom of cold, before the bones begin to ache, before the sore throat manifests itself, or the cough, or the discharge from the nose, just a dose or two of Peruna before these symptoms begin is generally sufficient. But after the cold is once established with the above symptoms prominent, a bottle of Peruna, or maybe two, will be necessary.

The Haunted Man.

Again that ringing in his ears! It was the warning he had dreaded. He knew his time had come. Yet, although he had started at the sound, he seemed half-dazed and wholly careless of the consequences. But still the ringing in his ears! "That it," he finally said, and springing from the bed the careworn commuter shut off the alarm clock and proceeded to dress for the 7:10 train—Puck.

## FRUIT LAXATIVE FOR SICK CHILD

"California Syrup of Figs" can't harm tender stomach, liver and bowels.

Every mother realizes, after giving her children "California Syrup of Figs" that this is their ideal laxative, because they love its pleasant taste and it thoroughly cleanses the tender stomach, liver and bowels without griping.

When cross, irritable, feverish or breath is bad, stomach sour, look at the tongue, mother! If coated, give a teaspoonful of this harmless "fruit laxative" and in a few hours all the foul, constipated waste, sour bile and undigested food passes out of the bowels, and you have a well, playful child again. When its little system is full of cold, throat sore, has stomachache, diarrhoea, indigestion, colic—remember, a good "inside cleaning" should always be the first treatment given.

Millions of mothers keep "California Syrup of Figs" handy, as a sick child, teething today, says a sick child tomorrow. Ask at the store for a 50-cent bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," which has directions for babies, children of all ages and grown-ups printed on the bottle. Adv.

Sympathy.  
He was middle-aged and untraveled. For forty-five years he had lived in the country. At last he made a trip to the city.

There, for the first time in his life, he saw a schoolgirl go through her gymnastic exercises for the amusement of the little ones at home. After gazing at her with looks of interest and compassion for some time, he asked a boy near by what she did.

"No," the boy replied. "They gymnastics."

"Ah, how sad," said the man. "How long has she had 'em'?"

ECZEMA DISFIGURED FACE  
Hampton Springs, Fla.—"I had had eczema on my face and hands for about three years. My face was badly disfigured. The eczema broke out in pimples and red-rawed so very badly I would scratch it all the time. It was the most irritating disease I ever had. It started on my face and hands and it spread all over my body. I had great large sores all over me, caused from the eczema. It bothered me day and night so that I could not rest at all."

"I used three remedies for skin disease and they didn't give relief at all. I was almost terrified until a friend recommended Cuticura Soap and Ointment to me. They helped me from the time I started to use them. I only used two cakes of Cuticura Soap and two boxes of Cuticura Ointment and was cured." (Signed) Mrs. B. C. Park, Dec. 7, 1912.

Cuticura Soap and Ointment sold throughout the world. Sample each free with 22-p. Skin Book. Address postcard "Cuticura, Dept. L, Boston."—Adv.

The Harsh Judge.  
A judge was recently at a private dinner defending a harsh sentence. "I believe," he said, "that it is better for law and order that sentences should err on the side of harshness rather than on the side of lenity."

"Look, nature, the great judge of us all. Was there ever a harsher, severer judge, than nature, who sentences each and every one of us to hard labor for life?"

## SEAT LITTLE GOOD TO HIM

Smart Youth Had It But He Did Not Proceed Far Toward His Destination.

An important looking and haughtily acting young man was wandering up and down on the platform of the railroad station of a small western city. He was intent on finding an empty seat in the express, which was almost due to start. Vainly did he search each car. Suddenly he assumed an official air and, waiting up to the last car, he cried out:

"All change here. This car will be left here."

The occupants of the crowded car uttered exclamations, but hurried out and packed themselves in other coaches. The face of the young man assumed a bland and childlike expression as he settled himself very comfortably in an empty seat.

Shortly after, the station agent put his head in at the door and said:

"I suppose you're the smart boob who told the folks this car wasn't going. Aren't you?"

"Yes," replied the bright youth, with a grin.

"Well," responded the station agent, "you were right. It isn't. The brakeman heard you calling out about it, and so he uncoupled it. He thought you were an official."—Lippincott's Magazine.

