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Mr. C. H. Layne.

Nature most certainly intended Charlie Layne for a liveryman. In the business world it is frequently the case that a round peg gets in a square hole while a square peg is found in a round hole. Layne is a square peg in a square hole. There's not a man in Hopkinsville who understands his business better than Charlie Layne. Whatever there is about a horse worth knowing he knows it—and knows it thoroughly. He's also one of the few men who will always tell the truth about a horse—even when he's swapping.

Mr. Layne has been in the livery business in Hopkinsville for eight or ten years, and his business has always been in a prosperous condition, showing that the public has confidence in him. He is always kind, courteous and obliging to everybody, and such a man is always popular. He conducts his business along modern lines, and knows that to be successful it is necessary for him to keep good horses and stylish rigs of every description—and he keeps them, too. His horses are always smooth, fat and sleek as it is possible to keep livery horses, and his vehicles of every kind are kept washed up clean and freshly painted. He buys, sells, swaps, feeds, hires horses—in short, he does an all-round livery business. His establishment is a large one, his building being 50 by 300 feet, with accommodations for about 250 head of stock and a large floor space for vehicles, and is equipped with every requirement for conducting business successfully.

Mr. Layne is always prepared to furnish carriages, hacks, vehicles of every sort for all occasions on the shortest notice. His stable is open day and night.

Mr. Layne is one of the most public spirited citizens of Hopkinsville and is worthy of the big patronage he enjoys at the hands of the public.

Mr. R. C. Hardwick.

It is doubtful if there is a store south of Louisville that carries a larger stock of drugs and druggists' sundries than is always to be found in the house of Mr. R. C. Hardwick on Main street in Hopkinsville. His stock would easily fill half a dozen ordinary drug stores usually found in cities the size of Hopkinsville. Mr. Hardwick can fill any want that can usually be filled in a drug store—and many that the usual drug store can't fill. The fact that he is always receiving big shipments shows that his sales are enormous. In this establishment particular attention is paid to the prescription department, three registered pharmacists being on hand to compound prescriptions—and the services of one of these can always be secured at any hour of the night. In a house doing such a large business as does this one drugs do not remain on hand long enough to deteriorate, so Mr. Hardwick can assure the public of the fact that his prescriptions are always compounded from fresh, pure drugs. His line of druggists' sundries is simply immense.

In addition to his drug business, Mr. Hardwick also has a large jewelry store adjoining his drug store, where he carries a well assorted stock of watches, clocks, jewelry, etc., etc. He has in this establishment experienced jewelers, who are prepared to do any and all sorts of repair work.

Mr. Hardwick moved to Hopkinsville in 1891, ten years ago, and has been very successful in business ever since his arrival. He believes thoroughly in carrying a large stock of goods, as he regards it a poor business plan to have to turn a customer away with "I'm sorry, but I haven't got it, I never had a call for it before." He always has it and by having it and having it in sight he creates a call for it. A wise business policy that. His success has proven the wisdom of the policy. He buys for cash, discounts his bills and gives his customers the benefit of this discount in their transactions with him.

Mr. E. M. Moss.

Everybody in Hopkinsville who rides or who ever did ride a bicycle knows "Muncie" Moss. He is a resident in all matters concerning bicycles. What he doesn't know about a bicycle is hardly worth knowing. At his establishment on Sixth street every ailment that the bicycle is heir to is treated in a scientific manner by Mr. Moss or one of his employees. He is an enthusiastic wheelman himself and the work of repairing wheels is with him sort of a labor of love, and long practice has made him very expert in the work.

E. M. Moss & Co. carry a complete line of the leading make of bicycles of the very latest patent, his leaders being the Columbia, Hartford and Rugby. These three just can't be beat—they stand at the top, they are perfect triumphs of the bicycle maker's art.

Moss & Co. sell wheels from \$25 to \$75, and they sell lots of 'em, too. They also carry a complete line of bicycle sundries—bells, lamps, brakes, pumps, etc., etc., which they sell at prices as low as any one could expect.

They are also wholesale and retail dealers in graphophones and phonographs and music for both. In addition to all these Moss & Co. carry a large line of sporting goods, such as footballs, baseballs, punching bags, dumb-bells, etc.

Their facilities for doing repair work on wheels and guns are not excelled anywhere. Not only is the work done scientifically, but it is done promptly and at exceedingly reasonable rates. Several years ago Mr. Moss began to repair bicycles without any intention of going regularly into the business, but his work was so well done that business was forced upon him and he was compelled to open up an establishment for such work, and business continued to pour in until today he has to employ assistants to do much of the repairing, all of which, however, is done directly under his personal supervision.

It is rather remarkable that the farmers of Christian and surrounding counties who have given him hundreds of thousands of dollars to build railroads are unwilling to spend anything for the betterment of the road that leads right in front of their door.

When it comes to improving the country roads the farmers ought to be the most enthusiastic of all men, yet such is not the case—many of them have to be begged to take part in the Good Roads movement.

If the merchants, lawyers, doctors, etc., can afford to pay something to get good roads oughtn't the farmer, who haul over them and get more benefit from them than all other people put together be willing to stand his share of the expense?

The National Good Roads Association has been ten years in growing to its present position of power and usefulness. It first built good roads at the World's Fair, and since then has held conventions in every part of the United States. It has secured the organization of a good roads bureau in the department of agriculture, and has succeeded in having planks indorsing good roads inserted in the platform of both parties.

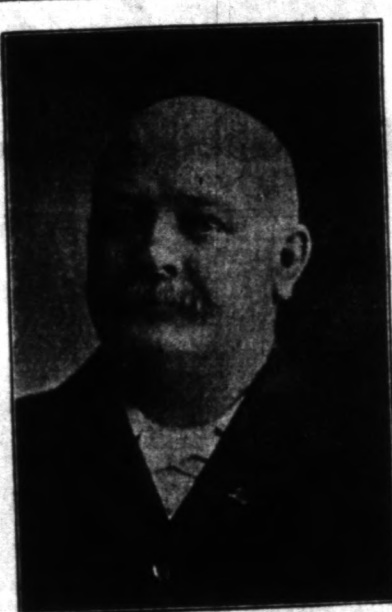
Its object is to promote good roads legislation in every state. The next national convention will be held in Buffalo, in September, and it is hoped that this will be the greatest good roads meeting in the world.

A Frankfort dispatch says: An invitation was received at the executive department today from the citizens of Hopkinsville to the Governor and his staff to attend the good roads convention to be held in that city on July 10 and 11 next. If convenient for him to do so, the executive will attend the convention.

The Maculiffe Test.
Cholly—Oh, yes, young Gethar is rich and received in good society, but it is plain to see he is not to the manner born.
May—How is that?
Cholly—He can't get into a hansom without hitting his silk hat to save his life.—Punch.

Mr. L. H. McKee.

In looking back over the career of a man who has achieved success in the business world the first remark usually made by the average man is, "hasn't he been lucky," when generally the success thus attributed to luck came from a small beginning and came only after the very hardest efforts, the most patient and unremitting labor and was entirely the result of the application of fine business judgment—acquired often from costly experience—energy and brains to the everyday problems of mercantile life, even luck counting for little unless a man has the ability to take advantage of it. Such is the case with Mr. L. H. McKee, the wide-awake, hustling, energetic, popular grocer whose store on Main street is one of Hopkinsville's biggest establishments and who does a grocery business equaled by few houses in this section of Kentucky. From a small beginning Mr. McKee has, by



L. H. McKee.

keeping his eyes open and attending strictly to business at all times, achieved an eminent success—but it came as a result of work, not luck. Mr. McKee is a native of Christian county, where he sold groceries in 1876. Later he moved to Hopkinsville and became a member of the grocery firm of Cowan, Huggins & McKee, and still later he was with Charles McKee & Sons. His present business was begun in 1882 when he became agent and manager for Mrs. N. L. McKee, and from the day when he first began he has enjoyed a large patronage which he, by constant application to business, has increased to its present very large proportions.

