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Insure with W. O. Hinton.
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Contract Let for School Building.

The trustees of the District Graded High School, of Little Rock, met recently and let the contract for the new High School, to be located at that place. The building is to be a frame structure, and will be 24x90 feet. The contract for the foundation was awarded to Alonzo McKenzie, while the lumber and carpenter work was let to the Stivers Lumber Co., for \$2,200. The following trustees were present: Elmer Boardman, L. A. Soper, Roger Burris, J. F. Young and Ed Burris.

Bargains This Week.

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Carcasses in Stoner.

Much complaint has been heard in the past few days of the conditions existing in Stoner creek. We have it upon good authority that a few days ago between the L. & N. bridge and the ford there were in the stream the carcasses of six sheep. It seems there should be some means to prevent the pollution of the waters of this beautiful stream and the officials, whose attention is thus called to it, should make an effort to detect the persons who are engaged in this practice. No doubt the prevalence of typhoid in this community can be traced to this, as the filtering of the water will not remove typhoid germ.

Circuit Court.

Friday in the case of the Commonwealth vs. W. H. Lucas, charged with the murder of William Sager, the jury returned a verdict of not guilty and the accused was acquitted. Lucas has a wife and six children. The wife and one child attended the trial and were made happy by the verdict.

In the case of the Commonwealth vs. James Wilson, for malicious cutting, the prisoner was found guilty and fined \$75.

Fisher Williams, indicted for grand larceny, was found guilty.

Cas Johnson, charged with arson, was acquitted.

Judge W. P. Sandidge, of Russellville, who acted as special judge during the March term of court, was here Friday to pass upon some questions left over from that term.

In Circuit Court Saturday in the case of the Commonwealth vs. "Bud" Macom, a negro of Claysville, Macom was tried on two charges, found guilty and fined to the limit of the law in each case. First, for selling liquor on Sunday the fine imposed was \$50; second, for selling liquor without a license, \$100.

Court adjourned soon after dinner until Monday morning, and the Commonwealth cases were continued. Special Judge L. P. Fryer, of Butler, went to his home Saturday and spent Sunday with his family.

Yesterday in the case of Ben Parker, colored, charged with assault and battery, the jury returned a verdict of guilty and Parker was sentenced to thirty days in the county jail.

Dan Boatwright, charged with shooting and wounding Jack Williams, was acquitted.

Today the trial of Bus Cantrill, on a charge of murder, will be called.

County Committee Meets.

The Bourbon County Democratic Committee met Saturday afternoon at the court house and selected officers to serve at the Democratic primary July 1. Hon. S. G. Clay being the only candidate for Representative from Bourbon and the time limit having expired was declared the party nominee.

Too Much Fast Driving.

The practice of the fast driving of automobiles through the city of Paris in excess of the speed limit regulated by an ordinance passed at a recent meeting of the city council is becoming more and more dangerous every day. The utter disregard for the speed limit is menacing the safety of pedestrians.

Considerable complaint has been made to the city officials in regard to the rigid enforcement of the city ordinance and its provisions, the police have been instructed to place under arrest the driver of any automobile that is going beyond the regulation limit of eight miles an hour and five miles when turning corners.

While to this date no fatalities have resulted from fast driving, still the precaution should be taken. Mayor Hinton has had placed on all pikes leading to the city at the city limits sign boards as a warning to autoists. It is to be hoped the officers will exercise a little vigilance and take into court a few of the speeders and make an example out of them.

It might also be wise to suggest a relief for the congestion which frequently occurs on Main street especially on Saturday and court day. On numerous occasions the street is blocked from a Fourth to Sixth street, by vehicles stopping in the middle of the thoroughfare. This is more from a force of habit than anything else and the presence of an officer a few times on an occasion of this sort to compel drivers of vehicles to take one side of the street or the other would furnish a passageway for other vehicles.

Time to Call a Halt.

Such disgraceful action on the part of the two Maysville players in the game here Saturday afternoon was about the limit and it is a good time now to call a halt upon such rowdies. The tactics pursued by these players were enough to disgust any lover of the sport and the quicker the league is relieved of such a class the better off it will be.

Such rowdism never before has been witnessed on the local grounds. When Langenham went to the field in the sixth inning, according to Umpire Shaw's statement, he began calling him the vilest names. This resulted in his ejection and possibly the respect Shaw had for the spectators saved him a good thrashing.

When Langenham had been put off the field by Sheriff A. S. Thompson, Woodruff took up where he had left off, and made several efforts to spike the umpire by walking behind him and attempting to step on his feet. This, too, was a little more than the official could stand, and the Maysville third baseman was ordered to journey beyond the enclosure, and Sheriff Thompson was again called.

Woodruff has borne a very unenviable reputation since he has been in the Blue Grass League. He is known among the players as a "bully" and the sooner he is taught a good lesson the better it will be for him and the game. It is all right to protest a decision but there are many more gentlemanly ways. This is Langenham's first offense, so far as we know, but if the statement of Umpire Shaw is correct, and this we have no reason to doubt, he should be given the limit.

Shaw was a volunteer umpire, assigned by President Ussrey in the absence of one of the regular staff. In the past his work has been eminently satisfactory. It is to be regretted that he should have been imposed on and subjected to such humiliating and ungentlemanly language as was hurled at him Saturday afternoon by the two Maysville players. As a result of the forfeiture the Maysville club must stand a fine of fifty dollars.



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