## NOTHING TO BOTHER WITH

Possibly Uncle Cal Clay's Rebuke to Pastor May Have Had Something Behind It.

Booker T. Washington told at Tuskegee a Christmas story.

"Uncle Cal Clay," he said, "invited the pastor to eat Christmas dinner with him. The pastor accepted, and the spread was magnificent—sweet potatoes and coffee, cranberries and mince pie, plum pudding, and a turkey so big and yet so tender that the pastor had never seen the like before."

"Uncle Cal," the pastor said, as he spread the pink cranberry sauce on a great, pearly white, succulent slice of roast, "Uncle Cal, where did you get this wonderful turkey?"

"Pawson," said Uncle Calumet Clay solemnly, "when you preached that wonderful Christmas sermon dismawin', did I ax you whah you got him? Nuh, no. Dat's a trivial matter."

## GIRLS! GIRLS! TRY IT, BEAUTIFY YOUR HAIR

Make It Thick, Glossy, Wavy, Luxuriant and Remove Dandruff—Real Surprise for You.

Your hair becomes light, wavy, fluffy, abundant and appears as soft, lustrous and beautiful as a young girl's after a "Dandrin hair cleanser." Just try this—moisten a cloth with a little Dandrin and carefully draw it through your hair, taking one small strand at a time. This will cleanse the hair of dust, dirt and excessive oil and in just a few moments you have doubled the beauty of your hair.

Besides beautifying the hair at once, Dandrin cleanses every particle of dandruff, cleanses, purifies and invigorates the scalp, forever stopping itching and falling hair.

But what will please you most will be after a few weeks' use when you will actually see new hair—fine and downy at first—yes, but really be hair—growing all over the scalp. I care for getting soft hair and lots of it, surely get a 25-cent bottle of Knowlton's Dandrin from any store and just try it. Adv.

Poor Fellow.  
Lydia found her father in the library.

"Father," she asked, "did Robert call on you this morning?"

"Yes," he said, "replied the father; 'but I couldn't make out much of what he said.'"

"When do you mean?" asked Lydia.

"Well," explained the old gentleman, "I understood him to say that he wanted to marry me, and that you had enough to support him; so I told him to go home and write it out."—Lippincott's Magazine.

614 Worms from 2-Year-Old Boy.  
Mr. Jacob Baker of Maguire's Creek, Tenn., writes that after giving his boy 2 doses of Froy's Vermifuge, 614 worms were expelled. If your child is not thriving, suspect worms and give it Froy's Vermifuge. 25c at all dealers.—Adv.

The Wrong Lesson.  
Father (grasping his son's ear)—You young scoundrel! I'll teach you how to treat your mother.

Son—Ouch! Hold on now, pa. You know you don't want me to treat mother that way.

Putnam Fadeless Dyes guarantee satisfaction. Adv.

The more things a man learns from experience the more things he would like to forget, but can't.

## Sick Women Made Well

Reliable evidence is abundant that women are constantly being restored to health by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound

The many testimonial letters that we are continually publishing in the newspapers—hundreds of them—are all genuine, true and unsolicited expressions of heartfelt gratitude for the freedom from suffering that has come to these women solely through the use of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

Money could not buy nor any kind of influence obtain such recommendations; you may depend upon it that any testimonial we publish is honest and true—if you have any doubt of this write to the women whose true names and addresses are always given, and learn for yourself.

Read this one from Mrs. Waters:

Carmen, N.J.—"I was sick for two years with nervous spells, and my kidneys were affected. I had a doctor all the time and used a galvanic battery, but nothing did me any good. I was not able to go to bed, but spent my time on a couch or in a sleeping chair, and soon became almost a skeleton. Finally my doctor went away for his health, and I got me some—In two months I got relief and now I am like a new woman and am at my usual weight. I recommend your medicine to every one and so does my husband."—Mrs. TILLIE WATERS, 1135 Knight St., Camden, N.J.

