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**LOCAL NEWS**

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. James Hamilton early Monday morning.

We have the agency for the Edison Phonograph and Records. If you contemplate buying a phonograph, call and get our prices. We can and do sell them as cheap as the large mail order houses, besides saving some freight.

A. D. Bechtel, who has been conducting the Beymer hotel, cancelled his lease the first of the month and quit the hotel business. Mrs. Beymer and Miss Altha Leach took charge Wednesday morning and we understand will conduct it in the future.

Up to the present time 85,000 sacks of wheat and 2,100 sacks of barley have been received by the Kerr, Gifford Co. at this place this season. At the flouring mill 8,000 sacks of wheat and 5,000 sacks of barley have been received. This brings the total receipts to 93,000 sacks, or 217,000 bushels, of wheat and 7,100 sacks, or 3,550 tons, of barley marketed at this station. There is between 8,000 and 10,000 sacks of wheat yet to be marketed and considerable barley is yet in the hands of the producer. We believe this to be a pretty good showing for a town the size of Lexington.

**SCHOOL NOTES**

Hallowe'en has passed and work is going on as usual.

Examinations are being held in the rooms this week.

Mrs. Graham was a visitor on Monday.

Some of the pupils have been out of school on account of sickness but most of them have reentered.

The boys wish to organize a football team but their parents in some cases object. A few pupils have been slightly hurt and that has given the boys a set back. The school not wishing to be held altogether responsible for such mishaps has requested that if parents are willing for their children to play football, they send to the Principal written permission for the pupil to play. The Principal leaves this matter entirely in the hands of the parents and what they decide will be followed as closely as possible, but he is in favor of football and would be glad if parents gave their permission. There is only one objection to football. That is the chance of getting hurt. There are many things in its favor. It teaches self control. Your Principal's best lessons at self control were learned on the football field. Few exercises are better for developing the body than football. There are many critical moments in a football game that if a person acts intelligently and quickly will result in favor of his side. Participation in the game teaches him to so act. One of the greatest if not the most important good is that it gives the boy something healthful to do and think about, where if he were not so engaged temptations might beset him and things much worse than a sprained ankle or arm might be the result. The question often takes this form: Would you rather your boy run the chances of a few slight sprains and bruises on the football field or would you rather have him hanging around some street corner looking for something to busy himself at? Your Principal has heard preachers, who thoroughly understood the game, uphold it from the pulpit. The President of the U. S. is a football enthusiast. However we do not all agree concerning it and as has been said before the matter is left to the parents to decide whether their boy plays or not. The Principal knows that many will disagree with him, but that is natural, for it would be an odd condition of affairs if all thought the same.

**ARTISAN** Lodge—Meets every Saturday night at 7 o'clock, up stairs in Art-hall. E. M. Beach, Sec.  
R. B. Wilcox, M. A.

**I. O. O. F.**—Lexington Lodge No. 168. Meets every Wednesday evening at 7 p. m. W. E. Painter, E. D. McMillan, Sec. N. G.

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