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NUMBER 1.

## Happenings of the World Tensely Told

### U.S. Teutonic War News

Major General Pershing and staff have arrived in Paris. The general received a tumultuous welcome. At the station he was welcomed by Marshal Joffre, Ambassador Sharp and Paul Painlevé, minister of war.

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The destruction of a German submarine by the American steamer Kroonland, as reported by the incendiary American报纸 in an American harbor, The Kroonland managed to ram and sink the boat shortly after two of the underwater boats had attacked her.

It was announced that a high commissioner to the United States will be appointed by the Italian government. His task will be similar to that of the French high commissioner to the Tunisian.

An American army medical unit, composed of 150 men and 15 women nurses, has arrived at a French town. It was unopposed at Paris. The unit is from Chicago. It was accorded a hearty welcome.

The American steamer Petrolite has run aground the bottom by a German submarine. The state department at Washington was advised of the sinking of the steamer. One hundred of which the president may issue his signature has been landed but two are missing.

Lord Northcliffe on an errand to America to recruit British army here as a commercial representative of the British government arrived in the United States on an American steamer.

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The Sheppard resolution proposing national-wide prohibition was ordered favorably reported by the senate judiciary committee at Washington by a vote of 11 to 3. The resolution would submit a nation-wide constitutional amendment to the various constitutions.

United States Forced Into War.

It is plain enough how we were forced into the war. The extraordinary insults and aggressions of the imperial German government left us no self-respecting choice but to take up arms in defense of our rights as a people and of our honor as a sovereign government. The military masters of Germany denied us the right to be neutral. They filled our unsuspecting communities with vicious spies and conspirators, and sought to corrupt the opinion of our people in their own behalf. When they found that they could not do that, their agents diligently spread sedition amongst us and sought to draw our own citizens from their allegiance, and some of those agents were men connected with the official embassy of the German government itself here in our own capital. They sought by violence to destroy our industries and arrest our commerce. They tried to induce Mexico to take up arms against us and to draw Japan into a hostile alliance with her and that, not by induction, but by direct suggestion from the foreign office in Berlin. They impudently denied us the use of the high seas and repeatedly executed their threat that they would send to their death any of our people who ventured to approach the coasts of Europe. And many of our own people were corrupted! Men began to look upon their own neighbors with suspicion and to wonder at their hot resentment and surprise whether there was any community in which hostile intrigue did not lurk. What great nation in such circumstances would not have taken up arms? Much as we had desired peace, it was denied us, and not of our own choice. This flag under which we serve would have been dishonored had we withheld our hand.

No Emity Toward German People.

This is only part of the story. We know now as clearly as we knew before we were ourselves engaged that we are not enemies of the German people and that they are not our enemies. They did not originate or desire this hideous war or wish that we should be drawn into it; and we are vaguely conscious that we are fighting their cause, as they will some day see it, as well as our own. They are themselves in the grip of the same shortsighted power that has now at last stretched its ugly claws out and drawn blood from us. The whole world is in the grip of that power, and is trying out the great battle which shall determine whether it is to be brought under its masters or left itself free.

The war gods began by the military masters of Germany, who proved to be the true masters of Austria-Hungary. These men have never regarded men as people, men, women, and children like blood and flame to themselves, for whom governments exist, and in whom governments live their life. They have regarded them merely as "barbarous" or "unfriendly," and they went by force or intrigue and corruption to their own power.

The cabinet at Petrograd has decided to suggest a conference with the allies to examine the various treaties among the several allied powers.

Federal authorities at Chicago are conducting wholesale raids for "shacks." They arrested more than one hundred in dance halls. Young men who could not show a registration card were ordered to leave their partners and come with the officers.

Two men are dead, 17 others are in hospital, mostly hurt and more than 20 others are missing as the result of a fire which destroyed an 11-story building used as a refinery by the American Sugar Refinery company on the Brooklyn waterfront. The fire was started by the explosion of a bomb.

