

THE DELIVERIES ARE CALLED OFF

By Committee of Equity Organization

UNTIL MONDAY, FEBRUARY 10

Three Counties Remonstrate Against More Tobacco Being Delivered.

URGENT APPEAL OF OFFICIALS

A crisis was reached by the tobacco organization known as the Equity Home Warehouse company, a branch of the American Society of Equity, Thursday, when certain branches of this society filed remonstrances with the Owensboro organization as to the sale and delivery of the pooled crop. When the sale, which was only tentative, was made ten days ago, it did not include all of the weed pooled with this organization. In fact the sales committee could not dispose of a large portion of the tobacco at all. Portions of Ohio, McLean and Hancock, as well as certain districts in Daviess county, were not included in the sale.

Under the constitution and by-laws of the American Society of Equity, a part of a crop of any product that has been pooled cannot be sold until all has been sold. At present it looks like no final sale has been made, nor can be made until the entire pledged crop is disposed of. It is known that the sales committee cannot find a buyer for a large portion of the pool.

It was found necessary by the sales committee to take some action on the matter, and Thursday the officers of the association and members of the sales committee drafted the following resolutions, issued to the growers in the form of a statement:

Statement in Full.
To the farmers who pooled their tobacco with the Home Warehouse company and the American Society of Equity:

Inasmuch as we have made an honest endeavor to take care of our members who have tobacco in the high water, and in doing this have been taken advantage of by those who had no need in bringing their tobacco to the market, and to such an extent that there has been a remonstrance filed against you by the poolers of Hancock, McLean and Ohio counties, and in view of this remonstrance, and the fact that some of our members have been notified to deliver their tobacco, it becomes necessary for us to issue this statement.

First, we will remind you that all the tobacco in the pool is not sold, and that it is thoroughly understood that no deliveries are to be made until all the tobacco is placed, and when tobacco is rushed to the market ahead of its turn, the owner is placing himself in the attitude of the "dumper," and the finger of scorn is being pointed at him. Now, in view of all these facts, we want to ask our people to withhold deliveries until Monday, February 10, or until you are notified to begin delivering.

In rushing the market as you have been doing, you are not only sacrificing principle for present gain, but you are "butchering" the farmers' organization. You are also taking advantage of the other counties at the same time, and it will cost you dearly in the future. You cannot expect them to stay with you unless you stick with them. They have all stood man to man with you in this fight, and their battle is not yet won, but as soon as your tobacco is placed, you desert your best friends and put more tobacco on the market than the trade can handle.

Now we want to appeal to you as men and brothers, and in the name of all that is good and right; in the name of organization, in the name of your neighbor, your father and your God, to stop delivering tobacco until notice is served on you. We also appeal to the reading and thinking people in and out of this organization, to talk this matter over with your neighbors and assist us in se-

curring a square deal for everyone interested in this pool.

(Signed) PRICE BARRON, Pres.
L. N. ROBERTSON, Secy.
Equity Home Warehouse Company.

INCOME TAX RATIFIED—CONSTITUTION AMENDED

Washington, Feb. 3.—An income tax is now one of the provisions of the Constitution of the United States.

Wyoming's ratification to-day of the income tax amendment—the sixteenth change in the Constitution and the first since the reconstruction—completed a list of thirty-six States, three-fourths of the Union, which have approved the provision.

Congress now will enact a law to levy the tax, and it probably will become effective during the extraordinary session to be called by President-elect Wilson in March. The tax itself, its provisions and its limitations, are all left to Congress.

THE HENDERSON COURT AIDS FLOOD VICTIMS

Henderson, Ky., Feb. 1.—Henderson county Fiscal Court met here to-day in impromptu session and appropriated \$150 to be used in relieving the flood sufferers in the parts of this county affected by the Green river flood.

Mayor Thompson and those assisting him on the committee, through the medium of Capt. Wartmann's boat at Spottsville, have distributed a large consignment of rations, provisions and medicines. This was purchased with the Red Cross fund sent here by Congressman Stanley. The Elks' committee together with the committee in charge of the Stanley Red Cross fund, have matters well in hand.

Thus far something like 350 are receiving assistance, apportioned in the following sections of the county: Walnut bottom, Scottsville section, Reeds, near Bluff City and near Henderson. Capt. Wartmann, who is donating the services of crew and boat at Spottsville, made a trip to-day and supplied ninety people who were in need of food. He also found eight destitute families near Bluff City.

CROWWELL.

Feb. 3.—Mr. Nathan Keown and daughter, of Nebraska, are visiting relatives here.

Mr. Earl Davenport, of near Bowling Green, is visiting his cousin, Mrs. Clarence James.

Mrs. Nancy Keown, who has been very ill of pneumonia, is slowly improving.

Miss Tassie Taylor, of near town, is with Mrs. Clarence Baker, while Mr. Baker is away at work.

