

## NANCY CROOK DIES AT RIPE OLD AGE

Sister of Late John Fletcher  
Medearis, Succumbs At  
Olive Hill.

BORN IN N. CAROLINA

Member of Methodist Church  
and Spent Most of Life  
in County.

Nancy Crook, sister, of John Fletcher Medearis, who died at his home in Greensfork three years ago on his hundredth birthday, died this morning at her home in Olive Hill at the age of ninety-four.

She came to Indiana with her widowed mother and four other children from North Carolina in 1829. The journey was made in two horse spring wagons which contained their entire household effects. The road to be traversed was rough and wild and it required a month to make the trip. Settled Near Salisbury.

The family settled near Salisbury and John Fletcher Medearis and an older brother with the help that the younger children could lend, built a cabin and established the new home. She was married early in life and since her husband's death has been living at Olive Hill.

Like the rest of the large family related to her by more or less distant bonds of kinship she was a member of the Methodist church, forming a connection with it early in life and continuing her interest in its work until the time of her death.

Funeral Services Sunday.  
Of the five brothers and sisters only one died before reaching the age of 87, while one lived to reach the century mark.

Funeral services will be conducted from the residence in Olive Hill Sunday morning at 9 o'clock. Burial will be in Centerville.

Her brother, John Fletcher died at his home in Greensfork, September 16, 1909, while his friends and relatives were gathered from many miles distant to celebrate the event. The excitement of the day proved too much for him.

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## ADDITIONAL NEWS OF SOCIETY WORLD

A pleasant surprise was given Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kinet and daughter Miss Vera Kinet, who are leaving soon for a permanent residence in Indianapolis, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Lyan, 303 North Twenty-second street last evening. Cards were played at five tables. The guests were Messrs and Mesdames L. Massey, Will Massey, H. Meyers, Philip Roser, Edward Chiles, William Ludington, Sam Bishop, Mr. C. A. Schi, Misses Daisy Osborn, Grace Mead, Dorothy Ryan and Fannie Mackey.

Mr. Harry Kepler was delightfully surprised at his home on South Twelfth street last evening by a number of his friends. Games, music and dancing were enjoyed until a late hour. A luncheon in two courses was served. Those present were Misses Ruth Powell, Marguerite Brucker, Margaret Kepler, Marie Graham, Helen Paul, Marjorie Morgan, Messrs David Wallace, Vern Reid, Claud Hoover, N. Russell, Harry Kepler and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Kepler.

Mrs. Carl Baker of 314 Randolph street assisted by Mrs. Oren Miller, entertained the Jolly Stitches club at the home of the former, Thursday afternoon. The time was very pleasantly spent with needlework and music after which a two course lunch was served. Those present were Mesdames John Hutchinson, Edward Klute, Elmer Ford, Will Stevens, Will Plummer, Keeper Barnes, George Smith, Will Hippard, Oren Miller and Carl Baker.

## HIGH SCHOOL BOYS GET GOOD JOBS

That the commercial course of the high school is complete in itself and the graduate needs no work in that line to complete his knowledge of business so that he may hold the positions that are offered him in a creditable manner is manifested when E. R. Helman, head of the commercial department of the high school is not able to fill positions from the students taking the course because they have not had sufficient business training to enable them to accept the offers made by prominent men of the city who are in need of office help.

Mr. Helman, who has headed the department at the school for the last two years, has filled more than sixty positions, the students accepting them in all branches of business in the city.

## "MOTHER, DON'T BUY EGGS NOW!"

"How much are eggs today?" inquired a housewife on her daily marketing of a grocery store.

"Forty cents a dozen," replied the grocer.

"What! Forty cents a dozen, that is almost a cent a piece!" exclaimed the housewife.

"That's not bad if it when you consider that one egg is the product of a hen's daily labor and four cents a day is cheap for labor," put in the clerk smiling.

"Well, I'll take a half dozen anyway," dryly remarked the shopper.

APPEAL TO WILSON.  
WASHINGTON, Nov. 14.—The president was today requested to use his good offices in an effort to settle the strike of trainmen on the Sunset division of the Southern Pacific railroad.

FORGET-ME-NOTS  
When you think of "high quality potatoes" think of me and ask your grocer, or call 2441.  
L. D. HAWLEY

## Man and Woman Build House; Struggle For Home For Years

After twenty years of struggling and saving to purchase a home for themselves, Mr. and Mrs. Gabriel Abrams, until October 7 residents of Red Key, have at last secured their own abode. The property was purchased and Mr. and Mrs. Abrams built the little three room dwelling themselves and have now completed the structure with the exception of papering and a few minor changes which will be made later.

Mr. Abrams has been in such bad health that he was able to earn little although he worked on a farm where he was allowed to keep chickens, a cow and a team of horses. When his health became so poor that he could no longer work he decided to move to Richmond.

Coming here with \$300 on October 7, he found rent too high and the next day bought a one room, one story shed at 69 Bridge Avenue. He paid \$150 for the shed and lot.

