

LOCAL NEWS



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The Central Record reports business on a boom in our neighboring county of Garrard.

Dr. H. C. Pope, for several years stationed at Kirksville, has moved to Shawhan, Bourbon county.

Lancaster is to have a Loose Leaf Tobacco Market. Mr. A. R. Denny, well known here, is one of the promoters.

Dr. Chas. E. Smoot's new machine, a Cartercar, has just arrived and is one of the handsomest, most up-to-date cars in the city.

To advance your tobacco plant bed from two to three weeks, use the very best tobacco fertilizer. We have a grade for this purpose. 4-2t D. B. Shackelford & Co.

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A disastrous fire was narrowly averted on Saturday night over Rice & Arnold's shoe store. The fire began in the room over the store, but was discovered in time to prevent any serious damage.

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Mr. Embry Deatherage has accepted a fine position in Greenville, S. C., and will in future make that place his home. No young man stands higher in the community, and we regret to have him leave Richmond, but are glad of his good fortune.

Don't fail to attend the poultry institute at the poultry show at McKee's hall, Feb. 5, 6, 7 and 8. You will hear the best authorities in the United States discuss poultry industry from every point of view. adv

Opinion is much divided as to whether or not there will be a base ball club here the coming season. It is certain there will be none without assistance and co-operation. The game is fine from an athletic standpoint, and has always been greatly enjoyed by the people of Richmond.

Mr. W. P. Givens, of near Danville, raised four good crops of alfalfa on ten acres of land last year. Each crop was equal to the average crop of timothy or clover. It netted him \$162 per acre. He says the land should be fertilized with lime and deeply harrowed in the spring to make the crop a success.

Basket Ball.

Friday night Caldwell won a game from Winchester by 39 to 9. The feature of the game was Sandlin's star playing and Frank Devore's rooting. The home boys had the visitors outclassed. The Caldwell team played, fine, fast, snappy ball and they should receive better patronage from the town.

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Electric Plant Sold.

The Middle West Utilities Company, Chicago corporation, controlled by the Insull Interests, purchased the Richmond Electric and Power Company and is now in possession of the property. The price paid and the future plans of the new owners are not made public.

It is understood that the purchasers are the same people who recently took over a number of public service properties in Central Kentucky, including Somerset, Lawrenceburg, Shelbyville, Versailles, Winchester and Mt. Sterling; and it is probable that the Richmond property will be operated and controlled by the Kentucky Utilities Company, a Kentucky corporation, with its chief office at Lexington, Ky. Mr. Harry Ried, of Versailles is the Vice-President and General Manager of the Kentucky Utilities Company, and the Richmond plant is at present under his management and direction.

The Middle West Utilities Company is one of the strongest companies in the United States engaged in the operation and development of Public Utilities. Under the splendid management of Hon. L. B. Herrington ably assisted by Mr. J. Hale Dean, this plant was brought from a state of innocuous desuetude and made a strong, efficient concern.

Assassinated.

Hon. Harry Bailey was shot Monday on one of the main thoroughfares of Cynthiana by J. Newton Arnold of Bourbon county and died almost instantly of the wound. The killing was the result of a note held by Bailey for collection against Arnold, and about which he accosted him, when Arnold struck him in the face, Bailey retaliated by knocking Arnold down, and when he arose inquired if "he had enough," Arnold with an oath replied that he had not, and drew a revolver from his pocket; Bailey grappled with him but Arnold being much the stronger man, wrenched loose and shot him. Excitement ran so high in Cynthiana over the killing that sheriff fearing trouble smuggled the prisoner to Lexington where he was placed in jail.

Harry Bailey was popular all over Kentucky, and was a man of considerable prominence. At the recent November election he was defeated for Congress by Hon. W. J. Fields, Democrat by only a small majority.—Record.

The Chicken Show.

The Show opened with a large attendance. Some splendid birds are on exhibition. A large crowd is anticipated. Go and take the family. Its an opportunity to see on exhibition the representatives of one of the largest industries of the State. Some very costly birds and famous prize winners are here.

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Church Notes

C. W. B. M. meets today at 2:30 p. m. with Miss Patty Deatherage.

The Circle of the Christian church meets on Thursday at 3 p. m. with Mrs. D. L. Cobb, in Burnamwood.

