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FARMERS' COUNCIL OPPOSES R. R. BILL

Wilson Asks Department of Justice To Examine Measure Before He Acts

(By Associated Press)

Washington, Feb. 24—George Hampton, managing director of the Farmers' National Council, on behalf of farm organizations affiliated with the Council, today asked President Wilson to veto the railroad bill on "grounds of public policy." He asked opportunity to present reasons more fully. It was said at the White House today the President will not act immediately on the bill. It was also said he has asked the Department of Justice to examine it. Meanwhile the President has 10 days to pass upon the act, at the end of which time it may become a law without his signature. Railroad men oppose the labor section because it provides for tri-parte labor boards whereas they desire return to the old method of negotiation and decision by representatives of the workers and the railroads.

RADICAL R. R. MEN THREATEN PLANS

(By Associated Press)

Washington, Feb. 24—Threats of a break in the affiliated railroad employes organizations militated today against immediate solution of the questions before the two million railroad workers conferring here on President Wilson's proposal for settlement of their wage demands. In every conference, it was said, demands for appeal to the President to veto the bill continued to grow more insistent. The leaders are forced to combat the moves of radical elements in several directions. They said these might take definite form at any time.

Rea Likes It

(By Associated Press)

Philadelphia, Feb. 24—Samuel Rea, president of the Pennsylvania Railroad, in a statement today, said the passage of the railroad bill is beneficial to the country because it has been thus removed from political discussion that increases public unrest and uncertainty.

TONIGHT

At the Caldwell High School basement, the Madison High School will meet the Versailles High School tonight at 8 o'clock. Richmond expects to put over a winner tonight and the public is urged to come and support the boys in the last game of the season.

MRS. CREWS LOSES LITTLE SISTER

Geneva Osborne, five-year-old daughter of J. O. and Mattie Osborne of the Allansville neighborhood of lark Friday morning at 11 o'clock of pneumonia. Besides her parents she is survived by the following sister and brothers, Lena, Myrtle and Floyd of Clark county, Mrs. Alfred Crews, a half sister, of Madison county and Mr. Robert Epperson a half brother, of Clark county. Funeral services were held Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the family residence conducted by Rev. G. M. Smith, and burial in the Brock grave yard.

ROBERT WARWICK

Robert Warwick is peculiarly fitted to play the dashing hero of "An Adventure in Hearts." He has recently been through some thrilling adventures in real life, serving for the period of the war in France.

In his capacity as a member of General Pershing's staff, he visited practically every front, went over the top in several drives, and was discharged with the commission of Major. So gun duels, hand-to-hand fistic encounters, and hair-breadth leaps to safety, such as the star goes through in this new picture, are not exactly new to him.

Robert Warwick is an accomplished actor. His long career on the stage in support of the leading feminine stars of America and his successful screen work before the war added to his surpassing natural ability the polish of experience. As Captain Dieppe in "An Adventure in Hearts", Major Warwick has beyond a doubt touched the highpoint in his screen career to date. He is every inch Anthony Hope's engaged hero.

The Weather

Partly cloudy tonight and Wednesday; not much change in temperature.

ALL DRY QUESTIONS COME UP TOGETHER

(By Associated Press)

Washington, Feb. 24—Arguments on the government's motion to dismiss the original suit instituted by Rhode Island to test the constitutionality of the federal prohibition constitutional amendment will be heard in the Supreme Court March 8th, while the suit will be heard on a motion to dismiss, it was stated today that all issues involved will be argued and the case submitted upon its merits. Court officials expect a decision at this term.

ALLIES WON'T TREAT WITH REDS YET

(By Associated Press)

London, Feb. 24—The Allies will decline to deal with Soviet Russia, "until they arrive at a conviction that the Bolshevists' horrors have come to an end," it was announced after a meeting of the Allied Supreme Council today. This decision, it was recognized, precludes diplomatic relations between the allied governments and the Moscow administration in the immediate future.

NORMAL STUDENTS PLEASE WITH PLAY

Pupils of the department of expression under the direction of Miss Mary Ann McMillan presented on Saturday night in the Normal auditorium "The Mollusc," a comedy by Hubert Davies.

Mr. Paul Gregory took the part of Tom Kemp, the bachelor brother of the heroine, Mrs. Baxter, and who has just returned to England after a long stay in Colorado.

