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Never Bond Her.

Our constitution says: "equal rights to all and exclusive privileges to none." We don't want anything that is unconstitutional, but we as a great common people do want our rights and the time is here that we can obtain them if we will all fall in line and work to our goal. A man of today, it matters not how poor he may be, if only dressed in a pair of fifty cents overalls can do as much good as the polls as a Rockefeller or a Vanderbilt.

Now I want to say in regard to the bond business that the Adair County News said in an article week before last that the Taylor county bond business had been exaggerated and misrepresented. Now if this was hurled at me, as I believed it was, I have just this to say, that the man or set of men that says that I misrepresented anything in regard to the Taylor county bonds tells a malicious and willful falsehood. I have been referred to in a belittling way more than once since the agitating of bonds has been in progress, but I am just now as I was on the beginning. I am in favor of a reasonable road tax to be expended in each Magisterial district from whence it came for the betterment of its own roads. Now fellow citizens you all know that is a fair proposition, let every man, rich or poor, white or black, get the benefit of what he pays, and do away with taxation without representation. Now there is a clique in Adair county composed principally of moneyed men that are continually trying to get their fingers in the great common people's eyes and lead, drive or bluff them into submission and the agitation of the bond business is the hardest lick that the great common people have ever been struck, but fellow citizens we as a body can rise up and knock such an insult into oblivion.

The Adair County News says that the fighting of the bond business only delays it, that it will surely come and it also says that Adair county will bloom as a rose and not until then. "Preposterous," "obnoxious." I for one will not stand for such a thing. Fellow citizens what will you do? Come out of your hiding, come to the rescue of the nearest and dearest place on earth to you, the place where our fathers, mothers and dear ones are buried and say that we will not suffer our own dear good old county that has fed and clothed us from infancy to the present day disgraced by having a bond placed on her. Stop, think just for one moment. What did that great and good man, Judge A. E. Salee, say in regard to bonds when they wanted to vote bonds to build our court-house? "He said he would die before he would suffer such a calamity to fall on the people." What about Judge Salee? Everybody knows that there never lived or died a better man, honest, upright, fearless friend to everybody. To know him was to love him, and Adair county never produced a more loyal son and no other county ever produced a bettered Judge. What did the Hatcher correspondent in his last letter say about bonds? He said: "Dear editor, if the rest of my letter goes to the waste basket please publish these few lines which were as follows: 'Never bond your county for anything.'" Now Hatcher is located in Taylor county and this was penned from a man that had tried the bond business and had seen the calamity that befell his county so he warned his sister county, Adair, not to suffer such calamity to fall on her. The Adair County News says: "that unfortunately Taylor county failed to hold her interest as par in the enterprise and became a victim of circumstances." Such might be the way if Adair should be gulled into bonding herself, and I should think it would be a sorrowful epitaph to be placed on the grave stone of old Adair county.

"Unfortunately a victim of circumstances." Now fellow citizens study the situation closely yourselves and help put an epitaph on old Adair county to read like this:

"We have met the enemy and they are ours."

C. G. Jeffries,
Knifley, Ky.

"I have accepted the agency for J. R. Watkins Medical Co., in this county, and will make a home to home canvass. You will find these goods at any time at J. F. Patterson's store Columbia. I will be on the square the first day of every court. These goods need no recommendation as they have been tried by the people of this county and have given perfect satisfaction. Call at the above named store if you should need any of these goods before I call on you. These goods can also be found at D. M. Moore's, at Garlin.

Respt.
S. G. Denny

An Incident of the War.

In 1863 the 17th Michigan regiment was camped on Mr. J. M. Russell's farm near Columbia, and in one of the companies was a young soldier about twenty years of age, named William H. Russell. His name being the same as the owner of the property upon whose land he was camping, friendly relations were soon brought about and the young soldier became a frequent visitor to the Russell home and was treated almost like one of the family. He had elegant manners and his conduct showed that he was a born gentleman. Mr. Russell's children were all at home at this time, excepting Joseph, who was in the army, and the entire family took a great interest in the young soldier, often having him call and take meals.