And this one from Mrs. Haddock:

Utica, Okla.—"I was weak and nervous, not able to do my work and scarcely able to be on my feet. I had backache, headache, palpitation of the heart, trouble with my bowels, and inflammation. Since taking the Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound I am better than I have been for twenty years. I think it is a wonderful medicine and I have recommended it to others."—Mrs. MARY ANN HADDOCK, Utica, Oklahoma.

Now answer this question if you can. Why should a woman continue to suffer without first giving Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound a trial? You know that it has saved many others—why should it fail in your case?

For 30 years Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has been the standard remedy for female ills. No one sick with woman's ailments does justice to herself if she does not try this famous medicine made from roots and herbs. It has restored so many suffering women to health.

Write to LYDIA E. PINKHAM MEDICINE CO. (CONFIDENTIAL LITN. MARK), for advice. Your letter will be opened, read and answered by a woman and held in strict confidence.



Neighboring Bitterness.  
Mrs. Murphy—Take in that face and put out your pin's.

Mrs. Maloney—I did this morning, and everybody passing by said: "Good morning, Mrs. Murphy."—Sydney Bulletin.

IF YOU'RE GROUCHY  
It is likely that your liver needs stirring up. Wright's Indian Vegetable Pills will set you right quickly. Adv.

Remarkable.  
"Did your husband have any luck on his hunting trip?"

"Splendid! Didn't you hear?"

"No, what was it?"

"He got back alive."

Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets regulate and invigorate stomach, liver and bowels. Sugar-coated, tiny granules, easy to take as candy. Adv.

Something Different.  
"Let us get up a piscatorial excursion."

"Can't do it. I've just arranged to go on a fishing party."

Dr. Ever's Vermifuge "Dead Shot" kills and expels worms in a very few hours. Adv.

No Fair Exchange.  
"She has such a rich husband."

"And he such a poor wife."—Baltimore American.

Sure Cure. Granulated Kollid and Sulfate promptly treated with Rohan Eye Salve. Adv.

Don't talk so much. People do not buy any attention to go out of your 100 words you utter.

Whenever You Need a General Tonic Take Grove's

The Old Standard  
Grove's Tasteless  
chill Tonic

Is Equally Valuable as a General Strengthening Tonic, Because It Acts on the Liver, Drives Out Malaria, Enriches the Blood and Builds Up the Whole System.

You know what you are taking when you take Grove's Tasteless chill Tonic, as the formula is printed on every label, showing that it contains the well-known tonic properties of QUININE and IRON. It has no equal for Malaria, Chills and Fever, Weakness, General Debility and Loss of Appetite. Gives life and vigor to Nursing Mothers and Pale, Sickly Children. A True Tonic and Sure Appetizer. For grown people and children. Guaranteed by your Druggist. We mean it. 80c.

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# THE MURRAY LEDGER

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## KENTUCKY MAN TELLS HOW MAYR STOMACH REMEDY RESTORED WIFE

Mrs. W. H. Clarke is Relieved After Years of Digestive Disorders.

Mrs. W. H. Clarke, of Central City, Ky., for many years suffered from disorders of the stomach. She tried many treatments with but little encouragement. Mr. Clarke induced her to try Mayr's Wonderful Stomach Remedy. She got results right away. Then he wrote:

"The medicine has done my wife a world of good, and I feel that it will cure her. I intend to keep on until she is completely cured, as you have been doing her more good than anyone has ever done her, and she has been suffering with her stomach for years. I am glad I was told of your remedy."

Letters like that are written by users of Mayr's Wonderful Stomach Remedy in all parts of the country. It proves its merit

with the first dose—no long treatment. Mayr's Wonderful Stomach Remedy clears the digestive tract of mucoid secretions and removes poisonous matter. It brings swift relief to sufferers from ailments of the stomach, liver and bowels. Many declare it has saved them from dangerous operations and many are sure it has saved their lives.

Because of the remarkable success of this remedy there are many imitators, so be cautious. Be sure its MAYR'S. Go to Dale & Stubblefield's drugstore and ask about the wonderful results it has been accomplishing—or send to Geo. H. Mayr, Mfg. Chemist, 154-156 Whiting Street, Chicago, Ill., for free book on stomach ailments and many grateful letters from people who have been restored. Any druggist can tell you its wonderful effects.

