

# THE HOUSE OF HAZARDS



## TWENTY - ONE YEARS AGO

April 30, 1915

The Harrodsburg boosters have secured a routing of the Boone highway through Harrodsburg. The meeting of the Boone highway association was at Mt. Vernon Monday. The road is to run from Cumberland Gap to Crab Orchard through Harrodsburg to Louisville. The boosters attending the meeting from here were N. L. Curry, J. G. Prather, George Bohon, James L. Isenberg, D. M. Hutton, Bush W. Allen, John G. Pulliam, Charles Chatham, T. H. Carter, L. M. Smith, T. S. Orr, Walter Martin, Ed Wiseman, C. T. Corn, C. B. Sullivan, Alonzo Riley and Charles Murphy.

Miss Ora Adams, superintendent of the Mercer county schools, was elected president of the county superintendent's department of the Kentucky Educational Association at the meeting in Louisville a few days ago.

Highway enthusiasts from Danville, Stanford and Harrodsburg met Tuesday night to perfect a permanent organization of the Tri-City Highway Association, the object of which is to pull for the Dixie Highway to be routed through the three towns and along the Kentucky river cliff road and the historic and scenic settings of this section. This road is to go from Indianapolis to Florida.

At 9 o'clock last night fire originating in the colored Methodist church at Burgin destroyed the edifice, the parsonage, the home of Belle Perkins, the restaurant of Howard Smith and all the outbuildings.

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ings of the several properties. The fire was so threatening that it looked as if a great portion of the town would be swept, but a large bucket brigade of citizens, with the help of firemen from Harrodsburg with chemicals, and those who went from here who joined in the fight, the blaze was finally conquered. So many homes were threatened that a number moved out all their belongings. A half hour before the fire there had been a big wedding in the church, Susie Chenault and Mit Smith being the bride and bridegroom.

Mrs. Sue Downton Glass, wife of Dr. Harvey Glass, pastor of Providence Presbyterian church, died unexpectedly of heart trouble about midnight Thursday. After the funeral at Providence church she was buried in Danville.

Harrodsburg and Perryville played the first baseball game of the season here this week. The score was 5 to 4 in favor of Perryville. Harrodsburg's team was composed of Sallee, fb; C. Corn, bf; Sommers, ss; Board, sb; R. Black, 3b; T. Corn, lf; G. Black, rf; Coleman, c; Alexander, p.

About 30 Odd Fellows went to Lexington Monday to attend the celebration of Odd Fellowship. Six local men had the first degree conferred. Jas. M. Forsythe, Sam G. Brown, E. R. Duell, O. J. Chandler, Glav Vivion, John Record. 83 candidates were put through by the team.

The old Smedley house, a landmark in town, is being torn down to make way for the new hospital building.

Our citizens hailed with joy the first oil of the season which was spread on Main street Wednesday under the supervision of the committee of which Lafon Riker is chairman.

The fountain given to Harrodsburg by Mayor John G. Pulliam arrived yesterday and will be erected as soon as possible in front of the court house. It is topped with five globes to correspond with the other lights of the White Way.

News has been received here of the unexpected death in Monticello, Ill., of Mrs. C. E. Knight, mother of Mrs. Dan V. Bohon, of Harrodsburg.

A hard hail and electrical storm Thursday afternoon did some damage to buildings in Harrodsburg, but all the electric lights out of commission and lightning tore off a chimney at the residence of William Phillips, Walnut Hills.

Deaths... Mrs. Mary Brent Bradshaw, widow of Clayburn Bradshaw, died at Burgin Tuesday night. News has been received of the death in Tampa, Fla., of Miss Annie Wilson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bates Wilson, who formerly lived in Harrodsburg.

#### WASHINGTON LETTER SELLS FOR \$2,000

Back in Revolutionary War times, George Washington wrote a letter to one of his commanders, General Talmadge, telling him that it would be difficult to raise \$250 for the expenses of an American spy, Enoch Crosby. This spy is believed to have been the original in James Fenimore Cooper's book "The Spy." It was hard to raise the \$250 needed for spying purposes in those perilous days, but the letter Washington wrote about it brought \$2,000 in a sale in Philadelphia recently. It had been a part of the collection of the late Charles T. Jeffrey, Merion Station, Pa.

