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### JUST FOLKS

#### LAWYERS

John Doe does not like lawyers. John says he has had experience with two who gave him his present opinion of the legal profession. One of these lawyers opposed John in court and the other was for him. John says the first fellow beat him and the other fellow lost the case and there you are and what chance did he have? Indeed, yes, but never theless and not withstanding and without the slightest desire to superimpose the reflections of our superlative intelligence on a suffering public, still—

Lawyers have their uses! Those with contradictions to this assertion please step forward. None! Therefore we come to the ground root of our argument which is that lawyers are just folks and useful.

For instance, one of Barbourville's distinguished sons does something especially distinctive, not connected with getting into the penitentiary, and it is desired to do him honor. How do we do it? We decide on a public meeting, commonly called a mass meeting on account of the fact that there is generally a baker's dozen present at such affairs and, when the grave question as to what we shall do is brought before the thoughtful citizens, on whom do we call to express the thoughts of the great, dumb, oyster-like brotherhood, known as Mr. General Citizen? The lawyer, of course, and we appeal to these Caesars of the body politic because they have ideas and know how to express them. Ideas are what the world pays for and it is the legal luminaries of our great county who can and do express them. We laymen may have ideas, but they are like the pearl that the oyster shell guards and which only occasionally sees the light.

Whom then, I repeat in thunderous tones, or should so thunder were I possessed of the necessary legal lightning, or on whom, do we call to solve the vexed question? The query is to provoke our risibilities. There is but one answer. The Legal Profession.

While we unlegalized ones have been fuming under the collar, waiting for one solitary ray of intelligence to trickle into our cellular gray matter, the legal collar of our Blackstonian friend has remained seated, calm in the knowledge that above it rises a dome of thought well versed in the art of penetrating labyrinths, finding a passage thru cul-de-sacs or of developing the sixth sense to the Nth power. The united gray matter of the assembled unlegalized ones at last receives an inspiration, a cry comes out of Macedonia, Binks! Binks!

Calm, cool and with perfect sang-froid, Binks rises, clears his organ reeds and begins.

"Mr. Chairman, friends and fellow citizens. You do me too much honor in calling on me when you have such oysters among you as Mr. Silent, Mr. Dum-Dum and Mr. Fizzle. However, to our nautons, as Spencer says in the *Fairie Queen*, (don't look it up.) As I understand the question, Mr. Chairman, and I believe I do understand it, the object of this meeting is to decide as to how we shall best do honor to Hon. Jones M. Binkle, recently returned from Africa, where he sought out the benighted, shirtless African and bestowed upon 9,999 of these the garment of our civilization. These shirts, gentlemen, were flannel that they might last the longer and therefore be a more lasting testimonial to the great people who were so moved by the bare suggestion of a bare skin that they sought this means of removing what might become a public menace from the world. Mr. Binkle is authority for the statement that many of the Africans insisted upon putting their legs thru the arms of the shirts, and this is but another irrefragable proof that

if the African needs anything, he needs shirts. Therefore, and under these circumstances and knowing the zeal of our women and that every one of them is a missionary of civilization, I move you, Mr. Chairman, that the ladies do the work providing the entertainment for our good friend Binkle, than whom no greater man has gone forth from our city."

These times and seasons are, however, as it were, the mere backwash of what the lawyer means to us. We have a will to make, a piece of property to make safe for posterity, a new business venture which has elements of danger for the untrained mind and a hundred and one problems which would drive us into the funny house, were it not for our good friend the lawyer man, who guides our feet into the right path, eases our minds of a burden of care, says it is alright and it is alright.

The lawyer man is just folks like ourselves, with a well balanced mind and a kindly heart which sees the good and the bad in us and charitably makes the best of us, and when the lawyer dies, he will win his greatest case as his own pleader when he arrives at the eternal court.

### KING NEWS

Hot dry weather, berry picking and killing chiggers are all the go now.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Logan spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Dan Logan.