### Resolutions.

Passed at Kirksey, at a mass meeting called for that purpose, about 50 citizens being present and all voting yes.

Whereas, there has been a sentiment expressed by some who seem to favor bootlegging, in condemning our magistrate and attorney for holding a court of inquiry; therefore be it

Resolved, That we, as a community, hereby endorse the action of N. B. Barnett, attorney; L. E. Radford, Esq.; and T. P. Radford, constable, for what they have done in this court of inquiry.

Resolved further, that we pledge them our hearty support in anything they may do to enforce the law.

R. T. Williams, W. W. Chunn, J. H. Williams, L. R. Riley, T. G. James, Secretaries.

### YOUR FRECKLES.

Need Attention in February March or Face Will Stay Covered.

Now is the time to take special care of the complexion if you wish to look well the rest of the year. The February and March winds have a strong tendency to bring out freckles that may stay all summer unless removed. Now is the right time to remove double strength.

This prescription for the removal of freckles was written by a prominent physician and is usually so successful that it is sold by druggists under guarantee to refund the money if it fails. Get an ounce of othine double strength, and even a few applications should show a wonderful improvement, some of the smaller freckles even vanishing entirely.

### ROUGH, WINDY WEATHER

Causes Rough Skin, Chapped Hands, Face and Lips and for this roughness there isn't anything quite as good as

### MELORINE

If you have never tried it do it. If you are not pleased with the results come and ask for your money back and it will be returned freely.

H. P. WEAR - Drugs - MURRAY, KY

## LESS DYSPEPSIA NOW ---HERE'S THE REASON

The fact that there is less dyspepsia and indigestion in this community than there used to be is largely, we believe, due to the extensive use of Rexall Dyspepsia Tablets, hundreds of packages of which we have sold. No wonder we have faith in them. No wonder we are willing to offer them to you for trial entirely at our risk.

Among other things, they contain Pepsin and Bismuth, two of the greatest digestive aids known to medical science. They soothe the inflamed stomach, allay pain, check heartburn and distress, help to digest the food and tend to quickly restore the stomach to its natural, comfortable, healthy state.

There is no red tape about our guarantee. It means just what it says. We'll ask you no questions. Your word is enough for us. If Rexall Dyspepsia Tablets don't restore your stomach to health and make your digestion easy and comfortable, we want you to come back for your money. They are only sold by the 7000 Rexall Stores, and in this town only by us. Three sizes, 25c, 50c and \$1.00. — Dale & Stubblefield, Murray, Ky.

Mrs. W. C. Chambers, who lived just west of the city limits on the Mayfield road, died Sunday morning at about 5:30 o'clock after a short illness of pneumonia. Mrs. Chambers was a most splendid Christian woman and her death has caused much sadness among a wide circle of relatives and friends. She was about 60 years of age and is survived by a husband and several children.

### A 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. 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 Kentucky testimonials. Dr. E. W. Hall, 29-6 Olive Street, St. Louis, Mo. Sold by druggists.

### Grain Privileges.

Money In Wheat.

Puts and calls are the safest and surest method of trading in wheat, corn or oats. Because your loss is absolutely limited to the amount bought. No further risk.

Open an account. You can buy 10 puts or 10 calls on 10,000 bushels of grain for \$10, or you can buy both for \$20, or as many more as you wish. An advance or decline of 1 cent gives you the chance to take \$100 profit. A movement of 5 cents \$500 profit.

Write for full particulars. R. W. NELMANN, New First National Bank Bldg., Columbus, Ohio.

### Silver of Quality



## BRAINS DULLED BY CONSTIPATION

Some People Only Half Alive; Dodson's Liver Tonic Cleans You Out And Wakes You Up.

When constipation is having its evil effects on your body and brain, Nature is doing her best to offset them and overcome the cause itself. But naturally Nature cannot do this unaided.

In the past, many sufferers at such a time used to turn to dangerous calomel in hope of relief. For some people calomel does appear to give a temporary benefit but as a matter of fact it is a poison that proves to be injurious and even dangerous to many. If you have ever taken calomel you probably have suffered from evil conditions following its use.