#### CLOCK GETS SPRING FEVER

The courthouse clock is always a good subject for "Sun Spots." The old reliable timepiece went haywire again one morning recently. At 7 a. m. everywhere else, the clock was 10:35. Five minutes later it rang nine times, two minutes later it rang two times, and lo and behold, it was five p.m.—"Sun Spots" in Winchester Sun.

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## BRUCE BARTON Says:

#### Let's Know Program

In his "Dialogue of the Gods," the Roman satirist causes Zeus to say: "To bring charges, to find fault, and to hide in an easy matter, and within the power of anyone; but to take measures how the present state of things shall be improved, that is the part of the wise counselor."

As the Boss of Olympus, old Zeus made the same sad discovery as every other executive—that there are a hundred folks to tell you why you are doing things wrong for every one with a constructive suggestion.

We have no lack of "counselors" in this country, and perhaps it should not surprise us that their counsel is so conflicting. That always has been the condition. Even in the days of the men who now are referred to reverently as the Founding Fathers, the divisions of thought was as sharp as any that exists today.

Thomas Jefferson and Alexander Hamilton were hardly nearer together in their fundamental political concepts than Herbert Hoover and Father Coughlin. Jefferson stood for the widest possible practice of self-government. Hamilton had little faith in the capacity of the people to govern themselves and said so in no uncertain terms. He wanted a national authority that would leave little excuse for the continuation of state boundaries.

These two Founders were vigorous critics, but they did not stop at criticism. Each had a definite program. We have a right to demand that their political descendants should qualify for our suffrage by having programs also.

No candidate should be chosen just because his lungs are the stronger. A proper question is: How do you stand according to the yardstick of old Zeus? What "measures" do you propose, "by which the present state of things shall be improved?"

## The Family DOCTOR

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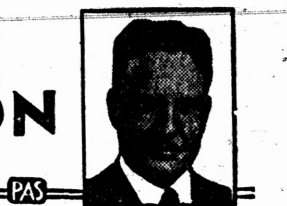
ELIMINATION OF BODY WASTES

"Elimination" as the physician uses the term, means the disposal of the sewage of the body—the carrying out from the system of wastes that are of no further possible use, and that are most times positively harmful when retained. I believe we may set faulty elimination as the origin of most disease conditions.

Poison carried out of the body can do no more harm. The harm they have already set up, usually subsides rapidly when the offender is removed. Hence the common practice of physicians: first of giving a good cathartic, and allowing plenty of water to stimulate the kidneys to their utmost capacity. At the same time the wise doctor limits the intake of solid food, to prevent overloading of an already overtaxed system.

When the elimination organs are working properly, one seldom gets sick. These are the bowels, kidneys, skin and lungs. The latter three are not understood by laymen as they should be. If a liver is overloaded with work (from too much starches and sugars), the kidneys may attempt to carry off excess waste matters, as evidenced by heavy, red output of fluid—and, in time, it may break down if the condition is not attended to. Long-continued, dark, burning kidney excretion should at once take the victim to his physician who may discover, not the kidneys at fault, but deficient intake of water, or a loaded liver. In either event it is faulty elimination. Two things should always be ob-

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#### We Are Softies

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My friend J. Edgar Hoover, head of all the G-Men, pointed out recently that only one criminal in four is arrested for his crimes and even then he isn't badly off. Mr. Hoover said:

"The greatest mantle of safety in the criminal world is known as 'copping a plea.' The criminal realizes that he may commit twenty crimes and pay for only one; further, that he, through shrewd attorneys, through the bribing or frightening of witnesses, through the delays of law, through countless statutes which exist for his protection, may be placed in a haggling position with a prosecuting attorney, with the result that he bargains for his punishment."

As long as this exists just so long will the underworld count upon inadequate punishment as one of the aids in getting away with murder. And speaking of murder, may I place before you that the average time served by prisoners in America for the commission of our most heinous crime, that of taking human life, is less than four years behind the walls of prison.

