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**Bethlehem Gives Increase.**  
 A wage increase of approximately 10 per cent, affecting 40,000 men employed in the Bethlehem Steel company's plants at South Bethlehem, Steelton, Pa., and Sparrow's Point, Md., recently was announced by President Grace. The increase is effective Dec. 16 and will be given to all employees on hour, day and turn rates. Proper adjustment will also be made in certain tonnage and piece work positions, it was announced.

**TO SUSIE GILLESPIE**

J. F. Gillespie vs. Susie Gillespie  
 State of Tennessee, In Chancery Court of Knox County, No. 15107  
 In this cause it appearing from the bill filed which is sworn to, that the defendant Susie Gillespie is a non-resident of Tennessee so that the ordinary process cannot be served upon her, it is ordered that said defendant appear before the Chancery Court at Knoxville, Tennessee, on or before the first Monday of March next, and make defense to said bill, or the same will be taken for confessed and the cause set for hearing ex parte as to her. This notice will be published in the Knoxville Independent for four consecutive weeks.  
 This 19th day of January 1917  
 J. C. Ford, Clerk & Master  
 C. M. Parks, Sol.  
 Jan. 20-27 Feb. 3-10 1917

**ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.**

Having been appointed administrator of the estate of Susie Carmichael deceased, a resident of Knox County, Tennessee, at the time of her death, said appointment having been made by the Judge of the County Court of Knox County, all creditors of said Susie Carmichael having claims of any sort against said estate, are hereby notified to present to and file with me at once, statements of said claims, authenticated in the manner prescribed by law, on or before the 22th day of April, 1917 or they will be forever barred as to the same both in law and equity. All persons indebted to said estate are hereby notified to make payment to me at once.

This January 20th, 1917  
 John A. Huff, Administrator.  
 Jan. 20-27, Feb. 3-10 1917

**NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP**

Notice is hereby given that the partnership firm of Atkins & Stooksbury, Furniture Dealers, 316 S. Gay St. Knoxville, Tennessee, is hereby dissolved. William L. Stooksbury has retired from said firm and Noah L. Atkins has purchased all interests of said partnership and assumed all of its indebtedness. All parties indebted to said partnership will make payment to the said Noah L. Atkins.  
 Dated this 10th day of Jan 1917  
 (Signed) William L. Stooksbury.  
 Jan. 13-20-27 Feb. 3, 1917  
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**IF GIRLS ARE TO BE HEALTHY**

They Must Observe Several Common, Every-day Rules to Protect Themselves

**ALL GIRLS SHOULD BE STRONG**

Health Specialist of the Division of Extension of the University of Tennessee, Knoxville, Sends Out Special Letter—Also Puts Out General Health Bulletin.

"Have you tried sleeping with your windows up, remembering the value of pure, fresh air?" is one question Mrs. Lena Warner, health specialist of the Division of Extension, University of Tennessee, Knoxville, asks in a letter sent especially to the canning club girls of Tennessee. She then gives several very well-known laws of health which so few follow as they should.

"I want to compliment the club girls on their good judgment concerning their feet," she continues.  
 "Now, let us have a word to say about clothes. First, the majority wear the sensible low-heel shoe, which enables them to walk well and at the same time protects the nerve centers of the body."

"By all means see that your shoes are comfortable in length and breadth. Do not depend upon any one but yourself to decide this. If you will remember to keep your feet dry and legs warm, many aches and pains will be avoided that young girls of our age are apt to have. The same advice I would give you in regard to the whole body, especially in winter. As you want outdoor life during these months, you must be prepared. Heavy clothing is not at all desirable. If your clothing is too tight, you will not get warmth from it. Select your underwear with a little wool in it. See that the vests have long sleeves. Avoid dressing too warmly for indoors and always have an extra wrap for outdoors. Sitting, scantily clothed, in damp skirts and wet shoes, has brought death to many a young girl. In this way many catch colds, develop pneumonia, tuberculosis and other serious illnesses.

"One thing, girls, we are quite grateful for, and that is that Dame Fashion has decreed we shall not draw in the waist. You not only have better figures, more graceful carriage, but the organs inside the abdomen and pelvis retain their normal position. I do not now consider corsets harmful, for their chief use is to give the skirts the proper hang.

