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Weather Guess --

KENTUCKY AND TENNESSEE: — Fair Tuesday and Wednesday; slowly rising temperature Wednesday.

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THE LISTENING POST

● The thing which a daily column writer always fears came to me a few days ago and found me powerless to prevent it. In writing a daily column there is always a fear that some day something will happen to prevent it being written. Usually it is a fear that the old bean will fall to operate, that there will be no ideas at all and the writer must merely sit and watch the paper go to press with the column unwritten. Of course, this would not amount to anything and no harm would be done, but every columnist gets so completely proud of his handiwork that he sincerely believes the world would stop spinning on its axis if the column failed to appear. That is a far fetched idea, certainly, and secretly I know nothing would happen if this column came to a permanent end. But when a fellow does a certain job over a period of years he begins to take a certain pride in keeping on, even if he knows there is no vital need for keeping on.

● For the past month or so I have been flirting with the idea of taking a vacation from this column, and do I hear loud cheers from the world outside? At the time the weather was hot, I was tired, and had few ideas worth writing about and felt that perhaps a week's vacation might be good business. But for one reason or another I did not take that vacation and things appeared to be back under control. Then I missed a day without any warning whatever.

● I came down to work one morning last week when I knew I wasn't feeling a bit good. I had not been feeling good for a couple of days, but kept thinking the feeling would wear off. That particular morning I felt particularly vile and the world seemed an evil place in which to live. I could not tell with any accuracy what ailed me, but knew I was far from par. I went through my morning chores at the office and thought I was beginning to feel better. Then, all of a sudden, I began to feel a lot worse and before I could get control of myself I had to stretch out on the floor. Gosh, I was sick, and when Factotum found me on the floor I rather think he thought I had gone to the particular heaven which is reserved for newspaper workers. He would not even approach me, and I could tell from the way his eyes rolled that he thought he was looking at a dead man. I was far from that, but I was so sick that I wished almost I could pass out.

● After a few minutes I managed to get up and go home, and there Doc Haws thumped and pawed over me for a while. I really thought I had appendicitis, that being my favorite disease, but the doc merely laughed when I mentioned it and said I had no sign or symptom of that well known ailment. "You need some medicine, but you ought to be back at work by tomorrow," he told me as he left.

● That was about the time when I should have been starting the column for the next day, and I thought I could certainly knock it out there at home after a while. I knew what I wanted to write, and never taking any pains with writing, I thought I could sit up long enough to batter out that column. But I could not make it that day, for flesh was too weak. I thought then that I could make it the next morning surely and so let the

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WATER CONSUMERS IMPORTANT NOTICE

Your attention is called to the payment date of water bills due October 1st, 1940. Please call at City Hall and pay same. Paul DeMyer, Mayor. Adv. 233-154.

United States Sues 22 Major Oil Companies

Monopoly, Price Fixing, Conspiracy Are Charged In Action

Washington.—The government filed suit today against the American Petroleum Institute and 22 oil companies, charging unlawful monopoly, price fixing, and conspiracy in violation of the Sherman Anti-Trust Act.

Contending that the defendant firms controlled virtually all of the crude oil available for refining and put independents "at a competitive disadvantage," the Justice Department asked the Federal District Court for the District of Columbia to restrain the companies from acquiring oil reserves for monopolistic purposes.

The dissolution of the Petroleum Institute, which has its headquarters in Washington, also was asked. The government contended the institute was created by the defendant firms to promote illegal practices in the industry.

The following oil firms are the defendants: Atlantic Refining Company, Barnsdall Oil Company, Cities Service Company, Consolidated Oil Corporation, Continental Oil Company, Gulf Oil Corporation, Mid-Continent Petroleum Corporation, Ohio Oil Company, Phillips Petroleum Company, Pure Oil Company, Shell Union Oil Corporation, Skelly Oil Company, the Soccon-Vacuum Oil Company, Standard Oil Company of California, Standard Oil Company (Indiana), Standard Oil Company (Kentucky), Standard Oil Company (New Jersey), Standard Oil Company (Ohio), Sun Oil Company, Texas Corporation, Tidewater Association Oil Company, Union Oil Company of California, and approximately 300 subsidiaries of all the defendant firms.

Virus Of Cold Hunts Victims At 100 M. P. H.

Pittsburgh.—The Air Hygiene Foundation reported today that common cold germs, propelled by a sneeze, hunt new victims at a speed of better than 100 miles an hour.

"An unstified sneeze sprays the air with thousands of droplets, some of which travel twelve feet and at a rate as high as 150 feet a second," said a foundation bulletin.

It warned that the so-called "common cold" was the greatest health problem in industry, adding that health protection of workmen was especially essential during the present stepped-up period of defense production.

Two Hundred Students Participate In Training Course For Pilots

Washington.—Two hundred college students in Kentucky are enrolled in the Civil Aeronautics Administration's pilot-training program, the C. A. A. announced Sunday.

Half of them are undergoing ground instruction—seventy-two hours—at six colleges, while the other half is in flight training—thirty-five to forty-five hours in the air, sufficient to qualify them for private pilots' licenses.

The six Kentucky colleges co-operating in the program and their student quotas: Centre ten, Georgetown ten, Murray twenty, Transylvania twenty, University of Louisville thirty and Western ten.

