

QUARTERLY COURT

Transacts Usual Routine of Business, and Elect New County Register

The regular quarterly session of the county court was held here Monday, and quite a volume of business was disposed of. The fiscal year, ending June 30th, all the reports of the county judge and the several committees were read and passed on by the court, also a number of appropriations were made.

At the request of a number of citizens, Judge A. H. Roberts made a fine explanatory speech on the Good Road Bond Act. He went into the matter thoroughly and most comprehensively, and it is believed that his speech did much good for the good roads question. There was a large crowd in the court house made up of the best citizenship of the county, and it was a really representative gathering. The county court adjourned for two hours in order to hear the speech.

The election of a County Register to fill the place of the late J. M. Roberts until the next regular election was held and A. K. Lee was elected on the first ballot, receiving 17 of the 28 ballots cast. The other candidates were K. A. Dale and S. J. Garrett. Mr. Lee is well qualified for the position to which he was elected, having served for some time as deputy to Mr. Roberts. He is a man of sterling qualities, and his many friends throughout the county will be glad to learn that the court has chosen him for the office.

I hereby certify that the assets of Overton County, of each of the following districts on June 30, after deducting outstanding warrants amounting to:

District	Assets
June 30, 1914	\$15,691.02
" " 1912	10,744.55
" " 1913	75.61
" " 1914	1,953.63
June 30, 1915 outstanding	1,000.00
Warrants exceed funds by	2,659.59
Totals charged with school funds	10,058.86
Roads funds due each district as follows:	
1 district	47.73
2 "	164.25
3 "	167.80
4 "	59.93
5 "	259.86
6 "	218.44
7 "	120.50
8 "	100.76
9 "	161.26
10 "	143.45
11 "	286.05
12 "	29.81

B. F. Smith,
Member Finance Committee

Judge C. E. Shogren of Crossville and Col. Sam Turner of Bryantown will address the citizens of Livingston and Overton on the bond act next Tuesday, July 13th. All those who can, should turn out and hear these speeches. Both gentlemen are well informed on the road question, and will doubtless make interesting and instructive talks.

INTERESTING COMMUNICATIONS

From Our Correspondents. News and Views From The Various Communities, Gathered for Enterprise Readers

ALGOOD ROUTE 1

Mr and Mrs Jackson Stewart are visiting relatives in Smith county this week.

Born to Mr and Mrs Jess Gilliam on the 23rd of June, a girl.

Mr and Mrs Quintan Morgan of Livingston are visiting friends and relatives at this place for a few days.

Born to Syd Norris and wife on the 4th, a boy.

The little son of Rev Elisha Henry has been quite sick but is better at times of writing.

COOREVILLE R-7

Mrs Oma Nelson died on the 23rd and was buried on the 24th, at the Williams graveyard.

T. O. Smith went to Livingston on the 27th.

James Hall of Jackson County was in this neighborhood last week.

Bill Smith who has been sick for quite a while is reported some better.

Walter McCormick and Joe Wilson were here last week on business.

THE MODERN TOWER OF BABEL

In 1910 the republicans and fusionists went to building a political machine, and for four years they ran up with that political monster until the democrats brought about confusion of tongues so great that their principles became unintelligible in their political disquisitions.

Just as the tongue of Babel did when they tried to build the tower. However these people of present pretension of confusion were once agreed, and they started to build a tower of high official grant until it should reach high heaven. Each year they came to the brink of devastating the state and repudiating its obligations. The people decided to stop this tower, so they set about to confuse the tongues of these republicans and fusionists demagogues. The attempt was entirely satisfactory, for in the election of November 1914, the tongues of these terrible sycophants and moral upstarts became confused by the election of Tom C. Rye for governor. Yet some of the scattering political machine workers are still clinging smartly at the late legislature, Tom C. Rye, and the Democratic party of good old Tennessee but we are happy to know that the tower of the machine demagogues was knocked into a cocked hat last fall never to return.

Joe Hyde

THEOLOGICAL DEBATE

As previously announced, the Winkler-Pigue debate will begin at Bluffham at 10 a. m. Saturday July 24th, and will continue six days. The first two days, Mr. Winkler will affirm the "Action of Baptism"; the following two days, Mr. Pigue will affirm "Instant Baptism".

Every one is invited to attend the debate, and arrangements have been made to take care of a large crowd throughout the week.

LIVINGSTON R-2

I will drop a few lines from this place.

We take the Enterprise and like to read all the letters.

The wet weather still continues. Crops and weeds are growing fast.

The Sunday School at Howard's Chapel is progressing nicely.

