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KENTUCKY NEWS BRIEFS

John Downs, 45 years old, shot and killed his brother-in-law, Charles Denson, 35, in Nelson county.

The corner stone of a new $200,000 city public school building at Georgetown was laid last Thursday.

The Kentucky Female Orphan School at Midway opened last week with an enrollment of more than 200.

John H. Lamastus, 63, Warren county farmer, accidentally killed himself while repaired hunting his stock.

Sale of a new $400,000 hotel at Owensboro has been ordered by the courts to pay off the hotel's indebtedness.

An outbreak of smallpox in Crittenden county has caused two deaths and 35 persons are suffering with the disease.

The plant of the Mixed-Edward Corrugated Company at Covington was destroyed by fire Saturday causing a loss of $75,000.

The Kentucky Female Orphan School at Midway has announced the gift of $10,000 from Mrs. M. Montgomery, of Cynthiana.

Federal court opened at Jackson Monday with 430 cases on the criminal docket, 400 of them being for violations of the prohibition laws.

Judge Morgan Vowell, of Nelson county, has ordered the probation of the County Judge's association which was formed at Louisville last week.

Dr. R. Amos Montgomery, former president of Centre College, formerly president of the Kentucky State Theological Seminary and of Transylvania College, died at Danville Tuesday.

Edna May's King, a stallion owned by Robert L. English, of Fairbanks, was crowned champion saddle horse of America at the State Fair last week.

Bobby Jones, of Atlanta, scheduled to be the greatest living golf player, will play an exhibition match at the Ashland Golf Club in Lexington the morning of October 2.

Six gallons of the "best" moonshine whisky, valued at approximately $12,000 in bootleg agents in Nelson county last week.

While playing "Indian" with a toy bow and arrow, Robert Woodrow McCutchen, 11 years old, accidentally shot and killed his sister, Alma, 13, at their home at Murray.

Ed Roberts, 53 years old, Lexington bricklayer, suffered a broken arm and several bruises and internal injuries when he was struck and knocked up by an automobile last Friday night.

Jesse Harris, negro, fired into a crowd of negroes at Lexington last week in presence of Reformed Policeman Hughes, wounding three negroes, one of whom, it is alleged, he had hinged in jail.

Calvert Parrish, 14 years old, was killed two stores in that place when a plane and a large number of people were present.

Robert T. Farley, member of the Cathedral State Bank and President of the Kentucky Bankers Association, died at his home in Louisville last week.

Dr. James Brown, formerly of Georgetown, has joined the Lexington medical staff and will open a laboratory for further medical research in the Lexington Building.

Clark County, negro, was given the women people's prize at Lexington by a jury in the Division exhibit last week. The prize is a silver offering valued at $100.

Bermudian Lake at Ice Springs has contracted with Louisville and Nashville to haul ice from Lake Superior which lies 25 miles from Lake Michigan, Harry J. Thorsen, partner of the Bunt Company, of Chicago, said last week.

Dulcie C. Bradley, 26 years old, world war veteran of Lexington, died last week from a fall of approximately one a road near Lexington. He was a member of the 149th Infantry in the World war.

George Tracey, 41 years old, the father of seven children, whose home died last week, was found dead outside at his home in Lexington last Friday to drinking poison after making arrangements for his children placed in an orphanage.

Given the alternative of chain-gang or paying the money, Mrs. Mary Stewart, of Lexington, was started her in the liquor business or remaining others and spend a three months in jail. Mrs. Mary Stewart, 48 years old, chose jail instead court at Louisville last week.

Salem Loney, 42 years old, shot and killed his wife and then turned the gun on himself and ended his own life at his home in Louisville following a family quarrel.

21 state and county prisoners were removed from the Letcher county jail at Whitesburg to the Perry county jail at Hazard last week on orders from the Letcher federal court, which charged Jailer Fess Whitaker with insecurely keeping the jail.

James E. Ray, 23 years old, of Bainbridge, Ga., arrested at Knoxville, Tenn., last week on a charge of stealing an automobile at Winchester, told authorities he was an escaped convict from the Georgia penitentiary, where he was serving a life sentence for killing seven persons.

Jack Purvis, 26 years old, trombone player in an orchestra which played in Winchester, Ky., last week was arrested last week on a charge of bigamy, the warrant for his arrest being sent from Pittsburg. Purvis is charged with marrying a girl in Pittsburg while he had a wife in Tampa, Fla.

Dennis Gore, 60, and Bill McDaniel, 28, were killed instantly by a premature blast of dynamite while other miners were injured and several more were slightly injured in an explosion at a stone quarry at Brightwood, in Bracken county, when one of the men accidentally struck a stick of dynamite with a pick.

FROM SILAGE TO HAY

Feeders who raise out of corn silage which Kentucky cattle feeders put market them on that account if they can obtain the corn silage, according to experiments made at the Kentucky Experiment Station. Tests made on three sets of cows showed that corn silage may be substituted for corn, oats and mixed hay in the rations of dairy cows without reduction in the flavor of the milk. The substitution was being made, but this was replaced by mixed hay.

THINGS ABOUT KENTUCKY

Citizens of Brooksville have started to form a syndicate, composed of business and professional men, to buy bonds of drill wells. Most of the drilling rigs in Bracken county are now erected and being put into operation. The Bracken county oil and gas development company has been formed at Germantown and plans to drill for oil in Bracken county have taken hold. Lumber people of West Liberty engaged in the manufacture of wooden boxes for the overall plant that has opened for business in Morgan County, reports the Morgan County Times.