Many American citizens arrived in the United States from Europe on the Norwegian steamship Bergensfjord. The vessel brought 228 passengers. No authorities were present on the voyage.

## SCORES THE KAISER

PRESIDENT SAYS MILITARY MASTERS DENIED U.S. RIGHT TO BE NEUTRAL.

### FILLED COUNTRY WITH SPIES

Failed in Attempt to Spread Sedition—German People in Grip of Same Sinister Power That Has Drawn Blood From Us.

Washington, June 16.—President Wilson in a flag day address delivered here on Thursday declared that we were forced into the worldwide war by the extraordinary insults and aggressions of the military masters of Germany, who left us no alternative save but to take up arms in defense of our rights as a free people and of our honor as a sovereign government. The president also said that we are about to carry our flag little where it will draw the fire of our enemies.

**Washington.**

The house war tax bill was decreased about \$100,000 more when the Senate Finance committee decided to reduce the manufacturer's tax on automobile tires, patent medicated, for fumigates and disinfectants from 5 to 2 percent.

The Senate of Washington agreed to the conference report on the \$8,340,000 army and navy war budget without a roll call or dissenting voice.

President Wilson, who now has under consideration the regulations for exemption from military service, expects to initiate the first drawing of names for the selective draft about Aug. 1, according to information obtained at the White House. Indications are that the registration will run over September and may approximate

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They are now as clear as the Revolution. There are questions which must be answered. We are Americans. We in our turn serve America, and can serve her with no private purpose. We must use her flag as she has always used it. We are accountable at the bar of history and must plead in utter frankness what purpose it is we seek to serve.

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They have regarded the battlefields, in particular, and the people of Europe as being overwhelmed by force, as their natural tools and instruments of domination. Their power has long been exercised.

The demands made by Germany upon Serbia were a mere continuation of a plan which compelled France and Asia, from Berlin to Paris, to hope that those demands would not reach Europe, but they meant to see whether they did or not, and thought themselves ready to use arms.

Vast Empire Sought.

Their plan was to throw the weight of German military power, concentrated across the vast continent, rope and beyond the Mediterranean to the heart of Asia, and to do so in such a way as to be successful, and then to the ponderous states of India, China, Thailand, and Japan, and finally to Korea.

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Rutherford—Earl Franklin was arrested by local officers May 20 to register for the army draft. He was lodged in the country jail to await action by the federal authorities.

Grayson—While attending a Junior Order meeting near Webbside, Miss Blevins, 21 years old, was shot in the abdomen by Charles Robbins. It was alleged Blevins was picked on a special train to an African hospital.

Brownsville—Gunner John W. Morris, 21, died at St. Anthony's hospital here of injuries suffered when a heavy limb fell on him. Morris' skull was fractured. The accident occurred in his yard at the Morris home when he was directing the work of trimming the tree by his son.

Winchester—A committee, composed of Dr. J. H. Browne and C. B. George, representing the Clark County Health and Welfare League, succeeded in raising less than an hour, a sum sufficient to purchase an automobile for use by Mrs. Martha Darnaby, community nurse.

Lexington—Educational interests of the church, particularly Kentucky Wesleyan College, were discussed at the annual conference of the Lexington district of the Methodist Episcopal Church.

Lexington—Since the recent rains, the outlook for a normal wheat crop in the county is encouraging. Many farmers predict that it will be above the average. The same is true of barley and rye.

Cynthiana—Four dollars per day is the price being paid by growers for land to set out tobacco crop in this county. Growers report that they are able to get only a few men at this price.

Ashland—About fifteen hundred delegates from Kentucky, West Virginia, Maryland and Tennessee were in the city last week attending the convention of United Commercial Travelers. Visiting women were given a reception at which the King's Daughters were hosts.

