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HAPPENINGS IN ADJOINING COUNTIES AS TOLD BY EXCHANGES.

(Putnam County)

Hon. John J. Gore of Cookeville, has been chosen as chairman of the Republican state committee and will have active charge of the campaign for governor. In our opinion a better man could not have been selected.

The funeral of John E. Oliver, Jr., was held at the Presbyterian church last Sunday afternoon and interment made in the Cookeville cemetery. The funeral was delayed a week in order that his brother, Brownlow Oliver might be present. He is a student in the Naval Academy at Annapolis, and was at sea.

It is now Sheriff Morgan Stout he having been sworn into office on Sept. 1, and moved into the jail residence. Sheriff Stout has named five deputies as follows: Newton W. Nash, chief deputy; Arch C. Carrington, 18th district; A. M. Stone, Algood; Ferd Hicks, Monterey; Amon Bussell, Silver Point.

On Thursday, October 14th, a free agricultural fair will be held in Cookeville for the farmers of Putnam county. Arrangements are being made for a big exhibition of all kinds of farm products live stock, vegetables, canned fruits, needlework, etc. A splendid lot of premiums will be offered in all departments.

In a letter to John Quarles, Tom Lowe, who is in Akron, Ohio, states that there are 25 men working in his department, where 600 used to be employed.—Putnam County Herald.

(Clay County.)

Henry Littrell, Sidney Frazier and Luther Davis were tried and bound over to court at Moss last week on a charge of killing Willie Copass several weeks ago near Miles X Roads, Esquires J. C. Smith and Benton Reecer having held preliminary trial, bond for each being fixed at \$1,000.

At the trial Littrell claimed that he shot and killed Copass in self defense, while Frazier and Davis admit they were present with others, but that they had no part in the killing.—Celina Bugle.

(Macon County)

Mrs. Rad Pedigo, of Route 4 died last Saturday afternoon from the result of a rattle snake bite. Mrs. Pedigo had gone to the corn field to gather beans, and the grass being wet she had removed her shoes and stockings. Mrs. Pedigo stated that the snake bit her twice before she realized what had happened as the snake didn't give any warning with his rattles before striking. The lived only four hours after being bitten, the services of the doctor being of no avail.—Macon County Times.

Haywood Smith, an aged citizen of Red Boiling Springs, was run over and very painfully injured last Monday night by a car driven by Eugene Williams also of the Springs. Mr. Williams was returning from church and running his car without lights when he struck Mr. Smith. It was thought at first the injuries would prove fatal, but according to latest reports Mr. Smith is

recovering nicely.—Macon County Times.

Rev. J. L. Smotherman last Monday preached the funeral of a Mr. Smithson at Cassaway, Cannon County. Mr. Smithson was 95 years of age and was a soldier in the Mexican war, joining the Mexican army at the age of 18. Mr. Smithson was also a Confederate soldier in the Civil war. He was very highly esteemed in his community and an unusually large crowd was present to attend the funeral services.—Carthage Courier.

C. C. Wade and E. M. Haynie left Monday for Scottsville where they go as field managers for the Trousdale Oil & Gas Co. They were accompanied by M. H. McCormack. This company has a lease known as the "Green Lease" and four wells have been drilled, oil being "brought in" in all four wells. Well No. 1 has been shot and the managers will shoot well Nos. 2 and 4 and clean all three out this week. An engine and all necessary equipment has been purchased and these wells will be connected with a pipe line in a few days. Well No. 3 will be connected up in the next two weeks. With all four wells on a pump, it is thought the output will be from 75 to 100 barrel of oil per day, and may exceed that amount.—The Hartsville Vidette.

LEBANON, Tenn.—If a new scheme recently put in operation by enterprising bootleggers of this county continues in popularity, watermelons will soon double and treble in price.

It is reported that for the last few days much whiskey has been transported and handled here by means of plugging melons and inserting a small canvas bag or galvanized tank, and even bottles containing whiskey, in lieu of the harmless melon juice and its seed.

One citizen, who begs that his name be withheld, stated that he witnessed a near riot which occurred on one of the main thoroughfares in this place yesterday, when the "wrong melon" was sold through mistake to an unsuspecting buyer, and the owner, discovering that he had sold the melon which contained the "stuff" worth more than the whole wagon load of melons, attempted to regain possession of it by everything from bribery on down.

This same citizen further stated that he became interested and by casual observation saw this "wonderful melon" change hands no less than three times during the day.—Tennessean.

GAINESBORO R. 3.

We are having some rain at present.

There was a large crowd heard Bro. Leonard's sermon 1st Sunday.

Evert-Chaffin and Alton Fox took dinner with Jonas Ragland, Sunday.

George Flatt and wife visited Jonas Ragland last week.

Davis Fox took dinner with Omer Childress Sunday.

Those who live the most are not the ones who live the fastest.

A conscience needs exercise to keep it in a healthy condition.

Don't believe all you hear—especially when it is about yourself.