The same quotas in each school are enrolled for flight training, the C. A. A. said.

New Pilots Created Actual air instruction is provided for Georgetown and Transylvania students at Municipal Airport in Lexington. Bowman Field,

27 Fined For Speeding Here

Twenty-seven citizens of Fulton were fined yesterday in Fulton City Court on charges of speeding in the school zone.

They were T. D. Boaz, J. D. King, Mrs. Helen Cashon, Floyd Bowen, Malcolm Bell, James Overby, Rufus (Corky) Joyner, Paul Walker, John Reeks, Miss Martha Moore, Miss Mildred Mount, Mrs. Clay McCollum, Stanley Jones, Mrs. M. W. Haws, Jack Edwards, Mrs. Fortner Williams, Mrs. R. C. Joyner, Will Speed, Walter Tooms, Mrs. Abe Jolley, R. B. Stunsen, J. J. Owens, Mrs. Gus Bard, Walter Evans, Roy Page, Mrs. I. D. Holmes, Cleo Peoples.

Profits Levy Gets Go Sign

Washington.—Congress put a \$1,000,000,000 excess profits tax bill at the top of its calendar today after a Senate-House committee finished redrafting the measure to include a boost in the normal corporate income tax rate from the present 20.9 to 24 per cent.

The income tax increase would be in addition to the 25 to 50 per cent excess profits levy provided in the bill and, like the latter, would apply to 1940 corporation income. Special lower income tax rates for corporations earning less than \$25,000 would not be affected by the income tax increase.

Final agreement on the legislation, which is part of the defense program, was reached at an unusual Sunday session of the conference committee appointed to compose differences between the Senate and House, which approved the bill in different forms.

House to Act Tuesday Senator Harrison (D., Miss.), conference chairman, announced the House would call up the agreement Tuesday for approval, with the Senate probably following suit the next day.

PERSONALS

W. M. Whitus of Martin, an old resident of Fulton, is spending today here with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Evans returned yesterday to their home in Water Valley, Miss., after spending several days here with relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Townsend went to Paducah this morning for a visit with their son. Miss Betty June George of Union City spent the week-end in Fulton with her cousin, Miss Sara Mae Evans, Edgings street.

NOTICE

The 1940 City Tax Books are now ready. Please call at City Hall and pay same before penalty date, November 1st, 1940. Board of Council. City of Fulton.

Man Admits Killing Father In Hope Of Being Called In Draft

Stanley, N. D.—State Attorney F. F. Wyckoff said Saturday Oscar Hellsyett, 29, confessed he killed his father, Adolph Hellsyett, 59, who was found shot to death the night of August 1.

Wyckoff said the son gave hope of escaping probable draft for military service and the contention that his father "hadn't treated the family right for a long time" as

the reasons for his action.

"I thought if I had someone to depend on me, I wouldn't have to go right away anyway," the attorney quoted him as saying. "I couldn't stand to go to war. Something told me I would have to."

Wyckoff said the young man's mother and sister were present when he made the statement.

War Industries Giving Business Great Swing

New York.—War industry, as shown in latest trade reports, has become the dynamo driving the greatest business upswing of the past decade.

Factory barometers have been climbing since the United States nearly five months ago began to toss billions of dollars in defense orders into the business scales and England stepped up her purchases here to offset supply losses in markets taken over by Germany.

Industrial activity, as measured by the Associated Press weekly index, has topped the peak of the first war-time upsurge last Autumn, at the outset of the war, a scramble to accumulate inventories quickly started factory wheels whirling.

Arms Plants Lead New heavy industry deriving support from big-scale armament orders is leading the way. Unlike the relatively volatile steps and starts of the business march in recent years, the present move has the tremendous power of the yet unspent defense budgets and the months and years required to build arms plants, a two-ocean Navy and the equipping of men called into military training.

Announcement of Japan's formal link to the Rome-Berlin axis last week, raising new threats to war-disrupted foreign trade, brought some selling into security markets but business comment continued to emphasize the arms boom in appraising the outlook.

NEW FOUNDRY SPEEDS PLANE CYLINDER HEADS

New York.—A bottleneck in aircraft engine production has been solved by the foundry devoted exclusively to the molding and casting of aluminum alloy cylinder heads, Myron B. Gordon, vice president and general manager of the Wright Aeronautical Corp., said Sunday.

The new foundry, at Fairlawn, N. J., has facilities for the uninterrupted performance of all operations from raw materials to finished cylinder heads. Gordon said the plant was approaching full production.

WRITER'S MARRIAGE ZIPPERED UP AGAIN

Reno, Nev.—Hugh Wiley, the magazine writer, Saturday announced he and the wife who divorced him eight days ago were remarried Saturday afternoon at Carson City Nev.

"I've been on the loose eight days and I'm sick of it," Wiley said. "Mrs. Wiley, too, is tired of it. She found that since the advent of zipers on ladies' dresses it's imperative to have a man around to help."

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Green are moving today from South Fulton to the W. C. Valentine home on Pearl street.

NOTICE MASTERS

Roberts Lodge No. 172 F. & A. M., will meet in stated communication at 7:30 p. m. tonight, October 1st. Regular business and steps will be taken to Organize a Degree Team. All members urged to attend. Visitors Welcome.