One key to his success is the fact that he carries at all times the best stock of groceries that money can buy, and his goods are always fresh and pure, a fact that the public has long since recognized. Another thing—he carries a large and varied assortment and people have come to know that no matter what they may happen to want they can always find it at McKee's.

Mr. McKee enjoys a very large trade among the farmers of the county, first, because, having been raised in the country, he knows just what's needed on a farm and so makes it a point to carry a special line of goods adapted to farmers' needs, then again, he is always prepared to buy their produce at the highest market prices.

In addition to his retail business Mr. McKee also engages in business as a wholesaler, and furnishes stocks for many country stores in Christian county.

A Noted Optician.

In addition to being one of the best known jewelers in this end of Kentucky, Mr. M. D. Kelly, of Hopkinsville, is also a noted optician, being a graduate in that science and having had wide experience. Mr. Kelly keeps on hand at all times a full line of fine pebble glasses and when one makes a purchase in this line from him he scientifically adjusts them to the eyes in order that they may be a relief and a help to the eyes instead of doing them an injury, which is the case when the glasses do not fit.

In addition to his stock of glasses, Mr. Kelly carries one of the largest and handsomest lines of jewelry to be found in Southwestern Kentucky, and all sorts of repair work is promptly and scientifically done at his establishment.

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Jewelry, Diamonds, Watches, Clocks, Sterling Silver Ware. Cut Glass, Fancy Goods, Art Novelties, Eye Glasses, Fine Watch, Clock and All Kinds of Jewelry: Repaired Promptly.

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PIANOS and ORGANS,

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Carpets, Rugs, Mattings, Oil Cloths and Linoleums.

Both QUALITY and PRICE is My Motto.

Call at store when you attend the Good Roads Convention.

Cor. 7th & Main, Hopkinsville

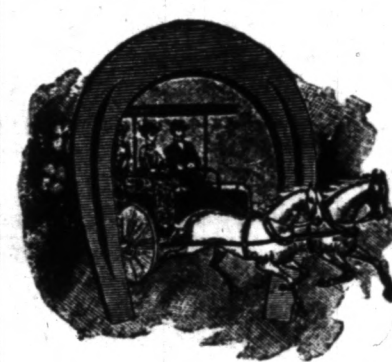
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J. L. Tobin, The Tailor.

MAIN STREET,

HOPKINSVILLE, KY.



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E. M. MOSS & CO. No. 17, 6th St

The City Bank.

Just as the schools are the registers of the moral and intellectual status of a community so are the banks the commercial index of a city. When the banks flourish and prosper it is safe to assume that money is circulating through all the channels of trade. Banks are to the commercial system just what the heart is to the human system, the function of each being to send the strengthening stream through every artery of the system of which it forms a part. The banks of Hopkinsville are among the institutions in which her citizens take the most pride, and among them none occupies a more enviable position in the confidence and esteem of the public than does the City Bank.

This bank is just twenty-one years old, having been organized in 1880. For a youngster only twenty-one years of age the City Bank is in a splendid financial condition. An official statement made at the close of business on the 15th day of this month showed the capital stock to be \$60,000; it had a surplus fund of \$60,000, undivided profits to the amount of \$14,625, and the funds of its patrons on deposit amounted to the sum of \$257,791.11.

It is not probable that there is a bank in Kentucky in a better condition than is this one, and this showing speaks volumes in praise of the gentlemen who manage its affairs. At its head as president is Mr. E. B.

Mr. J. L. Tobin.

The man who wants to be well-dressed and make a good showing before his fellow-men always has his clothes made at a first-class merchant tailoring establishment—such an one as Mr. J. L. Tobin conducts on Main street in Hopkinsville. Mr. Tobin really needs no printed words of commendation—the clothes that he has been turning out from this establishment for several years have been speaking for him. A good fit speaks louder than words, and a good fit is the only kind of a fit that one gets at Tobin's.

Mr. Tobin has been in the merchant tailoring business practically all his life, and he seems to have inherited his good taste in the matter of clothing from his father, who was for years the leading merchant tailor of Hopkinsville. The question of "what to wear" bothers a great many people, but those who go to Mr. Tobin quickly have the knotty problem solved for them and invariably to their entire satisfaction. Not only is Mr. Tobin a skillful man in the mechanical department of his business, but he is also a close and careful buyer, exercising discriminating taste of the highest order in making his selections of goods, as all who have ever been in his establishment and inspected his stock can testify. He carries such a variety that the most fastidious gentleman can always find something to suit

Hopper Bros.

This establishment is the only one in Hopkinsville doing exclusively a book and stationery business and the proprietors deserve a great deal of credit for doing what none of our business men have heretofore been willing to undertake—that is, to risk their capital in a book store, and they deserve the support of the public. They had an abiding faith in the intelligence of the people of Hopkinsville and believed that a store carrying a full line of books would be sustained by the reading public and the proportions which their business has attained has vindicated their judgment.

The business is now and has for several years past been managed entirely by Mr. Will Hopper, who is one of the most popular young men in the city and an upright, honorable, conscientious business man. The shelves of Hopper Bros' large store are filled from top to bottom with books of every kind—from works on scientific questions down to books containing only the alphabet of the English language. From their stock of books the taste of any person can easily be satisfied. There are to be found all the standard works of fiction, history and poetry.

This firm's largest sales, however, are in the school book line, for they sell nearly all the books used in all of Hopkinsville's institutions of learning. The first three or four days after the fall opening of the public schools are exceedingly busy days at Hopper's.

Hopper Bros. carry also a large line of periodicals—the leading magazines being always on sale there. They also have on hand at all times the latest novel of the day—the novel of that has just made a hit and is being widely discussed in the literary world.

Hopper Bros. have demonstrated the fact that a book store in Hopkinsville can be made to pay.

Spot Cash Grocery.

Mr. Burch, proprietor of the "Spot Cash Grocery," on Main street, has not been in Hopkinsville very long, but he has been here long enough to convince the public as well as his competitors in the grocery line that he has opened his establishment strictly for business. Already his name is familiar to the housekeepers of the city.

Mr. Burch says that he sells for spot cash because it enables him to sell goods much cheaper, because he doesn't have to employ book-keepers and collectors whose salaries in credit business are as a matter of course paid by the customers, nor does he run the risk of contracting bad debts that finally have to be made up by increasing prices to those who do pay. These he gives as his reasons for not selling for anything else but cash. He declares that the cash system is the only satisfactory way of doing business. His rule is to buy for cash and in that way get a discount and sell for cash so as to be able to give that discount to those who patronize him.

In this "Spot Cash Grocery" is to be found a large stock of fresh groceries—and he sells so fast that his groceries are necessarily fresh, because they haven't time to become stale. He has one price to everybody, marking his goods in the start at the lowest figure for which he can possibly afford to sell them and make a living. He counts on making money by turning over rapidly what he has at a small profit each time rather than by keeping his money tied up and waiting for a big profit on a few sales. This plan certainly pays him or he would have abandoned it, for he has been in business a long while.

