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THE LEDGER & TIMES

WEATHER FORECAST
KENTUCKY: Partly, cloudy and quite warm and humid today, tonight and Tuesday with a few widely scattered thundershowers.

United Press

YOUR PROGRESSIVE HOME NEWS-PAPER FOR OVER HALF A CENTURY

Murray, Kentucky, Monday Afternoon, June 21, 1948

MURRAY POPULATION — 8,000

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Last Week In Kentucky

Governor Earle Clements says that he doesn't want his newly appointed state board of education to be a rubber stamp. He tells them they must act on their own initiative and probe through into the state's educational problems. The Governor says he is sure the board he appointed last weekend will furnish the kind of leadership state educators have so long needed. And he adds that no strings are attached to the appointments. But former State College President Dr. H. A. Babbs casts a supercilious glance at the new board.

Babbs says it will name four new members to the state textbook commission. The Attorney General says he intends for the Governor to appoint four more. Babbs provided for by a new law. Babbs says this gives the Governor control of the textbook commission. And the former Morehead College accreditation issue only fuses the picture as he tries to control the powers of the state's superintendent of public instruction. Kentucky's resources are limited, the Governor says in urging the board to get the most out of them. This also is a new theme song of the state Revenue Commissioner Clyde Reeves. He has been during the week warning Kentucky counties they won't be getting any money from the state's common school equalization fund next year, but he adds that this is possible by stretching statistical figures.

Morehead State College is trying to get back on the list of accredited colleges. The school's newly appointed board of regents met for the first time Friday and authorized the college's President, Doctor J. W. Baird, to ask for accreditation. Doctor Baird said accreditation is necessary to regain Morehead's former standing here and he adds reinstatement may be made within a month. The Southern Association of colleges and secondary schools dropped the college two years ago, charging political interference in the removal of the school's president.

Henderson's city employees will soon be under Civil Service regulations again. The court of appeals ruled at Frankfort that a newly elected board of commissioners erred in removing all employees except police and firemen from civil service without submitting the change to the people for a vote. Louisville must pay a woman 8,000 dollars in damages suffered in a fall caused by a faulty sidewalk, the court also has ruled.

The Attorney General's office hopes it has heard the last of a dispute involving parking meters, a police judge's salary, and a mayor versus city attorneys feud in Scottsville. The troubles began in 1945 when Scottsville's city council voted its police judge a 25-dollar monthly salary. Parking meters and a motorcycle policeman increased the judge's work, and the council twice upped his salary. The Attorney General says this is illegal. Scottsville's City Attorney Goebel agrees the salary increases are illegal, but adds it is a city affair and he wants the Attorney General to stay out of it.

One of Lexington's most sensational criminal trials in years ended early Friday afternoon with an acquittal for Lawrence Howell. The 26-year-old Texan had been on trial for the April 10th Keeneland race track shooting of Fayette county patrolman Oscar Roberts. Another trial in which Alfred Manous Negro was charged with shooting a policeman ended in a hung jury at Louisville.

Kentucky elects a U. S. Senator, nine U. S. representatives and a number of state officials this year. But with many of the state's key political figures out of the state, there has been relatively little action on the political front. Governor Clements says Kentucky Democrats are planning to join the southern revolt although he attended a meeting of the southern governors during the Governor's Convention in New Hampshire.

DUETT INFANT DIES SATURDAY OF PNEUMONIA

Ronald Paul Duett, two-month-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Duett of Hazel route 2, died of pneumonia 3:30 Saturday afternoon at the Murray Hospital.

Survivors include the parents, a twin brother, Donald Everett, and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Williams of Hazel route 2. Funeral services were held at the Mt. Pleasant Methodist Church Sunday afternoon at 2:30 under the direction of Elder Henry Hargis. Burial was in the church cemetery. The Max Churchill funeral home was in charge of arrangements.

CHURCH DEACONS TO BE ORDAINED AT CHERRY CORNER

The Cherry Corner Baptist Church, John L. Ryberg, pastor, announces the coming ordination of four newly elected deacons, Wednesday night, June 23, at 8:00 o'clock. Those to be ordained are Kelly Burton, Norman Culpepper, Hoyt Roberts, and Lester Workman. Ministers of the Blood River Baptist Association have been invited to participate in the service. The Reverend Mr. Henry Franklin Paschal of Hazel will conduct the investigation. The Reverend Mr. J. E. Skinner, Murray, will address the deacons and give the charge. The Reverend Mr. J. H. Thurman will pray the ordination prayer. The public is invited to attend.