T. J. Smith, W. M. G. C. Hall, Secy. Adv. 11.

Teacher Heading Anti-Draft Meeting Is Reinstated

Pittsburgh.—J. C. Spahr Hull, high school teacher suspended last week after he presided at a meeting at which the attitude of conscientious objectors toward conscription was discussed, was reinstated Monday pending completion of a Federal inquiry into the meeting.

Superintendent of Schools Ben G. Graham announced the reinstatement, saying Hull had promised to "confine" his activities in the future to "school work and those community projects of religion and education which have community recognition."

Acting United States Attorney George Mashank ordered agents of the Federal Bureau of Investigation to determine whether any laws against draft-dodging were violated at the meeting.

Roof Climber Waking Couple Is Found Deer

Hollywood.—Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Hellyer awakened to the clatter of feet on the tile roof of their home. Grabbing a rifle and a shotgun respectively, husband and wife hurried to the roof just in time to see a deer leap back to a hillside and speed away.

Reward Is Refused By Kidnap Rescuer

Los Angeles.—Cecil Wetzel says he has declined his share of the \$25,000 reward for the rescue of kidnapped 3-year-old Marc de Tristano Jr.

Wetzel, billed as "the kidnap hero," is making personal appearances at a theater. The El Dorado County sawmill operator and a companion were credited with the capture of the child's abductor.

"Yes, I turned down my share of the \$25,000 reward," said Wetzel in an interview. "I've got kids of my own."

MOST GRADUATES FOUND VOCATIONALLY HAZY

Washington.—A survey which showed that only about one in every four of the 1,750,000 students who leave schools and colleges each year has any clear idea of the kind of job he should seek was made public Sunday by the American Youth Commission.

The report recommended that schools provide "realistic vocational guidance, appropriate vocational preparation and eventual job placement."

HERSHEY APPOINTED ACTING DRAFT DIRECTOR

Washington.—President Roosevelt has signed an executive order conferring upon Lieut. Col. Lewis B. Hershey the powers of director of selective service pending the appointment of a regular director, it was announced Sunday night.

Hershey has been executive officer at Selective Service Headquarters. The order permits him to issue public notices and instructions, allocate funds, appoint certain subordinates and take other steps necessary to proceed with the conscription program.

Miss Marjorie Kelton has gone to California where she will spend several weeks.

Writer Suicide Motive Puzzle

New York.—The death by hanging of Courtney Ryley Cooper ended on a puzzling note the career of a noted author.

The 53-year-old writer was found hanging in a hotel closet yesterday. Friends said he had been in a state of nervous exhaustion from overwork. His wife, the former Genevieve R. Fuery of Los Angeles, said he apparently had been detected because the Federal Bureau of Investigation and other Washington authorities had shown no interest in information he obtained in Mexico relating to German Fifth Column activities.

B. E. Sackett, special agent in charge of the F. B. I. in New York, said neither J. Edgar Hoover, F. B. I. chief nor any other member of the organization had talked with Cooper about the Mexican matter.

Britons Expect New Crisis During October

London.—Informed sources Monday said Britain is preparing against a new war crisis in October, an Axis campaign against Gibraltar coupled with an Indian summer attempt to invade England.

Naval circles warned that the danger of invasion still is present despite approach of the winter storms that lash the English Channel. They said direct attack could be attempted in periods of calm especially during Indian summer weather in October.

Approaching "Supreme Gamble," The Daily Express, published by Lord Beaverbrook, Minister for Aircraft Production, said the most likely Axis strategy would be thrusts at Gibraltar and Bizerte, French Tunisia, in an effort to draw the British home fleet to the Mediterranean and leave the English Channel less hazardous for invasion barges.

30 SAILORS RESCUED AS SHIP BREAKS APART

Jacksonville, Fla.—Their vessel pounded to pieces by heavy seas, thirty seamen of the wooden steamer Alice Tebb abandoned her Saturday and were taken aboard the steamship Samuel Q. Brown shortly before the Tebb broke in half and sank 100 miles northeast of Jacksonville.

WOMAN IS KILLED IN EFFORT TO SAVE PET

Philadelphia.—Seventeen years ago a little black and white mongrel found a home with Mrs. Florence Simon, who named it Tiny. Sunday night, while walking with it mistress, Tiny strayed onto the railroad tracks in the face of an oncoming train. Mrs. Simon dashed to the rescue but both were killed.

Many New City Zoning Laws Now Provide Special Parking Spaces

Chicago.—Off-street parking space for every new apartment house, hotel, store and theater—special causes of parking congestion—is being required by more and more city zoning ordinances, information from the American Society of Planning Officials showed Thursday. Small cities as well as large ones are adopting this requirement, 35 "samples" collected by the society show.

Among cities which specify that every new multiple residence must have a car-parking space are Bronxville, Croton-on-Hudson and Rochester, N. Y.; Bound Brook, Northvale, Hillsdale and Nutley, N. J.; Evanston, Bloomer and Glenview, Ill., and Los Angeles and Santa Monica, Calif.

Typical of the provisions applying to multiple dwelling districts is the Evanston ordinance, which says that every such dwelling newly erected shall provide garage or parking space within the building or on the lot or adjoining property

Seek To Halt Limiting Of Truck Weight

Petition Asserts That 18,000 Pound Limit Is Unconstitutional

Frankfort, Ky.—Three large truck operators asked Federal Court today to halt enforcement of the state's 18,000 pound gross load limit.