The "Spot Cash Grocery" has a delivery wagon and all goods purchased there are at once delivered to any part of the city.

Kentucky was a pioneer state in the construction of good roads, and some of the turnpike built fifty and seventy-five years ago are models of road engineering.

Kentucky has some of the finest turnpikes in the world, but President Moore of the National Good Roads Association says he hasn't seen a single modern dirt road in the state.

Watch this space for the Big July Sale beginning July 6th to the 20th. Bargains for everybody. Clothing, Hats and Furnishing goods at the popular trading resort of

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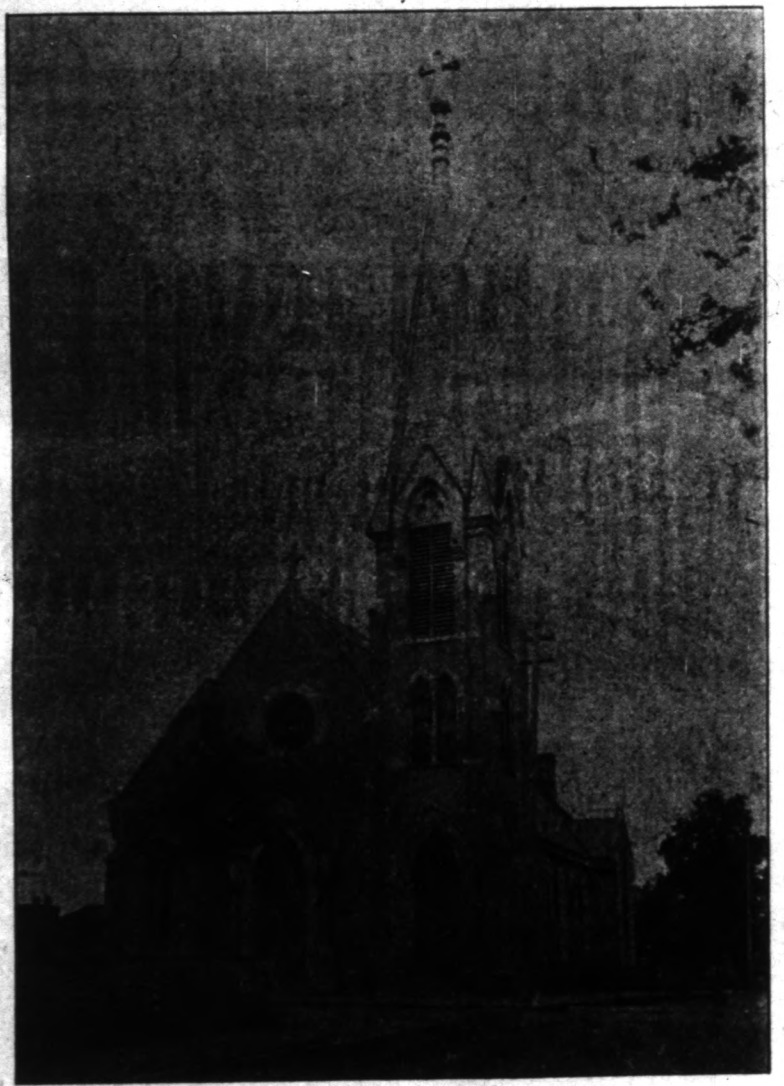
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HOPKINSVILLE, KY.



George E. Long, Chairman, Cor. Sixth and Liberty Streets.

Long, one of the most popular men in the county, who has done much to add to the popularity of the county. Mr. W. T. Tandy, the efficient cashier, is one of the best known bank officials in Kentucky and is by everybody regarded as a man of most excellent business judgment and one of the very safest financiers to be found anywhere, a man who never "goes off half cocked" about matters of importance. The board of directors is composed of five of the leading business men of Christian county—W. W. Garnett, J. E. Croft, C. A. Thompson, E. B. Long, and W. T. Tandy—and it would be difficult indeed to select a more progressive and at the same time more conservative board. With such men as these conducting its affairs the continued success of the City Bank is assured.

The longer the matter is delayed the greater will be the loss from bad roads, and the more it will take to fix them up, as we must do finally.

In the matter of public roads we are just where we were a hundred years ago. That's a fact.

Shall Kentucky remain behind the other states in the matter of public highways? We must get out of the mud.

Does it pay to have roads that are unfit for use three or four months a year?

his taste. Not only is he careful but he is also very prompt in the execution of orders entrusted to him. He employs only the very best of workmen, and every garment sent out from his establishment is perfect in fit, of the very latest style and artistically finished off, only the very best of thread, buttons, linings, trimmings, &c., &c., being used. He personally inspects every garment from time to time as the work on it progresses.

It is not in the nature of an experiment for any one to give Mr. Tobin an order for clothes. He has for several years made the clothes of most of Hopkinsville's well-dressed men—and his business is rapidly increasing, for each suit he turns out sells another to somebody that had not patronized him before.

When the people of Hopkinsville want anything they know how to go after it. Watch that Good Roads convention—Trenton Times.

The subject of good roads is the most important one the people of Kentucky, or any other state, can consider. Good roads will add immensely to the value of farming property, as it will make the markets easily accessible to farm and garden products, and by increasing the facilities and comforts of life in the country, will lead to large purchases of lands. Our farming people must not fail to attend the good roads gathering—Oakbrook Star.

SUPPLEMENT. WEEKLY NEW ERA.

HOPKINSVILLE, KENTUCKY, JUNE 1901.

EAT GOOD ROADS CONVENTION.

Take Place In Hopkinsville,
Ky., July 10th and 11th.

Louisville have
very un-
Good Roads
advantage
up the Lou-
the expense of
publishing arti-
announcing to
Hopkinsville con-
an affair while
only a district
most of articles
for the state for
ous county pa-
have been de-

tion and when it convened it ap-
pro-
printed \$1,250, the city council add-
ed \$300 and then the citizens by
private subscription raised some-
thing like \$700 more, making \$2,250
to be used in entertaining the visi-
tors to the convention and in paying
the expense of the sample mile of
road. Thus it will be seen that Hop-
kinsville people have put more than
twice as much money up for their
convention than Louisville has for
what she has the gall to announce
is a State affair. The delegates to
Hopkinsville will be entertained as
only Hopkinsville people know how
to entertain. The delegates to
Louisville will entertain themselves
—if they get entertained at all.

More actual good will come from
the Hopkinsville convention than
from the Louisville one, as people in
a city the size of Louisville do not
usually take much interest in such
things as the improvement of the
country roads, for they use them
little and do no hauling over them
and are not locally interested in the
result trade of the farmers of their
county, depending upon the rail-
roads and wholesale trade for the
growth of their city. Counties of
Western Kentucky can derive far
more benefit by sending their dele-
gates to Hopkinsville and they
should do so. Local pride in their
section of the State should cause
them to do so, especially as the
benefits to be derived will be equal-
ly as great if not much greater.
Then again the cost to the delegates
will be far less.

WORK PROGRESSING.

As the date for the holding of the
great Good Roads Convention draws
nearer interest in the big event in-
creases. A great many of Christian
county's largest and most prosper-
ous farmers are just now beginning
to realize how much the convention
means to everybody in the county,
and especially to the farmer, whom
it will finally lift out of the mud
which has for so many years retard-
ed his progress. This is the result
of the Good Roads conventions er-
erywhere else that they have been
held, this will be the result in Chris-
tian and other counties in this sec-
tion.

