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The Turkey will soon all be in Greece, if Greek captures continue.

Who the deuce is Prince Maximilian, what of him, and where did he come from anyway?

The sweetest word of tongue of pen, it's sounding o'er and o'er again more sweet each day to draft-agemen—"Exemption!"

It's the little things of life that count. It takes little drops to make up the mighty ocean, and little bonds to buy the mighty implements of war.

"The melancholy days are come, with their prophetic winds sighing of winter heaps of snow, red noses, bad colds, cold bills, doctor bills and all kindred ills and bills.

The man who six months ago bragged about what he would do if he were in the draft age, is having a lawyer fill out his questionnaire for fear he will let some claim that might get him exempted slip by.

The Library War Service of the Army has been compelled to purchase 600,000 books on mechanical and technical subjects to supply the soldier's insatiable demand for more and better reading matter.

Kentucky is losing her ancient trade-marks. Fast horses are becoming scarce as the demand for cavalry horses increases; good whiskey is a thing of the past, or soon will be; but the pretty women—bless'em!—still are here, and will be till the Judgement morn.

Newsprint has taken another jump, and the consequence will be more expense on the publishers of newspapers. This will increase The Herald's running expenses and it will be necessary for us to have all back subscriptions or cut the delinquent off of our list, after November 1. No paper is allowed to carry a subscriber more than three months in arrears. So if you want The Herald longer, pay up.

This is a time of meditation and of prayer. If ever our people should be in a reverent attitude when frivolities and shams should be cast aside, it is now. This is no day for frolic and fun, no time for the trivial things that used to be our soul's delight. Rather, we should take a more earnest view of things and pay the greatest heed to the mighty questions that lie before us, as we launch out into the future's uncharted sea.

When Napoleon stood beside the pyramids of Egypt he inspired his troops to battle with these words, "Soldiers of France, the centuries look down upon you!" Today the American people, whose freedom has been purchased with the blood of countless heroes, may truly say, the centuries are looking down upon them. Shall we forfeit the liberty they have bequeathed to us? Shall we make it null and void, and brand ourselves as a nation of money-grabbing profiteers? Let's send back a thunderous "No" in the over subscription of the Fourth Liberty Loan.

Many and noble are the deeds performed by the Red Cross Civilian Relief. Only recently there came under our notice a case that is a fitting example of the great hand of mercy this institution stretches forth. In Ohio County there is a mother and four children—five in the beginning but one has died since the father went to camp. The husband convalesces in a camp hospital after a painful operation. He was drafted several months ago and sent from a local board in Missouri, doubtless through some technical misunderstanding, leaving his wife and children without visible support. To this date the family has received no government compensation, in allotments or allowances. Had it

# AUCTION SALE!

## MONDAY, OCT. 14, 1918.

On Main street, Fordsville, Ky., beginning promptly at 1 p. m., I will offer for cash to highest bidder, 25 head of brood mares and geldings, all broke. Good lot of horses for general use.

### A POSITIVE SALE TO HIGHEST BIDDER

#### HARRIS & CRANA,

C. P. TURNER, Clerk.

C. A. PAYNE, Jr., Auctioneer.

not been for the Civilian Relief Committee, acting through its local chairman, Mr. E. G. Barrass, the family would have been in great want and suffering. But they have been supplied with food and raiment while the soldier-husband is away. Such cases as these make us a thousand times more thankful for the Civilian Relief.

A short time ago the seven hundred survivors of the famous British army that held the Germans in check for thirty days, during the beginning of the war while France called together her army, met in a great hall in London and listened to a ringing speech by the Premier. These men were christened the "Old Contemptibles," because the Kaiser sneeringly called them "England's contemptible little army." Some were blind, others minus limbs, and all crippled in some way, yet when the question was put to them about the issues of the war, they cried in unison, "Carry on!" What a lesson to us who are yet young in the struggle when these grizzled old veterans express such unshaken confidence.

