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Fall River.

Bert Frazier has discontinued his school course, and gone into the mercantile business near Scott's Hill.

Mr and Mrs Gray Garner formerly of Lawrenceburg, have taken charge of the Garner farm in this community. We are glad to have the honor of these industrious young farmers, and trust they may be a happy, successful family.

Mr Rhodes and wife attended services at Cherry Hill Sunday.

Mr Gibbs and wife spent Tuesday night of last week with their daughter, Mrs M W Rhodes.

Mrs Maggie Tidwell gave a log-rolling Monday of last week, all report a nice time.

Edgar Tidwell was in your city from Friday until Monday.

Jake Scott and family spent Sunday at the home of Monroe Beckham.

S V Tidwell and Marvin Spence are in Alabama for a few days.

Little John Thomas Beckham was the welcome guest of Miss Vera Hazlewood Friday night.

Prof. Baxter and Edgar White, the chosen Sunday School delegates from this place were prevented from attending the Convention at Pulaski.

Prof Baxter attended singing at Shady Grove Sunday.

Jay Stackman and family were the guests of J R White and family recently.

Bad White and daughter, Miss Minnie, were guests of relatives on Egnew Sunday.

Messrs Beckham, Holt and Holder of Egnew were "doing business" in our vicinity recently.

School is progressing, although several have discontinued their work, that they may take a practical course in agriculture etc. The list includes Oscar Hillhouse, Prof Job Foust, Elmore Price, Prof Bert Frazier, Misses Lena Smith and Minnie White.

Prof G T Wilburn of Scott's Hill entered school last week.

The Hawthorne Literary Society rendered a very pleasing program Friday night. The masculine sex seemed very much interested in the debate. The question "Resolved that Lawrence Co. should issue bonds to the amount of \$400,000 to build roads." The affirmative was represented by Edgar and M L White, while J L Gibson and Joe represented the negative. The judges, Esq's Franks, Johnston and Green, gave their decision in favor of affirmative.

The next meeting of society will be on Friday night April 18. The program as follows.

- Song by Quartet
 - Current Events Hooks Comer
 - Solo May Frazier
 - Dialog May Frazier and Vera Hazlewood
 - Song by "Little Folks"
 - Recitation Mrs O Hillhouse
 - Duet G T Wilburn and Dock White
- Debate: Resolved that the proposed Stock Law would be beneficial to the people of Lawrence County.
- Affirmative Negative
 - J L Gibson M L White
 - Bluford Smith G T Wilburn
 - Esq Franks Edgar White
 - Dialog
 - Quartet
 - Dialog
 - Closing Song School

The remains of the infant of Mr and Mrs B Smith of Sugar Creek was interred in the Fall River Cemetery Wednesday.

Glad to report Grandpa Tidwell slowly improving after a continued illness.

Prof. Morgan at West Point

Prof. H. A. Morgan of Fayetteville, will preach the Commencement sermon of the West Point Training school on April 20th. Mr Morgan is widely known as educational leader, a gifted and fluent speaker. Prof Largent is to be congratulated on securing him on this grand occasion.

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Mrs W T Burch is convalescent from a recent illness.

Miss Audry Hampton of Edan is spending some time with Mrs. Walter Craig.

Mrs. Osborne has returned to Bear Creek Alabama.

Mr. and Mrs John Williams are entertaining a new boy.

Mrs Blanch Turpin and son Richard of New York have returned East after a delightful visit to her sister Mrs C C Stockard.

A little daughter was born last week to Mr. and Mrs Ed Bottoms.

Jack Harris is erecting a building to be used as a blacksmith shop.

Miss Beatrice Springer is teaching a splendid subscription school here.

There was a well attended singing at the residence of Mr and Mrs John Hathway Sunday.

Brown Simms and Willie Stockard were visiting here recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Martin entertained our young people with a supper recently which was greatly enjoyed.

Count Verouly

In another column will be seen the card of the Mt. Pleasant Draft Horse Co. In which they offer to the public the services of their four year old Percheron stallion, Verouly, reg. no 12083. Count Verouly is the very handsomest of his celebrated breed. In activity and endurance the percheron is the most superior draft horse in the world.