The suit, filed in Federal District Court here, declared the freight truck load limit law is unconstitutional, interferes with interstate commerce, delays the "program of national defense," and "discriminates" against freight trucks in favor of passenger trucks which are exempt from the limit.

Ask Injunction A temporary injunction pending final hearing and a permanent restraining order was asked by the trio: A. M. Whitney of Bowling Green, doing business as the Whitney Transfer Company, Incorporated; Huber & Huber Motor Express Company, Incorporated, of Louisville, and the Silver Fleet Motor Express Company, Incorporated, of Louisville.

Governor Keen Johnson, State Highway Commissioner J. Lyter Donaldson and State Highway Patrol Director Jack W. Nelson were named as defendants.

Mrs. Sara Caden, deputy court clerk here, said the petition would be forwarded to Judge H. Church Ford in Lexington where action might be taken on the demand for a temporary restraining order.

In connection with his charges of "discrimination" in favor of passenger buses, the suit declared the latter are permitted to haul loads as heavy as 40,000 pounds and named the Southeastern Greyhound Lines, one of the passenger bus operators, as also hauling freight which it declared exceeded the 18,000 pound limit.

L. C. NEWS

J. L. Beven, president, Chicago, will be in Fulton this evening. C. J. Carney, division engineer, Paducah, was in Fulton this morning.

J. W. Kern, Superintendent, Paducah, will be in the city tonight. I. D. Holmes, Trainmaster, and R. C. Pickering were in Memphis yesterday holding a safety meeting.

G. S. Ward, supervisor, Dyersburg, is in Fulton today. H. K. Buck, Trainmaster, spent yesterday in Jackson, Tenn.

REV. T. J. SAXON TO PREACH HERE

Rev. T. J. Saxon of Fortville, Mo., will preach at the First Baptist Church in Fulton Wednesday evening at 7:30 o'clock. The public is invited to hear Rev. Saxon.

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PSYCHOLOGIST SAYS CHANGE COMING

Dr. W. H. Thompson is head of the Department of Psychology in the University of Omaha, and according to him a marked change is coming to the American public. He claims, from a psychological standpoint, the people of the United States are now getting ready for war. Nor does he think that this change will require more than a few months. "We haven't got our fighting clothes on yet," he said, "but it won't take long when we really get started. We must remember that Americans are the sons of brilliant and fierce fighters."

Dr. Thompson recalled the swiftness with which things happened in the first World War. In 1916 there was little real desire for war, and President Woodrow Wilson was really elected on a platform of keeping America out of war. Yet within a few months from that time the mind of the American public underwent a radical change and there was a sudden clamor for armed intervention in the world war that was then raging in Europe.

Dr. Thompson points out that war spirit is not necessarily developed by an accumulation of tanks and planes and artillery. Rather it comes from the mind within and when this comes there is a swift and unpredictable demand for rapid action. Dr. Thompson says that a matter of a few months can bring this change. Calling it a sort of "social amnesia," the Omaha man said that the last remnants of disillusionments of the last war would swiftly disappear when this demand for participation in the present war came to the surface. "We will forget the men who were killed in that war, we will forget the billions of dollars we loaned and lost, we'll forget all that and think only of the present world situation."

Dr. Thompson listed several items as being major factors in changing America's psychology. One is the constant stimulation of war news and news of disasters. Another is a lack of confidence caused by a long series of disasters to peoples who were once friendly allies. These disasters have aroused our anxieties and fears. Likewise defeatist talk, softie talk, is a stimulation, since it brings about a counter-reaction.

The psychologist said that another factor in slowing down a change in attitude in this country has been "our hesitancy to believe that world leadership could ever sink to such levels of barbarism. Americans are idealists as well as fighters." Saying that some people are already urging that enforced military service be made permanent, Dr. Thompson claimed that this bears out his theory that we are getting ready for armed intervention.

There is little doubt that the United States has had no desire to enter this war until the past few months or even weeks. At the beginning, there was almost a hysterical desire to keep out of the conflict, but any intelligent person knows today that we are far closer to war and far more willing than we were before the Germans overran France. We are even closer and more willing since the Germans began bombing London. The English are far better at propaganda than most of us realize, and there is a closer tie between the two great English speaking nations than most of us will admit readily. The news, as it comes out of London, of nightly bombing raids with terrible destruction, has brought us much nearer war than many of us believed possible a year ago. Further English reverses will intensify this feeling, and the recent alliance which links Japan with Germany and Italy is something which is utterly revolting to the people of this nation.

The next few weeks and months will be critical ones for us.

16 Years Ago

(Oct. 1, 1924)

A wedding of interest to friends of the young couple in this city was that of Miss Roberta Thurmond and Sebra Evans, which was solemnized last evening at the First Christian church of this city. Rev. O. J. Sowell officiating.

Mrs. Clarence Pickering and Mrs. Ben F. Evans went to Paducah today to visit Mr. Pickering, who is in the hospital.

Alton Packard, the cartoonist and humorist, will appear here on the lyceum course in High school auditorium Tuesday, October 7.

R. E. Cooper, general manager of the Dary Tobacco Association and Geoffrey Morgan, gold service man, were guests of the Rotary club at the noon luncheon today.