Elyton—In the presence of 2,000 persons gathered here from every section of the county the flag donated to the county by the Elyton Dramatic Club was raised on the courthouse cupola. The presentation speech was made by B. B. Petrie. The chief address of the evening was given by Prof. H. H. Cherry, of Bowling Green.

Louisville—Secretary of the United States Treasury William G. McAdoo marched at the head of 2,000 marchers through the downtown streets of this city last Monday, in behalf of the Liberty Loan campaign. Mr. McAdoo and W. L. Hardin, governor of the Federal Reserve Board, who accompanied him, addressed a mass meeting.

Paris—Frank Henry Parker, who was arrested here on a charge of vagrancy and breach of the peace, was turned down by the recruiting officer and was then fined \$5 and costs.

Paducah—The Ohio Valley Fire & Marine Insurance Company has filed amended articles of incorporation in the county clerk's office, reducing the capital stock from \$250,00

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**ADVERTISING RATES.**  
Display advertisements, single issue,  
per display, \$1.00 per inch.  
Quarter contracts on display advertising,  
\$1.12 per inch.  
Local notices, 5c per line, per issue.  
Postcard and card of thanks, 5c  
Microphotographs, 5c per inch, per issue.  
Microtypewritten, yearly contracts, 5c  
per inch, per issue.

**ANNOUNCEMENTS.**  
We are authorized to make the following announcements, subject to the action of the Republican Party at the Primary Election August 4, 1917:

For County Judge  
A. L. HAYNES  
G. T. PHELPS  
W. S. HOLMES  
W. C. EMBRY

For County Clerk  
G. W. SMITH  
W. O. MOATS  
HUDSON BROWN

For County Attorney

W. M. BLAIN  
G. V. WILLIS

For Jailer

J. C. (Brock) KINGLAND  
E. C. PHELPS  
N. T. SMITH  
M. F. HAMPTON  
W. J. TUCK  
J. "WHOPPER" DAY  
C. V. BELHES

For Assessor  
J. A. LEE  
F. C. ADKINS  
O. H. NEEL  
T. J. PENNER  
A. T. EMBRY

For County Superintendent  
Geo. P. SCOTT  
C. E. GARY

For Sheriff  
HERMON JACKSON  
J. H. INGRAM  
VECHILO M. COOTS  
A. A. CARDWELL  
A. J. BRADLEY

For Coroner  
DAVID M. LOWE

For Representative  
T. J. PATTERSON  
W. M. T. DAVIS  
A. A. DEMUNBRUN

For Town Marshal  
C. H. GALLOWAY  
G. W. TAYLOR  
JOHN A. LOGAN NEEL

For Police Judge  
G. B. PHELPS

For Justice of the Peace  
1st Dist. OTIS WHITE  
2nd Dist. G. C. BENSON  
3rd Dist. R. T. JONES  
4th Dist. R. F. FLEMING  
5th Dist. KELLEY TURNER  
6th Dist. J. B. KESSINGER

On Democratic Ticket  
Dist. J. M. LINSEY

We are authorized to announce  
Mr. Henry H. Denhardt, of Warren  
County, a candidate for Congress  
from the 3rd Congressional dis-  
trict, subject to the action of the  
Democratic primary to be held in  
August, 1917.

The road to success through  
good, persistent advertising  
is open to the small-town busi-  
ness as well as the great city  
Department Store. Try it in  
your quantity paper.

#### Automobile Contest.

You that are in the race to win a prize, ask your friends to trade with merchants who give away tickets in the Contest and save them for you. 27,500 extra votes will be given for every \$20.00 worth of subscriptions to the Republican sent in by June 30. You can win a prize if you will try. 159 prizes in all, to win.

Don't wait to send all of the \$20 worth of subscriptions in at one time but send them in as you get them.

#### Flag Raising, Basket Dinner and Patriotic Speaking.

There will be a flag raising at Huntsville July 4th. Every one is requested to bring a basket filled with something good to eat especially the candidates.

