THE MERCURY.

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THE LIGHT FRANCHISE

Elsewhere in this issue we are publishing an article taken from the Hopkins County Chronicle, which tells of the attempt of a bill by the Kentucky Power Company to the city council of Augusta, Ky., for the granting of the lighting franchise in that city. Read it. You will find it an able, logical, candid column.

Now, The Mercury is not particularly well-versed in the matter of municipal lighting franchises, but from a reading of the franchise under which it is proposed to furnish lights to Carlisle and a comparison with the terms of the franchise under which the town of Augusta is offered lighting service, it seems to us that they have a much better proposition offered to them over in the Bracken county city.

If lights can be furnished citizens of Augusta at 10 cents per k.w., would it not be possible to secure a satisfactory service at the same price in Carlisle? We notice also that the bid for street lighting in Augusta is based on a charge of $77.50 for each 100 watts. In the bid to Carlisle "the purchaser" to quote from the franchise, "agrees to charge on a basis of $1.00 and no hereinbefore defined, a monthly schedule of prices for street lighting service, as follows:

For 400 c. p. lamps, $80.00 per lamp per year.

For 60 c. p. lamps, $20.00 per lamp per year.

We are informed that it takes 100 watts of current to make 100 candle power, so the terms, "100 c. p." and "100 watts" are approximately identical. Augusta would pay for a 400 c. p. street light, under their franchise, approximately $70 cheaper than under the 60 c. p. at $17.50 per hundred watt, they would pay approximately $140. Under our proposed franchise it strikes us that we may have to pay even more than $80.00 per 400 c. p. lamp, if coal takes a jump. If the rates are naturally normal times, but as high as $15.00 was paid for coal in an emergency for real time, we understand. The necessities of such a rate, though improbable, and yet possible, would raise the rate to individual consumers to 22 cents. Would it not raise the cost of street lights, accordingly, and be a rather enormous figure?

There are one or two things, we believe, that it would be well for the council to consider, before granting the present franchise. It may look like quibbling, but our coal with a heating value of 13,000 B. T. U. per pound be gotten in Carlisle? Is it not possible that a coal grading that high would not be secured, say, from Pennsylvania? And, if so, could it be placed in bins at Carlisle at $11 now or at any time? A few dollars increase on the bid, it seems to us, might also be caused by a strike or other industrial tie-up. It seems to The Mercury that more latitude may be given the purchaser of this franchise than appears on the surface. There should be a maximum rate set.

Another matter that the council might consider is the net plant. We should have some assurance as to whether or not the ice plant will be operated by this company, as if it will be operated at all. For, in the summer is entered an economy, a necessity, so to light, if not quite as necessary. Lack of it can cause more suffering in that lack of light. Will the company sell the current what they propose to do in regard to the manufacture of ice?

The Mercury admits that, not being a lawyer, it is hard to say just what would happen, if the franchise was awarded, and the people voted to disapprove the contract for street lighting. It looks to a layman like some confusion might be avoided by doing the wrong first.

Within the last ten years there have been many beneficial improvements by many people over the increase allowed the local company and at the times above the 10 cent rate specified in the franchise. Would not that also dissatisfaction prevail over the granting for a further's compensation? The cost, maximum rate, with the privilege of a one cent raise for every million derived advanced? We say "minimum rate" for we believe there is little possibility of coal ever being cheaper.

As we said in the beginning, The Mercury is no expert in lighting matters, and the author of this paper wishes it to be understood that he has no personal interest one way or the other in the matter. In fact, it is most probable that the power rate of the new company would reduce the rate now being paid by The Mercury for current to operate electric motors. A dependable electric service means more to us than to almost any other business in Carlisle. But that is neither here nor there. As a newspaper, we want to see the citizens of Carlisle and the Carlisle get lighting service as cheaply as possible. We formally endorse every cent less than proposition; it seems to us that they are doing that at Augusta. So, The Mercury would urge the members of the council to "make hay while the sun shines." Perhaps they may be able to make a better bargain, with the same firm, or with someone else. And twenty years is a long time to have to regret a hasty action.