There is in this country a delusion that Scotland Yard is a more efficient police than anything we have here, and that this is the reason why England is comparatively free from crime. Such a notion is nonsense. Compared with our G-Men, Scotland Yard is a country police station, far behind the time in equipment and technique.

What makes England free from crime is the fact that when a criminal is arrested he is convicted, and when he is sentenced to jail he serves his time.

served by men and women; the intake of solid food, and the elimination of the waste products which must go on in consequence. One cannot take heavy meals three times a day without a maximum of elimination through bowels and kidneys. The lungs and skin may carry off soluble and gaseous poisons, but cannot do the work of the principal sewers.

#### FORT KNOX VAULT TO OPEN AUGUST 1

The Fort Knox gold vault, in which the Government plans to store \$5,000,000,000 in bullion, will be completed around August 1. The Treasury Department announced recently. Unfavorable weather conditions have delayed construction of the vault, which was to have opened May 20. Mrs. Nellie T. Ross, director of the mint, is planning an early trip to Fort Knox to inspect the gold vault. At that time, she will go into the question of whether houses will be built near the vault for the 25 employees at the depository.

#### BETTER TRY A CROWBAR!

Passed a barber on the street today. He carried a monkey-wrench and I asked him what business a barber had with such a tool, and he stated he was going to take it and try to loosen up some of his tight customers. Oh well, that ain't so bad—George Bingham in Mayfield Messenger.

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## DOAN'S PILLS

#### NATURE TAKES HEAVY LIFE TOLL

Nature, attacking with every means at its command in one of its greatest offensives in years, has caused 1,300 deaths in the United States since January 1.

An unusually cold winter took a heavy toll, and spring thaws brought heavy floods which drowned hundreds. Southern tornadoes completed the disaster toll.

An Associated Press survey showed at least 542 persons died from causes related to the severely cold weather, 548 from tornadoes, gales and lightning, and 214 from floods.

Tornadoes at Tupelo, Miss., and Gainesville, Ga., and the floods at Pittsburgh, Johnstown, Penn., and Wheeling, W. Va., took the heaviest toll.

#### GOVERNMENT MAY GET FORGOTTEN VAULT CASH

The government—state and federal—stands to "inherit" nearly \$100,000 in forgotten cash and valuables in Chicago.

The treasure is being retrieved from 400 safety deposit boxes, some of them unopened for almost a score of years, as workmen demolish steel vaults erected in the capitol building in 1892.

According to Attorney Bernard Allen Fried, counsel for the wrecking company, the property will be returned over to the federal or state government unless the owners put in immediate claims.

#### WISCONSIN RUPILS MANAGE FORESTS

Wisconsin school children, serving as part-time foresters, are managing a forest area of more than 10,000 acres.

Wisconsin has 114 school forests under a State-supervised program. They range in size from a minimum of forty acres to the largest, 320 acres, the possession of the Park Falls High School. Schools in the larger cities, such as Superior, LaCrosse, Eau Claire, Chippewa Falls and Antigo, are among those having forest laboratories.

#### CANDY SALES STILL INCREASE

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#### TWINS HOLD 99-YEAR RAILWAY SERVICE RECORD

The Illinois Division of the Illinois Central System can better the record of Mark and Charles Anderson, twins, 70, of Boone, Ia., who boasted 95 years of service with the Chicago & North Western Railway at the time of their recent retirement.

The Illinois Central entries, still in active service, are Wylie M. and Wm. J. McCartney of Pontiac, Ill., twins, both section foremen, who reached the age of 70 years January 7, 1936. Their combined Illinois Central service now totals nearly 99 years.

William J. heads the division's seniority list of section foremen, with 51 years and 8 months of service. He was employed as section laborer August 16, 1884, and was promoted to foreman July 10, 1890. Wylie M., who is second on the seniority list, has 47 years of service. He was employed as section laborer April 30, 1889, and was promoted to foreman November 30, 1892.



There is usually a definite reason for such complaints...so, now let's reason sensibly.

Don't try to get well in a day...this is asking too much of Nature. Remember, she has certain natural processes that just cannot be hurried.

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