

# ASSOCIATION HAS REDUCED TOBACCO SUPPLYS FOR SALE

About 5,000,000 Pounds Less On Market This Year--Buyers Refuse To Pay The Eight Cents Price.

COMMITTEE WAS FIRM AND PREPARES TO PRIZE

The Action May Not Prove Final As Another Appointment Was Made For This City Next Tuesday.

(BY JAMES BANKS.)

For three days, beginning last Thursday, the buyers representing the Imperial, the American, the Regie, Gallaber Limited, and also buyers representing other manufacturing companies, have been inspecting samples of Association tobacco drawn from the 1909 crop grown in the counties of Crittenden, Union, Webster, Hopkins and Henderson. Buyers have been here from Owensboro, Madisonville, Hopkinsville, supplemental, as it were, to the home buyers. With these, or with several of these, the district committee has been in conference. And in consequence the committee is pretty accurately advised of the requirements of each and all. There is only pooled to the Association this year, or, say to state it in another way, the Association will have, as a close approximation, only twenty-six million pounds of tobacco of the 1909 crop for sale. I say "only" because the Association sold and graded thirty-one million eight hundred and eighty thousand pounds of the 1908 crop. Of the 1908 tobacco priced, nine hundred and thirty five hundred hogsheads remain unsold. After a brief, pertinent break in continuity, turn we again to the 1909 crop.

"Advise of our requirements," said the buyers to the committee.

"make known to us your price." "The price is eight cents," answered the committee, "the same fixed by our members in magisterial district meetings." "We can't give eight cents," answered the buyers. "Then it is up to the Association to prize," responded the committee. So much of the conference I have chosen to report in dialogue form for the sake of condensation—vouching for the essential accuracy of the same. Recognizing the limitations of the powers of the committee the buyers made no bids. "Is this, then, a finality?" Members will ask. Members may judge for themselves when I tell them the committee has an appointment to meet the buyers in this city again next Tuesday afternoon. From which it would seem neither party regards the conference just closed as a finality. It is only logical to conjecture the committeemen have gone home, each to his several counties, to learn if members are of the same mind and resolution as to price as when the Magisterial meetings were held. The committee is only concerned to loyally carry out the wishes of the members—only desire to act in accord with the will of a majority of the members. Within the next few days we shall see what we shall see.

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"The most merciful enemy I had for twenty years," declares Mrs. Jeanne Duncan, of Hanesville, Me., "was dyspepsia. I suffered intensely after eating or drinking and could scarcely sleep. After many remedies had failed and many doctors had given me up. I tried Electric Bitters, which cured me completely. Now I can eat anything. I am 70 years old and am everjoyed to get my health back again." For Indigestion, Loss of Appetite, Kidney Trouble, Lame Back, Female complaint its unequalled. Only 50 cents at Jas. H. Orme's and Haynes & Taylor's.

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**Successful Meeting.**  
Rev. James E. Price has held a successful meeting at Corinth church in Logan county. There thirty-three professions and fifteen additions to the church. He is now in a meeting at Liberty church in Logan Presbytery. There have been twenty-one professions to date and a deep interest. The meeting will continue this week.

**REMARKABLE WOMAN  
LIVING IN MORGANFIELD.**

Great Society Favorite In Washington City During Youth.—  
93 Years Old.

Perhaps but few people living in Morganfield and Union county know that here in Morganfield resides one of the most remarkable ladies of the United States, a lady who is seen to walk about our streets and almost every week of the year going from house to house calling upon and conversing with her friends. Many people know her, though but few are informed as to her remarkable career. Her name is Mrs. Letitia Bristow, who has for some time lived with Mr. E. L. Jones and family, of this city. She is now ninety-three years old and is as spry as many ladies who has not lived half her years. She is well educated and very enterprising and delights in telling of her girlhood days, says the Morganfield Post.

**WHEN A YOUNG LADY.**  
She was a great society favorite in Washington City during the administration of President Tyler and other presidents of that period. She has heard many of the greatest orators in the nation in their famous speeches which included the speech which made Henry Clay famous.

She tells of her stage coach journeys from Washington to Kentucky, Chicago, St. Louis, New Orleans and other points West. ENJOYS FINE HEALTH.

Mrs. Bristow is enjoying the very best of health and never takes medicine. She walks through the streets of Morganfield to any part of the city to visit friends and says she enjoys the out-door exercise. She is a great reader, spending considerable time reading present day literature.—Madisonville Hustler.

This remarkable woman is the aunt of Mrs. Hortense (Calmes) Jones, of Morganfield, of N. E. Calmes, Editor of the Record-Press of Marion and Ben Bristow, one of the most highly honored men of President Grant's cabinet. She is now visiting old friends in Hopkinsville near where she was born.

**CROOKED CREEK.**  
Corn is gathered and some of our farmers are through stripping their tobacco.

Miss Minnie Paris visited E. J. Corley's family Wednesday.

Jesse Fritts and family visited at Calvin Johnson's Sunday.

Miss Grace Deboe, of Crayne, spent last week at E. J. Corley's.

Forest Herigen and family visited his father's family near Oak Hall Sunday.

Mrs. Ira Clark visited her daughter, Mrs. Johnny Fritts, Sunday.