He and his wife immediately secured lumber, saws, hammers and nails and went to work with a will. They have now finished the two rooms which form the rear of the house.

The house is made entirely of smooth boards nailed to a frame work. The boards are fitted close together but do not afford proper shelter for cold weather.

The Abrams have the unique idea of papering their home with paper matrices which are used to mold the plates for printing presses.

Mr. Abrams overworked himself in order to have the house completed before cold weather set in. As a consequence, he will be unable to do any work at all for several months, according to a physician whom was called in yesterday. Mrs. Abrams is seeking employment which will give her time to go home at noon and prepare a lunch for their thirteen-year-old son, who is attending school.

YOUTHFUL ROBBER  
WANTS TO RETURN

Harry McDonald, 15, Pleads  
to Be Taken to His  
Father.

Because he did not like school, Harry McDonald who has gained the name of the "boy burglar" in this city, left his home in Dayton when he was thirteen years old. He says he now regrets the two years he has spent "on the road" and wishes he were back with his father.

For the last two years McDonald, now fifteen years old, has "roughed it" over the states of Ohio, Indiana and Michigan. He says he has never stolen anything until he came to Richmond and then only because he had no prospect of work and was out of money.

He is now afraid to write to his father and does not even know where he lives or if he is still alive and he was not in good health when he left, the boy says.

After he had worked for short times in a number of big cities in Ohio and had been employed for a year in an automobile work in Detroit, McDonald came to Indianapolis. On account of the car strike, he says, he could obtain no work. When his money was spent he determined to start for Columbus, Ohio.

"It was too cold to ride very long and so when I got to Richmond, I was the back of Reynolds grocery. I said young McDonald, 'I bummed' some fellow for fifteen cents and had a good supper. Then I was looking for a warm place to sleep and saw the back of Reynolds grocery. I went in and broke into the store because it seemed so easy. I ate a pie. I would have eaten more but I was not hungry. I opened the cash drawer and took a few pennies that were in it. It was the first time I ever broke into any place."

McDonald will be sent to a reform school where he is firmly convinced he will not be treated kindly. When he was told otherwise, he replied that he had met some boys who ran away from reform school and they had told him that the overseers are cruel and the food is scant and not wholesome. He says he would rather have a good home and a place to work for the winter than "bum" but best of all, he says, he would rather have his father receive him into his home again.

POLICEMEN JOIN  
STRIKE OF LABORERS

CHRIST CHURCH, N. Z., Nov. 14.—More than three thousand armed policemen are on strike duty in Wellington and Auckland where a general walkout of workmen has occurred. More arrests were made today because of the nature of strike appeals being circulated.

ATHENS, Nov. 14.—Another war between Greece and Turkey has been averted. Announcement was made here today that a Greece-Turkey treaty was signed last night.

TEACHER-MOTHER  
WINS BATTLE

NEW YORK, Nov. 14.—Justice Seabury in supreme court issued a writ of mandamus ordering the board to reinstate Mrs. Peixotte, a teacher in the schools of this city who had been dismissed for absenting herself to bear a child. This is a big victory for all women teachers who are married.

HEARS ROAD CASE

The suit of Philip Hipskind and Sons, contractors, against the board of county commissioners, is being heard before special Judge Smith, of Portland. The suit is of a friendly nature to decide whether the county or Hipskind shall pay for the repair of the Liberty pike south of Richmond, where it was washed out by the spring floods.

Hipskind claims that the road should have been accepted several months before the floods occurred. The portion of the road washed out had been completed and was being used as a highway six months before.

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## TAMMANY LEADERS MAY OUST MURPHY

District Captains and Ward  
Heelers "Sore" At Political Leader.

O'GORMAN MENTIONED

Not Likely That "Big Tom"  
Foley Will Be Successor.

NEW YORK, Nov. 14.—Will some kindly disposed person please take a list of steamship sailings around to Charles Francis Murphy, Chief of Tammany Hall?

Mr. Murphy is game. He knows how to take defeat. When asked if it is true that he is about to resign his self imposed task of managing the affairs of New York city and New York State, Mr. Murphy merely smiles. But members of Tammany Hall are anxious to raise the cry, "The Chief is dead! Long live the Chief!"

And, if judging from the talk in the vicinity of Fourteenth street, the Tammany minor leaders have their way, Mr. Murphy will either resign or be bounced unceremoniously into the cold.

Already Tammany Assembly District leaders, district captains and ward heelers are excitedly discussing a probable successor to Mr. Murphy. Tom Foley, former sheriff, is the name most frequently heard but as a matter of fact, there is little probability of Foley ever becoming the "Chief."

There are several reasons for this, the main one being that Foley has had too close an association with the underworld—has too many friends of questionable character, to permit his occupying an office always the center of attack for the metropolitan press.