One day an order came directing the regiment to move. Before leaving young Russell, the soldier, wrote a letter to the family, expressing his gratitude for the kind treatment he had received in the hospitable home. The letter was preserved by Miss Kate Russell, who died a few months ago, and which was found in her effects.

The letter were so well written that Mr. J. O. Russell became anxious to know if the soldier boy of 1863 was yet living. He wrote to the pension department Washington, D. C., and learned that Wm. H. Russell was on the list and was living in Omaha, Neb. A letter was at once forwarded to his address, and in due time an answer came, showing that he was the same person who was here on the date given above. He repeated how well he was treated in the Russell home here, and expressed a desire to see the living members of the family. He is now 70 years old; has raised a family, one son being a prominent lawyer in the City of New York.

Mr. J. O. Russell thinks he will be in Omaha some time this year, and will make it convenient to see the friend he knew when he was only seven years old.

Foxes Wanted.

Gray Foxes \$2.50, Red Foxes \$5.00; Minks \$6.00 to \$8.00 each; Coons \$1.25, and express. Send name of your express office in first letter.

W. T. Hodgen,
Box 232 Campbellsville, Ky.

Mr. Walter O. Burke, a young merchant, and Miss Mabel Yates, daughter of Mr. J. Cager Yates, accompanied by Relatives and friends, left Bradfordsville in an automobile, drove to Louisville, where they were married by Dr. E. L. Powell, of the Christian Church. The occurrence took place one day last week and we presume the couple have returned to their home, Bradfordsville.

Eggs for Hatching.

From a beautiful flock of R. I. Reds. Well bred. Am raising for general utility, yet I have birds fit for show. 75 cents per 15.

Mrs. Sallie Wilson,
Gresham, Ky.

Barn Burned.

Last Thursday night, about 9 o'clock a large barn which was the property of J. H. Young, located on his Butler farm, was consumed by fire. It contained three hundred barrels of corn, three acres of tobacco, a lot of hay and some farming implements. It is our understanding that there was no insurance and the loss is estimated at \$1,500. Origin of the fire unknown.

Hogs are not all out of Adair yet. Several droves passed through town last week, bought in various sections of the county. The scarcest thing in the way of stock is young, fat beef cattle.

The Cause of Rheumatism

Stomach trouble, lazy liver and deranged kidneys are the cause of rheumatism. Get your stomach, liver kidneys and bowels in a healthy condition by taking Electric Bitters, and you will not be troubled with the pangs of rheumatism. Charles B. Allen, a school principal of Sylvania, Ga., who suffered indescribable torture from rheumatism, liver and stomach trouble and diseased kidneys, writes: "All remedies failed until I used Electric Bitters, but four bottles of this wonderful remedy cured me completely." May be your rheumatic pains come from stomach, liver or kidney troubles. Electric Bitters will give you prompt relief. 50c and \$1. Recommended by Paull Drug Co.

If you are in need of a pump see S. F. Eubank and get the latest improved.

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RESOLUTIONS

The following resolutions were adopted by the Progressive Republicans of Adair county at their mass meeting at the court-house, Monday, March 3rd:

We the members of the Progressive party in Adair county, in mass meeting assembled in Columbia, Ky., on March 3rd, 1913, resolve as follows:

1st. That we approve the call of this meeting, believing that the time has come for the party in this county to decide upon its course of action.

2nd. That our faith in the wisdom of the founders and in the principles of the party are strengthened each day, as we observe with what eagerness each of the old parties is trying to copy some tenet of our platform.

3rd. That we reaffirm our faith in the ability of the American people to rule themselves, and though venerating the Constitution of the United States and acknowledging the apparent superhuman wisdom of its authors we regard it only as a guarantee to us of the right to rule ourselves and enact into law the wishes of the majority, not to be nullified later by the vote power or judicial decision prompted by avarice or political expediency, charging unconstitutionality, a subterfuge to make it our master instead of a servant, subverting the intention of its framers, who intended it to be our guardian of liberty and not despotic ruler.

