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### ANNOUNCEMENTS

#### For Commonwealth Attorney.

We are authorized to announce Emmet Puryear as a candidate for Commonwealth attorney, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

#### For County Judge.

We are authorized to announce Clayton A. Arnold as a candidate for County Judge of Garrard County subject to the action of the Democratic party.

We are authorized to announce James A. Beasley as a candidate for County Judge of Garrard County, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

#### For Sheriff.

We are authorized to announce C. A. Robinson as a candidate for Sheriff of Garrard County, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

We are authorized to announce Ashby Arnold as a candidate for sheriff of Garrard County, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

We are authorized to announce W. L. Lawson for sheriff of Garrard county, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

#### For Assessor.

We are authorized to announce Dave C. Sanders as a candidate for Assessor of Garrard county subject to the action of the Democratic party.

We are authorized to announce Mr. E. B. Ray as a candidate for the nomination of Assessor of Garrard County, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

We are authorized to announce J. B. Collier as a candidate for the nomination for assessor of Garrard county, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

#### For School Superintendent.

We are authorized to announce Miss Jennie Higgins as a candidate for School Superintendent for Garrard county, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

#### For Jailor.

We are authorized to announce Jack Adams as a candidate for Jailor of Garrard county, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

We are authorized to announce Dave Ross as a candidate for Jailor of Garrard county, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

#### For Magistrate.

We are authorized to announce John N. White as a candidate for Magistrate, in the first district of Garrard county, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

We are authorized to announce Walton E. Moss as a candidate for Magistrate in the first district of Garrard County, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

We are authorized to announce Ship-ton H. Estes as a candidate for Magistrate, in the first district of Garrard county, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

We are authorized to announce Charles C. Becker as a candidate for Magistrate in the second district of Garrard county, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

We are authorized to announce Taylor T. Burdett as a candidate for Magistrate in the second district of Garrard county, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

#### Mrs. Swaffield Dies.

Mrs. Robert H. Swaffield, wife of the well known and popular salesman who travels for the Globe Tailoring Co. of Cincinnati, and who frequently accompanied her husband on his semi-annual trips to this place, died in a Louisville hospital recently. Mrs. Swaffield has been seriously ill for a long while, and her death was not a surprise, though it is a source of grief to many friends here.

#### Mr. W. S. Ferguson Here.

The many friends of Mr. William S. Ferguson are delighted to once again have him with us. Mr. Ferguson came last Friday, it being the first time he has been able to be here in over a year. He has been ill and confined to a hospital in Covington during the greater part of that period, several operations having been performed upon him from time to time. However, Mr. Ferguson is greatly improved and he thinks well on the road to complete recovery.

#### Hog Cholera.

The raisers of hogs in this county surely seems to be playing in hard luck. Until within the last month hogs have not been commanding very good prices, and now that they are beginning to play up around the \$8.00 mark once more, a scourge of cholera is sweeping the county. Many of our farmers have sustained severe losses from this disease, and others are compelled to vaccinate as a matter of precaution, and this of itself is a matter of no small expense.

#### Crop Conditions.

Circumstances seem to have combined to deter the farmer from getting a start with his Spring work. Winter lingered in the lap of Spring, and once the cold weather broke up, it began to rain, and with the exception of a day now and then until this week, the farmers had had scant opportunity to do any plowing or other of his Spring work. Very few tobacco beds have been sown, no oats sown, very little plowing done and altogether farm work is backward, and with the coming of suitable weather, you are going to see the busiest lot of farmers ever seen in the county.

#### Tobacco Warehouse Closes.

The tobacco warehouse operated by Chas. A. Speith and Co. of Louisville closed the season last Thursday, and their local manager Mr. William Speith left on Saturday for his home in Louisville. This firm bought this year 875,000 pounds of tobacco, nearly 900 hogsheads, which they shipped to the Louisville breaks. Their purchase averaged 12 1/2 cents per pound, they being the first buyers in the county to pay that price for a crop this season. The Messrs. Speith are clever gentlemen, and we hope to have them with us another season.