Mr. Ray Dunn, who has been in Russellville for the past two months, is at home.

Mr. Leo Gilstrap, who has been in the West for several years, is visiting his parents here.

Mr. T. W. Wallace, our produce man, left on his regular trip to Evansville, Ind., Saturday night.

Miss Ollie Shields entertained the young folks at her home Friday night.

Mr. Richard Shields has purchased Oscar Borah's property, is building an addition to it and will move in soon.

The friends and relatives of Mrs. J. J. Stewart gave her a surprise birthday dinner Friday, January 31st. There was a bountiful supply of everything good to eat and everybody enjoyed the day. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Stewart, son and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Avery Stewart and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Flener, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Flener, son and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Flener, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Coleman, Mrs. Lon Edmonds, Mrs. Annie Cooper and daughter, Mrs. Leona Butler, Mrs. Corda Thomas and three children, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Edmonds and daughter, Mrs. Clarence James and two children, Mr. Earl Davenport, of Bowling Green, Misses Nina Trout, Lura and Ruth Pirie.

Important to Phonograph Owners.

As Mr. Edison has permitted all dealers to make a reduction on 2 and 4 minute records for an indefinite period, I will reduce the 2's to 21c and the 4's to 31c. You had better hurry and lay in a supply, as you may never have this chance again. The old price was 35c for 2's and 50c for 4's. I have a big stock to pick from.

J. B. TAPPAN,
The Reliable Jeweler.

Attend Rosenblatt's Clearance Sale—February 1st to March 1st.

TERROR REIGNS IN OLD ENGLAND

Over the Militant Suffrage Movement.

ROYAL JEWEL CASES BROKEN

Parliament Leaders Are Panicked Stricken and Afraid To Leave Home.

TORCH FEARED BY OFFICIALS

London, Feb. 1.—Suffragists to-day smashed with stones the glass cover of one of the cases in the jewel room of the Tower of London, where the crown jewels are kept. They were arrested and sent to Bow Street. The attack is in line with the militants' expressed purpose to attack all Government property.

Leaders in Parliament, panicked because of the militant methods of the suffragists, seldom venture into the streets now without body guards. Their houses are also protected night and day by specially assigned police, who have been warned to prevent incendiary fires or other damage.

Sir Edward Grey has temporarily abandoned his official residence and now sleeps in Sloane Gardens.

Lloyd George has given up his favorite amusement of appearing in public restaurants and intends to eat his meals in the House of Commons' dining room.

Alarmed by rumors that his child would be kidnapped, Winston Churchill has four policemen constantly on guard outside his house. He is not lacking in personal courage, but his wife has urged authorities to take ample precaution against the suffragists. The Churchill baby is invariably followed by plain clothes men from Scotland Yard when the nurse takes the child out for an airing.

Prime Minister Asquith objects strongly to having a bodyguard, but the police captain is not at all satisfied with the promises of the suffragists to respect human life. He has pointed out that some of the younger and more ardent suffragists have openly threatened to throw vitrol, which the police consider almost as serious as murder.

Incendiary fires are most feared by the authorities. They firmly believe attempts will be made to burn the principal government buildings. The force of night police in the neighborhood of Westminster consequently has been doubled.

"The price paid for any great chapter of history in any country," said Mrs. Emmaline Pankhurst, suffragette leader, "is enormous and sometimes costs human lives. The other side has not paid with any lives. I have, for my sister died three days after her release from Bristol prison. Physicians said death was due to the harsh treatment she received while a prisoner. We've lost many others, too, who died as a result of prison treatment."

F. M. Porter Dead.

Mr. Francis Marion Porter died at his residence in Hartford last Thursday night at 7:30 after a brief illness of pneumonia. After funeral services conducted by Rev. W. B. Wright at the residence at 3 o'clock Friday afternoon, his remains were interred in Oakwood cemetery. Mr. Porter, who was one of Ohio county's best citizens, lacked 27 days of being 67 years old. The deceased was married to Mary E. Porter in August, 1868, and to their union were born five sons: J. L. Porter and I. C. Porter, Hartford, Route 4; Ola Porter, Beaver Dam; and Wm. Porter and Almer Porter, McHenry, and two daughters, Mrs. T. H. China, Beaver Dam, and Mrs. Will Howell, Island, Ky. The widow, the seven children and several grandchildren survive. It can be truly said that a good citizen has been called to his final rest.

A Correction.

The Herald, in reporting the minutes of the Fiscal Court in its issue of January 17th, made an error in stating that there was a poll tax of \$1.50 levied for school purposes. It should have read \$1.00 instead. The \$1.50 poll tax is for county

purposes. In other words, the poll tax for county purposes was increased 50c on each male citizen in the county 21 years of age and over.