Miss Mary Isabell Club was Miss Hunter, the orphan governess in the Baxter home. Besides teaching two little girls, she had become indispensable in entertaining Mr. Baxter and in waiting on Mrs. Baxter.

Mr. Gerald Callihan played the part of the long-suffering, henpecked Mr. Baxter, while Mrs. George M. Watkins was the artful Mrs. Baxter, who tried to evade all responsibilities and to live a life of elegant inactivity. She was the mollusc of the play.

The author defines human molluscs as people who spend all their ingenuity in sticking instead of moving, like molluscs of the sea. The molluscs differ from the lazy in that the latter flow with the tide, while the molluscs use force to resist pressure. They are artful creatures, full of wiggles and squirms, and even show fight if urged to advance.

The large audience enjoyed the humor of the play, the good stage arrangements and gave to Miss McMilian and the actors merited applause.

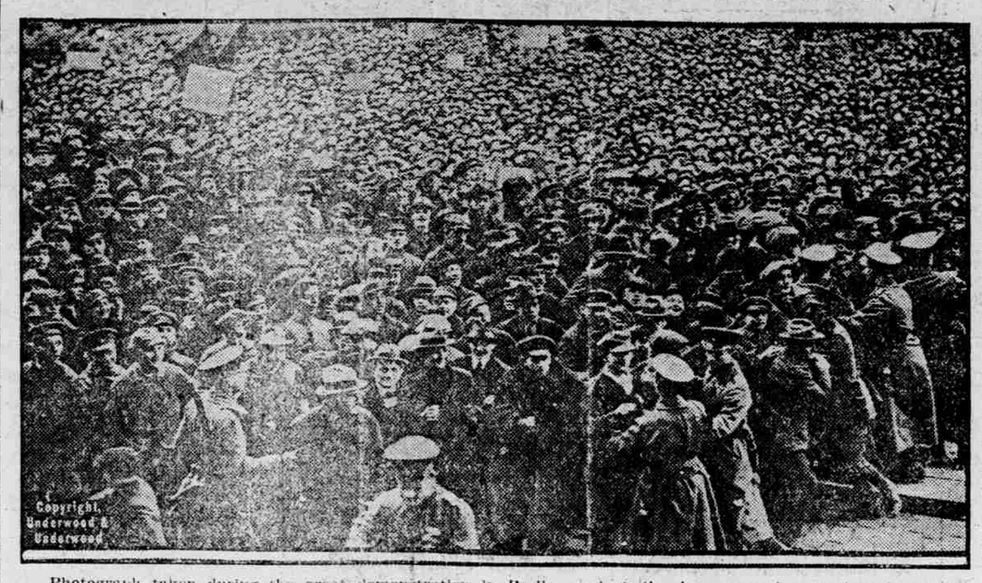
Improving Big Store

The Muncy Bros. furniture store has undergone improvements the past week, which is making this establishment one of the most up-to-date furniture stores in this part of the country. Contractors Stephens and Muncy, of Berea, are in charge of the work, and have just finished building an elevated office in the rear of the store room, a music room, and ladies' rest room. This firm is sparing neither time nor money in beautifying its store, and is carrying a line of furniture equal to stores in the larger cities.

Rehearsing For Music Festival

The May Music Festival under the direction of Prof. S. S. Myers, is making progress in rehearsal of the "Messiah" which will be given here some time during the month of May. There are over one hundred and fifty voices in the chorus now rehearsing on Friday of each week, and new members of the chorus are being welcomed. Miss Brown E. Telford, is the capable assistant at the piano, and the outlook for the best music festival ever presented in Richmond seems assured.

BERLIN DEMONSTRATION IN WHICH MANY WERE KILLED.



Photograph taken during the great demonstration in Berlin against the law governing workmen's councils. The mob is seen breaking through the lines of the surety police in front of the reichstag. Later the police and troops opened fire on the crowd, killing many persons.

HITCH IN PLANS TO RAID WET COUNTY

(By Associated Press)

Marquette, Mich., Feb. 24—United States Commissioner Hatch today refused to issue federal warrants for the arrest of the six Iron county officials charged with conspiracy to obstuct the prohibition law. He declared he could not act without the approval of District Attorney Walker, Federal Judge Sessions or Attorney General Palmer. Major Dalrymple, federal prohibition director for the central states, notified Hatch unless telegraphic authority to issue warrants are received by two o'clock this afternoon, he would proceed to Iron county with a company of his own men and a squad of Michigan state police and make arrests without warrants.