R. J. Robertson, father of Glenn Robertson of this city passed away Monday at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Shelton in New Mexico.

Judge Bunk Gardner of Mayfield will address the Busy Men's Bible Class at the Methodist church here next Sunday morning at 9:30.

Jack Marks, of Scates & Marks, Ford dealers, returned today from Memphis, where he has been for the past month in a hospital under treatment.

Mrs. Rufe Morris left yesterday for Louisville to visit her son, Smoot Morris and family.

T. D. Clark left today for Haleyville, Fla. Hubert Bennett is in Nashville today on business.

Selected Feature

NOT AS YET THE LAST JUDGMENT

In a peculiarly intimate way we are being brought acquainted with life in a besieged city, in a huge modern metropolis upon which the forces of ruthless and, it would appear, indiscriminate destruction, have been let loose. Their declared purpose is to create a situation so desperate, grim and intolerable as to compel surrender. Just that. Something of the same intensity had been witnessed at Madrid. Very few of us, however, knew anything of Madrid or had at any time enjoyed personal contacts with the Madrilenos. What was Hecuba to us, as the old saying went, or we to Hecuba?

London, on the other hand, is the very heart of British story, and that is our story, too. To most of us Liverpool, Manchester, Birmingham, Sheffield are names of great industrial centers, and no more. London is our second home. It may still be true that Americans go to Paris when they die. It is abundantly true that they go to London while they live. They know the charm of its old-time squares and terraces, its crescents, its strange Cockneyisms, so little changed since Dickens discovered Sam Weller—let no one tell you he invented him. Bond Street, Regent Street, Piccadilly Circus, are as real, and as near, as Fifth Avenue, Madison Square and, in the good old days, Twenty-third Street. Americans like to get married at St. Margarets, Westminster, St. George's, Hanover Square, St. Peter's Eaton Place. They know about Limehouse and the sunny side of Pall Mall. They have seen the Horse Guards, immovably, monumentally serious, and the cocky little London volunteers. The majesty of the Law Courts, the vulgarity of Billingsgate, the fascination of the Strand, it is of these they think as bombs fall on hospitals, by accident, of course, and on gas works, likewise, it would appear, by accident. And a cold rage possesses Americans as it does British at the ferocity of an onslaught that leaves the military unscathed and rolls up a ghastly toll of women and children.

Prophecy is unprofitable. It is safe to say, just the same, that pestilence is as far away as panic, but public utilities, the term unknown over there, will function some way somehow, that Londoners will take it on the chin in that sporting temper that cannot be reasoned into craven submission, and would make a joke of the last Judgment, which, Hitler to the contrary notwithstanding, his is not.—Courier-Journal.

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LISTENING POST

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matter ride while I concentrated on taking medicine and more or less enjoying a day in bed.

• I was back at the office briefly the next morning and started to

write the column. Two things happened. One was that I could not hit the proper keys on the typewriter. The other was that ideas and sentences would not come to my fuzzy head. The darned column simply would not write and I had to give it up. So on Friday I saw a paper go to press with the column missing. The net result, for all my previous dread, was that one person asked me several days later what happened to the column. From now on I am never going to worry about missing a day or a week.

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WOMANS CLUB BEGINS NEW YEAR AT MEETING ON FRIDAY, OCTOBER 4th.

The Fulton Woman's Club, now beginning its twentieth year of activity, will open the new club year with its general meeting to be held in the club building on Walnut street Friday afternoon, October 4th at 2:30 p. m.

The following ladies compose the Executive Board for the coming year: Mrs. Mansfield Martin, president; Mrs. Jake Huddleston, first vice-president; Mrs. Leon Browder, second vice-president; Mrs. J. E. Fall, Sr., third vice-president; Mrs. Robert Bard, fourth vice-president; Mrs. Maxwell McDade, corresponding secretary; Mrs. Aaron Butts,

recording secretary; Mrs. Charles Gregory, treasurer; Mrs. Arch Huddleston, Jr., library chairman, and Mrs. Wilmon Boyd, librarian.

The chairman of the departments are: Mrs. Aaron Butts, Art; Mrs. James Warren, Drama; Mrs. Clint Reeds, Garden; Mrs. E. P. Grymes, Music; Mrs. Hugh Pigue, Director of Junior Music and Mrs. Hendon Wright, Junior Woman's Club.

The object of this club is to stimulate intellectual development and to encourage and cooperate in any movement to better human conditions. In keeping with this aim a most interesting program of study and activity has been prepared.

Mrs. Clarence Reed, who writes short stories under the name of Curly Reed, will be the guest speaker at the meeting to be held October 4th. Miss June Dixon, a new member of the local school faculty, will render a group of vocal numbers. Hostesses for the afternoon will be Mesdames Leon Browder, Mozelle Terry Smith, Maxwell McDade, Lawrence Holland, William H. Atkins, Ward Bushart, and Robert H. Binford.

Pages will be Mesdames Hendon Wright and Don Hill and Mrs. Bertie Pigue will preside at the registrar. Following the program a tea will be held in honor of the thirty-three new members being welcomed into the club. This is the largest group of new members to be received into the club at one time since its organization. Club leaders feel that this is a prologue to a year of unusual accomplishment.