But nowadays great numbers of people have learned how to feel better, brighter and healthier by taking Dodson's Liver Tonic instead of calomel. Indeed, this harmless vegetable liquid is recommended and guaranteed by Dale & Stubblefield who will refund the purchase price to you without question if you are not completely satisfied with it.

Get a bottle of Dodson's Liver Tonic for only 50c and learn for yourself how easily and naturally it assists nature in getting rid of and correcting constipation and biliousness, how it clears away the sick headache and coated tongue and sets you right without ache or gripe, without any interference with your regular habits. Fine for children. They like to take it.

### Mrs. Julia Meloon Asks \$25,000.

The \$35,000 damage suit of Mrs. Julia Meloon, against Dr. Will Mason, Dr. N. G. Evans and Dr. B. B. Keys, for alleged malpractice, went to trial in the McCracken circuit court Tuesday afternoon. The plaintiff is the wife of Perry Meloon, a well known newspaper man. In May, 1912, Mrs. Meloon claims that the defendants performed an operation on her to remove a goitre from her neck and that it was not skillfully done leaving her permanently injured. Evidence for the defendants was being heard when court adjourned. The defendants operate a hospital and sanitarium at Murray, Ky. — News-Democrat.

### Awarded Judgement.

Mrs. Meloon was awarded a judgement in the above case in the McCracken Circuit Court Wednesday afternoon for \$3,500. The case was warmly contested and attracted much attention. Should a new trial be refused it is understood the case will be appealed.

### Chronic Stomach Trouble Cured

There is nothing more discouraging than a chronic disorder of the stomach. Is it not surprising that many suffer for years with such an ailment when a permanent cure is within their reach and may be had for a trifle? "About one year ago," says P. H. Beck, of Wakelee, Mich., "I bought a package of Chamberlain's Tablets, and since using them I have felt perfectly well. I had previously used any number of different medicines, but none of them were of any lasting benefit." For sale by Dale & Stubblefield.

### Stock for Sale.

Two mares, in foal by good jack, one mule, 2 years old this spring. Price right. Six miles north of Murray, three miles west of Almo. — W. M. Bryant.

Mrs. Sophia Birdsong, one of the oldest and most highly respected ladies of Trigg county, died Sunday afternoon at the home of Earnest Bidlet.

## PEE GEE RE-NU-LAC WORKS WONDERS

There's Always Something Around the House that needs Refinishing—

An old piece of furniture you hate to part with, worn floors or scratched doors, and as you look about you'll find infinite uses for Pee Gee RE-NU-LAC.

This combined Stain and Varnish is made for beautifying your home. You can easily apply it on any kind of wood. One coat works wonders on anything that needs refinishing.

Try Pee Gee RE-NU-LAC to-day, it's inexpensive and assures best results always. Pee Gee RE-NU-LAC comes in 11 Natural Wood colors, White, Gold and Silver Enamel.

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### WORDS FROM HOME

Statements That May be Investigated. Testimony of Murray Citizens.

When a Murray citizen comes to the front, telling his friends and neighbors of his experience, you can rely on his sincerity. The statements of persons residing in far away places do not command your confidence. Home endorsement is the kind that backs Doan's Kidney Pills. Such testimony is convincing. Investigation proves it true. Below is a statement of a Murray resident. No stronger proof of merit can be had.

W. R. Broach, ex-county assessor, Murray, Ky., says: "I still use Doan's Kidney Pills once in a while and find that they do me a great deal of good. I have had attacks of kidney trouble occasionally and have always taken Doan's Kidney Pills. They have never failed to help me. I highly recommend Doan's Kidney Pills to anyone suffering from kidney trouble. Others have also told me what great good they have had from this remedy."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50c. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States. Remember the name—Doan's and take no other.

Matthew Marquess, aged about 80 years, died at his home in Lamaseo Sunday, after a lingering illness of jaundice. He is survived by five sons, William, Lynn, John, Sid and Martha, and one brother, Joe Marquess. Burial took place near Otter Pond Monday. — Cadiz Record.

Elvia Mitchell, son of D. A. Mitchell, a prominent citizen living between the rivers, died Tuesday night after a lingering illness. — Cadiz Record.