Through the valley of Sharon, where grow the famous roses, around the crags that tower over Moab, the British army marches in victorious pursuit of the fleeing Turk. For the first time since the first crusades the Holy Land is again the scene of strife. Jerusalem, the Holy City, fell into Christian hands last year. Jericho, of Biblical fame, is a military base. Damascus, where Paul and Ananias had their famous meeting, has come into the hands of the English, and Nazareth, home of the Redeemer, has become again a city of the cross. These spots so sacred to the Christian heart, famed in lore and story, will never again come under the domination of the unspeakable Ottoman.

#### COUNTY COURT NEWS.

Ohio County Court convened Monday. Among the cases disposed of at this session was that of Commonwealth vs. Virgil Stewart, Mack Allen and wife, of the Horse Branch section, for banding together for the purpose of intimidating or injuring the person of Press Wilson. Case dismissed.

The famous Rowan County trouble is settled at last. The case of R. D. Douglas vs. B. J. Shields and others is compromised. Mr. R. B. Martin acted as peacemaker, got the parties to agree to a compromise, and thus settle the trouble of long standing.

Henry Wickliffe, colored, of Clanton, was arrested at Rockport for bootlegging and on failure to give bond was taken to Greenville for safe-keeping. His trial is set for Monday. Wickliffe had 19 quarts of whiskey in his possession.

Warrants were issued for Jap Render and Jesse Rankins, both of Rockport, for bringing whisky into local option territory.

#### WARRANTS ISSUED.

Three warrants were issued in the Ohio County Court Friday. One for Dimple Rucker, colored, for breach of the peace. Dimple is a resident of Hayti. Another warrant is for Dolan Wade, McHenry, for breach of the peace. The other is for Leslie White, who is charged with beating his board bill. It is said that Mr. White, who had been boarding at McHenry, left rather unceremoniously without paying his bill.

#### NEIGHBORHOOD NEWS.

##### CENTRAL GROVE.

I have read a good deal about the Patriotic Ladies of other neighborhoods, so I want to say that we have some very patriotic ladies in our neighborhood who have helped faithfully in the farm work this season, filling the places of our boys who have been called to the colors. Some have donned the overalls, while others preferred to do their work in their own attire. The names of some of these are: Misses Beatrice, Laura, Lockie, and Irene Ford and Mrs. M. L. Duvall, while this is Mrs. Duvall's first experience in farm work, she has helped her husband in his tobacco and had a patch of 1020 hills of hers individually already housed and curing up nicely. Even the little tot of 4 has her patch too. The frost don't seem to have done any serious damage in this section. The farmers are not all through housing tobacco, there seems to be a pretty good crop.

Mrs. J. H. Thomas is at the bedside of her mother-in-law, Mrs. Ben Thomas, of Beaver Dam, who is very low at this writing, with disease incident to old age.

Mrs. John S. Ford and Mrs. M. L. Duvall visited Mrs. Ben Thomas, at Beaver Dam, one day last week.

Mrs. J. B. Sandefur is visiting old friends in Beaver Dam.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Miller attended the entertainment at Central Grove last night.

Mrs. Emmerson Stevens, who has been in ill health for the past several months, is improving nicely.

Mr. Estill Stewart, wife and children, of Bicknell, Indiana who have been visiting Mr. Stewart's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Johnson Stewart, and other relatives the past two weeks, left this morning for their home.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Maples, of Bennett's visited Mrs. Maples' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Johnson Stewart, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Duvall visited Mr. Duvall's mother, Mrs. J. R. Miller, of Beaver Dam, Saturday night and Sunday.

Mr. Leslie Stewart, who had his foot severely crushed by a motor while working in a mines at Bicknell, Ind., has returned to his home. He is now able to go about on crutches.

Mrs. Taylor Rowe, of Centertown, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Joe P. Miller, this week.

We appreciate so much the letters from the boys in France and always enjoy the editor's jokes and funny sayings, and all the news of The Herald.

##### EQUALITY.

Mr. and Mrs. M. P. Maddox were guests of Mrs. Maddox's brother, dox's brother, Mr. Joe Calvert and Mr. Joe Calvert and family, if Central City, Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. J. R. Kirtley went to Hartford Saturday and was the guest of Mrs. J. C. Hill.

Mrs. O. W. Overhults, of Cedar-edge, Colo., is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Fulkerson, and other relatives here.