Messrs. John Bryant and Bub Hall made their usual visit to Swan Lake on Sunday.

Mr. W. T. Prichard went to Harlan Sunday where he expects to work this fall.

Misses Lizzie Baker, Delora Prichard and Neva Elliott attended church at Poplar Creek Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Farmer, of Prichard Branch, visited the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Shoaf of Stony Fork, Saturday night and Sunday.

H. M. and Orange Prichard have taken a job of hauling tanbark for J. F. Perkins, of Poplar Creek.

Mrs. Ella Elliott, of Prichard Branch, is quite sick at this writing.

### MUSICK OF THE MOUNTAINS

The announcement of Ryland C. Musick, of Jackson, Breathitt County for the Democratic nomination for Attorney General was followed by the general endorsement of the newspapers and lawyers, over the state, being those who best know him. He has made a strong impression on the people and his nomination seems assured. His nomination will add much strength to the ticket. advt.

### FACTS FOR FARMERS WARTS HIT SPUDS

The moment the gardener in town or the farmer in the country finds potatoes with warts growing out of their eyes or potatoes which have become a sort, black, spongy mass, he should get in touch with Mr. R. C. Faulwetter, of the U. S. Department of Agriculture at the experiment station at Lexington where he will spend the summer. Mr. Faulwetter has been sent to Kentucky to be on the outlook for the potato wart a dangerous disease which came from Europe on seed potatoes. This disease has appeared in Pennsylvania so there is a chance of its making its appearance in Kentucky this year.

### KENTUCKY CROP CONDITIONS

Wheat estimated 14.9 bushels to the acre. Condition of corn shows 80 per cent, oats 88 per cent, estimated 24 bushels to the acre. Rye 14 bushels, barley estimated 24 bushels; hay yield 1 1/2 tons per acre. Condition of clover, 93 per cent, blue grass 95 per cent, orchard grass 93 per cent, cow peas 85 per cent, soy beans 85 per cent, alfalfa, considerably increased.

Garden conditions 87 per cent, potatoes 87 per cent.

Live stock is reported in good, healthy condition, 95 per cent of normal, while poultry shows at 93 per cent.

### NOTICE OF SALE

1, on Saturday July 26th, 1919, at the Court House door, in Barbourville, Kentucky, at about the hour of 1:00 o'clock p. m., will as Special Commissioner, expose to sale to the highest and best bidder on a credit of three months, one Maxwell automobile, under judgment of the Knox Quarterly Court in the action of H. T. Miller and etc. against W. F. P. Jones and etc. The amount to be raised is \$100.00, with interest there on from the 1st day of March 1919 together with \$20.00, probable cost and the cost of this sale.

This July 8th, 1919  
J. B. Campbell, Special Commissioner.

### COUNCIL OF NATIONAL DEFENSE

Louisville, Ky., June 27th, 1919.  
Mrs. R. W. Cole, Barbourville, Ky.  
My dear Mrs. Cole:

As you have doubtless been advised, the Woman's Committee, Council of National Defense, Kentucky Division, has concluded its work and passed out of existence.

Founded as a national organization for the war emergency, the W. C. C. N. D. enjoyed the distinction of having been the first and only body of women to engage in war work under Government supervision. That its labors, generally speaking, were accomplished with unusual ability and fidelity to the best interests of the nation, is something of which I feel quite sure we are all very proud.

I should indeed be remiss in my duty, as well as recreant to that spirit of friendship and good will which I feel for all of our County Unit Chairmen, and for the women who have worked with them so indefatigably, did I not take this last opportunity to express my appreciation of your efforts and my very great happiness in having worked with you.

So far as I am aware, I close my work as Secretary with the friendship and good will of each one of our County Chairmen. I am glad to be able to feel that this is true and I trust that the relations which have proved so pleasant and cordial may ever serve as a happy reminder of the days when we worked together to achieve a common end.