"By all means, remember the teeth. To keep them clean is a first essential. A pinch of common table salt or cooking soda is very good to use with the tooth brush daily. Don't be afraid of the dentist. He is a faithful friend. Pay him a visit at least twice a year.  
 "Most diseases are preventable through cleanliness. If we observe the simple health laws, even when we come in contact with filthy diseases, we are not apt to contract them.

"Last, but not least, know and be true to yourself. Learn the great lesson of self-control. Cultivate a desire for knowledge. Keep the mind and body pure and clean."

Mrs. Warner has written a publication which is sent free to residents of Tennessee. This publication is called "What To Do To Keep Well." If you care for a copy, send your request to Division of Extension, University of Tennessee, Knoxville.

**BUY MORE LIVE STOCK RATHER THAN MORE LAND**

(By C. D. Lowe, Division of Extension, University of Tennessee, Knoxville.)

That live stock pays on the farms of a near-by state may be seen by the following figures secured from eighty-one farms in one community. The farms were not selected farms, but were taken as they lay along the road.

These farms were divided into three groups according to the amount of live stock kept. One-third of the farms were found to have over 20 head each of cattle, or their equivalent (in amount of feed consumed) in hogs, sheep or other productive live stock; one-third had between 12 and 20 head each; one-third had less than 12 head. The heavier stocked farms returned a profit for the year of \$774 more than those with the small amount of live stock.

Another community selected at random showed nearly the same proportion. Live stock furnishes a way to increase the volume of farm business without increasing the farm area. Through live stock much of the poorer grades of feed may be utilized to better advantage than by selling it, in fact much roughage that is ordinarily wasted can be made to give good returns. The manure obtained is essential in maintaining soil fertility.

The above figures offer some food for thought. If you are thinking of purchasing additional land, consider first whether the purchase money should not go into more live stock for the land you already own.

Are you thinking of the seed you will need for the next season? Only the best seed will bring you the best crop. Perhaps you could be raising good seed to sell to your neighbors. Have you thought about that?

**HOW TO MAKE MORE MONEY**

Farmers Have a Splendid Opportunity To Do This By Keeping Exact Records

**NOT MUCH TIME NECESSARY**

System of Farm Accounting Possible for Any Farmer Who Will Get in Touch With the Division of Extension—Can Your Farm Methods Be Improved?

(By C. E. Allred, Division of Extension, University of Tennessee, Knoxville.)

Good farm accounts are as useful to the farmer as to the business man, since farming is a business, the same as banking or any other commercial enterprise. Farm accounting does not require that the account be kept in a particular form, or upon a certain side of the page, but is simply a logical selection and arrangement of farm facts to make correct study possible.

The difficulties of farm accounting are generally overestimated, an entirely wrong impression being held by many people on this subject. Good accounts are within the reach of every farmer.

The few minutes regularly spent in keeping farm accounts will yield larger returns than an equal amount of time devoted to farm work, if proper use is made of the information the records contain.

This winter or early spring is the time to begin keeping records.

It is important for the farmer to know what lines of production are yielding the best returns. On an unprofitable line or enterprise he should change his methods of production to lessen the costs or, if an enterprise can not be made profitable under his conditions of farming, it should be dropped out, just as a merchant drops a customer who does not pay his bills. Stop the leaks in your farm.

Write at once to the Division of Extension, University of Tennessee, Knoxville, for suggestions. The specialists there will be glad to help you get started.

Why not turn the searchlight on your farm business and learn how you can make more money?

**A COUNTY THAT IS BOOSTING ITSELF**

Sees in a Fully-Developed Farm Life the Permanent Prosperity It Desires.

(By Harry B. Potter, Division of Extension, University of Tennessee, Knoxville.)

The boll weevil hit some counties in West Tennessee pretty hard this year. Those who work with cotton all of the time say that the boll weevil will come next year harder than it did this year. That is history.

Every part of Tennessee has its boll weevil—some evil that comes when the one-crop system of farming is followed. It may be a weed pest, and again it may be some insect. But evil follows a system of farming that tears down the land.