### Card of Thanks.

We wish to take this method of expressing our sincere thanks to our many kind friends and neighbors who were with us in our sad bereavement, may heavens richest blessings rest upon you all is our prayer, and when such sadness comes to your homes may God be with you. We hope you may be blessed with such friends as we were. We hope some day, if it be the Lord's will, to be able to repay the kindness shown us and our darling in his last sickness and death. We feel that all was done that willing hands and loving hearts could do, but God in His wisdom saw fit to take him from us, and may God help us to be submissive to His will. Lucy McCuiston, Ethlyn McCuiston and Children.

## NERVOUS PEOPLE

are usually thin and easily worried, sleep does not refresh and the system gradually weakens from insufficient nourishment.

Scott's Emulsion corrects nervousness by its force of concentrated medical nourishment. It restores the healthy action of body cells, enriches the blood, sharpens the appetite, and feeds the nerve centres by distributing energy and power all over the body.

Don't resort to alcoholic mixtures or drug concoctions that stimulate and stupefy.

Get a bottle of Scott's Emulsion for your nerves—nothing equals or compares with it, but insist on Scott's.

EVERY DRUGGIST HAS IT

## TO THE TOBACCO GROWERS OF THE DARK TOBACCO ASSOCIATION:

We are now ready to receive and make advances on Association Tobacco. We would like to prize and store your Tobacco, and we assure you we will give you the VERY BEST SERVICE in pricing it and putting it on the market, so that you may get the very best price obtainable for it.

We can put your tobacco on any market of the Association you wish: Clarksville, Hopkinsville, Springfield, or Paducah. When delivering tobacco to us, please deliver all your crop at one time as near as possible, also in good order. Yours truly,

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Buy a Ford car because its a better car—not because it is cheaper. For sale by Downs & Beale.

**THIS "PRUDENT" YOUNG MAN BANKED HIS MONEY AND BECAME A PARTNER IN THE BUSINESS.**



## STOMACH SUFFERERS

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There is more Catarrh in this  
tion of the country than all  
diseases put together, and until  
last few years was supposed  
incurable. For a great many  
doctors pronounced it a local  
and prescribed local remedies  
by continually failing to cure  
local treatment, pronounced  
curable. Science has proven  
catharrh to be a constitutional  
and therefore requires constitu-  
tional treatment. Hall's Catarrh  
Preparation, manufactured by F. J.  
Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is the only  
constitutional cure. The mark  
is taken internally in doses  
freely on a teaspoonful. It acts  
on the blood and mucous  
surfaces of the system. They  
of hundred dollars for any case  
to cure. Send for circulars  
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**F. J. CHENEY & CO., TOLEDO,**  
Sold by Druggists, Price 75  
**Take Hall's Family Pills for**  
**Stipation.**

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## \$5 EYE GLASSES AT \$1 PER PAIR

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### NEW MURRAY HOTEL, MARCH 12-13-14