We are expecting a monster crowd and a general good time. HON. EDWIN P. MORROW will make the principal address at 1 o'clock, p. m.

Col. W. A. Helm and Capt. N. T. Howard will also deliver addresses.

There will be music and plenty of good things to eat. Everybody is invited to come and spend the day at Huntsville.

Committee.



# 87,500 - EXTRA VOTES - 87,500

## IN THE

### Farmers Home Journal, Merchants' and County Publishers' Contest

Will be given for each \$20 worth of Subscriptions to THE GREEN RIVER REPUBLICAN sent in by or for a Contestant by midnight

SATURDAY, JUNE 30, 1917.

#### Largest Vote Offer

This is positively the largest vote offer of the Contest, and it will not be extended or repeated.

All kinds of subscriptions, count as new ones, renewals and back payments. Votes will be allowed on all subscription payments of \$1.00 or more.

There is no limit to the number of extra votes a contestant may secure. A bonus vote certificate will be given for each \$20.00 worth of subscriptions to the Green River Republican sent in by or for a Contestant by June 30th.

Subscriptions may be mailed at any hour June 30th, from any post office, and they will be counted in the big extra vote offer.

#### Merchandise Tickets

17,500 extra votes will be given for each \$100.00 worth of merchandise tickets sent in by or for a contestant by June 30th. (Merchandise tickets are given by merchants with purchases made at their stores, and by publishers on subscriptions to their papers)

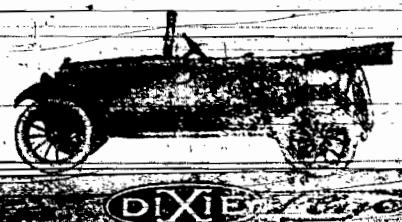
Get your friends to buy at the stores that give votes, and ask them to save the votes for you. A list of merchants and business concerns who give votes will be found in this paper.

Contestants who send merchandise tickets are requested to enclose a memorandum of the number of votes contained in each package, as a double check on the count of the votes.

If your merchant doesn't give votes, ask him to apply at the Green River Republican office for them.

## 5 Dixie Flyer Automobiles

Value \$845.00 Each.



The 5 contestants who secure the 1st, 2nd, 3rd, 4th and 5th highest numbers of votes will each receive a DIXIE FLYER AUTOMOBILE.

Here comes the flag.  
Hail it!

Who dares to drag  
Or trail it?

Give it hurrahs—

Three for the stars,

Three for the bars,

Uncover your head to it,

The soldiers who tread to it

Shout at the right of it,

The justice and right of it,

The unsullied white of it,

The blue and the red of it,

And tyranny's dread of it!

Here comes the flag!

Cheer it!

Valley and crag,

Shall hear it,

Fathers shall bless it,

Children care it,

All shall maintain it,

No one shall stain it,

Cheers for the sailors that fought

on the wave for it,

Cheers for the soldiers that were

always brave for it,

Tears for the men that went

down to the grave for it.

Here comes the flag!

— Exchange.

WAR DEPARTMENT,

Washington.

Statement by the Secretary

of War.

The Cavalry, engineers, coast

artillery, signal corps and quar-

termasters corps of the regular

army have already been brought

to war strength.

45,000 recruits are needed at

once to complete the new regi-

ments of Infantry and field artil-

lery.

25,000 additional recruits are

desired at the earliest practicable

date to fill vacancies in order

that the war strength of 300,000

men may be maintained.

Facilities are in readiness for

placing these 70,000 men under

proper training.

Any delay in obtaining this

number will necessarily cause

the loss of invaluable time.

It is the earnest desire of the

War Department that 70,000

single men between the ages of

18 and 40, who have no depend-

ents and who are not engaged in

professions, businesses, or trades

vital to the prosecution of the

war, be enlisted in the

regular army before the 30th

of June, 1917.

NEWTON D. BAKER,

Secretary of War

JUNE 11, 1917.