West Tennessee presents to us a county that is coming back, that is building for the future. An active merchant of that county, seeing that on farm prosperity depends his prosperity, says some things in a full-page advertisement in the county papers that, if looked at in the light of conditions in any county in Tennessee, may be applied by every reader of this column. The page is headed "Hardeman County On Top." And then the page goes on to say:

"Experience is the best teacher, but are we going to sit idly by and get this experience, or are we going to take advantage of the other fellow's experience?"

"What To Do—Study the weevil, get bulletins concerning the weevil and inform yourself what is the very best thing to do. We have a few bulletins and will have more. Ask for them or write the College of Agriculture, Knoxville, Tennessee, or Department of Agriculture, Washington, D. C."

"What To Do Now—Disk your cotton stalks immediately and turn them under completely. Sow wheat as a soil protection and for a money crop next year. Destroy the winter home of the weevil by burning weeds along roadside, ditch banks, fence rows, in thickets and around stumps.

"What To Do Later—With the boll weevil to fight, you can not successfully grow as large acreage of cotton as before. Prepare to substitute other crops for some of cotton next year. Produce on your farm what you eat, and some to sell the town fellow. Have a good garden, by all means. Get a start in live stock, poultry, hogs, sheep, goats and cattle.

"Stock Raising—Hardeman County is naturally a stock-raising county, being providentially blessed with fine pastures and streams for watering purposes. However, we are getting too many different breeds of cattle and hogs. We should select the best all-around hog and best breed of cattle, both for beef and milchers. In doing this we will enhance the value of our stock and increase our selling power, as cars loaded with the same breed always bring more on the market."

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**TO MARTHA GLASS**

Von A. Glass vs. Martha Glass  
 State of Tennessee, In Chancery Court of Knox County, No. 15072  
 In this cause, it appearing from the bill filed, which is sworn to, that the defendant Martha Glass is a non-resident of the State of Tennessee so that the ordinary process cannot be served upon her, it is ordered that said defendant appear before the Chancery Court, at Knoxville, Tennessee, on or before the first Monday of Feb. next, and make defense to said bill, or the same will be taken for confessed and the cause set for hearing ex parte as to her. This notice will be published in the KNOXVILLE INDEPENDENT for four successive weeks.  
 This 30th day of December, 1916  
 J. C. FORD, C. & M  
 S. R. MAPLES, Sol.

**TO FRED MILLER**

Mattie Miller vs. Fred Miller  
 State of Tennessee, In Chancery Court of Knox Co., No. 15077  
 In this cause, it appearing from the amended bill filed, which is sworn to, that the defendant Fred Miller whose residence is unknown and cannot be ascertained after diligent inquiry so that the ordinary process cannot be served upon him, it is ordered that said defendant appear before the Chancery Court, at Knoxville, Tennessee, on or before the first Monday of Feb. next, and make defense to said bill, or the same will be taken for confessed and the cause set for hearing ex parte as to him. This notice will be published in the KNOXVILLE INDEPENDENT for four successive weeks.  
 This 5th day of Jan. 1917  
 J. C. FORD, Clerk & Master  
 Chas. M. Roberts, Sol.

**TO DEADERICK MOND Y LEONARD MONDAY LIZZIE TURNER JOHN WOODS AND GEORGE WOODS**

Thomas M. Slimp vs. Fannie Burkhardt et al.  
 State of Tennessee, In Chancery Court of Knox County, No. 15079  
 In this cause, it appearing from the bill filed, which is sworn to, that the defendants, Deaderick Monday, Leonard Monday, George Woods, John Woods, Lizzie Turner are non-residents of the State of Tennessee, so that ordinary process cannot be served upon them, it is ordered that said defendant appear before the Chancery Court, at Knoxville, Tennessee, on or before the first Monday of Feb. next, and make defense to said bill, or the same will be taken for confessed and the cause set for hearing ex parte as to them. This notice will be published in the Knoxville Independent for four successive weeks. This 3rd day of Jan. 1917  
 J. C. FORD, C & M  
 George T. Reavis, Sol.  
 Jan. 6-13-20-27-1917