#### Other Things We Need Worse.

The Lancaster correspondent to the Lexington Herald bemoans the fact that the Agricultural train in its jaunt through Kentucky omitted Lancaster from its itinerary. They did this, but they could not visit every town in the state, and it was because of our peculiar railroad situation that we were missed, situated as we are, had they come here, they would perhaps have had to miss some point more in need of their instructions than the farmers of Garrard. We are not in very sore need of instructions as to proper methods for farming just at present; we hold the championship in quality of the tobacco raised in the state, and we are just as well up in the acreage of that crop as most counties; we are furnishing seed corn to counties where the Agricultural train stopped to instruct them how to raise that corn; we are sending experts to neighboring states to instruct them as to the proper method of handling hemp, and above all we have soil second to none in the land in productivity, so we have but small use for instructors along agricultural lines. What we do need and need badly is someone to come here and establish home markets for the farm productions which we so well know how to raise.

#### Everywhere But Lancaster.

The promoters of the Loose Leaf Tobacco Market in Lancaster are not meeting with the encouragement which we would like to see them have, and unless the tide changes in the near future we very much fear the scheme will be a failure. This would prove very detrimental to Lancaster and Garrard county, and the people should not allow it to fall through, everyone, who is able should take stock to such amount as his means will permit and thus insure a home market for home productions.

A like scheme is being promoted in Nicholasville with splendid prospects for success, stock selling at \$50. per share with \$6,000 or \$7,000 already subscribed. They face the same problem as we, that of securing buyers, and surely if Jessamine can secure buyers, Garrard can.

Come in farmers and take a hand in the erection of a home market and when your next crop is ready for market, you will not be compelled to expose yourself and your teams to a drive of from ten to forty miles in all kinds of weather in order to market the results of your seasons labors.

#### Millinery Openings.

Saturday was "Opening day" with the millinery stores of the city, all the prettiest creations direct from Paris and all other places where any claim is made to the setting of fashion, were on exhibition, and the beauty of the displays was only outstripped by the beauty of the customers. The streets were crowded all day with the ladies of the town and county, and the stores were crowded to their utmost capacity. At Miss Rella Arnold's, Mrs. Ada Kin-naird's and R. S. Brown's extra sales-ladies were on duty to look after the eager visitors and to display the latest and loveliest thing in Easter offerings in the head gear line. The Joseph Mercantile Co. R. H. Batson and H. T. Logan were also giving openings and displaying ladies ready-to-wear suits and everything in the way of ladies wearing apparel so dear to the feminine mind. The Joseph Mercantile Co. were conducting things on a metropolitan scale, having an orchestra to dispense sweet music for the edification of their customers as they inspected their wares.

After viewing the splendid display of merchandise peculiar to the wants of the ladies, we truly wondered why it ever became necessary for a Lancaster lady to go away from home to secure anything she might desire for her personal adornment.

#### SATURDAY A BIG DAY.

#### Graded School Election and Republican Convention.

The citizens of the Graded School District have been busy since the trustees called the election to submit to vote the issuing of twenty-nine thousand dollars of five percent bonds to obtain funds necessary to provide adequate buildings for the Graded School district. So far as we can learn it is generally agreed that the district is badly in need of more room and better quarters and there seems to be a growing sentiment that a new building is necessary and that it will take the amount of money called for by the trustees to accomplish the end that is desired. We expect a very large vote to be cast and that the bonds will carry.

In addition to the large crowd brought to town by the school question, if the day be favorable, the republican convention called for one o'clock Saturday afternoon will be the most largely attended and 'most interesting held in this city for many years. The Taft people have been busy enlisting their friends in the re-election of the President, and they know how to accomplish their purpose, and their people will be on hand. The followers of Col. Roosevelt seem to have caught the spirit of their leader and are fighting every inch of the ground and are enthusiastic in their claims of success. The fight is a big one between the factions of our republican brethren and the contest seems to be close and we are not able to predict which side will score the victory.

#### Shanks.

Mr. Samuel Hamilton Shanks aged 76 years, one of Lincoln county's most substantial and highly respected citizens died at the home of his son-in-law, Mr. C. E. Tate on last Monday. Mr. Shanks was stricken while at one of the Stanford banks over a month ago and never recovered. He is survived by three children. Mrs. Thomas S. Rice, Mrs. C. E. Tate and Hon. W. H. Shanks.

#### Mrs. Farris Better.

The many friends of that revered old lady, "Aunt Liza" Farris will be glad to know that her condition is somewhat improved, and while the greater part of the body is bound tightly by paralysis, yet the mental faculties are in perfect condition, and she is able to recognize and talk to her friends. While there is but slight hope of her complete restoration to health, yet she may as an invalid be spared for some time, happy and cheerful despite the weight of years and the hand of affliction rest so heavily upon her.

