

## SHEEPSKINS FOR FORTY-FIVE

Twenty-six Girls and 19 Boys Receive High School Diplomas.

### LARGEST CLASS RECORD

Diplomas Awarded By the Principal, Prof. G. C. Koffman.

Class Day Exercises of the High School were held at the Tabernacle Thursday morning. The program foretold in the Kentuckian was carried out with much credit to each of the performers as follows:

Piano Solo... Miss Frances Garnett  
President's Address... William Tandy  
Class History... Miss Grace Richards  
Duet Selection.....

Manning Brown and David Hooser  
Class Giftorian... Mary Campbell  
Class Prophecy... Miss Doris Claggett  
Class Will... McFarland Wood  
Faculty Giftorian... Potter Lackey  
Duet Selection.....

Manning Brown and David Hooser  
Last night the commencement exercises were held with the class address delivered by Prof. J. A. Dickey, of Bowling Green.

The High School orchestra and chorus rendered some fine selections and the diplomas were awarded by Prof. G. C. Koffman to the following 45 graduates:

Misses Juanita Bartley, Imogene Bartley, Mary Belle Bible, Louise Breathitt, Mary Campbell, Elizabeth Cayce, Doris Claggett, Mary Fox Clardy, Amma Nell Earle, Frances Garnett, Brentwood Gee, Eleanor Henry, Ruth Hadden, Elizabeth McPherson, Sallie Mayes, Bertha Means, Ruby Morris, Mary Belle Radford, Grace Richards, Anna Scheifer, Myrtha Southall, Amelia Starling, Bessie Walker, Annie Waller, Myra Winfree and Lillie Mae Wortham.  
Messrs Robert Winfree, McFarland Wood, William Thompson, McHenry Tichenor, William Tandy, Phil Roberts, Joe Moseley, Lee Oldham, John Metcalfe, Potter Lackey, David Hooser, Livingston Leavell, Earle Fowler, Petit Fentress, Bryant Charlton, Manning Brown, Milton Buckley, Edward Breathitt and Robert Brumfield.

#### Always Wishing.

To be always wishing for something we cannot get is the worst possible way to spend time. All of us have blessings which are enough to make us happy if only we are so wise as to enjoy them instead of fretting for something more. Take the pleasures of today with a grateful heart, and never waste time in hoping you will have something better tomorrow.

#### Daily Thought.

The mind that is cheerful in its present state will be adverse to all solicitudes to the future, and will meet the bitter occurrences of life with a placid smile.—Horace.

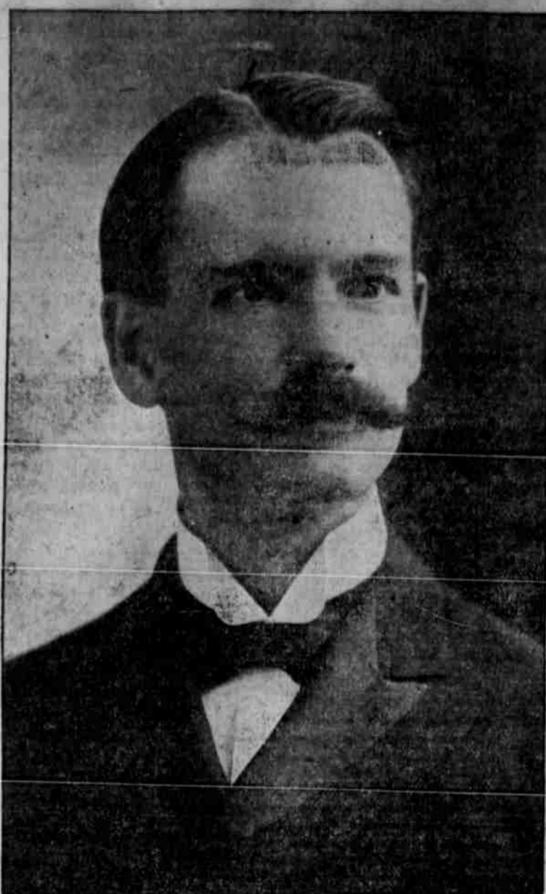
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Who will arrive next Tuesday to assist Rev. C. M. Thompson, pastor of the First Baptist church, in a revival meeting, which starts tomorrow.

### SOARING HIGHER

Tobacco Reaches The Average For The Week of \$8.80.

Something more than 200,000 pounds of tobacco was marketed this week at highly satisfactory prices, the average running to nearly \$9. The receipts are very light now as the season is almost over.