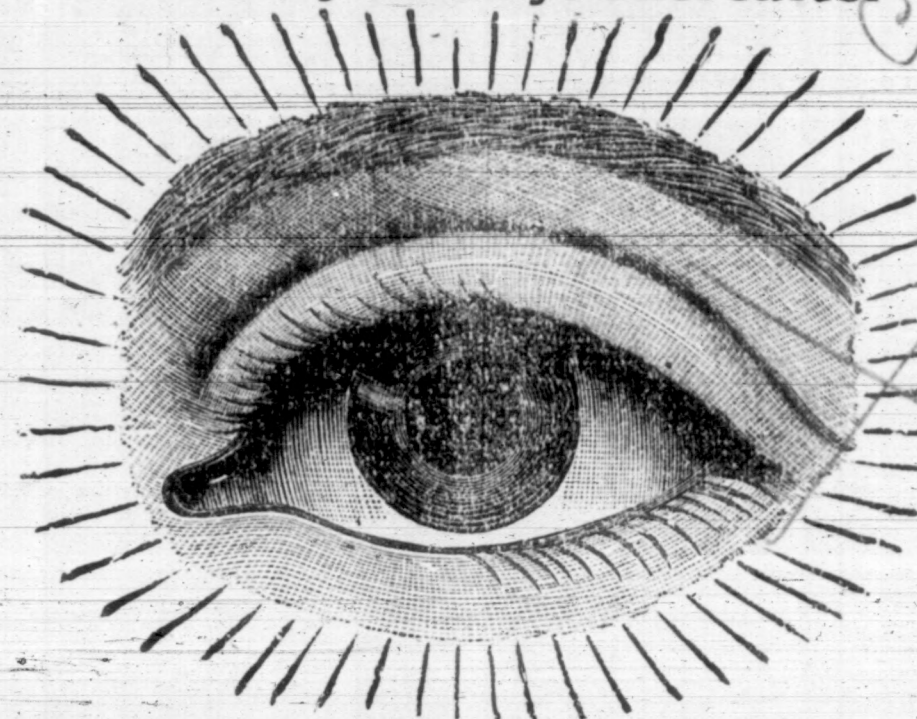
And Every 90 Days Thereafter

**OUR OBJECT** in making this remarkable offer for \$5 glasses at \$1 a pair is simply to introduce these famous Duplex Lenses. Duplex Lenses have met with great success by thousands of people who are now wearing them in all the leading cities of the United States, and are meeting with the same results wherever they are introduced.



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THE  
BAD ONES

**REMEMBER** That the above offer of \$5 Eye Glasses for \$1 a pair is for this visit only. Regular prices will prevail after our first visit to Murray.



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**OUR SPECIALIST** and his assistants have had years of experience and you may rely on them absolutely. We will be pleased to examine all those who have trouble or wear glasses **ABSOLUTELY FREE.** We would suggest therefore that you call on them.

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Headaches Cross Eyes Itching Eyes  
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MARCH 12-13-14

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Office Hours From 8:30 A. M., to 8:00 P. M.  
If Your Time is Limited, Come Early and Avoid the Rush.  
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### YOU CAN'T EARN MONEY WHEN YOU'RE LAID UP

There are a lot of people in this town who cannot afford to be sick. Perhaps none of you feel that you can, but certainly some of you can't, for as soon as you are sick, your wages stop and your debts begin to pile up. The sensible thing for you to do, as soon as you feel run-down and worn out, no matter what the cause, is to take something just as quick as you can to build up strength and health. Make yourself more comfortable and provide against serious sickness.

We don't believe there is any other medicine made that will do as much towards saving your health and thus helping you to save your money as **REXALL OLIVE OIL EMULSION.** It is a medicine

that gets right at the trouble and relieves it by toning the nerves, enriching the blood, and giving new strength and health to the whole body. It doesn't do this by means of alcohol or habit-forming drugs, because it contains none. Its strength and health-giving power is due to pure Olive Oil and the hypophosphites, long endorsed by successful physicians, the one for its food value, the other for its tonic value. Here, for the first time they are combined, and the result is a real nerve, blood and body building medicine—a real strengthener that we are proud to tell you about. You don't need to hesitate in using it, because if it doesn't do all we say it will and satisfy you in every way, it will cost you nothing. If it doesn't make you strong and well again, come back and get your money. It will be given you without word or question.

Sold only at the 7000 Rexall Stores, and in this town only by us. \$1.00.—Dale & Stubblefield, Murray, Ky.

### Brooks Chapel.

Bad weather and an over supply of mud is the order of the day.

Bolen Gordon's tobacco, prized by Eugene Tarry, sold for \$13 per hundred.

Willie Daughtery and Allen Weatherford have bought the farm known as the Eldridge Clayton place, from Guy Irvin, of Hardin, for \$1000.

Dug Jones killed two hogs so large that he had to scald them on the scaffold. They made fifteen gallons of lard.

Prof. Charlie Burke is erecting a large stock barn.

Tommy McGrew has a new mandolin.

The musicale at Henry Burke's Saturday night was a success. Violin music by Wellington Stringer; Guitar by Rev. Anderson and Edgar Woodall; banjo by Edgar Nanney.

T. A. Jones run his saw mill last week.

Vander Stringer has entered school at Murray.

Allen Weatherford and family visited his brother-in-law, John H. Harrison, and family, of Hardin, Saturday night.