This section is indeed fortunate to have the services of this great animal. Our mares have been allowed to run down until it is hard to get sugar-mines from them. Most of our prize-winning mules are imported from states where they have been mothered by Percheron mares. This company is composed of some of the most prominent and wealthy farmers of Maury County. It is headed by such men as Horace Cecil, Ernest Kittrell, Jas. A. English, and others, whose names are a guarantee that the enterprise is what it should be in every respect. Our people will be glad to cross their mares with this famous Percheron blood. Read the card of the company Count Verouly is a splendid specimen of horse flesh and will add much to the upbuilding of our breed of mares.

The enterprising business men of Mt. Pleasant and vicinity have purchased from Bohart & Co. of Martinsville Indiana the handsome four year old Percheron stallion Count Verouly reg. no 12083. The county is very fortunate in getting this percheron blood to cross with our native mares. Our choice prize winning mares come from Percheron mares.

This handsome horse will make the present season at the barn of Horace Cecil one half mile North of Mt. Pleasant at \$15. by the insurance. All parties are assured of courteous treatment and fair dealing. All mares will be served the same day they are brought to the barn.

Good blue grass pasture furnished at \$2.00 per month. April 8-1913 MT PLEASANT DRAFT HORSE CO.

For Sale

Eggs, Rose Comb White Wyandottes and Single Comb White Leghorns, \$1.00 for sixteen. MARVIN SPENCE, (Apr 12-21) Lawrenceburg, Tenn.

Will Stackman and wife are blessed with a new babe.

Miss Rosa Gibson spent a few days recently with relatives at Concord.

Allie and Hicks Sutton of Lawrenceburg were shopping (?) in our vicinity recently.

"Elopement of Ellen" Something New and Catchy Opera House, April 18. - Admission 25 & 35c

Proceedings of The County Court

County Solons Hold Short but Busy Session--Tax Rate Advances 10c

The Quarterly term of the County Court was brief and busy. The court completed its labors in one day, devoted to business. The tax levy was made, appropriations passed and committees heard from. The session was a quiet one. About the only near-wrangle of the day came up over a publication for jail improvement bids, where in the finance committee turned down as excessive the bill of a local paper, and the judge asked that he be given time to see about it. At the afternoon session the claim was allowed.

The following claims were allowed by the court:

- Poll Tax 1913 \$1.00
- Forsythe claim \$10.00
- Jim Pullens claim
- Damage to cattle \$75.00
- J W Stewart J P \$2.00
- J B Pennington
- E F Brewer

Committee on Jim Pullen's claim on cattle damage

- J C McMasters \$1.00
- Jas B Rippy \$3.33

Jail Committee's report read and instructions to carry out their recommendations namely: that a new front porch be built and the jail painted.

H F Powell allowed \$10.00

M Richardson cable for foot bridge \$30.00

R M Belew and R H Hagan Com. to buy cable and clamps for foot bridge at Mose Belew's place not to exceed \$45.00.

Jobe Norwood 1 year Equalization Board unexpired term of Conway.

Crane and Hollis elected Equalization Board.

County Supt. report filed.

A A Hagan \$2.00

L D Chapman

C S Reeves

Valuing Smith's Damages.

Auditing Committee's Report Allowance

J F Webb making poll tax lists \$6.80

S T Busby service jail com. \$6.00

C C Schade cost insanity com. \$7.60

Lawrence Union pub. Bldg at Jail \$2.00.

Jno F North Com. Poor year 1912.

Lawrence Union printing stationary Circuit Court Clerk \$2.50.

Lawrence Democrat publishing root job \$2.50.

Jno W Springer Jail Com. \$9.00.

Frank Buerlin repairing Court House \$4.80.

Sherman Kelley Acct. Jail \$10.85.

N B Simms Clerk \$84.42

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Comer Dry Goods Co. \$24.75.