It lifts the people out of the mud,
because it brings them to a realiza-
tion of their true condition and
shows them how easily they can
remedy it, and that's all that is nec-
essary. The people nowhere have
bad roads because they want them.
They have bad roads because they
have never had any other kind, and
therefore do not realize how really
bad they are, and as soon as they
are brought to see the matter as it
really, actually exists, they are at
once anxious to remedy the trouble
and they lose no time in doing so.
The good roads conventions bring
them to see matters just as they are
—and that's the sole object of the
conventions.

The history of the good roads
movement shows that everywhere a
convention has been held and a sam-
ple road built and explained to the
people good has immediately fol-
lowed, the people having seen what a
condition they were in, having seen
what a good road really is and how
easily it can be constructed and what
great advantages are to be reaped
from improved public highways be-
come as enthusiastic on the subject

as they were before cold and indif-
ferent and they are not satisfied
again with their old condition but at
once set to work to secure good
roads and as a result everybody in
the community is benefited.
The states of Mississippi and Ala-
bama never had a good public road
in them, the people didn't want good
roads and cared so little about the
matter that they would not even dis-
cuss the subject of road improve-
ment, regarding it as a mere waste
of time. A month or more ago the
experts who are to bring the Good
Roads team to Hopkinsville on July
5th visited a number of points in
both Mississippi and Alabama, show-
ed the people their true condition as
to public highways, convinced them
of the incalculable benefits to be de-
rived from better roads, built them
sample roads and showed how easy
it was to have perfect roads, and
now as a result the people all over
both states are wild on the subject
of good roads and will hardly dis-
cuss anything else, so anxious are
they to at once begin the work of
improvement. The New Orleans
Picayune says that the people of
Alabama have become so enthusias-
tic on the subject that Governor
Longino in his next message to the
Alabama legislature will urge upon
that body the necessity for the state
taking the matter in hand and have
all the roads in the state reconstruc-
ted by expert road-builders just as
rapidly as the money to pay for the
work can be spared, and it is said
that he is in favor of the legislature
passing a bill levying a state tax to
be used in rebuilding the public
roads—and the people of the entire
state are reported as being in favor
of such a scheme. Such has been
the result that has followed the
Good Roads movement everywhere.
The history of all reforms shows that
all it is ever necessary to do is to
convince the people of their error,
make them realize their real condi-
tion, and they are always willing,
yes, anxious to set matters aright
with just as little delay as possible.



Christian Church, Ninth Street.

It is not hard to convince any man
of the slightest intelligence that it is
to his advantage to have good roads
and that good roads will lessen the
cost of getting his produce to the
markets and will therefore leave him
more money as the profit from his
business, be that business what it
may. The only trouble comes in in
being able to get him to listen to
reason and think, to get him once
interested;—after that's once done,
it is very plain sailing.
The object of the Good Roads
convention at Hopkinsville is to get
the people of Christian and sur-
rounding counties to think, to get
them once interested in the matter
of road improvement and the work

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Bargain Straws That Show the Way the Trade Winds Blow!

- 1c Aluminum Thimbles, Patent Hooks & Eyes, Gold-plated Beauty pins.
- 2c a dozen for fine white pearl buttons.
- 2c a yard splendid fast color Assyrian Corded Lawns.
- 9c Good heavy Huck Towels.
- 2c a paper, Genuine Brass pins.
- 14c Imported fast color full regular hose, 25c value.

59c
2 Clasp Fine
Kid Gloves.

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WRECKERS OF HIGH PRICES

37c
Genuine
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GREAT GOOD ROADS CONVENTION.

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will be done, for their intelligence can be fully relied upon to carry out the work as it should be done if they are only once brought to realize its vital importance to themselves and to posterity. Kentuckians never do anything by halves—especially in the southwestern end of the state. There can not be the slightest doubt that Christian and the neighboring counties will reap immense benefit from the Good Roads convention, and it is the duty of each and every delegate to Hopkinsville—and it will be best to send as delegates members of the fiscal courts and road overseers and supervisors, officers whose duty it is to manage the public roads in the several counties. All the county judges should be delegates. Let these men stand by and see the mile of road built by the experts and have it thoroughly explained to them, then let them attend the big convention on July 10 and 11 and hear the matter of roads discussed by engineers and experts in various lines and when they return to their homes they will not only be in a position to talk to and arouse the people of their home counties to work for good roads, but with the knowledge gained they will all be able to have good roads constructed at home under their supervision and in that way repay thousands of times over the money that it cost the people of their county to send them to the convention. It is the duty of the county judge in every county in Western Kentucky to take up this matter at once and appoint competent men to attend the convention, men who are interested in the betterment of the public highways and who will be certain to come to Hopkinsville and see the work of road building going on. Let each and every man who reads this article make it his business to at once see the county judge of his county and insist on his taking action at once.

CRYING NEED.

Public men, preachers, lawyers, doctors, newspaper men, in fact every man who has ever given the matter of good roads a thought realizes that the time has arrived when the country can no longer allow the roads to remain as they have been for the past century. The Louisville Courier-Journal in discussing the matter a few days ago said: "Beyond question there is nothing that will be of so much benefit to the people of Kentucky as the improvement of their transportation facilities, and the public highways are the groundwork, the basis, of the whole system. We need more steam railroads and we need trolley lines, and the demand for these can no longer be ignored, but, above all, we must have better county roads to enable farmers to market their products more cheaply, to promote the comfort and convenience and to add to the sociability of rural life. Good roads would be the best missionaries that could be placed in the mountains, and they will elevate the moral tone and increase the wealth of any community. When one undertakes an estimate of the saving in the cost of marketing the crops by the substitution of macadamized highways for the wretched dirt roads, the wonder is that these roads have been tolerated, to say nothing of the vast improvement the better roads would give to the desirability of life on the farm, where the bulk of our citizenship resides.

"The convention, if well attended by delegates from over the State, will do more to arouse public interest in the cause of good roads than anything else that could be devised. The model roads that will be constructed by the Government experts will be a valuable object lesson for road making is a science that requires apprenticeship, simple as it seems. Best of all, the convention will afford an opportunity to organize public sentiment on the necessity of securing proper legislation. The obsolete method of working the roads by 'warning in' the taxpayers should be abolished in favor of taxation and the employment of responsible contractors. The State should make an appropriation for the encouragement of road building, and a State engineer should be provided

to supervise the work to which the State contributes. Provision ought to be made by the counties that would prevent the supervisors from being bestowed on politicians. They should be given to men who will build good roads from the start and not waste the money as it has been wasted in the past. Millions of dollars are spent under the present system, with no appreciable benefit to the highways. It is time that these self-evident truths should be recognized and steps taken not only to raise money, but to see that it is spent to good purpose.

"The first essential is to arouse and keep alive public interest. This can be done at the Good Roads convention if the county officers will do their part in the selection of delegates."

MR. MOORE TALKS.

Some days ago the following newspaper interview was had with President Moore about roads:

"I am the president of the National Good Roads association and we are working for good roads. Congress appropriated \$20,000 for the purpose of introducing good roads into the states. I have in my train 14 skilled engineers, among them Mr. Charles T. Harrison, a government road engineer, all of them at the expense of the association. We have all the machines for road making. This machinery alone cost about \$75,000.

"My object in coming is to introduce to Kentucky the proper way of making a good dirt road. You see your state has about 35,000 miles of roads and most of them are in a miserable condition. It is astonishing how few macadam roads you have. Now, a good dirt road can be built for from \$300 to \$500 a mile, and by proper care can be kept in good condition for an indefinite time. One of the best ways to treat a dirt road is to sprinkle it with hot oil soon after it is built.