4th. That we believe in the golden rule applied in politics as well as religion, that in our zeal we would not forget the rights of the poor and down trodden of the earth, that we would give the same power to the vote of the sane but uneducated as to the vote of a Rockefeller or a Morgan. That there is in this country no class who should on account of the superior wisdom or financial powers be allowed the right to annul the wishes of the majority.

5th. That we feel and claim to be the true successors to the principles of Lincoln, Grant, McKinley and Roosevelt. That by gross frauds we have been deprived of the party name and made to enlist in the cause of good government under another banner, but that the principles for which we stand are our inalienable right and we exist today for the purpose of perpetuating these principles.

6th. That in view of the fact that these principles must be kept alive, and considering the impossibility of the old parties ever to command the respect and confidence of a majority of the American people, we feel it incumbent upon the Progressive party to nominate at the August primary, a candidate for every office, State and County, to be voted for at the November election.

7th. That whereas ours is a party of the people, without regard to past party affiliation, race, creed or color, we welcome to our ranks all persons who believe in "the Square Deal" and the Ten Commandments, especially the one that says: "Thou Shalt Not Steal."

8th. That if the American people had been allowed full and free expression of their choice in the Republican conventions and primaries held in the spring of 1912, and the delegates properly and rightly elected had been accorded their rights in the Chicago convention last June, that Theodore Roosevelt would be inaugurated President tomorrow instead of Woodrow Wilson.

For Sale.

Farms in Taylor and adjoining counties. Also nice residence property in Campbellsville. See the N. W. Miller Real Estate Agency before buying. Office in the Wood Bldg.

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Campbellsville, Ky.

Quarterly meeting will be held here next Sunday and Monday. All the officers of the Church are requested to be present. The Presiding Elder, Rev. W. F. Hogard, will fill the pulpit Sunday forenoon and evening.

For Sale.

Baled hay. Good, any quantity, delivered to you. Phone

J. W. Walker,
Columbia, Ky.

Mr. Samuel H. Newbold has sold his farm in this county, five miles from Columbia, known as the Wallace Miller place, to Jo. Humphress. We failed to learn the consideration. Mr. Humphress has been in the Canal Zone for several years, but sometime in the near future he will take charge of the farm.

R. K. & L. M. Young were in the Stanford market last week with 200 head of cattle.

Death of an Estimable Lady.

Last Monday morning, at 6 o'clock, Mrs. Mary J. Taylor, wife of Matthew Taylor, Glenville, succumbed to the inevitable and passed through the vale.

Mrs. Taylor was about 75 years old, a fine lady one who had the respect of every body, old and young, in her neighborhood, and her death is a serious blow to the town of Glenville, as she was a kind and sympathizing neighbor, ever ready to wait upon the sick, a devoted wife and dearly loved by her children. Her husband, who is one of the best known men in Adair county, having been School Superintendent and filled other positions of trust; has the sympathy of the county in this the saddest time of his life.

Mrs. Taylor was a true christian woman and was ready for the summons.

The funeral was largely attended and there were many flowers.

Besides the husband she left a number of children, all grown. May the balm of Gilead comfort their bleeding hearts is the wish of this paper.

I keep on hand a full stock of coffins and caskets, also robes; hearses. Prompt service night or day. Phone 29.
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J. F. Triplet,
Columbia, Ky.

An Old Citizen Dies at Neli.

Mr. J. R. Bell, who was one of the oldest citizens of the Neli community, died at his home last Monday morning about 5 o'clock, a victim of paralysis. He was about seventy-three years old and had resided in the community where he died all his life. He was a soldier in the Confederate army, serving gallantly. Mr. Bell lost his wife, who was the oldest child of W. L. Walker, deceased, twenty years ago. He was a man who had many friends and will be greatly missed. His funeral and burial was largely attended.

We are receiving our entire spring stock. Watch this paper for formal "Opening" notice next week.
Russell & Co.