PRODUCE

CHICAGO, June 21 (UP)—Produce: Poultry: 16 trucks, the market steady. Hens 23, leghorn hens 28, hybrid-hens 29, colored fryers 40, plymouth rock fryers 43, white rock broilers 47, colored broilers 47, white rock springs 46, plymouth rock springs 46, colored springs 44, leghorn chickens 35, old tom turkeys 32, young geese 22, light ducks 20, old ducks 25, ducks 31, ducklings 31 guineas 30, pigeons (1 doz) 3.00; roosters 20. Cheese: Twins 45 1-2 to 46 1-2, single daisies 48 to 50, Swiss 60 to 62. Butter: 831,266 pounds, the market unsettled. 93 score 81, 92 score 80, 90 score 78. Carlots 90 score 78, 89 score 77. Eggs: (Brown and whites mixed) 54,197 cases, the market steady. Extras 70 to 80 percent, A, 46 to 47, extras 60 to 70 percent, A 43 to 45, standards 41 to 42, standards 41-42, current receipts 3 1-2, checks 35 1-2.



FACING HOUSING PROBLEM—Old Bossie affectionately nudges one of the triplet calves born to her last week in Garden City Park, N. Y. The triplets, although a farm rarity, will probably end up on somebody's table as veal cutlets because the owner said he hasn't enough room in the barn to raise them.

Many Music Lovers Attend Open House

Over 300 music lovers attended an open house at the Van D. Valentine home Sunday from 2:00 p.m. to 10 p.m. when their new music room was opened. Mr. and Mrs. Valentine installed a new pipe organ in their home last week.

A continuous musical program was presented throughout the afternoon and evening, including organ, vocal and instrumental selections. Miss Jean Mueller, Murray State College student from Amherst, O., presided at the organ much of the day. Another out-of-town organist was Mrs. Jane Sexton Atkins of McKenzie, Tenn. Organ selections were also presented by Miss Mary Elizabeth Roberts, Mr. Clair R. McGovern, Mrs. R. W. Farrell, Mr. Roman Prydzak, Mrs. Miss Charlotte Durkee and Miss Lillian Watters. Vocal selections were given by Miss Wanda Farmer, Miss Clara Jane Miller and Mr. Holton McConnell. Mrs. Roy Farmer and Mr. McGovern played the piano, and the host, Mr. Valentine, presented several selections on the violin.

Those assisting the host and hostess were Misses Jackie Ellis, Julia Fuqua, Wanda Farmer, Clara Jane Miller, Carrie B. Curd, and Jean Mueller. Oscar Skinner also assisted. The Valentine express appreciation for the large amount of interest shown in their new music room and pipe organ, and hope that their home will continue to be a meeting place for music lovers in this community.

TWELVE MAJOR BILLS PASSED BY 80TH CONGRESS

WASHINGTON, June 21 (UP)—Major legislation passed by the 80th congress: Taft-Hartley Labor Management Act. Income tax reduction. 19-through-25 peacetime draft. Armed Services Unification act. Marshall Plan and other foreign aid measures.

Greek-Turkish aid bill. Rent control bill and rent boosts in some cases and removing ceilings in others. Bill to permit veterans to cash terminal leave bonds. Portal-to-portal pay bill, cutting down claims for pay by employees from time they reached place of work till they left it. Bill to admit 205,000 European displaced persons to the U. S. Among the major bills that did not pass were: Mundt-Nixon Communist - Control measure. Universal Military training. Oleomargarine tax repealer. Civil Rights measures, such as anti-lynch law, anti-lynching and anti-discrimination legislation. Comprehensive Housing bill. Extension of social security benefits.

MURRAY WOMAN INJURED SLIGHTLY IN AUTO ACCIDENT

Mrs. O. C. MacLemore sustained minor bruises and a strained back as a result of an automobile collision around 8:30 Saturday evening near the Mt. Carmel church.

Her husband was driving a '47 Dodge towards Murray when it collided with a '31 model A Ford driven by Charles Jackson Green of Buchanan, Tenn. He was going in the opposite direction, and said that the lights from MacLemore's car blinded him.

Both cars were damaged considerably but there were no serious injuries. MacLemore was charged with reckless driving by Sheriff Wendell Patterson. He was fined \$10.00 and costs this morning by County Judge Pink Curd.

CITY COUNCIL NAMES TAX SUPERVISORS

At the regular meeting of the City Council Friday night, John W. Whitwell, John W. Clouton and Bonnie Farris were elected as tax supervisors for the city of Murray. They will equalize tax assessments for the city.

Prospective Draftees Make Rush To Join National Guard Units

"Escape Hatch" Only Good Until Truman Signs Bill

DEAN NASH TO SPEAK AT TEACHER EDUCATION MEET

LEXINGTON, Ky., June 27.—(Special)—The Kentucky College Conference on Teacher Education will have a one-day meeting at the Training School of the University of Kentucky in Lexington next Friday, June 25.

All colleges which have programs for training teachers have been invited to participate in the conference. Most of them have already accepted invitations to have representatives present, according to President W. F. O'Connell, of Eastern State College, chairman of the conference committee.