Rev. Ellis B. Barnes, of this city, is to read a paper before the Ministerial Association at Lexington next Monday.

Rev. Jerome Kates, of Belmont, N. Y., has accepted the call as rector of the Episcopal Church in this city.—Mt. Sterling Advocate.

We feel justly proud of the Sunday school of the Christian church on account of the offering last Sunday, \$22.80 being given.

"Surely the church is a place where one day's truce ought to be allowed to the dissensions and animosities of mankind."—Burke.

Eight persons were received into the communion of the First Presbyterian church last Sunday on examination, and three the preceding Sunday.

The Southern Baptists hold their first Laymen's Convention at Chattanooga this week. They expect about 2,000 laymen to be in attendance from all parts of the South.

The Woman's Missionary Society of the Methodist church will hold their regular session with Miss Lucy Adams on Woodland avenue Friday at 2:30 p. m. A full attendance is desired.

The second quarterly conference for the year will be held at the Methodist church next Sunday. Rev. W. O. Sadler, of Danville, will preach at the morning and evening hours in the place of the presiding elder, Rev. W. E. Arnold.

The Moninger Memorial has a rightful claim upon the schools in our state, not only in its commemoration of a choice spirit's splendid achievements and a Christian nobleman's unselfish life, but in its contribution to the equipment of those who are to minister in the Kingdom as preachers and teachers of the Word.—Robt. N. Simpson, Harrodsburg.

There is sweet music in every home where the heart strings are touched by gentleness and courtesy. The mild word, the gentle answer, the tender act, the patient consideration, will touch chords of kindness and make sweet melody in the family as everywhere. A desolate, dreary place is a home devoid of all those little courtesies which are practical in the best social life.—Harrodsburg Leader.

There are in the average church three classes of people, the Reliabilities, the Unreliables and the Liabilities. On those who make up the first class you can depend absolutely and always. May their tribe increase! On those of the second class you can never depend. They have attained a certain sort of reliability in being always unreliable. They may be crossed entirely out of any book of expectation of service or use. It is, perhaps, those of the third class that most bring gray hairs and wrinkles of concern to the pastor and to those charged with the administration of affairs. You never know how to take them nor where to find them.—Zion's Advocate.

Don't forget that the person holding the lucky number each afternoon and night will receive a special premium offered by a breeder or business man of Madison county. Get your coupon at ticket window. adv

Big sale now on at Sexton's.

Of Interest to Farmers.

The attention of the farmers of Madison county is again called to the first of a series of lectures, Saturday afternoon, Feb. 8th, to be given this winter and spring on subjects of interest to farmers by the Farmers' Union. Prof. E. J. Kinney, of the State Agricultural College at Lexington, will begin the series with an instructive talk on improved corn culture.

The time has long since past when the farmer can afford the old methods of our fathers which did very well on twenty dollar land, but in these days when good farming land is selling around a hundred and fifty dollars he is losing money who does not know the modern methods. One of the best ways to make the high priced land pay its just per cent of interest is to learn how to make it produce more and better corn.

Prof. Kinney's lecture on better corn is timely, as the corn planting season is upon us. The general public as well as the farmers of the county are invited to attend the lectures.

GENERAL NEWS

Boiled Down For Busy People

An automobile which was struck by a street car in Louisville injured five persons.

Smallpox is raging in the Green river district and Federal aid has been asked by the authorities.

Miss Martha Bowers, while riding in company with Miss Helen Taft, was thrown from her horse and badly injured.

The Democrats in the United States Senate are vigorously fighting the confirmation of the late appointees of President Taft.

Col. W. P. Walton, formerly editor of this paper, is on the inaugural reception committee. Quite an honor, and well deserved.—Leader.

Hon. Jerry Sullivan is progressing nicely and has been taken to Louisville for treatment. We hope that this popular gentleman may soon be out again.

The first woman messenger to deliver the vote of a State for President at Washington, is Mrs. Margaret Zane Witcher, who delivered the vote of Utah.

Judge D. B. Redwine, Judge of the Estill Circuit Court, who has been sick so long, and who is now in Florida recuperating his health is much improved.