CORN CROP GREATEST IN HISTORY OF NATION.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 12.—The greatest corn crop in the country's history is in prospect for this year's harvest. Forecast of production based on September 1 conditions was placed at 3,131,000,000 bushels today by the Department of Agriculture. Such a yield would exceed by 6,000,000 bushels the previous largest crop on record, which was 1912. A crop of even larger proportions will be harvested if frosts hold off until late and permit maturity of much late corn now rated as of doubtful promise.

Tobacco also is a record crop this year and probably will exceed the best previous production by 114,000,000 pounds. Forecast of production places this year's crop at 1,553,000,000 pounds.

August growing conditions proved highly beneficial to most of the country's important crops, and as a result production forecasts generally were higher in today's Government report than the forecasts of a month ago. Corn improved in the extent of 128,000,000 bushels, oats 40,000,000 bushels, white potatoes 11,000,000 bushels, sweet potatoes 1,000,000 bushels, tobacco 10,000,000 pounds and apples 10,000,000 bushels. Spring wheat however, suffered a loss of 25,000,000 bushels because of drought and flax lost 2,500,000 bushels from the same cause.

Judicial Officials To Receive More Salary.

Judges, chancellors and justices of Tennessee courts are now receiving more pay than they have ever received before. The new salary bill applying to judges of Circuit and Criminal courts and chancellors, also to the justices of the Supreme Court and the Court of Civil Appeals became effective on September 1.

The new law gives Judges of the criminal and civil courts and chancellors a raise of \$400, their salaries being increased from \$3,600 to \$4,000. The judges of the Supreme Court and the Court of Civil Appeals received a \$500 raise, their salaries being increased from \$5,000 to \$5,500.

These salaries became effective September 1, 1920, and will continue in operation until September 1, 1922. After that date no change is made in the salaries of the Circuit and Criminal courts but the judges of the Supreme Court and Courts of Civil Appeals will each receive a salary of \$5,750.

Those affected by the new bill in the state are twenty-four Circuit Court judges, fifteen chancellors, six Criminal Court judges and five judges each on the Supreme Court and Court of Civil Appeals.

Save your eyes before it is too late. Sore eyes, granulated eyelids, wild hairs, watering, itching, smarting eyes, scums, or Pterygiums—can positively be cured with Dr. Garfinkle's eye remedy. The first bottle will fully convince you. It is sold in Gainesboro by Anderson & Haile, druggists, on a positive guarantee to give good results or your money cheerfully refunded. Price \$1 per bottle. It can be sent by mail anywhere prepaid. 11-13 20

Don't skim the cream off the milk of human kindness before peddling it out.

FORMER CITIZENS WRITE INTERESTING NEWS.

Oilfields, Cal.
Sept. 5, 1920.

Dear Editor:

Will you please give me space in your paper for a few words.

Everybody is well and most of them working that are from the old country.

Mr and Mrs M H Murphy visited at R Lawson's Sunday.

Robert Allen returned Friday from a vacation spent in and around Los Angeles.

Miss Myrtle Bockman, who has been visiting her uncle, who resides in Los Angeles, left for Cookeville a few days ago.

Luther Lynn how do things look in Texas, compared with G. W. Gentry's in Tick.

I wonder if Berry Bros. are married as I never hear anything from them.

Jake Chapman said if he ever gets home again it will take more than John Lee to start him from Roaring river.

Birdwell Lee says he would give all of Sec. 14, if he owned it, to get to drive old sorrel across the bridge that spans Roaring river going northeast.

The writer visited on the west side recently.

Will close by asking for a sluice of birthday cards for Joe Murphy. He will be 19, the 30th of Sept. Says he has worn out 2 pair a sox in 8 months. Girls here is your chance.

Two B. S. Boys.

Oilfields, Cal.
Sept. 6, 1920.

Dear Editor:

As I haven't wrote to the dear old Jackson county paper I will write a few lines.

It has been only a short time since I left Jackson county, but it seems like a long time to me.

Hello, Sugar creek folks. How is everybody on the creek?

This leaves us all well that stays in our camp.

Hello, all of my friends in Akron, Ohio. Hope they are enjoying life. You should come on to Cal., where you can have a good time.

Jordan West is getting \$127 a month. He goes to town once a month and spends 75 cents and says he is afraid he will never get enough money to buy a ticket home.

Pat Murphy is pumping one well. He says that is too much work for him he is going back to Tennessee.

Comer Whitaker how are you enjoying life?

Jordan West said he is going back to Tennessee this winter to fox hunt.

Joe Murphy said he would enjoy himself at a certain place on Sugar creek now.

Rhuben Bailey what is everybody doing in Big Bottom?

Elmer Barlow has arrived in Cal. Says he likes it fine.

The native son stands no chance talking to a girl when a hardhead is around.

Crawford Lynn how do you like Detroit, Mich.

Come on Sugar creek news we like to read it.

Authur Lee says he is going to marry, so it will seem more

like home to him when he comes in from work.

A Lonesome Boy.