Mrs. Mollie Reid has returned from a visit to her sister, Mrs. S. J. Hawkins, of Hartford.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Mitchell, of Central City, spent Saturday night and Sunday with relatives near here.

Mr. John W. W. of this place, of the home.

Mrs. J. E. Lea, of Centray City,

was the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Hunter, Wednesday and Thursday.

Mr. Stewart, of McHenry, gave a lecture at Equality church Sunday in behalf of the Liberty Loan bond.

Miss Ruth Godsey, is quite ill of fevers at her home near here.

Miss Sallie Bradley who is quite ill of typhoid fever is reported some better.

Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Leach, of Central City, were guests of their sister, Mrs. Mattie Drake recently.

Rev. Oscar Ashby filled the regular appointment of Rev. Birch Shields at Smallhouse Baptist church last fourth Sunday.

Among those who attended the Owensboro fair last week were Mr. Worth Fulkerson and wife, Mrs. Ray Faught, Messrs. Chester Ross and son, Master Rayburn Ross, Sam Crumbecker and Mrs. Irene Bullock. Mrs. Mollie Reid spent Thursday night with Mrs. Ollie Hill in Hartford.

The farmers in this vicinity are quite busy cutting tobacco and making molasses.

##### FORDSVILLE.

Mrs. Fred Robey, of Louisville, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Truman.

Miss Louise Smith returned last week from Pierce City, Mo., where she has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Dr. Barnhill.

Mr. Roy Wright and Miss Edna Truman stole away from their many friends and went to Hartford and fell into the deep blue sea of matrimony last week. We wish them a long and prosperous life.

Miss Bettie Strother, of Albany, Ala., is visiting relatives near town. Miss Norine Barnett spent Saturday and Sunday with her parents at Hartford.

W. S. Gaines and family motored over to Rosine Sunday.

Rev. Sims, of Bowling Green, visited Mr. V. A. Matthews and wife last week.

Mrs. J. W. Hale spent last Sunday in Owensboro.

Mr. Huber Cooper and wife of Louisville, visited Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Cooper last Sunday.

Mrs. Flora DeWeese is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Tilford.

There will be a great school fair here October 19 and all the schools are invited.

##### HORSE BRANCH.

Mrs. Carl Ferguson spent Saturday in Beaver Dam.

Mr. C. N. McDaniel, of Cromwell, visited his daughter, Mrs. Roy Crawford last week.

Mrs. H. V. Morrison, who underwent an operation in Owensboro recently, is expected home soon.

Capt. and Mrs. Jennings have returned from a visit in Louisville.

Mrs. Sarah Axton and daughter, Miss Erma Belle, moved to Beaver Dam Saturday.

Mrs. M. B. Crowder is quite ill of stomach trouble.

Dr. J. S. Bean spent a few hours in Louisville Monday.

Mr. W. B. McDaniel, of Olaton, was here on business Sunday.

Mrs. Vernon Crowder, of Owensboro, visited here last week.

Mrs. William Ferguson and baby, of Sturgis, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Sanders, this week.

Mrs. W. O. Reid and children, Herbert and Charles, are visiting in Paducah.

Mrs. George Cumes spent several days last week in Owensboro.

Miss Alodah Heath who has been

very sick with typhoid fever is improving fast, and Miss Bertha Reeks is some better.

##### WRIGHT-TRUMAN.

Mr. Roy Wright and Miss Edna Truman, popular young people of Fordsville, were married at the courthouse, Thursday afternoon, Judge Cook officiating.

The groom is the son of A. D. Wright, a well-known farmer of near Fordsville, while the bride is the daughter of Mr. L. W. Truman. The Herald, together with their many friends, wish them a life of happiness with all the pleasures that can come their way.

##### CLEAR RUN.

Several from this place attended the singing convention at Mt. Hermon Sunday, and report a fine day.

Mr. Lonnie Wade, wife and children, visited friends at Taylorfield Sunday.

Mrs. Funk received a letter from her son, Elvis, last week, stating that he had reached Camp Mills, N. Y. and was expecting to leave there for France, any time.

Health is good in our community at present.

Mr. Orville Russell and wife, of Sunnydale, visited the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Gray, Saturday and Sunday.