We notice in the Hartford

Herald that Mr. J. E. Phillips is

a candidate for Representative

from Ohio county.

Mr. Phillips was for many years a resident of

this county and has many

friends both Democrats and Re-

publicans, who would be proud

to see him nominated and elected

#### DON'T BE MISLED

Morgantown Citizen Should Read and Heed This Advice.

Kidney trouble is dangerous and often fatal.

Don't experiment with something new and untried.

Use a tested kidney remedy.

Bedish with Doan's Kidney Pills.

Used in kidney troubles 50 years

recommended here and every-

where.

The following statement forms

convincing proof of their merit.

Mrs. James Moore, 612 Jessup Ave.

Hopkinsville, Ky., says: "My kid-

neys were weak and I was greatly

bothered on this account. I felt dull-

most of the time and had occasion-

al dizzy spells. I finally used Doan's

Kidney Pills as directed and they re-

lieved all the above symptoms of

kidney and bladder trouble. I sure-

ly can recommend Doan's Kidney

Pills."

Price 50c, at all dealers. Don't

simply ask for a kidney remedy—get

Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that

Mrs. Moore had. Foster-Milburn

Co., Proprietary, Buffalo, N. Y.

THE TIME HAS COME

"When reason primes the rifle,

When honor draws the sword,

And Justice breathes a blessing

On the cause that we uphold."

## CARDU

### The Woman's Tonic

in sets over 40 years.

Thousands of voluntary

letters from women tell

of the good Cardu

has done them. This is

the best proof of the value

of Cardu. It proves that

Cardu is a good medicine

for women.

There are no harmful or</

Children Cry for Fletcher's

# CASTORIA

The Kind You Have Always Bought, and which has been in use for over over 30 years, has borne the signature of and has been made under his personal supervision since his infancy. Allow me to advise you in this. *What Is CASTORIA?*

Castoria is a harmless substitute for Castor Oil, Petroleum, Oils and Soothing Syrups. It is pleasant. It soothes, relieves pain, insinuates nor other noxious substances. It is safe in constant use for the relief of Constipation, Flatulence, Wind Colic and Diarrhoea; allaying Pains, cramps, cramps, and by regulating the Stomach and Bowels, aids the assimilation of Food, giving healthy and robust sleep. The Children's Panacea - The Mother's Friend.

## Genuine CASTORIA ALWAYS

Bears the Signature of

In Use For Over 30 Years

The Kind You Have Always Bought

THE SWIFT COMPANY, NEW YORK CITY

## Telephone Courtesy

The people who get the greatest amount of good out of their telephone are those who talk over it as though face to face.

Courtesy smooths out difficulties and promotes the promptest possible connection.

The operators of the BELL System are trained to be patient and polite under all circumstances, but they will do better work if they meet with patience and politeness on the part of the telephone user.

The fact that you cannot see the operator or the other party should not cause you to overlook this. The best results come through the practice of mutual courtesy.

*The voice with the smile wins*

## CUMBERLAND TELEPHONE AND TELEGRAPH COMPANY Incorporated



W. W. THOMAS, Manager.

THE

## New Morehead Hotel EUROPEAN PLAN FREE SAMPLE ROOMS'

Cafe Connected

Bowling Green, Ky.

**ST. BOWLING GREEN**  
CPT. MURGEON Master  
J. V. SPROULE Clerk  
Please Morgantown up Tuesday and Friday at 10 a.m., Down Wednesday and Saturday at 2 p.m.

Colored People Delighted With New Discovery

To Bleach The Skin

Atlanta, Ga. — Says that recent tests have proven without doubt that sooty or yellow complexion can be made light by a new treatment recently discovered by a man in Atlanta. Just ask your druggist for Cocotone Skin Whitener. People who have used it are amazed at its wonderful effect. Rid your face of that awful dark-color or greasy appearance in a few minutes. It contains: "Just think how much pleasure you would have with that old discolored skin. It is now a thing of the past." Men and women today must care for their complexion to enter society.

