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LOW PRICE DRUG STORE.

HAVE just opened up a new and complete line of Proprietary Medicines and Druggist Sundries, at my old stand, and will share the profits with my customers.

J. FRANK HAWN.

B. C. MILNER

Senior Civil Engineer On Railroad Valuation, of Louisville, Appointed to Head Field Work in South.

Notice of the appointment of B. C. Milner, of Louisville, former railroad man and widely known as a civil engineer, to the position of senior civil engineer of the Southern Valuation district, in the work of making valuations of railroads as undertaken by the Interstate Commerce Commission, was received Thursday the 4th inst, from Judge Charles A. Prouty, director of valuation for the commission.

The notice stated that the appointment would be effective at once, and Mr. Milner will depart this morning for Chattanooga, headquarters for the Southern district, where he will be stationed. However, he will have general charge of the field work in the South and will be the chief assistant to Howard M. Jones, who is in general charge of the district.

The appointment of Mr. Milner to the important post of senior civil engineer recalls the efforts of Louisville commercial organizations to have the headquarters of the Southern district established in this city.

Mr. Milner formerly was with the operating department of the Southern railway as division superintendent and with the engineering department as resident engineer. He received his technical education at the University of Georgia, receiving his first experience in the building of the Yazoo & Mississippi Valley road in 1882 and 1883. He turned to coal mine engineering in 1884 and spent two years as an engineer in the Birmingham district. In 1885 he returned to railroad work, serving with the Covington & Macon and Georgia Southern & Florida railroad until 1891. In 1893 and 1894 he was connected with the planning of the Cotton States and international Exposition in Atlanta, which was held in 1895. In the latter part of 1895 he became connected with the Southern railway, and in 1907, when he resigned to take a position with the Cumberland railroad, was superintendent of the Kentucky division of the Southern. He recently left the Cumberland and has been engaged in the general contracting business in Louisville. [Courier-Journal of March 5th.]

NOTICE

The Ladies' Aid Society of the M. E. Church, regret exceedingly that they will have to postpone the affair that they had planned for the 17th of March, but on account of the great number of people who are sick in the town, especially among the members of the Aid, they thought it wise to do so, and have decided to entertain at Easter in stead.

Try the ADVOCATE.—1.00 a year.

BISHOP THOMAS BOWMAN BURIED AT GREENCASTLE

Funeral of Patriarch of American Methodism Held From DePauw University

Greencastle, Ind., March 6.—The funeral of Bishop Thomas Bowman, former president of DePauw University and patriarch of Methodism in America, was held from Melharry Hall, of DePauw University, here this afternoon. Burial was in Forest Hill cemetery, where the Bishop's wife and other members of his family are buried.

Bishop John H. Vincent, of Chicago, retired, at the request of Bishop Bowman, delivered the funeral address. President George I. Cross, of DePauw, presided, and music was furnished by the university choir. A number of visiting Bishops assisted in the services.

Business in the city was closed during the funeral and Melharry Hall was filled to overflowing with friends of the late Bishop, many of whom came from outside the State to attend the funeral. Among the Bishops who attended were Theodore S. Henderson, Chattanooga, Tenn., W. F. Anderson, Cincinnati, and David H. Moore, of Indianapolis. The pall-bearers were ministers and officials of the church.

SMALLPOX.

February 28, 1914.

To the health officials and people of Kentucky:—

A few cases of smallpox exist in most of the counties of Kentucky. This loathsome disease can only occur in people who have not been vaccinated. Quarantine against individual cases of smallpox is expensive and useless, as it only gives a false sense of security. No one who has been properly vaccinated at least three places on the arm, has ever had smallpox in Kentucky. There has never been an arm nor a life lost from vaccination in Kentucky. Properly done by a competent physician, it is devoid of danger, is inexpensive and is the only preventative against smallpox. More money has been spent, most of it uselessly, in combatting smallpox in the last few years in Kentucky than has been expended in thirty years in protecting our people from typhoid fever, consumption and the other common diseases of everyday life, and yet more deaths have occurred from either typhoid or consumption in the past year than smallpox, yellow fever and cholera, combined, have caused in a century.