Kidd Dry Goods Co. shoes for prisoners \$2.50.

Lawrence Democrat extra call County Court \$5.00.

M Richardson & Co. Jail \$8.00.

" " " bridge at Garner's mill \$30.00.

M Richardson & Co. Court House \$1.75.

Foster & Parkes Print Co. \$23.55.

Lawrence Democrat bids on County jail addition \$1.50

J D Vaughan Print Co. Judge and Clerk \$12.00.

McQuiddy Printing Co. \$37.25.

W R Lewis 4 pencils per Com 20c.

W M Gallaher acct \$5.30.

McClanahan & Wall \$8.00.

B F Watkins wood \$30.00

J M Forsythe coffin for Brewer \$10.00

J W Stewart \$2.00.

A J Bwiner \$2.00

E F Brewer \$2.00

J C Masters Paup. coffin \$10.00

H F Powell \$10.00.

M Richardson \$30.00.

J B Rippy Supplies Court House \$3.50.

A A Hagan assessed Damage to Smith's cow \$2.00.

L D Chapman assessed damage to Smith's cow \$3.00.

O S Reeves assessed dam. to Smith's cow \$2.00.

Lawrence Union notices on bids to painting jail, painting Court House roof \$4.00.

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N B Simms Clerk cost Joel Johnson \$16.85.

Jas T Dunn Premiums on Fire Insurance Co. 78.00.

For Engineer Running Road Engine \$300.00.

Judge to let Co. road machinery on road in district that may want use.

Court Appropriation \$1200.00 for steel bridge at Chinubee ford.

Tornado & Ins Court House and Jail \$1800.00

Judges Report read and entered.

County levy 30c per \$100 carried by majority.

Special County levy 10c per \$100 carried by majority.

School levy 65c per \$100 carried.

High School levy 15c per \$100 carried.

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J F Martin and M H Hays, Constables to wait on April court.

The following committee report was received and filed in the public records:

To the Honorable County Court of Lawrence County:

We your committee appointed by you at your last meeting to investigate some rumors as to the mismanagement of your County Farm, and certain purchases for same.

Begin to make this our partial report, and beg further time to make further investigations.

We find in one instance where Mr. W. P. McClanahan, purchasing for the County Farm from Mr. Bob & Rufus Crowder, 2 cows, there was this kind of a deal made, Mr. McClanahan had a cow belonging to himself that he wanted to trade Mr. Crowder for a cow he had.

Mr. Crowder valued this cow at \$65.00, offering to take Mr. McClanahan's cow in on the trade at \$27.00, the cow being a very rough cow with one hip down and not considered by Mr. Crowder not a desirable cow to keep on the farm, but having had an offer from Mr. Neal Crowder of \$27.00 for her he offered to take her in on the deal at that price, Mr. McClanahan then makes Mr Crowder this kind of a proposition, saying that he wanted to buy some cows for the County Farm and if Mr Crowder would allow him \$50.00 he would pay him \$15.00 making the \$65.00 Mr. Crowder asked for his cow, and he would buy the cow back for \$50.00 from him for the County Farm, and take another cow from him at \$50.00 that is give him \$100.00 for the 2 cows, if he would take the cow from him at \$50.00. This making the price Mr. Crowder asked for his two cows, he accepted the offer and the deal was made, the County Farm getting the McClanahan cow at \$50.00 in the deal.

And when Mr. McClanahan comes to settle with Mr. Crowder for the 2 cows, for which by this deal the County Farm should have paid Mr. Crowder \$100.00 and Mr. McClanahan \$15.00 the boot that he was to pay in the swap before mentioned, but instead of this Mr. McClanahan pays Mr. Crowder \$115.00 from the County funds.

J. W. GARRETT } Committee.
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The following members were present: Stewart, Brewer, Beumer, Reeves, Oonway, Chapman, Franks, Konig, Hagan, Lumpkins, Lawrence, Orews (Jack), Gobbie, Orews (Bob), Schade, Garrett, Kraus, McDougal, Shaw, Morgan, Kidd, Orews (J. B.), Bottom, Lanckton, Richardson, Galloway, Bloom, Blue, Pennington, Keeton, Alexander, White, Price, Welch.