Dr. F. C. Pogue of the History Department of Murray State Teachers College has been secured as speaker for the November meeting. Dr. Pogue is much in demand in this capacity and the club anticipates his visit with much interest.

Mrs. C. E. Keiser of Union City will be presented in a book review at the meeting in December. This, also, is looked forward to as an unusual treat.

The remainder of the monthly meetings will be sponsored by the various departments and plans are going forward to make these equally outstanding.

The District Convention is being held in Princeton Tuesday, October 1st. The following delegates have been elected to represent the local organization: Mesdames Mansfield Martin, J. E. Fall, Sr., Charles Gregory, Hendon Wright, and Maxwell McDade. Alternates are Mesdames James Warren, Don Hill, Joe Browder, Jake Huddleston, and Ward

Bushart. Mrs. Joe Page of Barlow, who is District Governor, will preside. The local club has the honor of having one of its members, Mrs. Warren Graham, as corresponding secretary of this body.

The Fulton club has the distinction of being one of the largest clubs in the state and the second largest club in the immediate district. With the help and cooperation of the town and other civic groups, it is felt that this will prove to be a golden year of service and accomplishment in its history.

HUMPHREYS-HOUCHEN WEDDING SATURDAY

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Humphreys announce the marriage of their daughter, Marie, of Fulton, to John Lester Houchen of Canton, Mississippi. The marriage took place Saturday night at the home of Squire S. A. McDade, East State Line. Those attending them were Mr. and Mrs. Verble Puckett of Dukedom and Mrs. Fred Armstrong of Canton, both sisters of the bride. The couple left Sunday for Canton where they will make their home. The groom is employed at Denkin's Furniture Company in Canton.

The many friends of Mrs. Houchen wish her much happiness.

SURPRISE BIRTHDAY DINNER SUNDAY

Mrs. Nannie Carver, who celebrated her 84th birthday Sunday, September 29, was surprised with a delightful dinner in her honor given by her daughter, Mrs. Daisy Thompson at their home in Riceville.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Carver, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Carver, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Carver and daughter, Peggy Jean, Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Carver and son, Jerry, Mr. and Mrs. Dudley Meacham and daughter, Bertie Sue, Mr. and Mrs. Clint Thompson and sons, Charles and Johnny, Mrs. Charlie Herring, Mrs. Carver and Mrs. Thompson.

HOMEMAKERS IN ANNUAL MEETING SEPTEMBER 25

One hundred women attended the 13th Annual Meeting of the Fulton County Homemakers' Association held on September 25 at the Fulton Woman's Club building. The theme of the day was "Women in Democracy," with Mrs. Eric Dublin, County President, presiding over the meeting. Mrs. Cecil Burnett, assisted by Miss Clarice Bondurant, led the group singing. Roll call was answered by the president of each club standing and giving the reports of their year's work in the club.

"What Have We Done" was given by the County leaders, with each leader reporting an increase in the year's work. Mrs. W. H. Harrison made a very interesting talk on the Homemakers' vacation. Mrs. Wales Austin gave a report of Farm and

Home Week. The agent's report was then given by Mrs. Catherine Thompson.

Lunch was served at the noon hour by the Woman's Council of the First Christian Church.

Music by the Fulton High School band, directed by Yewell Harrison, opened the afternoon session. Miss Zelma Monroe, Assistant State Leader of Home Demonstration Agents, was then introduced and she spoke on "Women in A Democracy." The guest speaker for the day, Mrs. T. M. Johnson, who is former State President of the Kentucky Homemakers' Federation, Bowling Green, was presented and her subject of discussion was "Do We Appreciate Being Women in A Democracy." In part Mrs. Johnson said, "Democracy is a condition of the heart and we as American women do not know how to appreciate the freedom we have."

She compared our freedom with those women of other nations that she became acquainted with on her trip last June to London where she attended the meeting of the Associated Country Women of the World.

The following officers were elected for the coming year: president, Mrs. Paul Williams, Crutchfield; vice-president, Mrs. John Binkley, McFadden; secretary-treasurer, Mrs. Donald Mabry, Rush Creek; program conductor, Mrs. Homer Weatherpoon, Palestine; child care, Mrs. J. C. Lawson, Lodges; foods, Mrs. Jim Ammons, Cayce; clothing, Mrs. S. A. Waggener, Crutchfield; home improvement, Mrs. A. J. Lowe, Cayce; kitchen, Mrs. Roy Langford, Brownsville; landscape, Mrs. Thomas G. Jones, Sylvan Shade; 4-H Club leader, Miss Majorie McGeehe, Rush Creek; Farm Bureau Director, Mrs. W. H. Harrison, Rush Creek.

WEINER ROAST LAST EVENING

A group of Rev. and Mrs. Woodrow Fuller's friends enjoyed a weiner roast last evening in a woods on the Clinton highway.

Those attending were Rev. and Mrs. Fuller, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Edwards, Mr. and Mrs. Al Bryant, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Jones and their guests, Mr. and Mrs. George Meator of Springfield, Ill., Mr. and Mrs. Tillman Adams, Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Collins, Mr. and Mrs. Doris Valentine, Miss Martha Elizabeth Maupin and William Scott, Miss Mable Caldwell and Jimmie Mullenex, Misses Inez Earp and Mignon Wright.