If your druggist will not supply you with Cocotone Skin Whitener, send for a large package to Cocotone Co., Atlanta, Ga.

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Patents are issued quickly.  
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Manufacturers of Patents  
71 Franklin St., Worcester, Mass.

## PERSONAL MENTION

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Brown, who have been sick, are improving.

Mrs. G. E. Embrey and children are the guests of her parents in Brooklyn, Ky., this week.

Miss Kate Phillips, of Beaver Dam, Ky., is the guest of her father, J. K. Phillips, at the Hotel Richmond.

Mr. J. C. Fleener and family spent last week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Fleener, near Crumwell, Ky.

Misses Dixie Belle Helm and Bell Walker left Monday night for Bowling Green to enter for mid-summer training in the State Normal.

Misses Kate Phillips and Dixie Belle Helm were the house guests of Miss Helm's sister, Mrs. John W. Moore, at her country home last week-end.

Mr. Clyde Wand, of St. Louis Auditor for the T. J. Moss Tie Co., was the guest of his mother, Mrs. Sallie Wand, first of week.

Misses Hazel Tanner and Kate Phillips and Mrs. Will Kuykendall are the guests of Capt. and Mrs. W. S. Overstreet, Woodbury, this week.

Capt. N. T. Howard and daughter, Miss Ruby, are in Nashville, the guests of his daughter, Mrs. H. W. Jones, and Mr. Jones.

Mrs. Mary Neel returned home Tuesday from Bowling Green, where she has been for four weeks working in the strawberry packing department.

Mrs. Oscar Baucum and daughter, Lois and Nora, of Bowling Green, are guests of her sister, Mrs. C. Holman.

Mr. R. B. Morehead, of Nashville, arrived here Tuesday to go over the plans and specifications with the Baptist Church Building Committee and make a master for material. He will return to this place about the first of August to superintend the building, when active work will begin.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Sharer, of Weston High School, Weston, W. Va., are spending vacation visiting old home scenes and relatives in our county. Prof. Sharer called in our office Monday. He and his wife are both Butler county people and have been remarkably successful in school work since they left our county some seven years ago.

## NOTICE

### Red Cross Meeting.

The citizens of this town and community are urgently requested to attend the meeting at the Court-house at 7 o'clock Thursday evening, June 26th, for the purpose of organizing a Red Cross Society to help our boys that are now in the army and that will soon be in the trenches in France.

These Red Cross Societies are being organized all over the Nation. So let us all join in and help the boys and Uncle Sam.

### Committee.

Supt. Haynes informs us that Mr. A. B. Crawford has been selected principal of the Butler County High School and Miss Bell Walker assistant for the ensuing year. Mr. Crawford is a graduate of the State University and has had several years experience as teacher. He fulfills all the requirements of law to keep the school on the accredited list. The school has been for several years an accredited school of the first class. The aim of the board of education has been and is now to keep the school a first class school by retaining teachers that have requisite qualifications for accredited schools.

Has a Good Opinion of Chamberlain's Tablets.

"Chamberlain's Tablets are a wonder. I never sold anything that beat them," writes F. B. Treassey, Richmond, Ky. When troubled with indigestion or constipation give them a large package to Cocotone Co., Atlanta, Ga.

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## LOCAL NEWS

At 11 a.m. yesterday Mr. Ben F. Smith was riding more easily.

Mr. Shep Taylor returned from Evansville last Friday where he had been to purchase his household and kitchen furniture to replace that lost in the cyclone.

Mr. B. P. Newton returned from Evansville last week where he had sold a bunch of hogs for the next sum of \$2,500. The farmer should not kick about the cost of living high.

Part of the road machinery has arrived and work will begin at once on the road from Morgantown to Little Muddy. They cannot commence too soon to suit us.