Let's step around a bit. It might be possible for the city to own its own light plant. We know a considerable owned waterworks and we are rightly proud of it. Why not consider a municipally owned light plant.

A Good Value—in eats pens—No. 2 can Ehrle June Peas, Cuba Brand ..... 15 cents

No. 1 can Tiny Elfin Peas, Sugar-loaf Brand ..... 20 cents

No. 2 can Sifted Sugar Peas, Hoosier Brand ..... 25 cents

No. 2 can Selected Early Peas, Hoosier Brand ..... 20 cents

$4-tf ..... Sexton's Grocery

Classified Ads.

FOR SALE—Some pure bred White Rock chickens. Apply to A. B. Tilton. 1-25-tf

FOR SALE —House and 1½ acres ground in Moorefield. House newly painted and in good repair. Apply to L. D. Irvin, Moorefield. 1-25-2t

FOR SALE —1 20-h. p. Hagan oil engine; 1 set 18 inch French burrs; 12 h. p. Fairbanks, Morse engine on truck; 1 large iron safe; 2 printing presses, cuff jobbers; also type. Marvin E. Hessel, Moorefield, Ky. 1-18, tf

FOR IMMEDIATE SALE—One of the very best upright pianos to be found anywhere. Reason: an up-to-date. Do not want to move it. H. B. Bryson

FOR RENT—Furnished room, suitable for two young ladies or gentlemen. Mrs. Sewell, Morgan street 1t

FOR RENT— Four room cottage on Heyburn avenue. Phone 96. Mrs. James Boyd. 1.18 tf

FOR RENT— Six room house on Heyburn avenue. Apply to James Clancy. 1t

Rooms furnished new out and out, with hot and cold running water, etc. To let by day or week. In Graeter Block. Telephone 311. 12-14-tf

FOR RENT —Farm of 87 acres, 6 miles from Carlisle on the Carlisle and Sand Lick Road. Mrs. Jane Roberts.

FOR SALE—A pool hard step with the initials S. C. to F. P. on the inside. Finder please return to Mrs. Fannie Hooper and receive reward.

Effen's "Final Blow" falls low going on. 1t

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank our friends for the many kindnesses shown us during the illness and upon the death of our father, Andrew George Stroud.

The children

There will be a miscellaneous sale at the Banta school February 3. Everybody is cordially invited. 1t*

Mrs. Ava Martin, teacher

ADMINISTRATRIX' NOTICE

All persons having claims against the estate of C. C. Dunn, deceased, will present same, properly verified, to the undersigned Administratrix, or by attorney, William Corder. All those owing said estate will please come forward at once and settle.

Mary Dunn, Admrx.

PUBLIC SALE

I will sell at public sale at the court house door in Carlisle on SATURDAY, FEB. 24, at 2 o'clock p. m., half interest in 70 acres of land on Stoney river 2 1-2 miles from Parks Ferry. Land belongs to the estate of Louis Gray. Home, barn and crib on land. LUTHER GRAY, Administrator. 2-1-2t*

GROCERY AUCTION

Grocery stock of Tate & Puglis will be auctioned off on Friday at 2 p. m.; Saturday at 2 p. m., and Saturday night at 7 o'clock. Auction of these fixtures will be held Monday, February 5, at 2 p. m.

PUBLIC SALE

Livestock and Household Goods. Having decided to quit farming I will sell at public auction at my farm on the Taylors Creek road, on

Wednesday, February 14, at 10 o'clock sharp, the following:

3 mules, 6 years old, good worker and driver

1 Jersey cow, 6 years old, due to be fresh in March

1 black cow, 5 years old, due to be fresh soon

1 yearling steer

1 heifer, 2 years old, due to be fresh in spring

2 steer calves

2 shoats

2 Poland-China sow and 7 chickens registered

1 2-horse wagon, mowing, manure spread as new

1 Oliver breaking plow

1 double shovel plow

1 3-horse

2 sets buggy harness

1 set work harness

1 range stove

1 Starter Perfection oil stove

1 United States cream separator

1 cook stove

1 side saddle

1 cowboy saddle

About 25 barrels corn in crib

2 or 3 tons of baled hay

Some loose hay in barn.