##### HOPEWELL.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Warcheck, of Watertown, Illinois, are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alec Russell.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hunley and daughter, Miss Lillian, and Mr. and Mrs. Nevel Hunley, all of White A. Illinois, spent a week with Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Hunley and other relatives and friends here.

Mr. Latan Williams sold his small farm to Mr. Henry Hunley while he was here, consideration \$800.

Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Scott has too very sick children, with typhoid fever.

Miss Olga Hunley, of Virginia, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. N. G. Hunley, of this place.

Misses Beulah and Maude Miles and Mr. Ray Benton, and Ray Johnson, went to the Owensboro fair.

##### BENNETT'S.

Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Bennett, attended the birthday dinner Sunday at their son's, Mr. John Bennett's, of Simmons.

Mr. and Mrs. Estill Stewart and four children, Miss Nellie Dow, and Mr. Leslie Stewart, of Vincennes, Indiana, spent from Monday until Tuesday with their sister, Mrs. Frank Maples.

Mr. and Mrs. Thatch Pickrel and children, spent Sunday with relatives at Taylor Mines.

Mrs. John Duke Thornton, returned to Horton, after a visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lurrey Maples, of this place.

Mrs. Edna Tatum and children, attended the flag raising in honor of her brother, Mr. John Laws, at the Baptist church of Hartford Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Maples and children, visited the family reunion given by her mother and father, Mr. and Mrs. Johnson Stewart, at Central Grove Sunday.

Mrs. Tom Wallace visited her son, Mr. Frank Faught, of Owensboro from Sunday until Tuesday.

Rev. G. C. Cromer gave an interesting stereopticon lecture at the Methodist church last Wednesday night.

Miss Alodah Heath who has been

#### FIRST OHIO COUNTY VICTIM OF INFLUENZA.

Delmar Stewart, Prominent Merchant, Succumbs Saturday.

The dreaded Spanish influenza has claimed its first victim in Ohio County. Mr. Delmar Stewart, a prominent and prosperous young merchant of Cromwell was the first in Ohio County to yield to it. Mr. Stewart had been ill only about six days, but grew gradually worse from the first, and Friday all hope for him was abandoned. He died Saturday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Dr. Oscar Allen, the attending physician pronounced it Spanish influenza. Mrs. Stewart, their three children, the mother, and Mrs. Stewart's sister, all are affected with it.

Mr. Stewart was 29 years of age, 8 months and one day, when he died. He was born at Select and was reared in Ohio County. He was the son of John J. Stewart. His wife, who was Miss Corine Tilford, daughter of W. G. Tilford, his parents, sister, and three little children survive him. He was well-known and respected by everyone who knew him.

He was buried near Cromwell, only the immediate family being present. The funeral, which was to have been conducted by the Masons, was postponed.

#### LIBERTY LOAN RALLIES.

Meetings in interest of the Liberty Loan will be held in the following places conducted by the following speakers, who will acquaint the people with the issues involved in this war and the necessity of concerted action now. It is hoped people will turn out well in each respective locality to hear these speakers discuss the most potent subject before us today. The meetings are:

Wyox, Oct. 12, 2:30 p. m. Rev. A. D. Litchfield.

Rosine, Oct. 12, 7:00 p. m. J. M. Johnson and N. B. Davis.

Hopewell, (north of Horse Branch), Oct. 15, 7:00 p. m. J. M. Johnson and N. B. Davis.

#### REGULAR TERM OHIO COUNTY FISCAL COURT.

October Term, 1918.

"RESOLUTION AND ORDER"

On motion of Esquire W. S. Dean, it is ordered that in the event the Question of Voting a 20 cent road tax, for a period of Five(5) years, should carry in favor of said tax, this Court will change the system of working the public roads of Ohio County, and will discontinue the system of working the roads by hands, and the very best system will be substituted for the system now in force. Ayes and Nays being called resulted in all of the Justices present voting in the affirmative, whereupon the motion was declared carried and so ordered.

MACK COOK, J. O. C. C.

A True Copy Attest;

W. C. BLANKENSHIP,

Clerk Ohio County Fiscal Court.

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Mr. and Mrs. Edward Eisler and Mr. and Mrs. Granville Balze, all of Horse Branch, were in town last Wednesday and made us an appreciated call.

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