Iron county officials are accused of having held up Geo. Grove, prohibition inspector for Upper Peninsula, and with state troopers taking 11 barrels of wine which federal agents had seized. Dalrymple has 16 federal agents with him and they are now en route to the scene of the disturbance.

"FI FI" AT CALDWELL THURSDAY NIGHT

Everything is in readiness for the first production of "Fi-Fi" on Thursday, February 26th at the Caldwell auditorium. The play will also be staged on Friday evening, February 27th. Both performances will begin at eight o'clock.

The talent for Fi-Fi has been chosen from the Madison High School and the Caldwell grades. Consequently it is in every sense a school play and deserves the patronage of the community who are interested in public schools. There are 200 in the cast of characters. The play is a fantastic musical extravaganza and is unique in plot and outline.

There are fairies, jumping jacks letter blocks, animals, bridesmaids and paper dolls in addition to the principals.

Iva Jean Todd is as graceful as a sea nymph in the role of the leading lady, Fi-Fi, Marshall Hurst as the character lead among the men needs quite a bit of whipping into shape. He is totally unexperienced and there is still plenty of room to rub off the sharp edges but he gives signs of being a success.

The play will be for the benefit of the gymnasium on the new Madison High School campus to materialize before the passing of many moons. The admission will be 50c plus the war tax.

Jeff Coates Acquitted

Jefferson Coates was tried by a jury in the Madison quarterly court upon a charge of breach of the peace, preferred by Robert Sparks. Coates was acquitted. Coates attacked Sparks after the young wife of the former, it was alleged, had informed him that Sparks had insulted her, while passing her upon the street and the fight followed. All the parties are well known residents of of the eastern part of town.

LEE CONGLETON SELLS HIS HOME

Richmond Real Estate Continues Very Active—Other Recent Sales Reported

Richmond real estate continues to change hands at a rapid rate. Mr. H. C. James, of the L. P. Evans Real Estate Agency, this week, sold the handsome home of Mr. Lee Congleton, of B. street to Mr. Terry G. Perkins, of the Tate's Creek pike. The price paid is understood to have been $15,000. Mr. Congleton plans to make his home in Fayette county on one of his large farms, there, it is understood, and he will be much missed by his many friends here. The home which Mr. Turner buys as the old Jason Walker place and is a splendid home in every way.

The same real estate agency sold for Mr. J. A. Mershon a house and lot on Hillsdale avenue to Mrs. Hazel Hamilton. The consideration was $2,000. Mr. James also sold the S. A. D. Jones place on the corner of Woodland and Fourth streets to Mr. Riddle, of Paint Lick. The price was slightly under $5,500.

For George H. Myers, of the Madison Electric & Plumbing Company, the Freeman Realty Company sold his cottage and lot in RoseDale to Gilbert Tracey, for $2,000. Possession will be given in 15 days.

TOWN LOT TRANSFERS

Wm. F. Randolph to A. H. Thomas lot in Richmond, $997.56.

Martin V. Hall to Angie Ginter, lot in College Hill, $1, love and affection.

John A Mershon to Hazel A. Hamilton, lot in Richmond $200.

Master Commissioner to Charley Sams, lot in Richmond, $2110.

Lee Congleton to T. G. Perkins, lot in Richmond $15000.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

W. J. Teater to Eugene Cowley 13 acres for $1200.

N. A. Bailey to Jas. G. Cusick, 52 acres $3500.

W. S. Kidd to Gay & Redd 32 acres for $100, ($1 stamps).

T. G. Perkins to J. C. Kelley 4 1-2 acres for $500.

Master Commissioner to Thos. H. Collins, 3 acre for $1176.

Geo. Emmett to McSween, 2 acres for $1100.

Mat Lakes to Wm. Lakes, 11 acres for $380.

Eliza Perkins to C. E. Goins 10 acres for $1400.

Starts New Enterprise Here

A new enterprise in the nature of an office supply company, under the management of J. W. Wiggins, has opened up for business in the McCreary building on Second street. It is the intention of Mr. Wiggins to carry a full line of office supplies, and especially featuring the typewriter line, having the selling agency for some of the very best machines on the market. Particular attention will be given to repair work on all typewriters, and old machines will be bought and sold. Mr. Wiggins is a hustler, and it is the prediction of his many friends that he will make good in his new undertaking.