A few barrels and meters.

Lots of other things not mentioned here.

Terms made known on day of sale.

T. J. Jackson, auctioneer.

H. T. Schneider

Carlisle, Ky., Route 1

2-1-2t*

CLAYSVILLE

Mr. Jane Feldhoest and wife, of Headquarters, have moved to Lexington.

Bill Green and family, of Bartersville, will move to the house vacated by Mr. Jane Feldhoest.

Little Bertie Lee Elchie has returned to school after two weeks illness.

Frank Tucker, wife and little son, and Everett Tucker and wife spent Saturday in Paris.

The Best in Groceries, Fresh and Cured Meats
Phone 256
GOLDEN RULE GROCERY

CARD OF THANKS

We desire to thank our friends and neighbors for the many kindnesses shown us and the words of comfort and sympathy extended to us during the illness and at the burial of the death of our mother, Mrs. Millie Gill. We shall ever hold them in grateful remembrance.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Gill
Mr. and Mrs. Will Gill, Cochran
Miss Annabel Gill

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank our many friends and relatives for their kindness shown us during the illness and upon the death of our beloved son and brother.

J. B. Laughlin and family

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to thank the friends and neighbors for their kindness shown us during the illness of our husband, C. J. Cartmill and family, of late. Especially do I wish to thank Mr. Carpenter. He did all in his power to help a sister.

Anna E. Cartmill

Buy old "Dobbin" a sack of "Cracker Jack" Special from The Carlisle Milling Co.

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MILLINERY AND NOTIONS

With the aid of a competent helper, my work will go right on. Come and see what a good year bewitching fall-fashion guaranteed.

1.18.1t Gertrude Evans.

"P. D. Q." Dairy feed for cows. "Starter Jack" Special for calves and mules.

"P. D. Q." Scratch feed for chickens.

Sold by The Carlisle Milling Co.

Extra Value— in California Peaches No. 2 1-2 can yellow free California peaches, Carquinez Brand 30c

No. 2 1-2 can yellow free California Peaches, Carquinez Brand 25c

No. 2 1-2 can sliced cling California peaches, Carquinez Brand 15

Sexton's Grocery

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"Biddy" will pay you well in eggs for Carlisle Milling Co's Special Scratch feed. The Carlisle Milling Co. has it

NOTICE

Notice is given that the People Loose Leaf Warehouse Company, Carlisle, Ky., is ready to receive tobacco on Monday, February 26, 1923.

T. C. Arnold, Pres't.
Harry Kennedy, Sec'y.

2-1-4t

Final Sale of Effen's merchandise now on. 1t

C. C. BRAMBLETT
Real Estate Broker
Established 1900

We have for sale the following farm and city property:

Farm of 91 acres, all in grass except 12 acres; land lays good, well watered; good tobacco barn, stock barn; house of six rooms, furnace, two cellars, cistern and fine well of water; tobacco barn, servant house, tenant and stock barn; also good young orchard; located east of Carlisle 2 miles, on pike; price $120.00 per acre; to better location for a delightful home.

Farm of 84½ acres, well improved; two-story frame house of 7 rooms and two halls; cistern, cellar, 4 acres tobacco barn, and 2 stock barns; all in grass except 15 acres, good water and the best of fencing; this farm in the county, splendid orchard of about 3 acres; price $100.00 per acre; located 2½ miles west of Carlisle on good road.

Farm of 45 acres, all in grass except about 6 acres; good house of nine rooms, cellar, cistern, good water, plenty of room, stable and tobacco barn, good cistern and out-buildings. Price right; to a bonafide buyer. Located 1½ miles from Carlisle.

Farm of 55 acres, improved up-to-date good house, good barn, cistern, cellar, orchard, garage, good outbuilding, nearly all in grass, well watered, and watered, right on good road, located 4 miles east of Carlisle on good pike.