DOUBLE WEDDING HERE SATURDAY

Saturday night, September 28, Squire S. A. McDade officiated at a double wedding ceremony when Miss Jane Smith of Humboldt, Tenn., was married to Philip Tale-ricko, of Argo, Ill., and the former's sister, Miss Altha Smith, also of Humboldt, became the bride of

the latter's brother, Patrick Tale-ricko, of Argo.

Attending them were Andrew Smith, Trenton, brother of the brides, and Raymond Henley, Humboldt, their uncle.

MOTHERS CLUB WILL MEET TOMORROW

Tomorrow afternoon at 2:30 o'clock the Mothers Club will meet at the home of Mrs. Charles Andrews, 302 Jackson street.

All members are urged to be present.

FULLERS LEAVE FULTON TOMORROW

Rev. and Mrs. Woodrow Fuller and little daughter, Ann, will leave Fulton tomorrow morning for Cobin, Kentucky where Rev. Fuller will take up the ministry of the First Baptist Church.


JOHNSON-BROWN

Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Brown announce the marriage of their daughter, Lois Mae, to Carroll F. Johnson of Fulton, Ky. The single ring ceremony was performed by Rev. Woodrow Fuller on Sunday evening, September 22, at seven o'clock.

Mrs. Johnson is a graduate of Fulton High and was employed in the office of Armour and Company for a number of years.

Mr. Johnson is an employee of the Illinois Central, and has been rooming at the home of Mrs. Seldon Cohn for several years.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnson will make their home in Fulton.



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Blast Damages War Aid Office

New Orleans. —Reports of an explosion and oil traces prompted an investigation today of a blaze which heavily damaged the headquarters of the British War Relief Society on St. Charles Ave. late last night.

A spectator said an explosion shattered several panes of glass in the front part of the house and Fire Chief John W. Evans asserted there was "an unmistakable odor of oil" at the scene.

Officials said several thousand dollars' worth of shoes and clothing were stored in the building.

No one was in the house at the time of the fire.

"There was oil on the floors in the vicinity of the stairway," Chief Evans said.

SPEAKER'S BUREAU CHAIRMAN DISPENSED WITH BY ARDERY

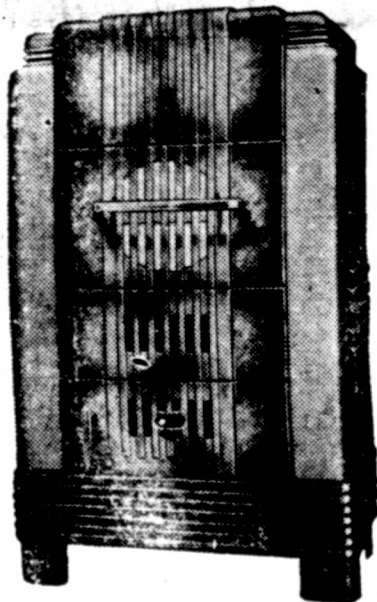
Louisville, Ky. —Breaking precedent of long standing, Judge William B. Arderly, Democratic state campaign chairman, decided today to dispense with the services of a speaker's bureau chairman.

Instead, speaking itineraries will be arranged by a committee composed of Judge Arderly, Mrs. T. C. chairman, J. L. Bradley, Providence, publicity chairman, and Miss Florence Gibbs, Paducah, secretary to Judge Arderly.

In making that decision, the chairman announced that his state campaign organization now is complete.

Charged with getting first voters to the polls is Miss Janet Pendleton, Owensboro. Charles K. O'Connell, clerk of the Court of Appeals, will be in charge of Young Democratic activity and John Petrie, Louisville, in charge of getting Negro Democrats to the polls.

Judge Arderly and Thomas Underwood, Lexington, chairman of the Democratic state central committee will go to Springfield, Ill., Monday to confer with Edward J. Flynn, chairman of the Democratic National Committee.



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MEXICO HEARS AVILA CAMACHO'S ELECTION DECREED

Mexico, City. —The reading of a decree formally announcing election of Gen. Manuel Avila Camacho as president of Mexico took place Sunday before the Federal District Building the Chamber of Deputies, the National Palace of Fine Arts, the Supreme Court and the Monument to the Revolution.

Escorted by 800 soldiers and police, Paul Catellano, Chief of the Federal District Administration, read the decree while the military band played Mexico's national anthem.

The only untoward incident occurred at the Fine Arts Palace where a group of women, waving green banners of the party of Juan Andreu Almazan, Avila Camacho's opponent in the election last summer who also claims to be President-elect, tried to interrupt the ceremony. Police dispersed them.

KENTUCKY FARM LEASE SUBJECT OF CIRCULAR

The share renting of Kentucky farms is the subject of a circular written by Dr. W. D. Nicholls and published by the University of Kentucky College of Agriculture. An outline of a share-lease form is attached indicating points which should be covered in such an agreement.

For the purpose of providing a picture of the important phases of land tenure and farm tenancy situation of Kentucky, the department of farm economics in the Agricultural Experiment Station has studied more than 2,000 cases in the State.

A proper system of tenancy, says the report, is one in which:

A tenant and his family get a good income and a good living from the rented farm.

The landlord gets an income sufficient to compensate him for the use of his land and the cost of maintaining the land and improvements.

The productivity of the land is maintained and increased and the improvements are kept up satisfactorily.