The name of United States Senator O'Gorman has been linked with that of "Big Tom" Foley, as a possible successor to Murphy. Senator O'Gorman of New York State Supreme Court may not like the linking of his name with Foley. Whether he warms to the suggestion that he succeed Murphy only Gorman could say.

In order to "free" Charles Murphy, James J. Martin, who has since quit Tammany Hall, was a member of the Executive Committee, and at many of its meetings, he very frankly and quite plainly told Croker just what he thought of him. But there is no member of the Committee today who would dare tell "Chief" Murphy what he thinks about him.

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The soothing, healing medication in DR. HOBSON'S ECZEMA OINTMENT penetrates every tiny pore of the skin, clears it of all impurities—stops itching instantly. Dr. Hobson's Eczema Ointment is guaranteed to speedily heal eczema, rashes, ringworm, tetter and other unsightly eruptions. Eczema is a doctor's prescription, not an experiment. All druggists or by mail, 50c. Pfeiffer Chemical Co., Philadelphia and St. Louis. A. G. Luken & Co.

DAVIS RECOMMENDS  
CARDING OF TYPHOID

That cards of warning bearing the words, "Typhoid Fever," be placed on all houses where a case of the disease exists, will be one of the proposals which City Health Officer Davis will make to his successor. While typhoid is contagious as is scarlet fever, it is transmissible by contact.

Dr. Davis said he believed it would be easier to stamp out epidemics if dairymen knew of the presence of typhoid in a house. If a card were posted he said they would refuse to leave bottles as where other diseases exist.

HOLIDAY APPOINTED

J. F. Holiday, stenographer of the Wayne Circuit, has been appointed a member of the committee on frauds of the National Shorthand Reporters association, by the president, Charles W. Reiter of Denver. He received notice today from Edward H. Eldridge, of Boston, secretary of the organization, that John D. Carson of New York is chairman of the committee and F. A. Carlson of Chicago the third member.

The committee is supposed to investigate any shorthand courses which advertise that a proficient shorthand reporter can be made of any person within a short time for a small deposit of money, as these are usually frauds. Mr. Holiday said. The committee has other work in that line with which to deal and works entirely by correspondence.

ALL LIQUOR FOES  
CENTRALIZE FORCE

COLUMBUS, O., Nov. 14.—A conference attended by representatives of practically all temperance organizations of the United States with the prime purpose of amalgamating the energies and centralizing the resources of the various bodies in the national campaign against the liquor traffic was held here today as an aftermath of the Anti-Saloon League convention which adjourned here last night.

CHARGE AGAINST BOY

An affidavit charging that Russell Goodwin, of Cambridge City, is delinquent and a truant from school was filed today in juvenile court by Trust Officer George Bishop. Goodwin is thirteen years old and refuses to attend school. Bishop charges that he is responsible for the other truant from the Cambridge City schools.

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## Huerta to Quit Post

MEXICO CITY, Nov. 14.—General Huerta is expected to resign within two or three hours.

An important conference is now going on at the national palace. Cradeg O'Shaughnessy believes an important announcement is to be made by the government in a few hours. An important dispatch was sent to Washington shortly before noon. This gave a summary of developments the past twelve hours.

It is believed Huerta will announce his resignation to congress tomorrow and request the selection of another president.

CASE POSTPONED

Another chapter in what is believed to have been a manipulated claim by J. Ed. Moore, the real estate dealer who disappeared from here several months ago, was brought to light today. Before leaving, Moore had filed a claim against the estate of Will C. Converse, deceased, for \$134. It had been set down on the issue docket to be heard today, but as the attorneys for the receivers of Moore's estate desired a postponement, the case will not be tried until later.

Freeman and Freeman, attorneys for the estate of Will Converse, claim that Moore showed them a balance sheet which showed he and Converse did not owe each other anything. Later he filed the claim for \$134.

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"One year ago I took another agricultural paper, and it took a whole column to tell what Farm Journal tells in one paragraph," says N. M. Gladwin.

"It ought to be in every home where there is a chick, a child, a cow, a cherry, or a cucumber," says I. D. Borden.

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## HUERTA BUYS RIFLES Orders 45 Pieces of Artillery and Ammunition.

TOKIO, Nov. 14.—In addition to purchasing 20,000 magazine rifles and 15,000,000 rounds of ammunition in this country General Huerta has placed orders for 45 pieces of artillery.

TO RUSH SHELLS.  
RICHMOND, Va., Nov. 14.—The Richmond Treadwell Iron Works which has a contract for furnishing \$400,000 worth of big shells for the navy including the 13 inch projectiles has received orders to rush the full amount for the year.

TELEGRAPH LINES CUT.  
EL PASO, Texas, Nov. 14.—Railroad and telegraph lines connecting the city of Chihuahua were cut late Thursday by a detachment of General Villa's rebel army. The city is therefore cut off from all communication with the world today, and is besieged on all sides. No food has reached Chihuahua in three weeks and the federal army of ten thousand men will probably have to surrender because of starvation.

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