I have just listed the Tom Hall property in Dorseyville for quick sale; house of 6 furnished rooms, 2 lumber rooms, cistern, grape arbor, planked sheep fating outlgging street. This property faces on High street eastward by Dorseyville. Price $1,000. First 100 feet deep, building all in front. Come and get the price.

New house of 5 rooms, wired for electric light, large veranda, back porch, large cistern, 6 fine plenty of ground for garden; this is an up-to-date new home, guaranteed to please. Located in Young's addition, suburb of Carlisle, owned by a non-resident who wants to sell at once. See me for a bargain price.

Overland, model 4 Sedan, used a little as a demonstrator, will sell at a bargain if sold at once.

New stock of Fish tires, red tops, black tops. Tires advanced 10 per cent in December, my stock was bought before the advance; will give any customer the advantage of the 10 per cent advance.

Two good dwellings in the city for rent, see me or call home phone 223. D. Young $14.50

19 CENTS COST OF HANDLING

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bought, is approximately $11,000, or 19 cents. The increase in dollars in the 1922 crop over the 1921 is $36,000.00, showing in the first place operation of the Association that there will be between $45,000.00 and $50,000.00.00 more money distributed among the growers in this county section than would have been distributed had the Association not been organized. These are facts that no man can successfully contradict. The actual expense incurred by the Association in the physical handling of the 1921 crop was 80 cents per 100 pounds, and the deduction for interest, insurance on tobacco, and for the purpose of real property was 64 cents per 100 pounds, or part for the purchase of property being an investment, and part being an expense.

"On the 15th of December we began to receive the 1922 crop. Since that time we have sold 12,000,000 pounds of the 1922 crop, and there will be sold 125,000,000 pounds or more of the amount of tobacco which we expect to receive.

"The delivery of this tobacco in any kind of weather is fair, so therefore the prospects are good at this time for getting the crop in. Under the association's tobacco in winter order is to deliver tobacco in the condition it was ore penalized, into the largest warehouse in Louisville, Ky. We realize that title was in the association, but we thank the men and directors are working night and day, and when the crop starts coming the machine, the guiding light behind the association will be ready to serve.

"If the members will only realize that they have a duty to perform, that is their business, and do business that is of such vital importance to them financially, and in every other way, that the association can give it the loyal support and encouragement, the results which will be obtained in the next few years, not only for the present member but will lay for the whole future fabric of the enterprise, will be an outstanding and beneficial feature that they will be proud to say that they have been a part of an Association which has produced these results."

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SHERIFF'S SALE FOR DELINQUENT TAXES

The undersigned Sheriff of Nicholas county will on

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 12
between the hours of 10 a. m. and 3 p. m. o'clock p. m.

sell at the court house door to the highest bidder, on a credit of one year, the following property upon which taxes have not been paid. The amount set opposite each name is the amount of taxes due to which will be added 6 per cent collection fee.

DISTRICT NO. 1

J. W. Bramlett, (NB) 56 acres near Headquarters $11.72
J. S. Barnes, (NB) 1 acre near Headquarters $11.72
Sarah Tolle, 1 acre near Headquarters $11.72

DISTRICT NO. 2

Luther Lancaster, 1 acre near Hutchison, E. Berry $12.26
Ellen Bond, 6 acres near Carlisle $12.26
Nat Ivers, 2 acres near Carlisle $12.26