#### Jas. F. Holdam Succeeds Col. Swope.

Because of the fact that a special term of the Lincoln Circuit Court was in session at the time of the death of Col. Josh Swope, it became necessary to appoint at once a clerk to succeed him, and Judge Chas. A. Hardin immediately appointed Mr. James F. Holdam of Crab Orchard to the position. The appointment holds good until the November election, when a clerk must be elected to fill the vacancy. Mr. Holdam at one time held the office and made a splendid clerk, and his appointment will meet with general satisfaction in Lincoln county.

#### A popular Appointment.

The recently passed Pension Bill granted a pension of \$10. per month to the old soldiers who wore the gray, necessitated the appointment of a Pension Commissioner to look after the granting of pensions and distributing the funds, and Gov. McCreary has appointed Capt. W. J. Stone of Kuttawa to the position. Aside from being himself a survivor of the "lost cause", and having lost a leg in the service, Capt. Stone is popular with all classes all over the state, and his appointment will meet with popular approval. Capt. Stone at one time represented the First district in Congress, was prominently mentioned to succeed Ollie James in the lower house at Washington, and was at one time a sharp contender for the democratic nomination for Governor of Kentucky. Capt. Stone will have an office in Frankfort and will draw \$1200. salary.

#### In Memoriam.

After an illness of a few months death came to Cora Celia Poor wife of Robert Halcomb, March 28, 1912; She was the daughter of the late S. W. Poor and was born near Buena Vista, July 23, 1889, had been a consistent member of the M. E. Church for six years. Funeral services were held in the M. E. Church Friday afternoon, the Rev. J. W. Simpson officiating, burial in the family lot of Mt. Olivet cemetery.

She is survived by a husband, son, mother, four brothers and a number of other relatives most of whom reside in Garrard county.  
She was an upright child of God,  
A sister and wife who was kind and true;  
A warmer and a truer friend  
In life I never knew.  
And when she died her patient soul  
Put on its wings of love  
To bid farewell to earthly things  
And seek a home above.  
Dearest "Cora Celia", how we miss you  
Since from earth you passed away  
And our hearts are aching sorely.  
As we think of you to-day.  
You are gone but not forgotten  
Never shall your memory fade  
Sweetest thoughts shall ever linger  
Around the grave where you are laid.  
A devoted friend, A. M. S.

#### Robert L. Taylor Picturesque Figure In National Politics Died In Washington Hospital Following An Operation.

Robert Love Taylor, "Fiddling Bob" United States Senator from Tennessee, died in a hospital in Washington on last Sunday, his death resulting from the shock incident to an operation for gall stones.  
Senator Taylor was a notable figure not only in his native state, but his eccentric mode of campaigning won him a reputation all over the country. Thrice governor of Tennessee, once defeating his brother for the office, he always carried with him a violin, on which he was an expert player, and delighted his audiences with music as well as oratory, this won for him the sobriquet of "Fiddling Bob". Senator Taylor was a democrat and has been in the senate since 1907. Some twenty years ago Mr. Taylor was one of the leading lecturers on the American circuit, winning fame with his famous lecture "The Fiddle and the bow". He was also widely known as the founder of the "Bob Taylor Magazine" in 1905, which publication is now known as the "Taylor-Trotwood magazine."

#### Swope.

Col. Joshua D. Swope, clerk of the Lincoln circuit court, and a native of Garrard county, died in Stanford last Thursday night the 28th ult., of a complication of pulmonary diseases and heart trouble. Col. Swope had long been a sufferer from asthma, and often had severe attacks of that disease, but his death was a severe shock and surprise to his host of friends in Lincoln and surrounding counties. He was a member of the Baptist church and after funeral services by Rev. J. B. Jones and Rev. D. M. Walker, his remains were placed at rest in the Stanford cemetery.

Col. Swope was 70 years of age and was born in the Bryantsville section, being a member of the well known Swope family of that locality, but moved to Lincoln in his younger days and remained there. He is survived by a sister Miss Jennie Swope of Stanford and two brothers Messrs B. K. and David Swope of this county. Col. Swope was one among the happiest disposed men we ever knew, he fairly radiated sunshine wherever he went, with a pleasant smile and a hearty handshake, he greeted and made friends with all with whom he came in contact, and innumerable friends all over this section who knew and loved him for his splendid traits of character, will join with his relatives in their grief at his loss.

