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J. B. Kirk ad from the Cannon Courier.

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As laws evolved once again to permit the sale of whiskey for medicinal use, Kirk soon found himself entangled in new legal troubles. Just a few years later, the passage of the 18th Amendment ushered in a nationwide prohibition on January 16, 1920. Possibly because of the shifting tides, John sold his remaining interests in the county and moved to Murfreesboro.

Now, more than a century later, the legacy of J. B. Kirk lives on as his descendants, still residing in Tennessee, revive the legendary bourbon that helped shape their family's history. Using ingredients their great-great-grandfather once did, the family hopes to offer more than a drink – they want to offer a connection to their past. Each sip invites future generations to experience the rich fragrance that greeted their ancestors when the first aged barrel was opened, and to taste the smooth bourbon that once filled those

bottles 100 years ago.

"I don't think I'll ever stop hunting the history of J. B. Kirk," one great-great-grandson and President of J. B. Kirk Bourbon shared. "I like knowing I'm doing some legwork for future generations of our family that might have questions about their past. And in doing so, those future generations aren't so far removed from the industry that helped build our family legacy."

This September, the scent of charred oak and vanilla that once drifted down Woodbury's Main Street more than a century ago returns—this time, in a bottle. J.B. Kirk Bourbon will be available wherever Ajax Turner distributes, including right here in Woodbury at Bootlegger's Liquor on McMinnville Highway and O'Grady's Wine & Spirits on McCrary Street.

Also releasing will be R.L. Murray's new book, J.B. Kirk – Farmer, Merchant, Distiller, chronicling the man behind the name.



J. B. Kirk, his wife, Elizabeth, and their daughter Ruth.

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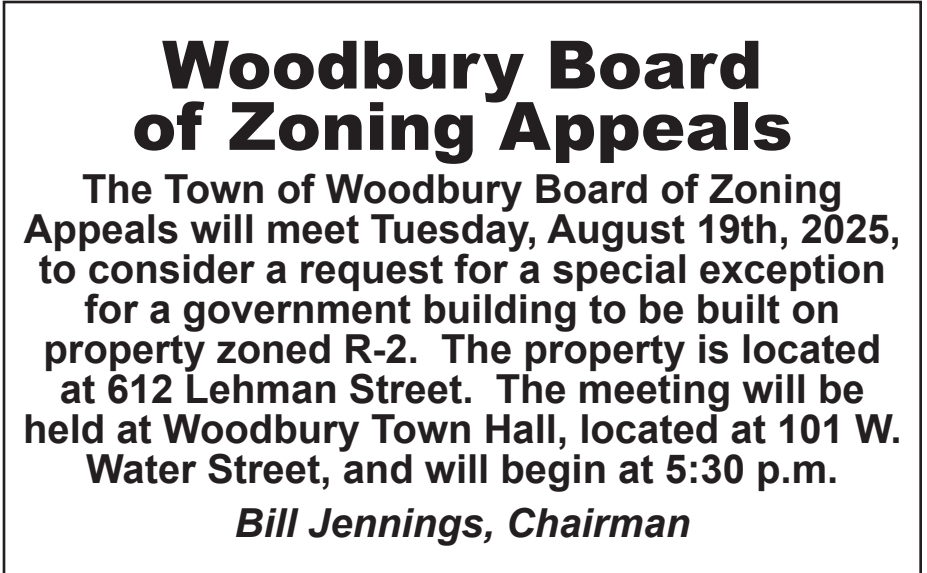
You are welcome to take a tour of Gassaway Museum...formerly Meltons Bank.

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Woodbury Board of Zoning Appeals

The Town of Woodbury Board of Zoning Appeals will meet Tuesday, August 19th, 2025, to consider a request for a special exception for a government building to be built on property zoned R-2. The property is located at 612 Lehman Street. The meeting will be held at Woodbury Town Hall, located at 101 W. Water Street, and will begin at 5:30 p.m.

Bill Jennings, Chairman





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