DISTRICT NO. 3

Anderson Ivers, 1 acre near Glenmore $11.72

DISTRICT NO. 5

D. B. Quisenberry, 2 acres near J. M. Cartwright $8.56
Mary Ann Collins, 40 acres near T. S. Smith $78.54

COLORED

John Baker, 1 acre near Jones $11.72
Joe Sharp, 1 acre near Clay $11.72
Wallace Simpson, 1 acre near Mt. Carmel $11.72
Harrison Trimble, 1 acre near Jones $11.72
Sallie Trimble, 4 acres near Moore $11.72
Mary Young, 1 acre near Lincoln $11.72
Ellen Ballard, (NB) 1 acre near Dante Hall $11.72
George Boyd, 1 acre near Sharpsburg $11.72
Sallie Collins, 27 acres near Lawrence $7.56
Henry Crouch, (NB) 1 acre near Henryville $6.69
John Green, (NB) 1 acre Henryville $5.51
Belle Hutchings, 1 acre on Grule $11.06
Maggie Johnson, 1 acre near Bryant $6.80
Walter Morgan, 1 acre near Neal $11.35
Levi Norton, 1 acre near Jones $5.17
Annie Bell Queen, 1 acre near Jones $7.56
James Stephenson, 1 acre near Jones $7.56
Alexander Talbert Thomas and wife, 1 acre near Dick Rogers $6.80
Effie Thomas, 1 acre near Bryant $11.94
Alice Thornton, 1 acre near Mt. Baker $11.45
Amerion Wells, 1 acre near Hollie Simpson $11.69
John Young, 1 acre near Burr Young $6.15
Jonathan Young, 17 acres near D. Young $14.50

PUBLIC SALE

I will offer to the highest bidder, at the court house door in Carlisle on Monday, Feb. 12, 1923, county court day, at 2 o'clock, p. m., the farm known as the George Hamilton farm located on the Leesburg Spring pike, 1 mile from Carlisle, the farm having on it a good house and 2 acres tobacco barn.

E. M. Mann. 2-1-3t*

If you are thinking of having a sale call or write W. A. Boyd, Sharpsburg, Ky., for dates. The man who gets the prices. My price is reasonable and I guarantee my work. till April 1*

A-AA-4-4 Tobacco canvas—at cost

Hopkins Drug Co.

Anti-Skipper Compound will keep the skippers off your meat and will keep it in a moist condition by exactly using the outlined.

Hopkins Drug Co. 1t

NOTICE

Send your subscription for the Lexington Herald to H. Smith, the Lexington Herald agent. Phone 546 Carlisle, Ky. You can save time and money. 1-25-3t*

Tobacco Canvas at cost—

Effen's 1t

Buy your supply of shoes during Effen's going out of business sale.

Anti-Skipper Compound will keep the skippers off your meat and will keep it in a moist condition by exactly using the outlined.

"ANTI-SKIPPER COMPOUND"

Hopkins Drug Co. 1t

NURSE.—Apply to Miss Nellie Ware, Carlisle, Ky. 1-25-3t

I. B. Ross and C. S. Attorneys for the Plaintiff

The Family.

Jno. F. Morgan, Gen. Ad Litem

The NEW
1923
STUDEBAKER
cars are now on display in our salesrooms

1923 MODELS AND PRICES—f. o. b. factories

LIGHT-SIX
5-Pass., 112" W. B., 40 H. P.
Touring $975
Roadster (5-Pass.) 975
Coupe-Roadster (2-Pass.) 1225
Sedan 1585

SPECIAL-SIX
5-Pass., 119" W. B., 50 H. P.
Touring $1275
Roadster (2-Pass.) 1250
Coupe (4-Pass.) 1875
Sedan 2050

HIGH-SIX
7-Pass., 126" W. B., 60 H. P.
Touring $1750
Speedster (5-Pass.) 1835
Coupe (4-Pass.) 2400
Coupe (5-Pass.) 2450
Sedan 2750

Terms to suit Your Convenience

Main Street Garage
THIS IS A STUDEBAKER YEAR

IN REMEMBRANCE

Of Our Baby, Howard Clifton Crump, Who Died January 29th, 1923

Our baby is gone, but her footprints Never shall his memory fade; Sweetest thoughts, but ever linger Around that little darling's grave.

Our baby is not here to-day, His little voice is silent, A place is vacant in our home That never will be filled.

Yes, we miss our darling baby, His little voice so sweet, We miss him here, but God has said In Heaven again we'll meet.

The Family.