Mr and Mrs Willie Judd of Monroe visited Mr and Mrs Ledbetter Sunday.

Mrs G. W. Ledbetter who has been quite ill with rheumatism for some time is no better.

Rev J. M. Brown of Allons will preach at Howard's chapel Sunday.

Rutledge Nicholas of Monroe visited here the first Sunday in July.

Happy Girl.

NETTLE CARRIER

After a long delay I will give a few items from this community.

Health is pretty good at this writing.

Corn looks well considering the amount of work it has had on account of the protracted wet weather.

What is better in this vicinity than was expected before the harvest, but it is feared that it may damage in the shock on account of so much rain.

The iron crop so far is apples are concerned is tight on an average, but there is a good prospect for peaches.

J. M. Copeland Sr. has just returned from a trip to Ki Gaton with his daughter, Mrs. Orion Himes, where he went to consult the Negro doctor. He also took treatment himself for Catarrh.

Children's day at Brown's on the fourth, with a large crowd, good order, an interesting program, and nice talks by E. L. Ferrell, Wash Lee, E. M. Smith and T. E. Ferrell.

Two nice solos sung by Miss Conway Lee.

—A. J. Copeland.

ALLONS ROUTE 1

Having received stationery will send a few items from this section.

Reva Wilson and Barroughs preached here Sunday.

Sunday School is progressing nicely.

J. S. Reed of Crossville is visiting friends and relatives here.

J. S. Ferrell and wife of Livingston visited home folks here last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Needham of Clay Co. visited here over Sunday.

Mrs. Sib Maynard and son of Livingston R 2 were here Sunday.

Born recently to Noah Maynard & wife a boy. Also to W. F. Davis a boy.

A. K. Lee of Livingston was here last week.

Medames S. A. Gumbels and H. E. Carr who have been sick are able to be out again.

F. L. N.

Definition of Joke.
Joke—Something a woman takes seriously—Smart Set.

ALCOHOL

As I regard to alcohol, I will try to present the truth as I see it, and as I have learned it from the research and experience of others. In the light of the experience of the past, the nature of the substance in relation to the cells of the body, and the investigations of modern times, there appears to be nothing to recommend the use of alcoholic drinks as a beverage or tonic.

It is an evident fact, that alcohol retards digestion, develops an abnormal growth of the connective tissue of the liver, causes fatty degeneration of the heart, and decreases muscular energy.

It is an evident fact, according to the past experience and the present knowledge of the human body, that alcohol will not nourish any part of it.

It was once that alcohol was a useful stimulant, but now our best physicians are classing it as a depressant, and are using substitutes.

Among all the evil effects alcohol has on the human body the effect on the nervous system is greatest.

Now I do not know that the nervous system is more important than any other part of the body, but I do know that the nervous system has control of the body.

Alcohol evidently injures the brain and nerves, Dr. H. G. Wood in his writings on therapeutics says "alcohol is a very active irritant, but is not curative. It is a pronounced germicide, which when in proper concentration is capable of killing all protoplasm." Now if alcohol will kill all protoplasm it will kill the brain and nerves if they come in contact with enough of it, and it is this denuding effect produced on the nerve system controls all other organs.

The greatest blessings we have are the power of thinking, the power to remember, and the power of reasoning. There are a porphy of the brain, and if we injure the brain we have certainly decreased the capacity of these powers.

Fredric Walker Mott, physician to Charing Cross hospital London, states that at least 20 per cent of the asylums of London are admitted with a history of Alcoholism: From thousands of other statistics I have read I judge that the most wide spread.

and patent cause of nervous and mental disease is caused by the abuse of alcoholic stimulants.

After we pass alcohol I think the next most harmful narcotic is tobacco, especially when used in the form of cigarette.

Most of us know that tobacco contains a very poisonous substance called nicotine. Now when we smoke a cigarette all the nicotine is taken into the mouth with the smoke, part of this poison may be thrown off when the smoke is exhaled, but most of it stays in the body, part of it settles in the alveoli and is swallowed thus it gets in the stomach, some may get in the blood through the lungs, it should be thrown off by the lungs it will give them more work to do. Nature gives all the organs of the body enough work to do without us putting double duty on them.

I advise all boys to abstain from the use of nicotine boy or man who has his brain about half killed with nicotine poisons can not be worth as much to his employer as those who totally abstain from these useless habits.

L. N. Stewart.

ELECTION OFFICERS

The following is a list of officers who have been selected to hold the Road Bond election, called for Thursday Aug. 5th, 1915:

1st District—Officer: Dave Stewart, Judges: Lee Cobble, W. A. Williford and T. D. Swallows.