"The oil gradually seeps to the bottom of the road and makes it compact and waterproof and gives it a firm base. The macadam road can be made for from \$2,000 to \$7,000 a mile and is, of course, out of the financial reach of many rural districts. The gravel road we build is not so costly and I am not in favor of it unless it can be made with a fine foundation.

"The chief object of the association of which I am president is to arouse the interest of the people in this movement so that the legislature may take action in the matter. I traveled over about 900 miles of your state and I did not see a single good macadam road. In other states of which I am speaking the legislature appoints what might be called a highway inspector. It is his duty to look after the condition of the roads and he is solely responsible to the state for their condition. This has been done in Massachusetts, and the result is that the state has the best roads in the union. It is also done in New Jersey, which can boast of roads almost as good as those of Massachusetts.

"We shall hold three conventions in Kentucky. One at Louisville, another at Owensboro, and another at Hopkinsville."

Mr. Moore says that the road he will build is to be in no sense a "model" road, but a modern road constructed according to modern ideas. Mr. Moore said it would take ten years to construct dirt roads in Kentucky along modern lines, but he thinks that when the work is once started it will be carried to completion.

CONVENTION ARRANGEMENTS.

The Executive Committee having charge of the National Good Roads Convention to be held in Hopkinsville July 10 and 11, is composed of M. C. Forbes, E. B. Bassett, Lee Ellis, Geo. C. Long, W. T. Cooper, G. D. Dalton, F. W. Dabney, J. T. Wall, W. T. Tandy, Polk Canaler, R. E. Cooper, Geo. E. Gary, M. C. Forbes is chairman, Geo. C. Long, vice-president, Geo. E. Gary secretary. The Executive Committee has appointed the following sub-committees:

COMMITTEE ON INVITATION.

W. P. Winfree, W. G. Wheeler, J. D. Clardy, Geo. V. Green, Theo. W. Long, Secy.

COM. ON ARRANGEMENTS.

W. A. Wilgus, Allen Wallis, Jr., L. L. Elgin, C. F. Jarrett, Frank Bassett, T. W. Blakey, Walker Wood, J. O. Cook, W. A. Wilgus, is chairman, and Walker Wood secretary of the above committee.

COM. ON FINANCE.

J. D. Russell, G. Howard Stowe, J. F. Garnett, E. B. Long, Jas. Ballard, J. H. Eggleston, Secy, Chairman.

PRESS COMMITTEE.

T. L. Metcalfe, C. A. Rasher, W. B. Brewer, Claude Hancock, C. M. Meacham, T. C. Underwood, Chairman, Secretary.

COM. ON TRANSPORTATION.

E. M. Sherwood, C. E. Miller, H. M. Dalton, A. B. Crockett, Sec. Jas. Breathitt, Chairman.

The ladies of the city are taking great interest in the Good Roads Convention, and will aid very materially in making it the magnificent success it gives every promise of being.

The following committees have been announced:

LADIES EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE.

MESDAMES
M. H. Nelson, Chairman.
R. L. Woodard, Secretary.
Maria Petty, F. P. Thomas, W. T. Blakemore, C. F. Jarrett, F. L. Wilkinson, Nat. Galtier, T. C. Underwood, Ashby Edmunds, O. K. Wyly, Miss Edith Bon-

LADIES RECEPTION COMMITTEE.

MESDAMES
A. W. Wood, Chairman.
T. W. Long, J. H. Anderson, J. O. Cook, H. L. McPherson, Jennie Chalkley, Geo. E. Gary, E. P. Russell.

MISSES.

Belle Moore, Mary Flack, Kate Harrison, Mary Babour, Essie Russell, Edie Frankel. The executive committee will have general oversight of all matters naturally requiring their attention such as securing decorated carriages for the industrial and floral parade, arranging the places of reception which will be opened in various locations in the city, etc. The ladies reception committee will see to the proper reception and entertainment of all stranger attending, especially the lady visitors.

The above sub-committees have been very busy with their work which is progressing satisfactorily.

WILL BE ENTERTAINED.

Every visitor who attends the Hopkinsville Good Roads convention will be entertained by the gentlemen having the convention in hand. Headquarters will be opened and there will be several places where refreshments will be served to delegates and visitors in general. Persons contemplating attending the convention can rest assured in advance that every courtesy will be extended them, every attention possible shown them. Hopkinsville invites everybody and is prepared to welcome everybody.

Messrs. Douglas Bell and John Russell are now on a trip over Western Kentucky in the interest of the Good Roads convention. They will urge all the various county judges to appoint delegates, invite the citizens to be present and attend to the distribution of press notices and advertising matter.

Judge E. C. Ward, county judge of Henderson county, has appointed the following delegates to the Good Roads convention to be held in this city July 10 and 11: T. W. Buckner, J. A. Bassett, R. A. Tweedy, B. Ellis, James N. Sugg.

Our sister city of Hopkinsville is making all things now ready for the Good Roads convention to be held there July 10 and 11. The convention will last two days and with the welcome extended, for which Hopkinsville is so famous, the occasion will prove a new era in the commercial history of Southern and Western Kentucky.—Elkton Progress.

Good roads are the best investments the farmer can make. The cost of hauling his products to market can be easily cut in two by the use of modern roads.

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PERSONAL NOTES.

From Thursday's daily.
Mrs. B. O. Hendrick has returned from Owensboro.

Mrs. J. T. West, of Bowling Green, is visiting Dr. and Mrs. S. N. West at the Hill House.

Gay Stealing has returned from Dawson.

Mr. and Mrs. Phil May, of Hopkinsville, arrived yesterday afternoon. Mrs. May is going on to Paducah to visit relatives—Owensboro Inquirer.

Will Trice returned last night from Dawson.

Mrs. Ed Dickerson and son, James, of Bowling Green, are guests of Mrs. H. L. McPherson.

Capt. Logan Poland, marine officer of the great battleship Oregon, arrived in the city last night on route from San Francisco to New York, where he has been assigned to shore duty. He will spend several days here visiting his mother, Mrs. B. L. Poland, and his brothers, Messrs. Will and John Poland.

From Wednesday's daily.
Tom Howell was in Guthrie yesterday.

Charles F. Huthings is spending the week in Elkins.

Mr. Eugene Wood spent Sunday in Clarksville.

Miss Hattie Collins has returned from a visit to friends in Trigg county.

Miss Leggie Barber is visiting friends in Lexington.

Miss Anna Farris has returned from a visit to friends in Madisonville.

Miss Leggie Barber has returned to Elkins after a pleasant visit to Miss Mary Grumley.

Miss Nell Donaldson returned last night from Boston, where she has been attending the conservatory of music.

Douglas Bell is in Bowling Green today in the interest of the Good Roads convention.

Miss Laura Towles left for Henderson today to visit her aunt, Mrs. McPherson.

Miss Maud Ogilvie and Laura Childress who have been visiting Mr. N. P. Farris returned to Paducah today accompanied by Miss Ella Ricketts.

Miss Emma Mills returned home Friday night after an extended visit to friends at Odell and Grassy.

She accompanied her sister, Miss Claudia Rhoads, of Owensboro, to the city of Paducah, where she has been visiting and hunting in the country for the past two weeks, returned home Sunday—Madisonville Herald.

From Tuesday's daily.
Arthur Lander has gone to Emporia.