You and your women had the morale, the grit, the will to win and you inspired your men and boys with courage and hope; you imbued the other women with whom you came in contact with that same spirit. You were the sentiment makers of your community as well as the exponents of the true meaning of those two words—service and sacrifice—words which contain the real definition of patriotism.

We shall not, I hope, soon forget the important lessons of the war, chief among which is the still growing need of thrift and Americanization.

My best wishes and kindest regards go with you always. It has been a joy to have been associated with you in the splendid work of the Woman's Committee.

Sincerely yours,  
Isabel Lewis,  
Secretary, W. C. C. N. D., Kentucky Division.

### MRS. BURN'S LETTER

Here is a letter that is certain to prove of interest to people in this vicinity, as cases of this sort occur in almost every neighborhood, and people should know what to do in like circumstances:

Savannah, Mo., Oct. 12, 1916.  
"I used a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic and Diarrhoea Remedy about nine years ago and it cured me of flux (dysentery.) I had another attack of the same complaint some three or four years ago and a few doses of this remedy cured me. I have recommended Chamberlain's Colic and Diarrhoea Remedy to dozens of people since I first used it."

### WANTED

A good cook who will also help with canning. A reliable person will find a permanent place. Apply St. John's Collegiate Institute, Corbin, Ky. or The Mountain Advocate Office, Barbourville, Ky.

### When The Day Is Over



When the household cares and the worries of everyday life have dragged you down, made you unhappy, and there is nothing in life but

headache, backache and worry, turn to the right prescription, one gotten up by Dr. Pierce fifty years ago.

Everything growing out of the ground seems intended for some use in establishing natural conditions. Dr. Pierce, of Buffalo, N. Y., long since found out what is naturally best for women's diseases. He learned it all through treating thousands of cases. The result of his studies was a medicine called Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. This medicine is made of vegetable growths that nature surely intended for backache, headache, weakening, bearing-down pains, irregularities, pelvic inflammations, and for the many disorders common to women in all ages of life. Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription is made of lady's slipper root, black cohosh root, unicorn root, blue cohosh root and Oregon grape root. Dr. Pierce knew, when he first made this standard medicine, that whiskey and morphine are injurious, and so he has always kept them out of his remedies. Women who take this standard remedy know that in Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription they are getting a safe woman's tonic so good that druggists everywhere sell it, in liquid or tablet form.

### KNOX COUNTY BOYS RETURN FROM GERMANY

Chas. G. Black, son of Mrs. A. W. Hopper, and Chas. E. Terrell, son of Mr. and Mrs. Esom Terrell of Swan Lake, Ky., are back from Germany following nearly eleven months service in France and with the Army of Occupation in Germany.

They first went to Camp Taylor, Kentucky, from there to Camp Beau regard, La., and to Camp Mills, L. I., en-transit to La Havre, France. On September 7th the convoy was attacked, the day being one of the prettiest imaginable. The American sub chasers were present but the submarine, which was not seen, rose to the left and got the boat next to the one on which they were traveling. The torpedoed boat ran ashore on the Selly Islands to the south of England and none of the soldiers were lost though some of the stokers were killed by the force of the explosion.

Messrs. Black and Terrell were with the 39th Division which was used for replacements and which was attached to the 7th Corps. The boys were with the 89th and 90th Divisions and were in the Meuse-Argonne engagements with headquarters at Beaume-Voix. Not a man of the Company was lost in the three days engagement from November 8th to 11th tho the Division itself was badly shot up.

After the signing of the armistice they spent five months with the Army of Occupation at Minderlittgen some fifty kilometers from Coblenz. This is a great grape country and the people are very hard working. Having no horses the Germans milked the cows, attached them to the plows and used them in the place of horses.

They left Germany May 6th, sailed from Brest June 26th and arrived in Boston June 30th and were discharged at Camp Taylor July 9th.

### EARL STANFILL HOME

Earl Stanfill, who served with the Evacuation Ambulance Company No. 66 in France, came in Saturday, July 12th, being discharged from Camp Taylor July 11th.