Clerks: W. F. Waits and Frank Swallows.

2nd District—Officer: Sid Norris. Judges: P. H. Myers, W. D. Hyder and Lee Curtis. Clerks: E. Thompson and Caloin Crawford.

3rd District—Officer: T. B. Ogletree, Judges: Abe Hawkins, Sid Ward and Sam Masters.

4th District—Officer: W. A. Barrow. Judges: Bedford Langford, R. N. Chilton and J. K. Hunter.

Clerks: T. L. Chilton and B. Stinson.

5th District—Officer: B. W. Eldridge. Judges: C. A. Williams, H. Little and L. L. Bilbrey. Clerks: J. T. Gilliland and G. V. Cooper.

6th District—Officer: C. E. Freeman. Judges: S. V. Bowman, J. M. Dillon and M. F. Ogletree. Clerks: M. M. Roberts and Jno. Hart, Jr.

7th District—Officer: G. V. Ramsey. Judges: Joe Holman, Geo. Chowanig and Jack Sells. Clerks: P. L. Carlock and J. W. Yarn.

8th District—Officer: A. C. Copeland Jr., Judges: Halls Johnson, S. Qualls and Tom Raminos. Clerks: Luther Speck and Lee Hooper.

9th District—Officer: M. H. Weeks. Judges: T. Qualls, L. A. Key, and J. C. Leeb. Clerks: E. L. Hoover and Tom Norrod.

10th District, Cook Place—Officer: P. M. Alfred. Judges: M. C. Cravins, B. H. Forgey and Pete Cravins. Clerks: Alvin Vaughn and William Tays.

Potest—Officer: I. E. Handy. Judges: John Vaughn, J. M. Copeland, Sr. and Bates Stamp. Clerks: Cae Stout and Sol Norris.

11th District—Officer: J. McDonald. Judges: J. M. Garrett, J. C. McDonald and J. R. Cole. Clerk: J. A. Coleman and J. R. Mullin.

12th District—Officer: W. F. Hoover. Judges: S. R. Peterman, H. L. Swift and John Sebor. Clerks: C. D. Cole and W. W. Buck.

W. S. Swallows.

B. L. Speck.

C. J. Cutton.

Election Commissioners.

WAS CRITICALLY ILL FOR MONTHS

"My Life Has Been Spared To My Children," Says Knoxville Woman.

"I am confident I would not now be living if it had not been for Tanlac," said Mrs. Eddie Jeffries, at her home on Lane street, in Knoxville the other day, in praise of her restoration to health.

"I am 57 years old and was never sick in my life until last fall," continued Mrs. Jeffries, "when I suddenly began to lose in flesh and energy. My kidneys pained me and I had such a pain in my left side that I had to always sleep on the opposite side.

"It looked like everything struck me at once. My appetite failed me and I could hardly eat anything at all. I was nervous and could not sleep, and finally took my bed. So many of the neighbors began calling to express sympathy that I realized my condition was serious. A doctor was called in, a second and then a third. Nothing they gave me did me any good, and I gradually got worse. I was so weak I had to be turned over in bed, and I felt my time was up.

"My children begged me to take Tanlac, and got me a bottle at Kuhlman's drug store. After the first few doses I felt a difference in my condition, and began to take nourishment. In a few days I could sit up in bed. What a joy it was to feel my health gradually returning.

"I have taken my third bottle and have commenced on the fourth. The pain in my sides and kidneys have left me, and I can sleep all night on my left side. I sleep just like a baby; in fact, my family tell me I don't want to go anything but sleep and eat. Since taking Tanlac and experiencing a new lease on life I have gained ten pounds in weight. My strength has returned has returned and hardly know myself.

"I am daily assisting with the housework, and while the menfolk about the house were busy with their work I took the hoe and made the garden.

"I want everybody to know that I was an awfully sick woman, weak unable to eat, racked with pain and misery, and that I now feel free from pain, my health, appetite and strength restored, and that Tanlac saved me to my children." adv.

NEW FAIR IN CLAY.

We are in receipt of the First Annual Catalogue of the Willow Grove Fair Association, and a most creditable pamphlet it is too. It is filled with a list of good events for the four day's fair, which is to begin Aug. 11th and run through the 14th. This is a most commendable spirit on the part of the Willow Grove folk, and shows that they are progressive and public spirited, and we wish for them a most successful fair in this initial event.

TENN. WEATHER FORECAST

Fair and moderately warm during the week; prevail southerly at the 10, when there will be a short period of overcast weather and probably showers.