Don't forget that a special feature of the show is the educational features arranged for your benefit. Come and take advantage of the opportunities offered. adv

It is necessary for one more state to ratify the income tax bill amendment to the constitution to make it effective and President Wilson hopes that New Jersey will adopt it.

The Dix River Power Plant Co. has been capitalized in New York at \$4,000,000. The plan is to erect a gigantic dam across Dix river about eight miles northeast of Danville, which when completed will cost \$1,400,000.

The Commerce Commission declared that the rates of the Louisville & Nashville Railroad Company were unreasonable. This as to the proposed rates affecting Southwestern Virginia and Southeastern Kentucky. The opinion was written by Commissioner McCord. What about 18-cent coal in Richmond? Oh for a McCord here!

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Chairman Adamson, of the Commerce House Committee, predicts that one of the first acts of President Wilson will be to recommend the repeal of the free coastwise law for American ships engaged in the Panama Canal trade. And thus it appears that our President is 'Anglish you know. It will be well enough for Woodrow to row close to the shore. But then a man who can "Look over the New Jersey corporation laws for a few hours and then evolve a comprehensive system of laws of coporate ridden New Jersey," can work wonders in most anything he attempts.

Judge Nunn, of the Kentucky Court of Appeals, fearing a breakdown from over work, left for St. Petersburg for a month's rest. Thus again are we impressed with the fact that instead of having a commissioner of appeals, we should have a judge. The same salary is paid the commissioner as is paid to a judge, but the commissioner can not take the place of the judge. The commissioner is a mere make shift to avoid the constitutional limitation of the number of judges. Thus do we see the constitution, even in the highest court of the land, ignored and disregarded.

School men of the State are apprehensive that the cry for "Retrenchment and Reform" will effect the schools of the country. No one wants the schools injured and no one is demanding that such legislation be enacted. There is no occasion for alarm. This is probably started by the political free booters who see danger to themselves in the agitation of reform. Let the good work of reform go on.

It is "settled again" that Bryan will be the next Secretary of State under President Wilson. But Mr. Wilson who finally settles things in this department says he has not made up his mind. It is high time that he was doing so. The country wants due notice of whats doing in the cabinet line, so that it can kick its self in shape before appointments are really made.

President Taft has taken a firm stand on his policy in reference to the Panama Canal so far as it relates to the intercoastal trade. He claims that he is supported by all international law. He is a great lawyer and it is to be hoped that his legal opinions are on a more substantial basis than his political opinions.

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LOST.

Two linen dinner napkins on Lancaster avenue, with the initial "L" embroidered on same. Finder will please leave at this office or telephone 791.

\$1.98 for \$5 shoes at Sexton's.

An Exchange says: "We edit this paper because we think we know how but one would not think so could they conceive of the advice that we receive without solicitation."

We entertain a different opinion. We want the best opinion of the best informed people all the time. Come in and tell us anything that you think will help us or the community. You can't give us too much good advice.

The Library building of the Presbyterian College at Sherman, Texas was burned last week by a fifteen-year-old boy, who had attempted a similar feat on the Y. M. C. A. building but had failed in the attempt. The loss to the College is about \$120,000, with less than half of same covered by insurance.

W. R. Nelson, a veteran newspaper man of Kansas City, Mo., was sentenced to one day in jail for an alleged contempt of court.

The judge, strange to say, had his opinion written out before he heard the evidence.

No wonder that Mr. Nelson had a contempt for such a judge. An appeal was taken.

The Senate has passed the bill making the term of the President a term of six years instead of four. This will apply to Wilson as well as to the other ex-presidents.

It ought to be made a term of two years instead of six and allow him to be elected to a second term if he makes good.

Don't forget the annual meeting of the Ky. Branch of the American Poultry Association. Be on hand and vote for your man as an officer. If you are not a member join us. adv

A great struggle is going on in the Iron works of the American Steel & Wire Company of Pittsburg, Pa. One man was killed and several persons were wounded.

"Mr. Bob."

"Mr. Bob," given by talented Richmondites, was greeted by a large audience and declared to be the "hit" of the season. The acting was above criticism, while the amusing situations and unlooked-for incidents called forth continued applause. May these gifted performers again come before the footlights.

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