Mr. Stanfill was first sent to the Motor Transport School at Indianapolis, being transferred to Allentown Penn. and from there to Camp Merritt, N. J. thence overseas. He landed at Liverpool, England, spending four days in that country, going to Winchester and Southampton from which point he embarked for La-Havre, France.

His first section was at La Rochelle Villa and from there he made convoys to Tours and Dijon. He was then attached to the Chief Surgeon's office at Tours being on detached duty, with the French army, evacuating army hospitals, or in other words carrying the wounded from the front line hospitals to the base hospitals, the load varying according to the severity of the fighting. Mr. Stanfill started home February 1st, got as far as Lemans and was there assigned to a Camp Hospital. This was in the center of the American embarkation area and it was part of his duty to take sick soldiers to the hospital. He again started home June 10th, sailed from St. Nazaire, France, June 22nd and landed at Newport News July 2nd and was discharged at Camp Taylor July 11th.

### THRIFT FOLLOWS BARBECUE

On occasion the organizers of War Savings Societies have their lots cast in most happy places, and the reports that find their way to headquarters are of real interest.

O. P. Spark, one of the Arkansas field workers, on a recent visit to Danville, Yell County, went thru one of these experiences, and his report to Moorhead Wright, State Director at Little Rock, was replete with a happy relation of the facts.

Stark was evidently unaware that the members of the Yell County Boy's Pig Club and the Girl's Canning Club were to have a field day on that particular time. The downtown streets were deserted, many of the stores were closed and inquiry revealed the reason.

Stark followed the throngs and was just in time to reach the place of assembly before the huge joints of juicy beef, lamb and fowls had been removed from spits placed above trenches dug deep in the ground, where a bed of glowing embers was even yet adding a coat of brown to the meats, and was freeing savory odors that conjured up visions of the feasts enjoyed by Robin Hood and his forest rovers in the heart of Sherwood Forest in Merrie England.

And when the feast was spread the viands were attacked with a gusto and ample justice was done.

Then the boys told about their venture in pigs, and the handiwork of the girls in the art of food preservation was dwelt on in words, and their wares sampled.

But this was not all. Thrift had a place on the program. J. C. Chambers told of the value of the Campaign of Thrift planned by the U. S. Treasury Department, and how, what the boys and girls had accomplished was the outgrowth of that campaign.

He explained the value of the War Savings Societies that were springing up all over the country, and told the boys and girls that all they had accomplished would count for nothing did they not practice real saving. He told of the advantages of Thrift Stamps and War Savings Stamps, which he said would pave the way for prosperity when those who are boys and girls now have reached manhood and womanhood. Chambers said there should be at least 95 such circles in Yell County.

### S. L. SHIELDS HOME

S. L. Shields, of Himyar, and wife were in town Saturday. Mr. Shields entered the army June 1911 and was stationed at Fort Banks, Winthrop, Mass., where he occupied the position of Company Baker, an exceedingly important post since an army travels on its stomach as well as on its feet. His department made 2,000 pounds of bread a day and the bread was good. Mr. and Mrs. Shields, nee Miss Florence Butterfield, were married June 18th, 1914, at Boston, Mass. Mrs. Shields is now enjoying her first experience of living in Old Kentucky, having arrived at Barbourville Thursday, July 10th. The young couple are staying with Mr. Leonard Woolum of Himyar, uncle of Mr. Shields.

### LAME SHOULDER

This ailment is usually caused by rheumatism of the muscles. All that is needed is absolute rest and a few applications of Chamberlain's Liniment. Try it.



### FOR STATE SENATOR

I am a candidate for the Republican nomination for state Senator in the 17th Senatorial district composed of the counties of Knox, Laurel and Bell, at the primary to be held in August of this year.

Respectfully yours,  
W. L. Moss.