We learn from Mr. Cyrus William that Lewis Young will reach home, from the infirmary, some time in this month. His friends will be glad to learn that he is now walking straight, but his limbs are weak and he makes slow progress. It will require time for him to step rapidly, but he hopes to reach that condition of strength in a few months. From all accounts it was a great operation, and it was certainly performed on a very worthy young man.

Peafowls Wanted.

\$1.50 to \$2.00 each
W. T. Hodgen,
Campbellsville, Ky.

Here is an evidence of how miserably bad the roads are: A wagoner, who lives at Gadberry, was at Sam Lewis' commission house last Thursday for goods going to merchants at his place. He asked the number of pounds and was told twelve hundred. "I can't haul it all," said he, "the roads are too bad." Think of it! Two good horses overloaded with 1,200 pounds.

All notes and accounts are now due and I need the money. Please come settle at once. It will save you a damn or statement.
W. L. Walker.

Neil & McCandies are figuring with a salesman and are likely to install a small engine to be used in running fans during the summer in their business house. The engine will also be used in making ice cream. Mr. McCandies run an engine in his store while in business at Edmonton, and he says it is a trick, a great savor of time.

How to Collect Accounts.

We collect notes and accounts and look after claims anywhere in the United States and make no charges unless we collect.

May's Collection Agency,
Somerset, Ky.

Church going people were divided last Sunday, there being preaching at three churches. Representative audiences attended all three places. The Christian church is undergoing repairs and Eld. Williams preached at the Baptist church.

Sad Death at Knifley.

Last Saturday night, at 12 o'clock, Mrs. Flosie Dunbar, who was the beloved wife of Mr. J. V. Dunbar, a prominent merchant at Knifley, this county, passed over the river of death. The deceased was only twenty-one years old, but she had been a victim of consumption for more than a year. She was a lady who possessed many noble traits of character and had many friends in the neighborhood where she was born and reared. She was a daughter of John Hendrickson, who in his life time, was a prominent farmer of the Knifley county.

The remains of Mrs. Dunbar were brought to the home of Mr. T. P. Dunbar, who lives three miles from Columbia and there interred in the family burying ground. There were many relatives and friends present. The floral offerings were beautiful.

Besides the sorrowing husband, the deceased left two little sons. May God comfort all those who have been bereaved by this sad and lamentable death.

Buggy wheels painted and put on buggy, price \$9.00. Come get them while they last.
S. F. Eubank.

To Prevent Washouts.

For some time the heavy rains have been damaging the square, causing many washouts. In order to prevent the overflow of water, the City Council has ordered tiling put down and the work is about completed. It was superintended by City Attorney L. C. Winfrey, who took special pains in seeing that the work was done right. It is hoped that the difficulty has been solved—tiling down sufficient to convey the water from the public square, and that fresh gravel will now be placed thereon.

By reference to our announcement column the names of a number of county candidates, now before the voters, can be seen. There are other candidates who will announce later, and by the time they are all in the list will be quite lengthy. Besides the Democrats, we understand that a number of Progressive Republicans will announce. Everything looks favorable for a lively campaign during the latter part of spring and summer.

Duck Eggs for Sale

Setting of 13 Indian Runner duck eggs for 50c
Lula Todd.

How the Vote Stands

The following is the standing of the candidates at the Parlor Circle, up to and including last Saturday night:

Mary Smith	6,800
Mary Breeding	2,400
Mary Myers	2,200
Dora Eubank	2,150
Margaret Lovett	2,000
Grace Conover	1,950
Susan Miller	1,000

We want to suggest to our many correspondents the line upon which we would be glad if they would write: In the first place we want the news of the neighborhood, such as serious illness, marriages, accidents and deaths, and timely suggestions about farming. Where you have visitors, coming from a distance, to your community, give their names and location, but we do not want neighborhood visits. Make your letters interesting and they will be gladly received and read.