NICHOLAS CIRCUIT COURT

Lulie Haverstick, etc. ..... Plaintiff
vs. Notice
Carrie Haverstick, etc. ..... Defendant

All persons having claims against the estate of H. H. Haverstick, deceased, are hereby notified to file same with the undersigned Master Commissioner, proerly proved as required by Kentucky Statutes. All persons failing to do same will be barred from participation in the distribution of the proceeds of the estate.

This 30th day of January.

W. M. C. N. C. C.

I. B. Ross and C. S. Attorneys for the Plaintiff

Jno. F. Morgan, Gen. Ad Litem

MR. FARMER

Are you contemplating the use of fertilizers on your tobacco ground this spring, if so come in and we will show you why you should use a particular brand fertilizer instead of a chemical mixture. In 500 pounds of acre of goods there is the exact plant food to produce an acre of tobacco and by using it on your land you save the fertility of your soil, mature your tobacco earlier with more pounds and better quality.

Carlisle Coal & Feed Co. 1t

The number of the age for 1923 is 1923. Get your license early. Only at Hopkins Drug Co. 1t

THE PLACE TO BUY
BUGGIES, WEBER WAGONS, Land and Hillside PLOWS
DISC HARROWS, or any other implement used on the farm.
A full line of HARNESS, both work and buggy, on hand at all times. OUR PRICES ARE RIGHT. Come and look our stock over.
Wm. Howard & Son

THE LOAN THAT NEVER COMES DUE
UNLESS AND UNTIL THE BORROWER WISHES TO PAY IT
$50.45 per year on each $1,000 of loan pays both principal and interest
NO COMMISSION
FARM LOANS
Ask I. B. ROSS
KENTUCKY JOINT STOCK LAND BANK
Security Trust Bldg. Lexington, Ky.

Ford Cars

Will be in greater demand this year than ever before in history of the Ford industry, and we want to impress on those wanting cars the importance of getting their car now, or at least get in their order and be in line when they want it. Unless we have the orders we cannot hope to get the cars, and it is therefore to our mutual interest for you to get in your order now.

Now is the time to consider a Fordson Tractor for your spring work, and remember we have them on hand, and can make immediate delivery. Also remember we can take care of your every trouble, and give you good service when you buy from us.

GOODYEAR TIRES

Have advanced in price but remember we have a large stock bought before the advance, and are selling at the old price, and will continue to do so until Feb. 15. The prospect is good for another advance in price, and this is your opportunity to buy cheaper than any time this year. We have all sizes.

Second Hand Cars

We trade new cars for old ones and have on hand at all times a stock of second hand cars. If you are in the market for one see us before you buy.

Harper's Garage

Nose stopped up? MENTHOLATUM quickly clears it.

LOCALS

Tonight, Thursday ecuse Katherine Macdonald, in "The Woman."

Friday —Comes Elaine Hammerstein, in "Eyeless."

Saturday—Betty Compson, in "The Bonded Woman."

Monday —Comes Gloria Swanson, in "The Golden Cage." This is one of the big pictures.

Lyric Tonight

Martin's Garage reports the sale of a Buick touring sedan to Miss Evelyn Estes.

"Clay," a bird dog belonging to Mrs. Fannie Dinsmore, died last week at the age of 12 years.

C. C. Cole qualified in county court as administrator of the estate of O. G. Herrin, deceased, with L. B. Ross surety in the sum of $500.

The Blue Grass Produce Company was paying 35 cents per dozen for eggs Wednesday. A decline of three cents since last Wednesday.

Brick work has started on the new store room on Martin's corner on Main street. This building will be occupied with Mr. Martin's garage on Elm street.

William Miller, formerly of Millersburg, was struck and instantly killed by a train at Atlanta, Ga., last Friday. The body was sent to Millersburg for burial.

Will the oldest inhabitant kindly tell us of another winter in which the first of February has been reached without the ground being at some time covered with snow.

Edward T. Sanford, aged 57, judge of the supreme court of the district of Tennessee, has been nominated by President Harding for associate justice of the supreme court.