### FOR REPRESENTATIVE

We Are Authorized to Announce Esq. Sam M. Bennett candidate for Representative of Knox County subject to the action of the Republican Primary August 2nd, 1919.

We are authorized to announce. The candidacy of W. H. Green for Representative of Knox County, subject to the action of the Republican primaries, August 2nd, 1919.

We Are Authorized to Announce J. H. Blackburn, candidate for Representative of Knox County, subject to the action of the Republican Primaries, August 2nd., 1919

We Are Authorized to Announce John H. Catron as a candidate for Representative of Knox County, subject to the action of the Republican Primary, August 2nd.

### CANDIDATES FOR ELECTION

The following is a list of the candidates to be voted for at the Primary Election to be held Aug. 2nd, 1919.

For the Democratic Nomination for Governor:  
John D. Carroll, Newcastle, Ky.  
P. J. Noel, Harrodsburg, Ky.  
James D. Black, Barbourville, Ky.

For the Democratic Nomination for Lieutenant Governor:  
R. C. Oldham, Winchester, Ky.  
W. H. Shanks, Stanford, Ky.

For the Democratic Nomination for Secretary of State:  
Frank P. Hagar, Paintsville, Ky.  
D. E. McQueary, Pine Knot, Ky.  
Mat S. Cohen, Lexington, Ky.

For the Democratic Nomination for Auditor of Public Accounts:  
John W. Rawlings, Danville, Ky.  
Andrew Clark Vance, Henderson, Ky.  
Henry M. Bosworth, Lexington, Ky.  
J. P. W. Brouse, Somerset, Ky.

For the Democratic Nomination for Attorney General:  
R. W. Lisabay, Princeton, Ky.  
Ryland C. Musick, Jackson, Ky.  
Allen Wilson Baker, McKee, Ky.  
Frank E. Daugherty, Bardstow, Ky.

For the Democratic Nomination for Clerk Court of Appeals:  
William B. O'Connell, Newport, Ky.  
Alvin Stegar, Owenton, Ky.  
John A. Goodman, Elkton, Ky.

For the Democratic Nomination for Superintendent Public Instruction:  
L. E. Foster, Hopkinsville, Ky.  
W. P. King, Newport, Ky.  
Rice S. Eubank, Lexington, Ky.

For the Democratic Nomination for Commissioner of Agriculture, Labor and Statistics:  
James E. Cecil, Boyle County, Ky.  
John W. Newman, Versailles, Ky.

For the Republican Nomination for Attorney General:  
George W. Jolly, Owensboro, Ky.  
Charles I. Dawson, Pineville, Ky.

For the Republican Nomination for State Senator:  
C. W. Haverly, Keavy, Ky.  
White L. Moss, Pineville, Ky.

For the Republican Nomination for Railroad Commissioner:  
E. C. Kash, Jackson, Ky.  
John B. Eversole, Hazard, Ky.  
Clay Cisco, Mt. Sterling, Ky.

For the Republican Nomination for Representative:  
S. M. Bennett, Lay, Ky.  
J. H. Blackburn, Barbourville, Ky.  
John H. Catron, Barbourville, Ky.

### THE JOY OF LIVING.

To enjoy life we must have good health. No one can reasonably hope to get much real pleasure out of life when his bowels are clogged a good share of the time and the poisons that should be expelled are absorbed into the system, producing headache and indigestion. A few doses of Chamberlain's Tablets will move the bowels, strengthen the digestion and give you a chance to realize the real joy of living. Try it.

## GREAT INVENTIONS ATLANTIC CABLE

PERSEVERANCE, PERSEVERANCE—  
work, endless work led to the great achievement—the Atlantic Cable; with

# Reif's SPECIAL

the case is the same. The invention, the discovery of how to produce what is thoroughly satisfying and non-alcoholic did not come easy. It took perseverance, endless work.

But now the reward of achievement comes in the knowledge that poor thirsty souls can have something that really hits that old thirst spot.

BY GOLLY, IT'S GOOD!