Ben F. Johnson, of Paducah, has advertised for five hundred Negro laborers to work in a plant, one of the largest in the South, which will be opened in Paducah within two weeks. Most of the laborers will be in place by October 1.

According to the poultry student of Kentucky, they have removed an estimated 50,000 birds in the six months of this year as they recently reported for the year of 1925 from January 1 to July 1. Lots of poultry houses are being built, reported, which equals the amount that built last year. Since the year of 1920, the poultry raising industry has increased 200 per cent.

The Fordson Coal Co., of which J. C. Fordson is president, is to build the largest timber land owners in Kentucky, according to the local Leslie counties convert to coal operations and operate the largest timbered and cut-over lands. Sawmills will operate in production of Kentucky Forest Service.

Plans for the construction of further in Western Kentucky, the Amerikan Tobacco Company, which employs 200 persons and has a factory in Louisville, will be made in Paducah. The Paducah Sun says the company has distributed seeds for the last twenty-five more employees.

LARGE TIMBER LAND OWNERS

The Fordson Coal Company, of which Fordson Coal is president, is to be the largest timber land owner in Kentucky. Its holdings, in Leslie and Letcher counties, are approximately 120,000 acres, and the timbered and cut-over lands have been placed under the protection of the Kentucky Forest Service.

PRESERVE SURPLUS VEGETABLES FOR WINTER

Food experts say that plenty of fruit and vegetables during the winter will prevent the need of spring tonics. They advocate eating two vegetables each day, in addition to potatoes. To follow their recommendation it would require a big supply. It means canning, drying or storing surplus vegetables through the summer and fall. Don't let fruit and vegetables go to waste just because there are big crops of them.

MATING THE FLOCK

(Practical Sheep Talks by Richard C. Miller, Kentucky College of Agriculture.)

The condition of the ewes and rams at the beginning of the mating season has much to do with the success of the flock. Ewes in a gaining condition at breeding time will drop a larger and more even percentage of lambs.

A few days before the mating season begin the ewes should be put into the best pasture available, where an abundance of grass is easily obtained. Where good pasture is not available it is a good plan to supplement ordinary pasture with a fourth of a pound of grain and pound daily for three or four weeks during the mating season.

The ram to be a good breeder should be in a vigorous condition. During the mating season he should be fed a pound of grain daily. Oats or a mixture of equal parts of oats and corn are more satisfactory than corn alone.

The ewes should be prepared for the ram by removing any dung locks or wool that may interfere with breeding. Often ewes with long tails do not get with lamb, as the tails sometimes interfere with the service. This trouble can be largely avoided by removing the end from the tail with a pair of hand shears.

OVER 75 BILLION CIGARETTES!

Back in 1876, when whiskers were in style, cigarettes and safety razors were rare and little known. Yet, last year 75,025,064,791 cigarettes were manufactured in this country, according to statistics. Meanwhile, the razor has gone from modernized their farming system! Tractors, with tractors, new type drills, plows and cultivators to keep up with the times.

OPENING DAY AT THE LEXINGTON TROTS

THE FUTURITY ($7,000) for 2-year-olds and the WALNUT HALL STAKES ($4,000 and trophy) for trotters of all ages will be the big features events of the Lexington Trots on the opening day, Monday, Sept. 27. There will be other feature but these two will be the attractive features, promising the finest trotting fights of the year, especially as many of the best of their respective classes. In the FUTURITY amongst others are those winners Peter Ruth M. Chenault's entrant, Hollywood Boy, owned by Henry of Nancree, Grey Boy, owned by Signal Flash, Arrel, owned Atlanta Boy, owned by Gold, Harvester and Newsprint.

THE WALNUT HALL CUP is almost certain to furnish the most important finishes of the year, there are 22 eligible to start. Its entries stake winners: Guy Dale Trusty, Hollywood Prince, Lillian Dillon, Peter Ruth, Pearl Bolton, The Senator, Erin Guy, Rose Scott, Dunia.

LEXINGTON TROTS STAKES

The program of the Grand Circuit Meeting to be held at Lexington Sept. 27th to Oct. 9th is the richest ever, with stake events with a total value of $66,000. The following class races added to those offering the final total to near $90,000.

Two rich stakes are programmed for the first four days. On Monday the $7,000 Futurity, the 2-year-old trotters, an attractive event for colts of the age the winner, and The Walnut Hall Cup (2:08 trots) for $4,000, will be trotted. In both large fields of the best of their division are expected. Saturday is the latter's day of beautiful contest predicted. The Terrapin Stakes, 2:04, the 2-year-old pacers, and The Kentucky Futurity, for 3-year-old trotters, worth $14,000 will be decided. Never before in light harness horse history have so many of high class 2-year-old trotters raced as in 1926, and they are all eligible to the Kentucky Futurity. This race will be repeated. The Hollywood (2:12 pace) $2,000, also the same day. On Wednesday, Sept. 29th, The Kim Stakes ($2,000 trots) for $2,000, and The Tennessee (3-year-old pacers) $2,000 will be contested, followed Thursday by the Kentucky Trotting Futurity (2:05