#### Mississippi River On Rampage, All Of Its Larger Tributaries Rising And The Worst Flood In Years Being Experienced.

Towns bordering on the Mississippi river in western Kentucky are experiencing the highest water ever known and much suffering is resulting therefrom. At Hickman 1500 people driven from their homes are living in the highlands back of the town without protection from the elements and application has been made to Gov. McCreary for provisions and tents for their relief. Near Fulton three trainmen were drowned in a washout; there is great suffering at Fulton, Columbus, Cairo Ills., and many other places, and the property loss already sustained amounts to over a half million dollars. President Taft's application to Congress for an appropriation of \$500,000 for the purpose of strengthening the levees met with a ready response of \$350,000 at once and a promise of more if necessary. Congressman James has asked Congress for \$250,000 with which to purchase food and necessities for flood sufferers in Kentucky and other states and it will be no doubt quickly granted without a dissenting voice. Gov. McCreary has sent tents, as has the National Government, to shelter the homeless in the stricken district and everything possible is being done to reduce the suffering to the minimum.

#### Will Burton Much Improved.

W. B. Burton who has been confined to his room at the Kengarian hotel with a slight attack of pneumonia, has sufficiently recovered to be able to come down in the lobby, and within a few days, the weather permitting, will be able to be on the streets.

#### Convention Tomorrow.

The Republicans of Garrard county will on tomorrow express their choice at a Mass Convention as to what candidate shall be sacrificed at the coming November election. The followers of both President Taft and Col. Roosevelt are expressing confidence as to the success of their favorite in the county, and it is hard to predict who will be the winner.

#### Mrs. Estes Remains Arrive.

The remains of Mrs. Ollie W. Estes, whose death occurred in LaPryor Tex., an account of which appeared in last week's Record, arrived here on last Saturday, they were taken to the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Meadows at Hyattsville, and on Sunday after funeral services at the house by Rev. O. P. Bush, they were placed at rest in the Lancaster cemetery.

#### Baslin Lines Leave Danville.

Mr. Baslin, representing the Eastin Telephone Company, of Lancaster, was in Danville yesterday, directing the removal of the wires and equipment of the company from Boyle county. The company will withdraw entirely from this field. Mr. Baslin stated to an Advocate reporter that so little business was gotten out of this territory that it did not justify maintaining the equipment and continuing the service. —Advocate.

#### Fiscal Court.

The Garrard County Fiscal Court was in session on Tuesday of this week, and after allowing a few claims and attending to routine business, adjourned to meet again on next Friday the 12th inst. The court appointed Mr. Cleveland Bourne to be Supervisor of roads for the term of two years. Upon the resignation of Mr. W. G. Gooch several months since Mr. Bourne was appointed to fill out Mr. Gooch's unexpired term and until the regular meeting of the Fiscal court.

#### At The Hospital.

Miss Fannie Bishop is at the Lancaster Hospital, having been threatened with an attack of pneumonia, but her host of friends will be glad to know that it is not so serious as was first thought and she is now convalescent.

Mrs. William Onstott of the county is also at the Hospital, having undergone a serious operation this week, she too is improving and hope is entertained for her early recovery.

Miss Darnall has been attending Mrs. M. S. Thompson and her sister Mrs. John Anderson, both of whom have had pneumonia, they are sisters and when Mrs. Thompson became ill her sister went to wait on her and she too was stricken with the disease, both however, we are glad to report are much better, sufficiently improved to allow the nurse to return to her duties at the hospital. During the absence of Miss Darnall, Miss Louise Terry of Paint Lick attended the patients at the hospital.

#### Saved His Mother's Life.

"Four doctors had given me up," writes Mrs. Laura Gaines, of Avoca, La., "and my children and all my friends were looking for me to die, when my son insisted that I use Electric Bitters. I did so, and they have done me a world of good. I will always praise them." Electric Bitters is a priceless blessing to women troubled with fainting and dizzy spells, backache, headache, weakness, debility, constipation or kidney disorders. Use them and gain new health, strength and vigor. They're guaranteed to satisfy or money refunded. Only 50c at R. E. McRoberts & Son. 1-m