GRASS PROFITABLE ON SMALL ACREAGE

How attention to grass and legumes makes it possible to keep 25 cows on the 83-acre farm of Dr. William Tittsworth in McCracken county, Kentucky, is related by County Agent Joe Hart.

Since 1931 the farm has been treated with two tons of limestone and 200 pounds of superphosphate to the acre. Seedlings have included redtop, lespedeza, alfalfa, sweet, red and crimson clovers, bluegrass, orchard grass, rye grass and vetch.

Rye grass was grown this year for the first time. Last October an eight-acre field was seeded with 12 pounds of rye grass and five pounds of redtop to the acre. In March another five pound of redtop and 20 pounds of seed clover were seeded to the acre. On June 13 Mr. Hurt found the rye grass three to four feet high, the sweet clover knee-high and the redtop growing well.

Dr. Tittsworth has demonstrated that grasses and legumes can be grown in Western Kentucky, says Mr. Hurt, and that a combination of these crops and livestock warrants consideration on many farms.

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AMBASSADOR TO JAPAN MAY BE CALLED HOME

Tokyo. — Joseph Clark Grew, United States ambassador to Japan, may be summoned to Washington to discuss the Japanese occupation of Indo-Chinese bases the newspaper Miyako reported today in a special Washington dispatch.

The dispatch said that President Roosevelt and Secretary of State Cordell Hull were seriously examining Far Eastern policy as the result of the occupation and that a great change in policy seemed unavoidable.

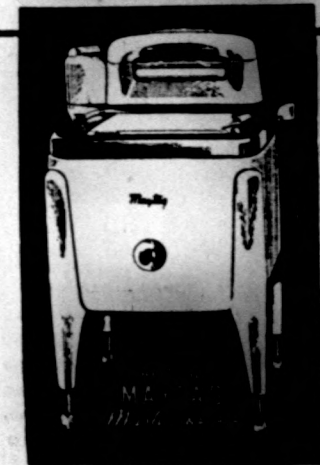
Newspapers gave great prominence to Washington dispatches reporting a new United States loan to China. Asahi in its headline called the loan "retaliatory anti-Japan action as well as a China assistance scheme."

ENGLAND'S HEALTH GOOD HARVARD DOCTOR SAYS

Washington. —Health conditions in Great Britain remain "generally good," despite the violent bombing raids of the German air force, Dr. John E. Gordon of the Harvard Medical School said Sunday.

Dr. Gordon recently returned to the United States after installing a Red Cross-Harvard hospital and laboratory in Southwest England, where experts will study methods of treating communicable diseases under wartime conditions.

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COMMERCIAL APPEAL IS GIVEN LEGION TROPHY

Boston. —National headquarters of the American Legion, in convention here, announced today that the Memphis, Tenn., Commercial Appeal was awarded the 1940 winner of the Stephen F. Chadwick Editorial Association Trophy.

The trophy, donated by Chadwick, a former national commander of the Legion, was provided to recognition to the daily newspaper which, in its editorial columns, "best evaluates the program of the American Legion during the period from August 1 to July 31 each year."

The winning editorial was written by Jack Carley, chief editorial writer, and appeared September 29, 1939.

National Commander Raymond J. Kelly arranged today to present special citations to Editor Carley and to the Commercial Appeal. The trophy itself was presented to the Department of Tennessee, which will retain until the 1941 convention.

In the competition by states the Louisville-Courier Journal was named winner for Kentucky.

LESSONS PAY YOUTH'S WAY THROUGH COLLEGE

Cheyenne, Wyo. —After a summer of bull-dozing and bronc busting Dean and Hyde Merritt are back at the University of Wyoming this year.

They plan to keep on roping cattle during the summers and lassoing textbooks in the winter until they end with a couple of college degrees in 1943 as well as fat purses from their summer activities.

Dean, 19, and Hyde, 18, are the sons of King Merritt, rancher, who has competed in rodeo events since 1933.

Both boys are taking agriculture courses, and they expect a good part of their college expenses will be paid from earnings at calf roping in western rodeos.

Dean struck the jackpot at the Greeley, Colo. Spud Rodeo when he caught and tied a calf in 16 seconds flat to capture the \$200 purse. His chagrined father came in second best in 19 seconds.

At the Cheyenne Frontier Days ill-luck struck the Merritt family and father and sons lost to more experienced cow-pokes.

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Frank Clark, a Fulton boy, took up the duties of butcher at the local A & P this morning.

Mrs. I. M. Jones and son, Ivan, Jr., spent the week-end in Memphis. Mr. Jones motored to Mem-

phis yesterday and was accompanied home last night by Mrs. Jones and Ivan, Jr.

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Mrs. Guy Winters and little daughter, Sonja Fay, spent the week-end in Memphis.

Miss Pearl Milner, Mrs. A. C. Roper, Mrs. Laura Brann and Mrs. Sallie Adams have taken an apartment at the home of Mrs. J. L. Hornbeak, Carr street.

Mr. and Mrs. George Meator of Springfield, Ill., are the house guests of Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Jones.

Mrs. S. J. Gray, Miss Deborah Poston of Dyersburg, Tenn., and Mrs. R. L. Leigh of Paducah will arrive today to be the house guests of Mrs. I. D. Holmes at her home on Fourth street.

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