900 dog licenses and 36 kennel licenses have been issued by County Clerk Woodfill. This is only about 100 short of the number of dog licenses issued for the last two assessments.

The farm of Mrs. Carolina Offutt, located on the Paris and Lexington pike, about four miles from Paris, was purchased last week at public auction by Catesby Spears for $200 per acre.

Up until Tuesday night 3,507,200 pounds of burley had been handled here by the Corporation Warehouse. The rainy weather this week has put a damper on sales and the house has been stripped this week.

The local Farmers' Union will meet Thursday, Feb. 8, at the Farmers Warehouse. The Farmers' Community Fair will be held Saturday, February 3, at the court house at 1 p. m. All locals requested to be present.

Friday is the day his hogship is supposed to come out of his hole and take a look at the weather. As we have had no winter to speak of yet, how can we have six more weeks, whether he sees his shadow or not.

Hogs were quoted as nicely to ten cents higher on the Louisville market Wednesday morning, with prices ranging from $7.25 for packers and butchers to $6 for fat sows. Cattle were reported nearly 50 cents higher, ranging from $9 for steers steers to $3.50 for common cows. Calves were quoted steady, with prices ranging from $14 to $8.

Prohibition agents drained vats at the Lexington Brewing Co. at Lexington last Thursday, carrying 1,000 barrels of real beer into the sewers. The beer was valued at approximately $18,000. The action followed a ruling of Judge Cochran closing the plant for a year. Bonds of $10,000 every requested to pay fines totaling $8,000.

The Parent-Teacher Association invites the women, especially mothers, to hear Miss Gaeil, of the University of Kentucky, who will speak on Friday, February 9, at 3 o'clock p. m. at the regular meeting to be held at the city school next room to the High. February 6, at 7 p. m. No admission will be charged. Please show your interest by attending.

Millersburg Correspondence in Bourbon News:

The P-T. Association will meet in the music room of Central High Thursday evening, Feb. 1, at 7:30 o'clock. Prof. Duke Young, Supt. of Carlisle High School, will speak at this meeting on the subject of "Community Co-operation and Schools." There will be music by a double mixed quartet.

The Nicholas County Building and Saving Association will hold its first tenth annual meeting in the county judge's office at the court house, at 8:30 o'clock, a. m., Monday next, February 5, 1923, for the purpose of electing directors and officers, and it is earnestly requested that every stock holder be present.

James T. H. Ross, President

Sam K. Veach, Secretary.

Jackie Coogan, in "My Boy," gives through the courtesy of Mr. and Mrs. George Speer, at the Lyric theatre, at the Lyric Theatre, furnished a most delightful evening's entertainment to those who braved the ice storm to attend. The following orchestra, composed of the following talented musicians, Miss Louise Kennedy, Pianist, Mr. A. F. Hoffman, Leader, A. E. Fisher, Paul Brown, and Paul Walden furnished excellent music, making the program worth several times the price of admission. Warmest thanks are due these musicians and Mr. and Mrs. Duncan for a most enjoyable evening's entertainment. The proceeds, as previously announced, were for the benefit of needy children. —Contributed.

PERSONALS

—W. F. Tune was in Maysville Monday on business.

—C. M. Lambert spent Friday and Saturday in Maysville.

—Terry McClanahan was in Louisville last week on business.

—Sam Berry, of Lexington, was in Carlisle a short time Friday.

—Mrs. Jim Will Martin is reported ill at her home on Chestnut street.

—Allen Hopkins is suffering from injuries received in a recent auto wreck.

—Mrs. W. B. Bell is ill at her home on Chestnut street, suffering with grippe.

—Roger Pitts, of Ripley, Ky., was the guest of John Archdeacon Monday.

—Mr. and Mrs. Jno. N. Ireland left Friday for a week's stay at Jacksonville, Fla.

—L. A. Martin was in Cincinnati, Monday and Tuesday on a business trip.

—Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Davis, of Paris, were here Wednesday on business.