F. T. Belcher has installed in his barber shop a hand new bath tub with hot and cold water off the year round. Call and see him for bath, shave, shave or shampoo, ever Belcher's store.

Sheriff J. W. Howard, Morgantown Deposit Bank, G. W. Leach, Dr. G. E. Embrey, G. B. Phelps and W. D. Meats have shown their patriotism by having us print their stationery with "Old Glory" standing boldly out on guard.

Miss Ruby Howard will have a pie sale at the home of W. A. Kelley Saturday afternoon, June 28, 1917. Proceeds for the Morgantown Baptist church building fund. Contributions will be

thankfully received by the committee.

The Butler & Ohio County Gas and Oil Co. have about 10,000 acres of land leased near Gilstrap. This is the best field for testing we know of as the indications are that oil can be reached nearer the surface than any now being investigated in this country. It is likely that a well will be sunk at once.

"500" -

Miss C. C. McDaniel was entertained last Thursday evening at her home with "500." A delightful tea-cosy was served.

Those present were: Misses Hazel Tanner, Golda Leach, Christabel Main, Augusta Walker, Doris and Ruby Howard.

Messrs: Rollie Keown, Hugh Cherry, Jim Guffy, and Earl Norris, and Mr. and Mrs. Will Kuykendall.

At the Church.

Rev. Schanzenbacher at the Union Church brought a comprehensive message on war time and prohibition topics, reading a paper sent from Washington, D. C. He also brought a convincing message at night.

Mr. Thomas Wilson led the Men's meeting at 3 o'clock and the C. E. Society was in charge of Miss Helen Murray. Papers were read and topics discussed; the Misses Walker, Mae Helm, Eula Haynes participating. And we noticed our ever-ready Bro. Kittinger among the number, and others.

C. R. Davidson filled out-of-town appointments in the river forks, and back at Woodbury. The good people of Woodbury share their shakles with their preachers in a nice liberal way. Honor to whom honor is due.

Rev. C. Lykins preached Sabbath morning and the night before—a regular stand by.

Mrs. Cynthia Stewart is bearing the pains of extreme bodily affliction with heroic Christian fortitude, eager to be absent from the body and present with the Lord. Her children are with and near her in her sufferings.

The Cub Reporter.

Dr. H. F. Raymer, M. V. D., will be at Morgantown on Monday, July 2, 1917, prepared to do all kinds of Veterinary work.

Whooping Cough.

In this disease it is important that the cough be kept loose and expectoration easy, which can be done by giving Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. Mrs. P. H. Martin, Peru, Ind., writes, "My two daughters had whooping cough. I gave them Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and it worked like a charm."

## IS THERE A FUTURE

GRANT OR LEE?  
IN THIS COUNTY?

Reputation Scholarship Offers Some Assistance By Opportunity for Military Education and Self Development.

Is there really a future Grant or Lee in this country? The Republican would like to know and in order to help this young man "find himself" has made special arrangements for a scholarship with one of the leading military schools in the country.

To be eligible you must have had education up to and including the eighth grade, though if you have one or two years of High School training you will stand a better chance.

Honor students from this institution are admitted to West Point without examination and are recommended for Second Lieutenant in the army. The two weeks' military camp in the spring is another feature of valuable interest.

The regular school course which everyone must take includes regular High School work and training either for business or for College. Graduates are admitted without examination to leading universities in the United States.

If you want a good education under Government Military Training comes in and apply for the Republians scholarship. It is a wonderful opportunity for some boy in this country.

Wanted—To exchange flour for corn. We will pay you \$1.00 per bushel for No. 2 shelled corn and sell you the best wheat flour at \$1.00 per 50 lbs. each.

Morgantown Milling Co.

## An Old Landmark Gone

Mr. John W. Newton, 60 years of age, died at his home near Woodbury Junction, and was buried by his son, John L. Little Muddy on June 11.