The Board is frequently asked why the law requires vaccination at three points an inch apart on the arm. Because experience teaches in Germany that no one having three or more good scars has had smallpox. Vaccination does its work of protection through the glands under the arm. Charging

these glands from three points instead of one makes them manufacture more of the protective element.

As soon as a case of smallpox occurs every individual exposed should be promptly vaccinated or revaccinated and there should be no second case of the disease: It is unnecessary to quarantine the well, provided they have been successfully vaccinated.

It is a misdemeanor punishable by a fine of from \$100 to \$1,000 for any one having an eruption even resembling smallpox to go on any public street or road or any place where well people are. If the court officials will enforce this law and the one requiring vaccination, they will actually put into practice some real economy instead of the variety it is popular to talk about at election time. To prevent not only smallpox, but the common and more dangerous diseases that cause most of our sickness and death in Kentucky, we need simply real education, actual law enforcement, and a health officer in each jurisdiction who can devote his entire time to, and earn a living by preventing sickness and death instead of treating people for unnecessary sickness.

It is a violation of the law to be unvaccinated, and it is also unlawful for any person, firm or company to employ any unvaccinated person in any work for salary or wages of any kind. Intelligent people will be vaccinated without compulsion because it is reasonable, necessary and lawful; and health and other officials are urged to see that those who are not intelligent be compelled to be vaccinated so that the unnecessary drain on the city and county treasuries and on the purses of the people themselves from this entirely unnecessary pestilence be stopped. Smallpox, like murder, will only be prevented when the law is enforced. In Germany they have no smallpox because they enforce compulsory education and compulsory vaccination.

This Board urges all people of Kentucky who read this to be vaccinated themselves at once, or be revaccinated if they have not been vaccinated within seven years, and to see that their families, neighbors and dependents are vaccinated immediately.

Fresh reliable vaccine virus may be secured from the State Board of Health, Bowling Green, Kentucky, for \$6.50 for each one hundred points.

By order of the Board,
John G. South, Pres,
A. T. McCormack, Sec.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH.

The regular services will be held next Sunday. At the morning hour the minister will deliver a sermon on "The Effects of the Crucifixion of Christ," and at the evening service will discuss "Paul before Felix."

J. W. Ligon, Minister.

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ROSS THOMPSON ACQUITTED

Young Knox County Lawyer Overcomes Race Prejudice in Trial at Atlanta, Georgia.

Roscoe Thompson promptly acquitted of the charge of rape on popular white girl in Atlanta, Ga. Message received here Tuesday afternoon announcing acquittal of Roscoe Thompson, colored. His lawyer, James S. Golden, recently admitted to the bar, made a fine showing and after more than two weeks investigation of the facts in Atlanta where prejudice against his client ran high, unearched facts sufficient to show his client's innocence, although the young lady positively identified him as her assailant. Feeling was such that immediately after the verdict of the jury finding him not guilty, he was hastened back to jail for fear of mob violence. Golden and his client left Atlanta Tuesday night for Barbourville.

SPRUE NEWS.

(By Paul.)

Regular bad March weather and farmers doing no good in this part. Green Hammons, of Hopper, says he would like to move to Clay County—Leap Year over there.

Miss Flossie Cole, of Baptist Institute, was called home last week to see her mother who is very sick with typhoid fever.

It now looks like we'll not have any more Dogwood Winter, Steve Howard is cutting most all the dog woods down in his new ground.

James and Henry Calles, of the firm of H. W. Calles & Bro., bought a good pair of mules last week for \$325. Sam Jarvis, of London, was visiting homefolks last week, returning to London Saturday.

Miss Ida Abner and Lee Cole, of Barbourville, were among the church goers at Antioch Sunday.

Frank Hopkins has quit the hickory business and gone to farming and horse swapping.

Garden vegetables will be cheap this year, Willie Hammons has enlarged his garden and is making many other improvements.

Tye Lewis, of Hopper, and Loyd Abner, of Sprue, were visiting over on the branch Saturday night.

Miss Allie Bundy, of Woollum, has a very severe cold this week.

John Cobb, of Woollum, made a business trip to Red Bird, Clay Co., last week.