There has been an epidemic of measles and mumps in Columbia for the past two weeks, but we are glad to state that many of the patients have recovered, and by the end of this week it is believed that the disease will have been stamped out. Pupils at the Lindsey-Wilson who became victims are about recovered and many of them have returned to books.

The Mothers 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 Paull Drug Co.

The Ladies Missionary Society of the M. E. Church will meet in that building at 2:30 p. m., next Thursday. There will be a special program, and all are urged to attend.

FOR RENT—About 9 1/2 acres of land. 19-2t. MRS. J. W. JACKMAN.

Close of School.

The winter term of school, ending Feb. 23, 1913, adopted the following resolutions:

FIRST. Be it resolved that the teachers of Russell county do more the ensuing year to place Russell county on an equal footing with her sister counties, and that the Legislature pass a law requiring every teacher to attend, at least two years, the State Normal School and in connection pay each teacher \$350. per annum.

SECOND. Be it resolved that each school of Russell county establish and maintain a Literary Debating Society.

THIRD. That each school be supplied with all kinds of reference books.

FOURTH. Be it resolved that we offer thanks and appreciation to the people of the community of Blair's district at large, for the support and aid in our school.

FIFTH. That we offer our due thanks to the principal of the school, M. R. Hale, for his effectual work and instructive lectures, and that we ask him to be back with us next term.

Carroll Calhoun, Chairman,
Irene Haynes, Secretary,
Robert Coffey,
Earl Calhoun,
Zephia Haynes } Com.

Wanted.

350 or 400 bundles top or blade fodder.
Dr. J. N. Murrell.

Program.

The following is a program of the 5th Sunday Minister's Meeting to be held with the Union Baptist Church, Russell county, Ky., on Saturday and Sunday, March 23 and 24:

1. Devotional exercise by the pastor.
2. Organization.
3. Subject, Reverence for God's house, discussed by Elds. J. S. Wade and J. M. Williams.
4. Duty of Brotherly Love, by Elds. M. T. Grime and B. F. Voils.

NOON RECESS.

1. Duty of Deacons in the Church, by Elds. W. F. J. Wilson, C. L. Bradley and A. E. Cooper.
2. Value of Sunday School in the Church, by Eld. E. G. Wilson and W. A. Breeding.

SUNDAY MORNING.

1. Devotional exercises by the pastor.
2. Temperance, by Eld. M. T. Grime and C. C. Rexroat.
3. Mission Work, by S. D. Foley and C. F. Breeding.
4. Shall we have an evangelist for our association next year, and how supported, by Elds. J. S. Wade and Aaron Wilson.
5. Define Bible Sanctification, J. O. Sutherland, J. B. Grider.

For Rent.

50 acres good bottom and limestone land in 1/2 mile of Columbia.
G. W. Dillon.

Miss Lizzie Squires, who was a sister of the late Sam Ed Squires, who was deaf and dumb, and who lived in Metcalfe county, died one day last week. Her remains were brought to Union, this county, last Friday and interred. Her father was Martin Squires, who in his lifetime, was known to almost every man in Adair. Quite a number of friends were at Union to attend the last sad rites, the deceased, in her girlhood, having many friends in that neighborhood.

WANTED—A boy to work his way through Lindsey-Wilson. Apply at once.
Neilson & Moss.

Mrs. L. L. Eubank is the agent for the Sprella made to measure Corset, the most comfortable and the most durable that is manufactured. She has sold them by the score and every lady who has worn one speaks of the Sprella in the highest terms. Mrs. Eubank will call at your homes or you can see her at her residence. Wait and let her explain the advantages of this popular corset.
19-3t.

Mr. J. S. Breeding sold, Monday, the residence, on Burkesville street, in which he resides, to Mr. W. H. Goff, consideration, as we have been informed, \$2,000. Possession to be given first of April.

Mr. Walker Dickerson was notified from Russell county last Monday that his mother had just died. He left immediately to attend the funeral.

Wm. Hancock, of Cane Valley, sold two mules and one horse to Mont Ruckner of Marion county last week for \$615.