**TO PEARL BAKER**

Edward Baker vs. Pearl Baker  
 State of Tennessee, In Chancery Court of Knox County, No. 14-18  
 In this cause, it appearing, by affidavit, and the return of the officer, that the defendant Pearl Baker whose residence is unknown and cannot be ascertained after diligent inquiry so that the ordinary process cannot be served upon her, it is ordered that said defendant appear before the Chancery Court, at Knoxville, Tennessee, on or before the 1st Monday of Feb. next, and make defense to said bill, or the same will be taken for confessed and the cause set for hearing ex parte as to her. This notice will be published in the Knoxville Independent for four successive weeks.  
 This 6th day of Jan. 1917  
 J. C. FORD, Clerk & Master.  
 Atchley & Bibb, Sols.

**Non Resident Attachment Notice.**

Mrs. Frank H. Carpenter vs. Fred Carr No. 9671  
 Before J. R. Allor, Justice of the Peace, for Knox County, Tenn.  
 In this cause, it appearing from the affidavit filed, which is sworn to, that the defendant Fred Carr is justly indebted to the plaintiff and that he is a non-resident of Tennessee so that ordinary process cannot be served upon him, and an original attachment having been issued and returned to me with levy upon his property, it is therefore ordered that publication be made in the Knoxville Independent, a newspaper published in the city of Knoxville, for four consecutive weeks, commanding the defendant to appear before me at my office in Knoxville, Tennessee, on the 22nd day of Feb. 1917 and make defense to said suit, or same will be proceeded with ex parte. This 23rd day of Jan. 1917  
 J. R. Allor, Justice of the Peace for Knox County, Tennessee.  
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**TO ED. FLOYD**

Lydia Floyd vs. Ed. Floyd  
 State of Tennessee, In Chancery Court of Knox County, No. 16110  
 In this cause, it appearing from the bill filed, which is sworn to, that the defendant Ed. Floyd is a non-resident of the State of Tennessee, so that the ordinary process cannot be served upon him, it is ordered that said defendant appear before the Chancery Court, of Knoxville, Tennessee, on or before the 1st Monday of Mar. next and make defense to said bill, or the same will be taken for confessed and the cause set for hearing ex parte as to him. This notice will be published in the Knoxville Independent for four successive weeks.  
 This 27th day of Jan. 1917  
 J. C. FORD, Clerk & Master.  
 C. M. Parks, Sol.  
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**TO NENA H. HATFIELD AND CLAUDE PARSON**

George F. Hatfield vs. Nena Hatfield  
 State of Tennessee, In Chancery Court of Knox County, No. 14681  
 In this cause, it appearing from the bill filed, which is sworn to, that the defendants, Nena Hatfield and Claude Parsons cannot be found in Knox County, Tenn. are non residents of the State of Tennessee, so that the ordinary process cannot be served upon them, it is ordered that said defendants appear before the Chancery Court, at Knoxville, Tennessee, on or before the first Monday of March next, and make defense to said bill, or the same will be taken for confessed and the cause set for hearing ex parte as to them. This notice will be published in the Knoxville Independent for four consecutive weeks.  
 This 25th day of Jan. 1917  
 J. C. FORD, C. & M.  
 Jas. B. Wright, Sol.  
 Jan. 27 Feb. 3 10 17 1917

**TO ELLEN SATTERFIELD**

James P. Satterfield vs. Ellen Satterfield  
 State of Tennessee, In Chancery Court of Knox County, No. 15091  
 In this cause, it appearing from the bill filed which is sworn to, that the defendant Ellen Satterfield is a non-resident of the State of Tennessee, so that the ordinary process cannot be served upon her it is ordered that said defendant appear before the Chancery Court, at Knoxville, Tennessee, on or before the 1st Monday of March next, and make defense to said bill, or the same will be taken for confessed by him and the cause set for hearing ex parte as to her. This notice will be published in the Knoxville Independent for four consecutive weeks.  
 This 12th day of Jan. 1917  
 J. C. FORD, Clerk and Master.  
 Harry S. Hall, Sol.  
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