MUHENBERG EQUITY MEMBERS TAKE OFFER

Greenville, Ky., Feb. 3.—The Muhlenberg county branch of the American Society of Equity met here to-day and ratified the sale of the tobacco held by the society. The tobacco was sold to John H. Hoge, of Paducah, at prices ranging from \$5 to \$9 for leaf and lugs, and \$3 for trash. There are about 2,200,000 pounds in the pool which was sold by the action of the farmers to-day. The price is about \$1 lower than that realized last year, and President M. W. Carver and others of the society say that the action of the new Green River District of Owensboro in selling 13,000,000 pounds at these figures about five weeks ago, is responsible for the loss to the Muhlenberg growers. There is an organization at Paducah, in this county, that holds 600,000 pounds of tobacco that has not been sold.

Mr. Hoge will begin receiving tobacco here Wednesday and at South Carrollton later in the week. Business here has been considerably retarded on account of the failure of the farmers to sell, and great satisfaction is felt now that the deal has been closed.

BIG SHOW COMING TO HARTFORD FOR 3 NIGHTS

Wren Bros. Old Reliable Texas Stock Company is coming to Dr. Ben's Opera House for three nights this week, beginning tomorrow (Thursday) night. It is reputed to be one of the best stock companies on the road and carries a repertoire of the most popular Western plays. The troupe embraces Miss Annie Wren, champion lady rifle shot and leading lady, supported by her own company of metropolitan players, real Indians, cowboys and Mexican actors. Every play contains a beautiful story, beautiful western costumes and stage settings.

The specialties between acts include lady singers, dancers, musicians, rifle shooters, Indian specialties and cowboy rope spinning. They carry their own orchestra, furnishing the very best and up-to-date music.

Remember—three nights—Thursday, Friday and Saturday. Popular prices of admission.

Jno. B. Wilson For County Judge.

Judge Jno. B. Wilson, of Hartford, announces this week as a candidate for the nomination for the office of County Judge of Ohio county, subject to the action of the Democrats at the general primary, August 2, 1913.

Judge Wilson is the son of Mr. Levy M. Wilson, of near Prentiss, this county, and has eight brothers and a brother-in-law, all of whom, along with himself, are staunch Democrats.

He was elected and served the county very acceptably as Surveyor from 1888 to 1894, studied law and was admitted to the Hartford bar in the year 1894, since which time he has been actively engaged in the practice of his profession. During six years of this time, however, he has served as Police Judge of the town of Hartford, to the satisfaction of all.

Mr. Wilson is quite well and favorably known throughout the entire county and we bespeak for him a large following. If nominated and elected, he will make a good County Judge.

For Rent.

The Z. Wayne Ellis farm, containing sixty-five acres of fine bottom land, two miles west of Hartford. Forty-five acres cleared. Good dwelling, outbuildings, twenty acres in meadow and fine water. For terms apply to

W. E. ELLIS,
The Produce Man,
Hartford, Ky.

Surprise Your Friends.

For four weeks regularly use Dr. King's New Life Pills. They stimulate the liver, improve digestion, remove blood impurities, pimples and eruptions disappear from your face and body and you feel better. Begin at once. Buy at James H. Williams.

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WOULD REFUSE TO AID DISTRICT

Washington is Tax Dodgers' Heaven,

SAYS CONGRESSMAN JOHNSON

Who, With Proof, Denounces Unequal Taxation in the National Capital.

GETS REPLY FROM "UNCLE JOE"

Washington, Feb. 1.—Representative Ben Johnson, chairman of the House Committee on the District of Columbia, to-day told the citizens of Washington exactly what he thought of them for insisting that the Federal Government pay half the municipal expenses. The District of Columbia Appropriation Bill was under consideration in the House, and the Kentuckian, who has made a deep study of affairs in the National Capital, denounced the unequal system of taxation here, announced his intention of reporting from the committee an inheritance tax for the city as soon as possible, and aroused the interest of members from all over the country by telling them how much each State contributed to the support of the District of Columbia during the last fiscal year.

Mr. Johnson created a sensation when he said:

"Recently one of the commissioners of the District of Columbia told me that one of the richest and most powerful men in Washington said to him that he had made it his policy to have influential members of the House and Senate purchase real estate in the District in order that their assistance might be had toward keeping down taxes and securing improvements."

"Uncle Joe" Cannon, who had been finding fault with Mr. Johnson's plan to have the District pay its own expenses, quickly rejoined:

"I have never owned a foot of ground in the District of Columbia."

Mr. Johnson congratulated him. "Washington is the heaven of tax dodgers," said Mr. Johnson. "Here the rich can live and die more cheaply than anywhere else on earth."

Mr. Johnson remarked that, although he did not believe members of Congress in large numbers were investing in real estate in Washington, or had ever done so, still the people of the District undoubtedly did owe much to certain members of the House and Senate who had done so in the past. He said the remark made by the unnamed business man and repeated to him by one of the commissioners, was typical of the attitude of prominent citizens of the National Capital.