Have Hopkins and wife were visiting at Oneida, Clay County, last week.

John H. Sasser, of Gibbs, passed through here last week enroute to Goose Creek.

Hiram Vaughn, one of Clay Co's. business men, passed through here this week.

Riley and Blevins brought in a barrel of fine fish Saturday, and Steve Burnett, getting in too late for the fish, said he would try some salmon, so he bought 8 cans for himself and the old lady.

James Cobb made a business trip to Crane Nest Sunday.

Herbert Gilbert, of Crane Nest, was in this town last week looking for a school.

Henry Calles, of Woollum, filled his regular appointment at that place Sunday.

Squire Cole, of Hopper, was in Sprue this week trading.

We are hoping to have another singing school at Antioch with Steve Howard as teacher. Go to it Steve.

COLMAR ITEMS

(By Shirley)

W. H. Sowder has been on the sick list for a week but is improving.

Hall Robbins was the guest of W. H. Sowder Sunday.

J. H. Powell and J. T. Sowder were the guests of H. Robbins Tuesday.

Misses Flora Sowder and Zella Wilson were on Clear Fork Tuesday.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK

BARBOURVILLE, KY.

At the close of business on March 4th, 1914.

NO. 8262

RESOURCES.	LIABILITIES.
Loans and Discounts.....\$189,718.17	Capital stock paid in.....\$25,000.00
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured..... 621.04	Surplus fund..... 25,000.00
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation..... 15,000.00	Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid 2,684.59
U. S. Bonds to secure Postal Savings 5,000.00	National bank notes outstanding..... 15,000.00
Bonds, securities etc. 1,191.92	Individual deposits subject to check \$175,746.69
Banking house, furniture, and fixtures..... 6,500.00	Demand certificates of deposit..... none
Due from National Banks (not reserve agents).... 5,000.00	Time certificates of deposit..... 58,502.00
Due from approved reserved agents..... 69,108.86	Certified Checks.....400.00
Checks and other Cash Items..... 277.67	Cashier's checks outstanding..... 126.15
Exchanges for Clearing House..... 39.25	Postal savings deposits..... 4,560.22
Notes of other National Banks..... 1,045.00	Total Deposits 239,335.06
Fractional paper currency, nickles, and cents..... 179.99	Total \$307,019.65
LAWFUL MONEY RECEIVED IN BANK, VIZ:	STATE OF KENTUCKY, } ss:
Specie.....12,588.33	COUNTY OF KNOX } ss:
Legal-tender notes..... none, 12,588.33	I, Robert W. Cole, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5% of circulation)..... 750.00	ROBERT W. COLE, Cashier.
Total 307,019.65	CORRECT-ATTEST:
	JOHN M. TINSLEY } Directors.
	J. M. ROBBINSON } J. M. WILSON }
	Subscribed and sworn to before me this 9th day of Mar. 1914.
	J. F. STANFILL, Notary Public
	My commission expires Feb. 16, 1916.

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General Merchandise
Building Material
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LIME & CEMENT
Galvanized and Iron Roofing, Tin Shingles, etc., etc., etc.
They Will Save You Money.
PHONE 66.

Miss Linda Good was the guest of Flora Sowder Tuesday.

L. Castle, mior foreman at this place, is in Jenkins attending court. Josh Wilson and wife have returned from Knoxville.

J. T. Peace, of near this place, is seriously ill, he is not expected to recover.

Services will be conducted at this place Saturday night and Sunday by E. S. Rogers.

General Sowder died in Middleboro Sunday morning of pneumonia he was a son of Jacob Sowder.

Colmar is some swell place, all who haven't seen a town except Barbourville should come to see it.

Messrs. Sowder, Powell, Robbins, Good and Wilson will go to Swan Lake to play music Friday Mar. 20.

The carpenters are progressing nicely building houses for our town.

The Kentucky Light and Power Company have completed their line from Varilla, which will be put in operation as soap as possible.

For fun and good looking men

Idleness From Sickness. A man between twenty and thirty loses on an average of only five and a half days a year from illness, but between fifty and sixty he loses about twenty days annually.