Mrs. J. M. Winslow, of Florida, is visiting her brother, J. B. Torian.

Mrs. Wm. E. Patterson, who has been visiting friends and relatives in the city and county for several weeks, returned Sunday to Brookridge, Cal.

Lex Hale, who has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hale, has returned to Maryland.

Mrs. G. H. Kennedy and children will leave Wednesday for a visit to Dawson and Hopkinsville—Mayfield Messenger.

Miss Anna Foster has returned to her home in Clinton, accompanied by Miss Lucille Wallington.

Mrs. W. H. Hancock has returned from Dawson.

Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Qualls have gone to French Lick, Ind., to spend several weeks.

Mr. A. H. Doyle, of Petersburg, Va., is visiting relatives near the city.

Madame R. E. Cooper and W. D. Cooper are at Dawson.

Miss Kate and Eva Quarles are visiting relatives in Nashville.

Mr. George H. Smith, who has been quite ill for three weeks, is able to be on the streets.

Miss Laura Galloway, of Hopkinsville, is visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Smith—Nashville Banner.

Mrs. W. H. Faulkner, of Herndon, was in the city shopping today.

DEMUERER SUSTAINED.

Circuit Judge Cook yesterday sustained the demurrer of the defendant to the petition in the case of Mrs. Birdie Mayson and the Fidelity, Safety Trust & Trust Co., guardians, et al., against Max J. Mayson.

The suit was on a contract executed by Mr. Mayson, conveying one-third of his property to be used for the education and maintenance of his two infant children, and the object of the suit was to secure the specific performance of the contract. An appeal will be taken.

Messrs. Wood & Son, of this city, and Robert Woods, of the firm of Barber & Woods, of Louisville, represented the plaintiffs, and Messrs. Landis & Allenworth, J. O. Duff, John Poland, and John Phelps represented the defendant.

BISHOP MARBOVE HERE.

Bishop Marbove spoke briefly at the Methodist church last night, and stated that he would preach in this city next Sunday. He was on route to Kirkmanville, for which place he left here this morning. He goes there to hold the Nashville District Conference, which opened there today, and will remain in session over Sunday.

EVOLUTION THE THEME

Of Dr. Briney's Address This Evening.

From Thursday's daily.
One of the most interesting days of the Summer Bible School was yesterday. The free conference on "The Sunday School" was participated in by almost every member. Rev. W. H. Pinkerton's address on Church History was a most thoughtful and as Principal Briney said "thought provoking" one.

A special conference was held at five o'clock in the afternoon to review Mr. Pinkerton's position. Rev. J. B. Briney made another of his great addresses on Evidence of Christianity, the particular matter of the fulfillment of prophecy relating to other nations than Israel. Predictions concerning Babylon and Tyre received special attention.

The last theme of the day's program and one of the most popular of the term was Prof. J. M. Jordan's lecture on "The Hidden Man of the Heart," given at the Christian church last night. The lecturer's voice is strong and pleasant, his bearing graceful, his language fluent. He showed an easy familiarity with history and literature that was charming. The lecture was also a thoughtful one. Prof. Jordan greatly pleased those who heard him last night.

Principal Briney will speak tonight at 8 o'clock at the church on "Evolution." All are invited to hear him.

STATE CROP REPORT.

Wheat Damaged in The Central and Eastern Parts.

The week was warm, with local showers in the central and eastern portions of the state; in the western portion it was very dry. As a whole these conditions were very favorable.

The harvesting of wheat was nearly completed in the western portion under very favorable conditions, where the yield will be up to the average add quality excellent; but in the central and eastern portions it is not so good. It has been injured by the Hessian fly in some sections, and during the past week in localities it has been blown down and injured by heavy thunder storms.

Corn and tobacco have improved rapidly during the week. Rice is fairly good, but oats are short, although they have improved considerably.

Grass and clover have made great improvement. Irish potatoes and garden truck are promising. Apples continue to drop badly and will be a very light crop; other fruits are doing fairly well. Peaches are quite promising.

Farm work has been delayed in some sections by heavy local rains, but is generally fairly well up.

Some very heavy thunderstorms with high winds and hail, occurred in the central and north-central portions, doing considerable damage to crops, but the area affected was not large. In Owen county several head of horses were killed by lightning.

ELECTED STATE GRAND CHIEF.

The Independent Order of Good Samaritans and Daughters of Samaria at the meeting which is being held in this city, elected by acclamation James L. Allenworth, Jr., son of Orono Allenworth, State Grand Chief. His address to the council was very fine. The council includes the whole of Kentucky, Jeffersonville and New Albany, Ind., Cincinnati, Ohio. Two other Hopkinton citizens have held the position. J. B. Jones filled the office two years, and Rev. James Allenworth succeeded him, was chief two years.

MAGEDONIA NEWS.

The growing crops are needing rain. Mr. Reuben Curry, who is ninety-two years old, is on the sick list this week.

Mr. R. D. Wade found on his premises near here several particles of gold in the first rocks.

The eleven-year-old son of Mr. John Owens was playing in a field near Scottsburg in Oldfield county, one day last week and plowed up about four hundred dollars in silver, one coin bearing the date of 1701, the latest date being 1845.

Mr. James K. Thomas and Dr. D. M. White have just laid in some new goods. The musical entertainment at Mr. Joe Grant's was exceedingly good.

Elder John W. McCarroll preached at Cross Roads last Sunday to the congregation of W. H. Moore.

Orrin Bell, who was with us again after an absence of two weeks.

Mr. W. L. Nichols was returning from Princeton last Friday and was thrown from his horse, receiving very painful injuries to one of his shoulders.

WHITS MAN.

From Thursday's daily.
W. E. ("Nuck") Howard was arrested last night by Officers Wilkins and Armstrong at Mr. Walter Cook's farm near the city on a Davies county warrant charging malicious shooting, and was taken to Owensboro this morning by Chief of Police Matthews.

Howard was admitted to the Western Asylum Dec. 19, 1900, having been found insane by the jury which tried him for the murder of his brother-in-law, whom he had killed and at the same time had tried to kill his sister. It is understood that it is universally believed in Davies county that Howard had feigned insanity and the officials propose pushing the case against him for shooting at his sister. He was discharged from the asylum March 15, 1901, as not being insane. Since that time he has been around Hopkinsville working at the carpenter's trade.

The murder case against Howard was one of the most interesting in years owing to the plea made for the prisoner by his attorneys.

Howard murdered Peter Gerlesien, his brother-in-law and attempted to kill his sister. The trouble between Howard and the Gerlesiens resulted from a civil action by which it was sought to place the estate of Wm. L. Howard, father of "Nuck" Howard and Mrs. Gerlesien, in the hands of a trustee on the grounds that he was of unsound mind, hence incapable of properly managing the estate. "Nuck" possessed an idea that the Gerlesiens were endeavoring to get possession of the whole estate and throw his father out on the old charity of the world, and he went to their home and killed Peter and attempted to kill Mrs. Gerlesien. His attorneys made the defense on the grounds of insanity, alleging that he was a blood relative of Jacobson Beaman who murdered Solomon P. Sharp at Frankfort in 1890, and that insanity was characteristic of the family. The relationship was established, and it was shown in the evidence that Howard was descended from families, both paternal and maternal, in which insanity existed for three or four generations back. They proved that he had insane grandparents, an insane father, a mother whose mind was feeble, insane uncles, aunts and cousins, and that the defendant himself had attempted to commit suicide on various occasions.