McKee's Annual Remnant Sale opens Saturday morning, at 9 o'clock, Feb. 28. 3t

FOURTH BEREAVEMENT FOR MRS. ALEX KING

Mr. and Mrs. Alex King were called to Lexington Tuesday, by the death of the latter's nephew, Mr. John Forte, who died of double pneumonia following flu. Just two weeks ago Miss Stella Forte, a sister, died and three weeks ago Mrs. Joe Helton, of Paris, a sister of Mrs. King was buried here. Last week an infant of another sister, Mrs. Clouse, died here, making fourth bereament in Mrs. King's family in the past four weeks. The sympathy of the entire community is extended to her in her deep sorrow.

LITTLE GIRL HURT

The little three-months-old baby girl of Rev. and Mrs. J. A. McClintock had her collar bone dislocated, Monday afternoon. In some way the three-year-old brother, Allen Davis, in trying to amuse her suddenly pulled the member out of place. The little sufferer was resting comfortably early Tuesday morning and it is thought will soon be alright.

COL. WALTON VERY ILL

Friends here regretted to learn that Col. W. P. Walton widely known Kentucky editor, who has played a prominent part in the political life of the state for many years, is very ill at his home in Lexington, as the result of a severe attack of heart disease. Col. Walton was editor for a short time of the weekly Climax several years ago.

TOM BALDWIN QUITE ILL

Tom Baldwin, Jr., continues quite ill of flu and a complication of troubles at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Baldwin, on West Main. Typhiod fever is now feared, his many friends regret to know.

This Will Help A Lot

Frankfort, Ky., Feb. 24—The committee on Racing commission today reported favorably the Huntsman bill raising to $2,500 the daily tax on race tracks.

Bunk Gardner To Retire

(By Associated Press)

Mayfield, Ky., Feb. 24— Circuit Judge Bunk Gardner announces he will not be a candidate for Congress against Congressman Barkley, and after his term expires, he will retire to the practice of law.

GEORGETOWN PROF. SUED BY WIFE

Muncie, Ind., Feb. 24.—Prof. Allen Barnett, a member of the Georgetown (Ky.) University faculty, was named defendant in suit for divorce filed this afternoon by Norma Gregg Barnett, formerly of Indianapolis. He is charged with cruel and inhuman treatment. The couple were married August 15, 1919. Mrs. Barnett is widely reputed as acomposer and musician and is prominently identified in Muncie, coming here from Indianapolis several years ago. Mrs. Barnett stated that her married life has been one of "gross indiffeence on the part of the defendant to her."

FOR THE CHILDREN

Too much care cannot be exercised in selecting a cough medicine for children. It should be pleasant to take, contain no harmful drug and most effectual in curing their coughs and colds. Long experience has shown that Chamberlain's Cough Remedy meets these conditions. It is a favorite with many mothers. Feb.

THE MARKETS

Louisville, Feb. 24—Cattle 350; quiet and unchanged; hogs 500; 25c lower; tops $14.50; sheep 50; steady and unchanged.

BURGLARS FOILED AT BURGIN BANK

(By Associated Press)

Harrodsburg, Ky., Feb. 24—Burglars early today blew off the combination to the Citizens Bank vaul at Burgin. A woman living near by heard the explosion and screamed. The burglars fled without gaining access to the vault. They made ineffectual attempts to burglarize a residence and enter the postoffice.

REDISTRICTING BILL EXPECTED NEXT

(By Associated Press)

Louisville, Ky., Feb. 24—Robt. E. Dundon, the Times Frankfort correspondent, discussing the legislative situation today says "republican threats to redistrict the state are not causing the democratic leaders much concern right now, thought they admit this may be a development of the week. Redistricting bills would give the democrats timely warning by their introduction.

GRAVES GROWERS TO SELL AT BARNS

(By Associated Press)

Mayfied, Ky., Feb. 24—Graves county tobacco growers at a meeting here, perfected an organization with a membership of 200 pledging to sell their tobacco only at the barns.