Mr. Johnson produced a table showing how much money the various States, on the basis of population, contributed last year to the support of the District Government. Congress appropriated approximately \$11,000,000 for the District Government, of which between five and six millions of dollars came from the Federal treasury and the rest from the revenues of the district. He referred to the money from the national coffers as a "subsidy" paid to the District.

Kentucky contributed \$154,301, he explained, and Indiana \$181,993; New York, \$614,103; Pennsylvania, \$516,498; Ohio, \$321,223; Tennessee, \$47,218, and West Virginia, \$82,282, with other States in proportion.

Here is the way Kentucky's contribution is divided, according to the chairman of the District Committee:

Schools, \$29,811; streets, sewer and water mains, \$15,096; police \$12,700; improvements and repairs, \$28,751; salaries and health, \$10,342; interest on sinking fund, \$12,788; lighting, \$5,788; fire department, \$8,398; charities and corrections, \$17,273, and miscellaneous, \$3,995.

Mr. Johnson said when Congress first undertook to pay half the expenses of the city of Washington it embraced only 6,000 acres, mostly swamps and forest, and that now it was paying half the expenses of a community of sixty-nine and three-

quarter square miles, with the swamps and forests turned into valuable real estate, from which citizens of the District of Columbia were getting rich. It is time the system was changed, he urged.

BEAVER DAM.

Feb. 3.—Mrs. Elizabeth Smith, widow of the late John Smith, of Taylor Mines, died January 31st of a complication of diseases incident to old age. She was 82 years old and a native of England, but had long been a resident of Taylor Mines. She was the mother of the widow of Nicholas Barras. Her remains were interred in the Taylor Mines burying grounds on the evening of the first.

Mr. Earl Chick has purchased the farm of Mr. Stanford Bone, of South Beaver Dam, known as the Will Chick farm, the consideration being \$2,200.

The stork visited the home of Mr. Joe Swantz last Saturday and brought them a fine boy. All doing well and Joe is happy.

Mrs. Geo. Coats, living with her daughter, Mrs. Tom Taylor, is visiting in Owensboro this week.

Mr. J. H. Shrewsbury, of Safford, Ariz., former clerk in the Barnes store here, is in town this week, visiting friends. Mr. Shrewsbury is in fine health and is in love with his new home in the far West.

Mr. John H. Barnes and wife and Mrs. Liela Miller, their sister, have gone to Louisville this week to see a specialist and have the tonsils removed from his little son Malcom's throat.

Miss Gertie Vickers, of Central City, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Joe Stewart, this week.

M. R. Maddox For Assessor.

Mr. M. R. Maddox, Hartford, Route 4, announces his candidacy for the office of Assessor for Ohio county in this issue of The Herald, subject to the action of the Democrats at the general primary August 2, 1913. Mr. Maddox, who was born and reared in Ohio county, is a son of the late J. L. R. Maddox and a grandson of John Maddox, better known as "Uncle Jack."

Mr. Maddox is a farmer and implement dealer, well qualified for the position he seeks. We bespeak for him a good following throughout the county and especially in the southern and southwestern part of the county, where he and his ancestors are so well and favorably known.

Another For Sheriff.

Mr. J. D. Holbrook, of the Buford precinct, one of Ohio county's best known and most substantial citizens, announces his candidacy this week for Sheriff, subject to the action of the Democrats at the general primary election, August 2, 1913. Mr. Holbrook is an old-line Democrat of well known party service and is popular throughout the county. He is splendidly qualified for the office which he seeks and would make an excellent Sheriff. He solicits the votes of Democrats all over the county, promising them a thorough canvass if nominated and good official work if elected.

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Mr. Paris For Assessor.

Elsewhere in this issue of The Herald will be found the announcement of Mr. J. M. Paris, Hartford, Route 3, for the office of Assessor for Ohio county, subject to the action of the Democrats at the general primary, August 2, 1913. Mr. Paris is a farmer and well qualified for the position to which he aspires. He is a son of the late William Paris and comes of a large family of Democrats and we predict a good following for him throughout the county, and especially from the north side of Rough river.

Notice.

To reduce my stock of Wheat Bran and Shipstuff, I will up to and including February 15, 1913, sell it as follows:

Ton lots \$30.00
1,000-lb. lots \$15.25
500-lb. lots \$ 7.75

These prices are for Spot Cash.

W. E. ELLIS,

Produce Merchant,
Hartford, Ky.

Second door below tobacco factory.

Church Notice.

The members of the West Providence Baptist church are requested to meet at the church on Saturday, February 8, at 2 p. m. for the purpose of calling a pastor for the ensuing year.

J. L. BROWN, Clerk.