White Man Turned Yellow

Great consternation was felt by the friends of M. A. Hogarty, of Lexington, Ky., when they saw he was turning yellow. His skin slowly changed color; also his eyes, and he suffered terribly. His malady was yellow jaundice. He was treated by the best doctors without benefit. Then he was advised to take Electric Bitters, the wonderful stomach and liver remedy, and he wrote: "After taking two bottles I was wholly cured." A trial proves its matchless merit for all stomach, liver and kidney troubles. On sale by O. K. Wyr, Anderson & Fowler, J. O. Cook and L. L. Elgin, druggists.

STATE ENCAMPMENT.

Grayson Springs Now A Strong Candidate.

The Frankfort Journal says: Grayson Springs may get the Kentucky military encampment. This is not authoritative, but it is known that the famous summer resort has more than a chance for it. Grayson Springs entered the fight late, but many persons think the soldier boys will spend ten days there this summer. For some time a strong fight has been made for the encampment at Owensboro, Shelbyville, Paducah, Bowling Green, Louisville and possibly other places. From the first Governor Beckham has been favorably inclined toward Owensboro, all things else being equal. Until a few days ago it was believed that the decision would be given in favor of the capital of Davies. Recently things have not looked so favorable for Owensboro, and Grayson Springs stock has gone up. It is believed that the other cities, having Owensboro, are entirely out of the fight.

GRAND JURY ADJOURNS.

The grand jury finally adjourned Wednesday afternoon after returning a large number of indictments, mostly for gaming.

GROCERS MAY CLOSE.

There is talk among the grocers of closing up at 7 o'clock p. m. No class of business men work harder and they and their clerks are entitled to more rest and leisure than they get now. The dry goods, millinery and clothing stores have found they lose nothing by not keeping open at night, and it is probable that the grocery men will soon fall into line and close early.

HOTEL ARRIVALS.

LATHAM—M. E. Martin, Guthrie; J. J. Small, Miss Anna C. Tate, Miss Cora Woodfolk, Thos. J. Rice, S. D. Langley, Madisonville; Ewell Craig, E. W. Long, E. M. Woodall, Nashville; W. O. Avery, Tom Whelan, Chas. J. Kiger, S. H. Houghton, Chas. W. Hawkins, S. L. Loebe, T. E. Miller, A. J. Stine, Wm. Sullivan, D. K. Beah, J. S. McAlister, Louisville; W. B. Shelton, W. R. Beah, Alhams; L. L. Miller, Cincinnati; J. O. Gervin, Philadelphia; H. E. Williams, Bowling Green; A. L. Stinner, Sacramento; J. H. Cady, Akron; H. H. Mallory, City.

PHOENIX Matt Oney, J. O. Moore, city; B. B. Holman, Nashville; M. D. King, Church Hill; D. Oney, Beverly; O. D. Bell, Bell; J. Stevenson, Louisville; Pete Stevenson, Bensentown; M. M. Graves, Trenton; Mrs. W. F. Edmundson and son, J. F. Seay, Edgemoor; J. T. Hove, W. T. Coleman, Evansville; F. J. Reeve, H. E. Adams, Madisonville; H. L. Hammond, Greasy; J. E. McOane, W. Donald, Louisville; J. E. Bensfield, Ind. points.

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STATE ENCAMPMENT.

Grayson Springs Now A Strong Candidate.

The Frankfort Journal says: Grayson Springs may get the Kentucky military encampment. This is not authoritative, but it is known that the famous summer resort has more than a chance for it. Grayson Springs entered the fight late, but many persons think the soldier boys will spend ten days there this summer. For some time a strong fight has been made for the encampment at Owensboro, Shelbyville, Paducah, Bowling Green, Louisville and possibly other places. From the first Governor Beckham has been favorably inclined toward Owensboro, all things else being equal. Until a few days ago it was believed that the decision would be given in favor of the capital of Davies. Recently things have not looked so favorable for Owensboro, and Grayson Springs stock has gone up. It is believed that the other cities, having Owensboro, are entirely out of the fight.

GRAND JURY ADJOURNS.

The grand jury finally adjourned Wednesday afternoon after returning a large number of indictments, mostly for gaming.

GROCERS MAY CLOSE.

There is talk among the grocers of closing up at 7 o'clock p. m. No class of business men work harder and they and their clerks are entitled to more rest and leisure than they get now. The dry goods, millinery and clothing stores have found they lose nothing by not keeping open at night, and it is probable that the grocery men will soon fall into line and close early.

HOTEL ARRIVALS.

LATHAM—M. E. Martin, Guthrie; J. J. Small, Miss Anna C. Tate, Miss Cora Woodfolk, Thos. J. Rice, S. D. Langley, Madisonville; Ewell Craig, E. W. Long, E. M. Woodall, Nashville; W. O. Avery, Tom Whelan, Chas. J. Kiger, S. H. Houghton, Chas. W. Hawkins, S. L. Loebe, T. E. Miller, A. J. Stine, Wm. Sullivan, D. K. Beah, J. S. McAlister, Louisville; W. B. Shelton, W. R. Beah, Alhams; L. L. Miller, Cincinnati; J. O. Gervin, Philadelphia; H. E. Williams, Bowling Green; A. L. Stinner, Sacramento; J. H. Cady, Akron; H. H. Mallory, City.

Now Are Your Kidneys?

Dr. Hobb's Kidney Pills cure all kidney troubles. Ask your druggist for them. Price 25c. Get Green's Price Almanac.

KILLED BY LIVE WIRE.

Electric Light Employee's Fearful Fate.

While Adjusting Street Arc Heavy Voltage Passed Through Body.

From Thursday's daily.
Harvey Boyd, aged twenty, an employee of the Electric Light Company, was instantly killed last night by coming into contact with a live wire while adjusting an arc light.

The young man had been working for the company only one month and was a trimmer, his services being to clean the street lights.

Last evening the light on Sixteenth street, between Virginia and Clay, failed to burn properly and Boyd undertook to fix it. He worked with the light properly half an hour early in the evening. The light began to flash and the young man started to go to the residence of Mr. W. T. Frandy, president of the Water, Light & Power Co., and Mr. Tandy and other neighbors several times warned the young man to exercise care in handling the wires, and finally asked him to wait until morning when there would be no danger. Boyd left and returned to the plant, but decided to make another effort to repair the light. Ewell Boales, another employee, accompanied him on his second trip. Boales begged Boyd to be careful and to use but one hand in his work. Standing on the insulated stool, he was using a screw driver with his right hand and was standing the swinging globe with his left. His right hand slipped from the wooden handle of the tool and the moment it touched the metal blade a short circuit was formed, and a voltage, estimated to have been sufficient to have killed ten men, passed through his body. Death was instantaneous. The body reeled forward and the forehead, lips and neck striking the cap and creosote, were badly burned. An inquest was held and the following verdict was returned:

We the jury summoned by the coroner, find that the body had no use as Harvey Boyd and that he came to his death while adjusting an electric light on Sixth street about 5:15 p. m. June 26, 1901, by coming in contact with a live wire about 30 years old. This June 26, 1901.

Signed: O. A. Brasher, T. H. Smith, G. E. Bland, James L. James, J. Campbell, Gray Rollins, James L. Allenworth, coroners.

The body was removed to the residence of Mr. Monroe Boyd, the unfortunate's father, on North Virginia street. Funeral services will be held this afternoon and the remains will be interred in the Boyd family burying grounds in North Christian. Young Boyd was popular with a wide circle of acquaintances. He was a bright, industrious and ambitious young man, and he held the thorough confidence of his employers.