—Mrs. Rudolph Davis, of Paris, was the guest of Mrs. W. S. Willett, Wednesday.

—Mrs. Ed M. Rankin is reported as seriously ill, threatened with pneumonia.

—Miss Roberta Potts visited Miss Mary King in Lexington, Friday and Saturday.

—Mrs. James Fulton is spending the week with her daughter and son in Lexington.

—Mrs. John Wells has been quite ill for the past few days, at her home on Sycamore.

—Cap Rankin is able to be out again after a few days illness, suffering with la grippe.

—Mr. Fred Grutzer, of Franklin, Ky., is visiting the family of Mrs. Ursula Grutzer.

—Mrs. J. E. Ross and Mr. A. B. Smathers were in Lexington Wednesday on business.

—Miss Nancy Bonsel continues ill at her home on Chestnut street, suffering from influenza.

—Mrs. Ireland and Stewart Dunlevy have returned from a business trip to Louisville.

—Mr. John O'Connell has been confined to his home on Chestnut street by a convalescing dearly.

—Dr. H. E. Mathers, of Paris, was the guest of Mrs. Ben Mathers Tuesday.

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—Rev. W. G. Maxwell was in Maysville Monday, attending a meeting of the Mission Board. He went to Maysville on Tuesday to attend a meeting called by the Bishop.

—Mrs. B. F. Reynolds and baby daughter were in Lexington, Wednesday, to see Dr. Reynolds, who is getting along nicely since his operation for appendicitis last Wednesday.

—Col. Sam Kerns, well known to the newspaper fraternity as the man who put "Goebel City" on the map, at present a resident of Mt. Sterling, from which town he emerges occasionally to write tributes to departed friends, visited Carlisle Wednesday.

—The Busy Girls' Taylor left Sunday for Lexington, Va., to attend a house party given by the Theta Pi Fraternity at Washington and Lee University. Miss Frances Taylor will visit Hollins College where she was a student for the past two years.

—Mrs. Henry M. Potts, Mrs. Sterling Blake, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Harper, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Tevis, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Palmer, Misses Elizabeth Harper, Cordelia Hilpert and Mary Frances Fisher were among those who attended the Taylor-Wall concert at Lexington, Friday evening. Miss Fisher remained over Sunday for a visit with her brother, Robert Fisher.

—Mrs. Fred Everett, Darnall entertained on last Thursday afternoon with a one o'clock luncheon which was one of the most elaborate of the Club has enjoyed during this season.

The house was tastily decorated with cut flowers and potted plants which blended in with the rainbow shades, favors and luncheon tables.

Mrs. Darnall was assisted in entertaining by her sisters, Mrs. J. W. Tilton, Mrs. H. K. Veach and her charming young daughter, Miss Helen Darnall.

BIRTHS

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SADLER —Mr. and Mrs. James Sadler are receiving congratulations on the arrival of a fine son, to be named Ezra Sadler. Mrs. Sadler was formerly Miss Carrie Minton, of this county.

DEATHS

MITCHELL —Everett Woodson Mitchell, eight months old son of Mr. and Mrs. John Mitchell, died at the home of his parents, on Sunday, January 28, of pneumonia. Funeral services were held at the home Monday afternoon, followed by burial in the Carlisle cemetery.

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SMOOT —Mr. Blair Smoot, well known farmer of the county, died at his home on the Locust Grove pike Wednesday morning after an illness of several days with pneumonia. Deceased is survived by his wife and one child, six brothers, Robert, Henry, Grimes, Richard and James Smoot, and one sister, Mrs. Thomas Parsons, all of this county. Funeral arrangements had not been completed when The Mercury's forms closed.

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SHROUT —Andrew George Shrout, aged 75 years, died at his home near Myers, on Saturday, January 27th, after an illness of three weeks, following a stroke of paralysis, which he suffered on Sunday, January 14th. Funeral services were conducted by Rev. S. Carver at the home, on Sunday morning, and Interment followed in the Carlisle cemetery. He is survived by nine children; Mrs. Pittsburg, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Fisher last week.

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