Maryland Antis To Do Missionary Work

(By Associated Press)

Annapolis, Md., Feb. 24—The House of Delegates today voted 54 to 44 to send a delegation of seven anti-suffrage members of the legislature to West Virginia to ureg the general assembly of that state to follow the course of Maryland in rejecting the federal woman suffrage amendment.

IN OLD KENTUCKY

Gambling and the illicit handling of whiskey, stressed by Judge Prewitt as besetting sins, are being investigated by the Bath county grand jury.

The Licking river is to be restocked with fish from State hatcheries by a group of Waltonians to whom the extermination of fish by the winter of 1917-18 was a personal bereavement.

Desiring to be relieved of responsibility, bondsmen caused Herman Wilson, charged with stealing a filly from M. F. Sparks, to be put in jail to await trial or other bail, in Metcalfe county.

Injuries proved fatal for Frank Raisor, 17, who missed his footing in attempting to board a freight car at Hempridge, Shelby county, one leg being cut off near the hip.

Under orders of the Clinton county Board of Health, no churches were opened Sunday on account of the epidemic of influenza, which also has closed the schools.

Near Creech, in Pike county, John Caudill, 50, and Arthur Hampton, 10, his grandson, were killed by falling slate in a country coal mine from which they were getting the night's supply of fuel.

MADISON GETS ABOUT SIX STATE ROADS

In Big New Highway System Being Planned By Legislature At Frankfort

State Road Commissioner Joe S. Boggs and Representative Leonard Ballard were both over for the week-end at their homes here. They say that Madison is exceptionally well taken care of in the good roads which seem certain to pass at this session of the legislature. Madison get about six of the main highways, which will help a lot.

Practically every person in Kentucky is interested in the location of these roads. With this bill will be passed companion bills, designed to raise funds to carry out this vast undertaking in Kentucky.

Naturally the question foremost in the mind of every property owner in Kentucky is: Where will the money come from to build the roads? It will come from many sources. It would not be a surprise to see $2,000,000 annually come from a tax on whiskey now in bonded warehouses of the state. It is likely also that $250,000 annually will come from a license on race tracks. It may be that $1,000,000 will come from license on motor vehicles, and $750,000 from a tax on gasoline. It is certain that, if Kentucky can raise her part of the money to match dollar for dollar $2,000,000 annually will come from the federal government.

Construction of a line of roads from one county to another is called a project, and there are 6 projects contained in this vast system of roads to be built. They follow:

Project No. 1—From Wickliffe to Springfield, via Bardwell, Mayfield, Benton, Eggner's Ferry, Fenton, Cadiz, Gracy, Hopkinsville, Elkton, Russellville, Bowling Green, Edmonton, Columbia, Campbellsville and Lebanon.

No. 2—Henderson to Guthrie, via Dixon, Madisonville, Nortonville, and Hopkinsville.

No. 3—Louisville to Adolphus, via Bardstown, Hodgenville, Buffalo, Hardyville, Glasgow, and Scottsville.

No. 4—Winchester to Whitesburg, via Stanton, Campton, Jackson, Dward, and Hazard.

No. 5—Covington to Tennessee state line, nearing Manring, Tenn., via Elsanger, Florence, Richwood, Walton, Crittenden, Williamstown, Georgetown, Lexington, Richmond, Mt. Vernon, Corbin, Barbourville, Pineville, Middlesboro.

No. 6—Ashland to Pineville, via Catlettsburg, Louisa, Paintsville, Prestonsburg, Pikeville, Whitesburg and Harlan.

No. 7—Bardwell to Kentucky-Tennessee state line, at Fulton, via Clinton and Hickman.

No. 8—Louisville to Wickliffe, via West Point, Tip Top, Brandenburg, Hardinsburg, Hawesville, Owensboro, Henderson, Morganfield, Smithland, and Paducah.

No. 9—Paducah to Kentucky-Tennessee state line via Mayfield and Murray.

No. 10—Owensboro to Smithland, via Calhoun, Central City, Greenville, Nortonville, Dawson Springs, Princeton and Eddyville.

No. 11—Owensboro to Tipton, via Hartford, Pleasant Ridge, Morgantown, Bowling Green, Cave City, Bear Wallow, Munfordville, and Elizabethtown.

No. 12—Owensboro to Elizabethtown via Whitesville, Fordsville and Leitchfield.

No. 13—Louisville to Florence, via Russell's Corner Bedford, Milton, Carrollton, and Warsaw.