Pettit, Okla.
Sept. 10, 1920.

Dear Sentinel and its many readers:

I will write again, as my letter escaped the waste basket.

Chills are almost over and everybody well again.

You Tennessee folks, why don't you write to me?

Bro. Redmon, your son, D, is of my house and is well satisfied.

John Flatt and D Jackson visited Whit Burgess today.

We are having lots of rain at present.

Garland Jackson, D said to write him.

The writer and family visited John Flatt yesterday.

Wilce Jackson and wife visited Dave Julian, Sunday.

Dayton Aytes and wife visited John Flatt Tuesday.

Bettie Porter is visiting A C Jackson.

Dillard West, D said for you to come out and see him jump a cotta row.

Lola Flatt you should be here to go to the pie supper with us tomorrow night.

Wesley Jackson was kicked by a mule yesterday, but not seriously hurt.

Gainesboro R-3 come on with the news. Also Cookeville R-4.

Willis Jackson has put up a doll rack and making money fast.

Julia Jackson.

BIG BOTTOM.

(Too late for last week)
Several attended church here Sunday.

Oliver McGlasson is slowly improving.

Luvona and Arlona Langford entertained a large crowd of young folks Saturday night.

Bobbie McGlasson of Brimstone, is visiting relatives here.

Ruby Mayton spent Friday night with Vio Head.

Clio and Nervie Hall, Minnie and Mamie Hix, Iva Rogers, Ruby Mayton spent Sunday at Bud Mayton's.

Bud Mayton and wife spent Saturday night at Verda Hall's.

Malinda Vaughn and children spent last week at Oliver McGlasson's.

Betnel Cherry, of Spivey, is visiting Hall Mayton and wife.

Guy Rogers and Omer Hawkins went to Sugar creek Sunday.

Frank Rogers and wife, of Brimstone, is visiting relatives here.

Clascie Crowder is visiting Verda and Zelma Spivey.

Hubert Bailey is no better.

Mrs Manda Bailey and two children, Comer and Mary, are visiting her son, Hubert Bailey. School is progressing nicely at this place.

Rhuben Bailey went to Stone Sunday.

Dow Langford has returned from Okla.

Benton Hall and wife and two sons, Russell and Carl, visited Tony Langford Saturday.

Mrs Minnie Spivey and daughter, Rozelle, visited Zeb Ray and family Tuesday.

Minerva Bailey is visiting Wilse Head and family.

Bess and Grace Hall have entered school at Gainesboro.

Cleo Moss of Akron, Ohio, come on with your letters, we like to read them.

TEACHERS' ASSOCIATION CONVENES, SATURDAY, OCTOBER, 2, 1920.

The monthly meeting of the Jackson County Teachers' Association will convene at Gainesboro, Saturday Oct. 2nd, at 10 a. m.

Devotional Exercises—Hiram Way.

The importance of grading the school—Misses Estelle Daniel, Lillian Lee and T. H. Norton.

The need of moral training in school—John Johnson, Misses Jennie McCue, Mary T. Byrne.

How to remove hindrances to the cause of Education.—General discussion led by J. F. Gaines, Miss Ina Carr.

Name some things a teacher can do to make school life more interesting and attractive to the pupils.—C. C. Davis, Misses Lola Hughes, Pearl Wisdom.

How manage dull, indifferent pupils—One of the faculty of the T. P. I.

Financial aid for the schools of Jackson county and how to secure it.—Prof. A. T. Jackson, Huby Hix.

Why should we educate.—W. C. Davis, Thurman Owen.

Each subject will be followed by general discussion.

Every teacher is requested and expected to attend this monthly association. Show your loyalty to the cause of education, and to those who employ you by your presence at this meeting. Come shake hands and be social with your fellow teachers, if you don't take part in the discussion.

All who are interested in the cause of education are invited to attend.

Most respectfully,
W. L. Dixon Co. Supt.

GLADDICO.

Dr J Mack Wheeler, of Bloomington, was here last week.

W L and Courtney Dixon spent a few days in Gainesboro last week.

J E Smith and family spent Saturday night with John Stockton and family.

Edward, the little son, of Mrs Mary Draper has the fever and is very low.

Children's Day at Smith's Memorial 3rd Sunday. Everybody come.

Genie Myers, who is attending school at Gainesboro, spent the week-end with homefolks

Rev J T Draper filled his regular appointment at Jones Chapel Sunday.

John McCawley has sold 4 cars on Salt Lick. John is some hustler,

Mrs Jim Fox, of Granville, spent a few days with her son, O G Fox.

Bill Sircy and wife of Russell Hill, spent Saturday with J B Thomas.

Dr Jones and Mr Russell were here Saturday.

Mrs F A Cornwell is spending a few days with her son, F O Cornwell.

O L Huffines and wife spent the week-end with M F Butler.

G C Huffines is still on the job selling groceries.

Mack Cornwell went to Granville Sunday.

Sey Henry begins a meeting at Wartrace Sunday.