Mrs. McClain was 66 years old Feb. 14th. She was surprised when her children and neighbors began to arrive with baskets. They informed her that they had come to celebrate her birthday. While they were partaking of the bountiful feast, she complained that her plate would not set level. Looking to ascertain the cause she was pleasantly surprised to find a silver dollar.

Prof. C. Burke put in a phone March 2nd, and when you want him, call Hardin to ring one short and a long on No. 22.

### LOCAL WOMAN NOW A BIG ADVERTISER

When one of our women customers recently bought five bottles of Harmony Hair Beautifier to give to her friends for Christmas, she started all by herself a mighty big advertising campaign because not only does each one of the women to whom she gave a bottle of the Beautifier now consider it indispensable for the proper care of the hair, but each of them has been the means of getting several of her friends to use it. As a consequence, if things keep on in this way for a few months longer, we will be selling more of it than all other hair preparations combined. Sprinkle a little Harmony Hair Beautifier on your hair each time before brushing it. Contains no oil; will not change color of hair, nor darken gray hair. To keep hair and scalp dandruff-free and clean, use Harmony Shampoo. This pure liquid Shampoo gives an instantaneous rich lather that instantly penetrates to every part of hair and scalp, insuring a quick thorough cleansing. Washed off just as quickly, the entire operation takes only a few moments. Contains nothing that can harm the hair; leaves no harshness stickiness—just a sweet cleanliness.

Both preparations come in odd shaped, very ornamental bottles, with sprinkler tops. Harmony Hair Beautifier, \$1.00. Harmony Shampoo, 50c. Both guaranteed to satisfy you in every way, or your money back. Sold only at the 7000 Rexall Stores, and in this town only by us.—Dale & Stubblefield, Murray, Ky.

Buy a car because it is a Studebaker and one that will give you service longer than one season with minimum cost. F. D. Miller & Son, agents.

### Association Tobacco Sales.

C. E. Farmer & Co., association prizers, at Murray, sold 7 hogsheds leaf tobacco the past week at prices ranging from \$19 to \$15. We prize and store our tobacco at Murray. We are in better shape to give better and quicker service than we have before. When your tobacco is sold you will get your money at once. We sincerely thank our past customers for their past patronage and only hope to see you at the door again this spring. C. E. Farmer & Co.

### The Mother's Favorite.

A cough medicine for children should be harmless. It should be pleasant to take. It should be effective. Chamberlain's cough remedy is all of this and is the mothers' favorite everywhere. For sale by Dale & Stubblefield.

**FEED STUFF.**—I am now prepared to furnish bran, oats and Green Meadow at lowest prices for cash. 21 lbs. sugar \$1; four cans corn 25c; other groceries accordingly. All sold for cash.—Virgil Wilson, west of town 354.

### State Aid for Roads.

Frankfort, Ky., March 1. Following a debate that consumed almost the entire day, the house

passed the McDyer bill providing for state aid in the matter of road building, and a tax of 5 cents for good roads fund, late in the afternoon by a vote of 51 to 29. The debate at times grew sharp, but finally all of the wrinkles were smoothed out and the measure stands there will be about \$700,000 annually for the building of state highways.

### Card of Thanks.

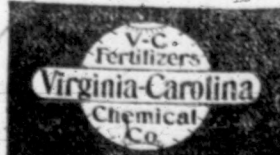
We take this method of expressing our heartfelt thanks to our many friends and neighbors for their untiring kindness during the sickness and death of our dear father. We also thank the physicians for their courteous treatment. May you all meet with such comfort in time of grief. Collier Hays and wife, F. C. Hays.

John McSwain, son of W. A. McSwain, and Miss Mary Willis, the accomplished daughter of Alva Willis, south of the city were united in marriage the past week in front of the home of Walter Hooper, near Confersville. They are very popular young people and have many friends throughout the county with whom the Ledger joins in extending happy congratulations.

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I am doing painting exclusively this season and by so doing am prepared to do you better work than before. Now is time to have your buggy, carriage or auto repaired and painted while the weather and roads are bad. Let me figure with you. Can furnish rubber tire and have any repairing done that is needed. You will find me at Galen Grogan's shop. Yours for business,

### S. C. Rayburn