Week ending June 1, 1916, is as follows:

Receipts for week.....	0 Hhds.
Receipts for year.....	78 Hhds.
Sales for week.....	0 Hhds.
Sales for year.....	245 Hhds.

#### LOOSE FLOORS.

Sales week.....	203,625 lbs.
Sales for season.....	13,767,190 lbs.
Sales for same date	
1915.....	11,773,070 lbs.
Average for this week.....	\$8.80
Average for this season.....	\$6.16

The schedule of the prices for the week was as follows:

Trash	\$5.00 to \$6.00
Com Lugs	\$6.00 to \$7.00
Med Lugs	\$7.00 to \$7.50
Good Lugs	\$7.50 to \$8.00
Fine Lugs	\$8.00 to \$9.00
Low Leaf	\$7.00 to \$8.00
Com Leaf	\$8.00 to \$9.00
Med Leaf	\$9.00 to \$10.00
Good Leaf	\$10.00 to \$11.50
Fine Leaf	\$11.50 to \$13.00

H. H. ABERNATHY,  
Secretary.

#### EXPERT AT THAT.

"So Blank has gone west to develop his gold mine. Has he taken his wife along?"

"Yes; he says she'll be sure to find the pockets if there are any."

#### THE RESULT.

"I am going to tell that fellow I will make him eat his words."

"Don't. That will be just pie to him."

#### CAMPAIGNING.

Knicker—Where did Jones make his speech?

Bocker—From the rear platform of a train of thought.

#### RESEMBLANCE.

Wife—Are my doughnuts like those your mother used to make?

Hub (sampling them)—Well—er—the—holes are just the same.

### STRAYED!

From my farm three and one half miles north of town on the Madisonville road, two bay mules 15-3 in. hands high. Any information regarding the whereabouts of same shall be liberally rewarded.  
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### OFFICES TO BURN

State Now Has 1920 Employees Who Draw Average of \$703.67.

(Frankfort State-Journal)

Kentucky's 1,920 employees draw an average salary of \$703.67. This includes the pay of the Governor, Secretary of State, Auditor, Attorney General, State Superintendent, Clerk of the Court of Appeals, Commissioner of Agriculture, Appellate Judges and their office forces, heads of the State University and Normal Schools and faculties, members of the State Board of Control, Prison Commissioners, State Hospital officers and attendants, prison officers and guards, game, forestry, geological survey, State Board of Health, tuberculosis, banking, insurance, insurance rating board, agriculture, State Fair, automobile, Capitol custodian, historical, hotel, library, railroad, public road, racing, mining, inspector and examiner, fire marshal's, pension, and printing departments, military department, home for the blind, home for the deaf, the Confederate Home, Children's Home Societies, home for incurables, Kentucky Normal and Industrial Institute, the State Experiment Station and the State Board of Equalization.

The payroll of the State, according to the report ordered by the General Assembly and just completed by State Inspector and Examiner Nat B. Sewell, is \$1,351,053.03, aside from certain part-time employees in some of the departments engaged by the day. Some of these departments pay their own way.

Added to the payroll besides these are the 35 circuit judges and 35 commonwealth's attorneys, who bring the number of employees up to 1,970, and the payroll to \$1,536,553.03.

Sent Over the Telephone.  
Mistress—"Goodness, Bridget, where is our telephone?" Bridget—"Mrs. Jones sent over, mum, askin' for the use of it, and I stint it over, but I had the devil's own toime gittin' it off the wall, mum."—Toledo Blade.

Good in Cheerfulness.  
Cheerfulness, the character of common hope, is, in strong hope, like glimpses of sunshine on a cloudy day.—Selected.

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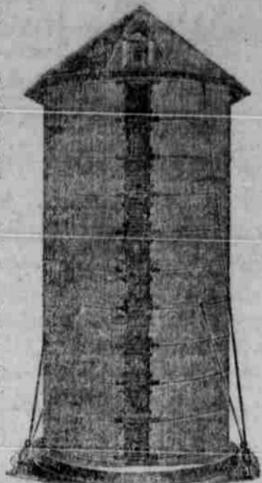
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### HEALTH NEWS.

Poverty and tuberculosis—tuberculosis and poverty! These are the essential facts which force themselves to the attention of every investigator who faces the problem of that disease. The tenement house district of Cincinnati yields a tuberculosis morbidity just three times as great as the areas where better housing prevails. In 197 families in which tuberculosis existed the average monthly income for a family of four was approximately \$57. After paying the prorata share for food and rent, a balance of \$5.13 remained for each individual to meet all other expenses. Such a low subsistence level works like black magic in the spread of tuberculosis. Moreover, and this is a point over which the public should ponder, the home of the average wage earner was found to be far less sanitary than the average factory and workshop. In regard to all the factories which make for healthful living, ventilation, sufficient light, proper temperature, and freedom from over-crowding, the score was in favor of the factory in nearly every instance.