LARKIN ITEMS.

The farmers of the Larkin neighborhood are cutting wheat.

The last rain has improved oats. Tobacco crops are looking well, and corn, though small, has a good color.

A good Sunday-school is now being conducted at West Mt. Zion.

There was a moonlight picnic at Mr. G. H. Moore's last Saturday night, and there was a large attendance.

There was a singing at Bro. William Oulton's Sunday evening.

It is rumored that there will be a social at Mr. R. Reunah's Saturday night.

There will be "a moonlight" at Mr. James Knight's on July 10th.

"Squire B. F. Fuller, of Rice, visited your town about 5:15 p. m. June 26.

B. P. Armstrong and son visited your city on Sunday.

Mrs. Helen Marquess, Mrs. Fannie Armstrong, the wife of Mr. L. B. Armstrong, and Miss Eva Holt were the guests of Mrs. J. W. Morris last Sunday.

Mr. J. W. Morris was the guest of Mr. G. H. Moore last Sunday.

Mr. Lawson Oansler and family were the guests of Mr. Byron Oansler on last Saturday night.

Mr. Ed Moore was thrown from a horse and badly hurt.

NATIONAL BANK CLOSES DOORS.

U. S. Depository and Perry Heath Owns Controlling Interest.

(Special to the New Era.)
NEW YORK, June 27.—The Seventh National Bank closed its doors this morning, and United States Comptroller Daves was appointed temporary receiver.

He says he doesn't think the depositors will lose heavily. This is the bank of which Edward Thomas, who was to have married Miss Linda Lee in Louisville Saturday, was elected President Tuesday.

The bank is a government depository and Perry Heath owns a controlling interest in it.

WILL CLOSE BUSINESS.

The Citizens' Trading Stamp company will discontinue business in this city Saturday.

A formal notice to this effect is published elsewhere in today's New Era, and persons holding stamps to the amount of half a box or more are requested to present them for redemption at once.

At Mr. A. E. Whittemore, the manager of the business, will likely remove to Indiana. During his stay in Hopkinsville he has made many warm friends by his fair dealings with and courteous treatment of everybody with whom he has come in contact, and there will be general regret over his departure.

Get your Duck, Linen, or Canvas Suit made up for warm weather.

DUNCAN, The Tailor.

SUMMONS WAS SWIFT.

Mr. Leon Levy Dropped Dead.

End Comes To Mr. Boyd's Long And Useful Life.

From Thursday's daily.
Mr. Leon Levy died with shocking suddenness last night at the residence of Mrs. Edward Raw's on Clay and Seventh streets, where he and his wife boarded.

He had complained yesterday of not feeling well, attributing his indisposition to the intense heat. Last night after supper he sat on the lawn and talked with friends and no sign of the impending death was apparent. Just before retiring to his room he had remarked: "My mother died of heart disease, and for that reason I do not like to be left alone for any length of time." After reaching his room about 9:30 o'clock and removing his clothes he sat in a chair by a window. Mrs. Levy, who had gone to bed, heard him gasp for breath. She called for help, and her cries were heard by Mr. R. B. Donaldson who ran to the room and caught Mr. Levy in his arms as the stricken man was falling from his chair. A moment later dissolution set in. Physicians were summoned, but it was found that life was extinct.

Mrs. Levy's devoted wife, who was prostrated by the unexpected death, and throughout the night was extremely ill, but, despite her condition, she insisted on accompanying the remains this morning to Nashville, Tenn., where the funeral will take place. Mrs. Carrie Hart and Mr. M. J. Mayson went with her.

Mr. Levy was in the life insurance business at Nashville, but spent much of his time here, where his acquaintances were numerous. He was a gentleman of fine intelligence and generous impulses, and had a rare capacity for winning and retaining friends. His death caused general sorrow. He was a Confederate veteran and had fought through the civil war with great bravery.

Mr. J. H. Boyd, a leading citizen of the Balabridge vicinity, died yesterday afternoon. He had been an invalid for a long time, and the end which came so dear to all who knew him, was not expected. Death resulted from paralysis. Mr. Boyd was seventy years of age and all his life he had been a valuable citizen. He was admired and esteemed by a great circle of friends. Six children, three sons and three daughters, survive him. Funeral services were held this afternoon at 4 o'clock at the Sinking Fork Baptist church, near which the remains were interred. Mr. Boyd was a faithful and conscientious Christian.

Saves Two From Death.

"Our little daughter had an almost fatal attack of whooping cough and bronchitis," writes Mrs. W. K. Harland, of Armonk, N. Y., "but when all other remedies failed we saved her life with Dr. King's New Discovery. Our niece who had consumption in an advanced stage also used this wonderful medicine and today she is perfectly well." Desperate throat and lung diseases yield to Dr. King's New Discovery as no other medicine on earth. Infallible for coughs and colds. 50c and \$1.00 bottles guaranteed by Anderson & Fowler, O. K. Wyr, J. O. Cook and L. L. Elgin. Trial bottles free.

FIREBUGS' WORK AT MAYFIELD.

Another Fire In The Little City Last Night.

(Special to the New Era.)
MAYFIELD, Ky., June 27.—Another fire occurred here last night and the people are aroused over what is believed to be persistent incendiarism.

The fire occurred in the Mirror printing office and came near causing a conflagration. Editor Chandler was out of town and his exact loss is not known. It is certain that the fire was the work of incendiaries.

WORN AND WEARY.

Kentucky Senator Finds Fighting A Woman A Hard Job.

(Special to the New Era.)
LOUISVILLE, Ky., June 27.—United States Senator Debo left for his home at Marion looking tired and worn and was apparently glad to go on the train that would take him away from politics and politicians. The Senator has learned that it is a difficult piece of business to fight a woman for office, and notwithstanding his efforts, Gertrude Sanders will doubtless be retained as postmaster at Newcastle. The Senator also learned that his word does not always go at Washington. Mr. Debo said again that Sapp would not be one, that he was satisfied of that. Mr. Debo has lost track of the senatorial situation, so busy has he been to have Mrs. Sanders removed.

A GENTLE HINT.

In our style of climate, with the sudden change of climate—rain, wind and sunshine often intermingled in the same day—it is no wonder that our children, friends and relatives are so frequently taken from us by neglected colds, half the deaths resulting directly from this cause. A bottle of Boche's German Syrup kept about your home for immediate use will prevent serious sickness, a large doctor's bill, and perhaps death by the use of three or four doses. For curing consumption, hemorrhages, pneumonia, severe coughs, croup, or any disease of the throat or lungs, its success is simply wonderful, as your druggist will tell you. Get a sample bottle free from R. O. Hardwick, City Pharmacy. Regular size 75c. Get Green's Price Almanac.

ATTENTION IS CALLED

By Governor To Good Roads Convention.

Requests County Judges To Appoint Delegates To Hopkinsville.

Governor Beckham has issued the following proclamation calling attention to the Good Roads Convention which will be held in this city next month:

Commonwealth of Kentucky Executive Department,
Whereas, a convention of the National Good Roads Association has been called to meet at Hopkinsville, Ky., on July 10 and 11, 1901, for the purpose of creating a better interest in the subject of improved highways in Kentucky, and especially in that portion of Kentucky west of the line of the Louisville railroad from Louisville to Gallatin, Tenn.:

A dark, vertical, textured strip, possibly a book binding or a piece of fabric, with a lighter, textured background.