After the election the following resolutions, and orders were passed:

First: That we as a Camp unanimously endorsed, and adopt the resolutions passed by Frank Cheatham Bivouac in regard to our late lamented Comrade John Booker Kennedy, and ask that the same be adopted, and spread upon the Minutes, and that his widow, Mrs Alice M. Kennedy be supplied with copy.

Second: We also endorse, and ask the Governor to appoint W. L. McKay as successor to our late lamented Comrade Geo. F. Hager on the State Pension Board.

Third: Resolutions endorsing our Pension Board, and its work were passed.

Fourth: The following delegates were elected to attend the May Reunion at Chattanooga, Tenn., W. G. Tidwell, J. W. Harmon, C. C. Lawrence, A. J. Amouette, W. A. Pierce, W. J. Adams, J. H. Green, D. Chamberlain, W. T. Beckham, W. C. Spence, T. F. Acklin, W. C. Vandiver, Thos H. Meredith and Joe P. Kidd. All others who wish to attend will be recognized.

Fifth: That George H Nixon Camp No. 1494, meet the 1st Saturday in every month at the Clerk & Master's Office in Lawrenceburg, Tenn., at 1 o'clock p. m.

No other business coming before the Camp, after a short address, and prayer by Chaplain, C. C. Lawrence, the Camp stood adjourned until the 1st Saturday in May next.

W. C. VANDIVER, Secretary.

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Deaths.

STEPHEN ALEXANDER CARRELL:

At his home on South Military Street Hon. Stephen A. Carrell, lawyer, official, citizen, died on Saturday evening.

Mr. Carrell was of a distinguished pioneer Lawrence County family, his name being one that is closely related to the County's progress and history. He had held important positions of trust, and in all these, had proven himself worthy of trust and honor, and able in the discharge of duty. As a lawyer, he stood high among his colleagues for a conscientious and capable regard for justice and right. As a citizen his life has added to the general uplift; public spirited always, he has given freely of his time, his thought, his money, to every cause that would promote the interest and add to the advancement of his fellowman. A professed and loyal follower of the blessed Son of God, he died in that sweet peace of soul that passeth all understanding. His was an essentially busy life, and he was successful in gaining a competency both of material things and those greater nobler treasures that cannot be bought or measured with gold or worldly goods. His wife, who was a Miss Irwin, of Mount Pleasant survives, and she and the five children have the deep sympathy of all in the great loss they have sustained. Mr. Carrell was born September 29, 1851. Funeral services were conducted at the M. E. Church, South, at 3 p. m. by Rev J. E. Woodward, with interment in Almosa cemetery. The pall-bearers were: L. W. Garner, E. E. McNely, John Schade, Jr., R. B. Williams, F. M. Linbain, Clifford Reese.

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The Scott Survey High School Notes Suit Not Ended

Further Litigation in Prospect.

Losers Ask Supreme Court for New Hearing.

The citizens who lost their suit before the Supreme Court after winning before two lower courts, are not satisfied with the verdict, but have asked the court for a new hearing. It will be several months probably before this petition is passed upon, and of course all matters dependent on the suit will have to be held in abeyance until its final determination.

A deal of good natured boninage is going the rounds at the expense of complainants, as they were the loudest and most persistent advocates in pre-election times for "Progress without litigation." Then they were winners and wanted the suit stopped right there, now they are losers and are calling for more litigation.

It may be said of them however in all seriousness, that they are acting entirely within their rights, and it is perhaps better for all concerned that this suit be thus carried to the limit of legal remedy, so as to prevent other litigation. Let the fight be made on this suit and then whatever way it goes let us then have peace.

The \$15000.00 issue of school bonds recently authorized by the county court, have been sold at par, and the money will soon be available for school buildings. \$9000 of this sum is to be used for building a public school in Lawrenceburg, and the building will be pushed to completion on the campus bought some time ago in Rosemont.

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