The city of Cincinnati realized that her tuberculosis death rate was 50 per cent. above the average and that it had failed to manifest a tendency to decline. She felt no qualms in making this admission. Rather, she determined that she would learn why, with an efficient health department and favorable climatic influences, she was suffering from twice the mortality from that disease as her neighbor, Pittsburgh. Accordingly the United States Public Health Service was requested to make a thorough study of the situation and submit a report. To show that something more than mere academic interest obtained, 19,932 workers in 154 factories of the city voluntarily submitted to a physical examination.

The conclusions reached, point directly to the close connection between poverty and tuberculosis. The great factor underlying the entire problem was seemingly that of economic conditions. One sixth of all tuberculosis cases came from cheap lodging houses. Alcoholism was a prominent cause, and often accelerated the course of the disease. Oc-

cupational hazards and bad working conditions were apparently responsible for about 20 per cent. of the cases, but in the majority of instances these hazards were not necessarily inherent in the occupation. Previous tuberculosis in the family occurred in practically a third of all the cases investigated. Dissipation, over-crowding, bad housing, and innate lack of personal responsibility, were also listed as causes.

An interesting feature of the report, and one which has not previously been dwelt upon in studies of this character, relates to the effect of immigration and the rate of growth of the population of a city upon tuberculosis death rate. It is shown that cities with a population composed largely of racial stock having a limited resistance to tuberculosis are subject to a high mortality rate from that disease, while centers having a slow rate of population increase are likewise subject to a high tuberculosis rate. The evidence is submitted in a comparative table covering sixteen American cities. Almost without exception those with a high percentage of Irish, Scandinavian and German stock, and those in which the negro population is relatively large, have a correspondingly high mortality, while those where the Italian and Jewish element is proportionately great to have a low tuberculosis death rate. Similarly, such cities as Detroit and Cleveland, with high rates of population increase, show a low tuberculosis mortality, while Cincinnati and Baltimore with a relatively small population increase have a high tuberculosis rate. Doubtless the true explanation of this discrepancy is that advanced by the authors, namely, that where the population increase is rapid new buildings are erected to take the place of old insanitary structures and better housing conditions prevail.

#### Must Run.

Unless Col. Roosevelt lands the Republican nomination for President, or is given permission to name the Republican nominee practically, he will make the race for President on the Progressive ticket, according to Dr. H. M. Goodman, head of the Roosevelt Republican League, Louisville.

Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

### PURELY PERSONAL.

Miss Sarah Davie, who attended school at Murfreesboro, Tenn., during the past session, returned Thursday night to spend the vacation with her mother, Mrs. H. W. Young, near Howell.

Miss Edwin Elliott has gone to St. Louis, Mo., for a visit to relatives.

Mrs. J. L. Gant, of Pensacola, Fla., is visiting her mother, Mrs. Gunn.

Mrs. Leslie Haydon returned to her home in Hopkinsville Monday after a visit to her son, Mr. Hugh Haydon, and other Trigg county relatives. \* \* Judge W. H. Hooks, T. O. Turner, J. Frank Ladd, H. P. Atwood, Dr. W. H. Jefferson, G. W. Ryan, Joe Hoy Hopkins and P. A. Blane were in Hopkinsville yesterday to attend a meeting of the State Tax Commission.—Cadiz Record.

Thomas R. Underwood left for Lexington yesterday, to work for the Lexington Leader for the month of June.

Miss Bennie Meacham, of Gracey, attended the High School graduating exercises at the Tabernacle last night.

#### The Still Small Voice.

The most potent and beneficent forces are still. The strength of a sentence is not in its adjectives, but in its verbs and nouns, and the strength of men and nations is in their calm, sane, meditative moments. In a time of noise and hurry and materialism like ours, the gospel of the still and small voice is always seasonable.—John Burroughs, in the Atlantic

#### Wagoner-Peace.

Dr. C. O. Wagner, of Elkton, and Miss Addie Peace, of this city, were married at the rectory of the Catholic church, yesterday afternoon at 5 o'clock, by Father Welch. They left at once for Sidney, O., to visit the groom's relatives.

Berlin reports a sea battle with the British fleet, in which the British lost one battleship and four cruisers and the Germans one battleship, one cruiser and another cruiser missing. London admits three cruisers were lost.

#### Daily Thought.

In this world a man must be either gavel or hammer.—Longfellow.