No. 14—Morgantown to Munfordville, via Brownsville and Mammoth Cave.

No. 15 — Greenville to Kentucky-Tennessee state line, via Geddes, Leitsburg, Russellville and Franklin to Warren county line.

No. 16—Hardyville to Campbellsville via Greensburg.

No. 17—Louisville to Georgetown, via Shelbyville and Frankfort.

No. 18—Louisville to Bardstown, via Taylorsville.

No. 19—Russell's Corner to Williamstown, via La Grange, New Castle and Owenton.

No. 20—Shelbyville to Ashland, via Lawrenceburg, Versailles, Lexington, Paris, Millersburg, Blue Lick, Maysville, Maysville, Ribelt, Vanceburg and Greenup.

No. 21—Newport to Paris, via Alexandria Falmouth and Cynthiana.

No. 22—Lawrenceburg to Kentucky-Tennessee state line at Isham, via Harrodsburg, Danville, Stanford, Somerset and Whitley City.

No. 23—Nicholasville to Kentucky-Tennessee state line, near Huntersville via Lancaster, Stanford, Hustonville, Liberty, Jamestown, Sewellton, Seventy Six and Albany.

No. 24—Somerset to Columbia, via Jamestown.

No. 25—Campbellsville to Richmond via Danville, Perryville, Lebanon, and Lancaster.

No. 26—Frankfort to Versailles.

No. 27—Stanford to Albany, via Crab Orchard, Mt. Vernon, Somerset, Burnside, and Monticello.

No. 28—London to Greenup, via Manchester, Hyden, Hazard, Lackey, Hindman, Salyersville, West Liberty, Sandy Hook, and Grayson.

No. 29—Richmond to Jackson, via Irvine and Beattyville.

No. 30—Richmond to Pineville, via McKee, Manchester and Red Bird.

No. 31—Beattyville to Manchester via Booneville.

No. 32—Paris to West Liberty, via Mt. Sterling and Frenchburg.

No. 33—Owingsville to Mayslick, via Flemingsburg.

No. 34—Paintsville to Salyersville.

No. 35—Corbin to Kentucky-Tennessee state line at Jellico, via Williamsburg.

No. 36—Pineville to West Virginia state line, near Williamson.

No. 37—Bowling Green to Wilkinsburg, Shade, via Scottsville and Tompkinsville.

No. 38—Middlesboro to Cumberland Gap.

No. 39—Pikeville to Louisa, via

No. 40—Albany to Glasgow, via Willow Shade and Burksville.

No. 41—Hodgenville to Elizabethtown.

No. 42—Murray to Eggner's Ferry near Fenton.

No. 43—Vanceburg to Flemingsburg via Petersville.

No. 44—Taylorsville to Lawrenceburg via Little Mount, Van Buren and Gilboro.

No. 45—Central City to Hartford Rockport and McHenry.

No. 46—Carrollton to West Point, via New Castle, Shelbyville, Taylorsville, and Shepherdsville.

No. 47—Bardstown to Ashland, via Springfield, Harrodsburg, Nicholasville, Lexington, Winchester, Mt. Sterling, Owingsville, Morehead and Grayson.

No. 48—Augusta to Blue Lick, via Brooksville and Mt. Olivet.

No. 49—Georgetown to Warsaw, via Stamping Ground, Bethany, Gwenton, Bromely, Poplar Grove and Glencoe.

No. 50—Richmond to Paris, via Winchester.

No. 51—Columbua to Kentucky-Tennessee state line near Willow Grove, Tenn., via Burkesville.

No. 52—Scottsville to Franklin.

No. 53—Cave City to Mammoth Cave.

No. 54—Mayfield to Fulton.

No. 55—Dutch Fish Trap Bridge to Dawson Springs via Anton, Madisonville and Earlington.

No. 56—Harlan to Virginia state line, near Hubbard Springs, and from Poor Fork via Benham and Lynch, to Virginia line, near Keeckee, Va.

No. 57—Williamstown to Maysville via Falmouth, Caddo and Brownsville.

No. 58—Georgetown to Brooksville via Cynthiana, Craysville and Wilfore.

No. 59—Nicholasville via Valley View to Richmond.

No. 60—Carrollton to Sanford's Point via Worthville, Wheatley and New Liberty.

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