Mr. Newton was born in Tennessee August 26, 1856. He reared a large family most all of whom are now in this country. Most of them have recently married. Universal Milking Machines and gasoline engines, which eliminates the old drudgery of milking twenty or thirty cows before and after their day's work. Auto trucks and wagons get our milk at our gates every morning. We have two creameries and one milk condensary. About two-thirds of our farmers own cars and can and do run them 365 days in the year, consequently they have become a modern necessity instead of a luxury.

Practically all of our hay and grain work is done by machinery. We have free high schools in the county, four newspapers, graded rural schools, with drawing, music, manual training and household economics supervisors.

There are a number of Butler county families living in this vicinity and we could make room for a few more. Our editor remarked through his columns not long since that the Kentuckians and grasshoppers were going to take this country. I don't know which he considered the most detrimental to it.

When I say this is the best farming country out-of-doors, I am not jumping to conclusions nor flirting with words, but speaking from each costly experience, because I have covered the most of Thirty States in this little "Truck Patch" of Uncle Sam's.

Only a few days ago our valued friend, Joe Hays Guffy, of Berry's Lick, and that interesting chap, L. A. Threlkeld, and his urban wife spent a couple of days in our home. They expressed themselves as being in love with the "Valley of Content," and I fear they shall regret having left us so soon, at least.

## NOT ENOUGH CHILDREN

ever having the proper balance of food to sufficiently nourish both body and brain during the growing period when nature's demands are greater than in mature life. This is shown in many pale faces, less bodies, frequent colds, and lack of stamina.

For all such children we say with unmistakable earnestness: They need Scott's Stimulus, and need it now. It gives the body the energy of the vital elements to enrich their blood. It strengthens weakness to strength; it makes them sturdy and strong. No alcohol.

— Mrs. A. Davis, Bloomfield, N.J.

## A BUTLER BOY

Finds Health and Good Fortune in Faraway Colorado.

Lamar, Colo., June 10, 1917.

Editor Green River Republican:

Occasionally a neighbor of mine brings a copy of the "Old Reliable" to me to read as a kind of mental tonic and inspiration, and then I promise myself that as soon as I get to my office I will write you and tell you how much I appreciate the Republican, but you know what it means to steal a few moments from the stress and strain of a busy life.

In my mental meanderings I want to give you a review of this part of the world as I see it. You know it has been said that we all see the world from our own little windows and sometimes of a compass; men who will stand for right if the heavens fall; men who are not too proud to be poor, who are willing to test what they have earned and what they have paid for.

Well, boys, I have no "wild west" stories to tell. In fact I find the people here about as civil and as human as anywhere I've ever been.

It's getting closer the season of the year when the sun comes down and wrings you out to the consistency of a limp bean; when your collar becomes disease and you dream about places. Do you WANT to know of the heat? Well then, come to Colorado and climb the mountains in the teeth of the wind, and you dream about places.

A number of my Butler county friends have written me for information about the land in the Arkansas River Valley and it is for their benefit, and any others that may desire to know more about the "Eden of America" that I am giving you a few generalities about things here.

This is pre-eminently a farming country. The north side of the Valley is from five to fifteen miles wide, and is irrigated from the old Fort Lyon Canal. Our principal crops are alfalfa, sugar beets, wheat, corn, oats, barley, etc. Dairying and stock raising are also among our chief industries. About two-thirds of our farmers run a dairy in connection with their farms. Most of them have recently installed Universal Milking Machines and gasoline engines, which eliminates the old drudgery of milking twenty or thirty cows before and after their day's work. Auto trucks and wagons get our milk at our gates every morning. We have two creameries and one milk condensary. About two-thirds of our farmers own cars and can and do run them 365 days in the year, consequently they have become a modern necessity instead of a luxury.

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## STR. MALISTA MAIL BOAT

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Leave Bowling Green 7 A.M.

Arrive Morgantown 12:30 P.M.

Fare each way \$1.