Bernie Marvel has built a new house on C. M. Davis' farm.

J. W. Arfaek has rented his farm to H. S. Driver and John and family have gone to Morganfield, where he will work with the hammer, the chisel and the saw.

Mrs. Lummy Fritts visited Will

Fritts and family Sunday. Some boys paid R. C. Fritts' apple house a visit a few nights ago and helped themselves to the apples and canned fruits.

**HEBRON.**

Ray Daughtrey was in Marion Saturday.

Mrs. Ed Cook and son, Lacy, visited relatives at Blackford last week.

Mrs. George Howell, of Blodgett, Mo., was in this section Sunday.

C. E. Thomas and wife visited relatives in Tolu Sunday.

John Vaughn and family spent Sunday at Elon.

George Byarly spent Saturday and Sunday with his son Jim, at Tolu.

E. T. Franklin and family were in Marion Saturday.

Bob White has a new buggy—to say nothing of other things.

Miss Minnie Underdown, Mattoon, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Underdown, Sunday.

Miss Stella Watson went to Marion Friday.

Lyell and Virginia Easley, Mattoon, visited their father, Al Easley, Saturday and Sunday.

Born to the wife of W. J. Belt twin baby girls.

Everybody that possesses a gun is bird hunting.

Miss Minnie Paris visited her brother, Lonnie Paris, of Crooked Creek neighborhood.

Grant Graves and family visited Mrs. Nancy Paris Sunday.

Ed Cook and J. B. Easley were in Marion Tuesday.

Roe Williams and family were in Marion Saturday.

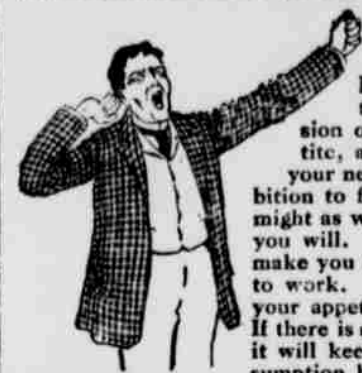
**HORSE DROWNED  
NEAR BACUSBURG**

**H. F. HAMMACK OF THIS CITY AND  
BEN SMITH, A DRIVER, BARELY  
ESCAPE.**

**Team and Hack Plunge Into Muddy  
Waters Of a Swollen Stream.**

H. F. Hammack, of Marion, Ky., traveling salesman for an Evansville Hardware house, and Ben Smith, a driver for Willett's stable of Mayfield, had a harrowing escape from being drowned Monday afternoon near Backsburg following the heavy rain on that day.

They were driving two horses to a light drummer's hack and were unable to cross a creek. A farmer, realizing their predicament agreed to pilot them through his field where the stream was navigable. All went well and they had crossed the water and started up the embankment when one of the horses balked, causing the vehicle to roll back into the water. The team fell and sank in the deep water and the hack was expized throwing the baggage out. One of the horses was rescued by hard and faithful work while the other animal could not be extricated from the swift and muddy waters and was drowned. The baggage was saved except a grip containing two fine gold watches and other valuable articles, which was swept away by the waters. Messrs Hammack and Smith got soaking wet and also had a close call from meeting death in the manner of the horse. Tuesday the hack and dead horse were pulled out from the creek, the waters having subsided sufficiently to allow them to do so. Hammack and Smith left Wednesday morning to finish their trip.



**Do You Feel This Way?**

Do you feel all tired out? Do you sometimes think you just can't work away at your profession or trade any longer? Do you have a poor appetite, and lay awake at nights unable to sleep? Are your nerves all gone, and your stomach too? Has ambition to forge ahead in the world left you? If so, you might as well put a stop to your misery. You can do it if you will. Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery will make you a different individual. It will set your lazy liver to work. It will set things right in your stomach, and your appetite will come back. It will purify your blood. If there is any tendency in your family toward consumption, it will keep that dread destroyer away. Even after consumption has almost gained a foothold in the form of a lingering cough, bronchitis, or bleeding at the lungs, it will bring about a cure in 98 per cent. of all cases. It is a remedy prepared by Dr. R. V. Pierce, of Buffalo, N. Y., whose advice is given free to all who wish to write him. His great success has come from his wide experience and varied practice. Don't be wheedled by a penny-grabbing dealer into taking inferior substitutes for Dr. Pierce's medicines, recommended to be "just as good." Dr. Pierce's medicines are of known composition. Their every ingredient printed on their wrappers. Made from roots without alcohol. Contain no habit-forming drugs. World's Dispensary Medical Association, Buffalo, N. Y.

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Go to your grocer and ask him to show it to you. A complete assortment of different delicious cereals for every palate for every meal.

Not only is it economy to buy your staple cereals in sufficient quantities at economical prices, just the same as it is cheaper to buy flour by the barrel and butter by the crock, but in every Mother's Kit there is in addition to the saving in cash a special Fireless Cooker Certificate, equal to 18 coupons, which when added to the coupons from the packages in the kit enables you to secure a wonderful Fireless Cooker by merely adding 89 cents.

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8 Packages of Mother's Oats, standard size. 1 Package of Mother's Corn Flakes (6x6).  
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