There will be speeches, but the following persons are listed as discussion leaders: Dean W. G. Nash, Murray State College; Dr. Boswell B. Hodgkin, state superintendent of public instruction; Dr. Frank Dickey, University of Kentucky; President H. L. Donovan, University of Kentucky; Miss Louise Combs, state director of certification, Frankfort; Dean Warren C. Lappin, Morehead State College; Dean William S. Taylor, University of Kentucky College of Education; Dr. Ralph Cherry, University of Kentucky; Dean W. J. Moore, Eastern State College.

WASHINGTON, June 21 (UP)—Draft age youths who want to take advantage of the new draft law's "escape hatch" apparently will have to act fast.

Congressional sources said today that President Truman's approval of the 19-through-25 peacetime conscription act is expected "in a matter of hours." The draft bill exempts members of the National Guard or other active reserves—but they have to join before Mr. Truman signs the bill into law. He has 10 days to act. National Guard recruiting offices across the country were answering hundreds of phone calls today. Some reported a speed-up in enlistments from men eager to take advantage of the "escape hatch."

Miami, Fla., reported between 40 and 15 applications this morning, compared with a normal daily total of one or two. Cleveland, Ohio, guard headquarters got 100 applications in an hour. Pittsburgh and Louisville, Ky., also reported guard headquarters were answering a flood of calls.

Though normally closed on Sunday, National Guard headquarters in Washington, St. Louis, Boston and elsewhere opened their doors yesterday in response to hundreds of inquiries. Many would-be draftees signed up for stay-at-home duty. Others indicated they would enlist today.

Recruiting officers looked for record turnouts within the next few days when the draft exemption features become known. In San Francisco and other cities, recruiting staffs were enlarged to handle the anticipated rush.

Meanwhile, army officials estimated that between 200,000 and 230,000 men would be inducted during the first year of the draft. The exact number, they said, will depend to a great extent on the number of volunteers.

By volunteering for one year's service, 18-year-olds could avoid being drafted later on. As finally approved by congress on Saturday, the Selective Service bill would make men in the 19-through-25 age group eligible for 21 months' service. The first draftees could be called up three months after the President signs the bill. World War II veterans with at least 90 days' service between Pearl Harbor and V-J Day would be exempt. So would those who put in a 12-month hitch between Sept. 16, 1940 and the day the bill becomes law.

The President has authority to defer men with dependents, as well as "necessary" men in agriculture, industry, government and research, and scientific and medical students. Also exempt are regularly ordained ministers and conscientious objectors who are opposed to all types of service, even non-combat duty.

International Situation in Brief

British Don't Like U. S. Aid Conditions

LONDON, June 21 (UP)—Rightly or wrongly, the British people believe the United States is trying to get control of the sacred pound sterling as a condition of Marshall plan aid. This is not just a view of professional anti-Americans and the empire minded. Even the learned and well informed weekly economist describes the terms of the proposed Anglo-American bilateral agreement on Marshall aid as "a shock."

Greek Army Begins Offensive On Guerrillas

ATHENS, June 21 (UP)—The Greek army reported initial successes today in a showdown offensive by 60,000 crack troops against some 7,000 Communist guerrillas in the Grammos mountain fastnesses of northwest Greece.

This was the long heralded drive to wipe out the rebels under Gen. Markos Vafsiades. American observers professed confidence of success. Responsible predictions were made that the "Free Greece" of the Communists would be erased from the map in 10 days or two weeks.

New Governor-General Of India Sworn In

NEW DELHI, June 21 (UP)—Chakravarty Rajagopalachari, 78-year-old Hindu champion of the "Untouchables" and disciple of the late Mohandas K. Gandhi, was sworn in as governor-general of the Dominion of India today.

Convention Delegates Told To Choose Between Republicans And Communists As Big Show Opens

Convention Hall, Philadelphia, June 21 (UP)—The Republican National Convention opened today in a flood of chest-thumping oratory with Dewey, Taft, and Stassen odds-on favorites to lead the field on the first ballot for a presidential nominee.

After hearing four speeches, all forecasting victory in November, the delegates transacted some routine business and adjourned, at 12:57 p.m. EDT until 9 p.m. EDT.

The first session was a hot one, and humid, too. The big gray stone convention hall was rit by a king-size heat wave generated in part by normal Philadelphia summer weather (and in part by powerful lights which produced almost as much heat as illumination).

The balloting was for a presidential nominee, the biggest piece of business before the convention, won't start until Thursday. Today was the day for big talk—talk of what the Republicans plan to do to the Democrats come fall.

But some business was transacted. The delegates adopted convention rules, went through the formalities of okaying committees on credentials and resolutions, and elected Gov. Dwight H. Green of Illinois temporary chairman.

Green will deliver the convention keynote speech tonight. In a we-can't-loose mood, the 1,094 delegates formally began the business of setting up the campaign

machinery they believe will give them their first presidential victory since 1928.

National chairman Carroll Reece summoned the party to battle with an address in which he declares that the biggest issue in November will be Republicanism vs. Communism.

The Republican party of the United States and international Communism, Reece told the delegates, are the "two powerful forces" in combat for control of this republic.

"The once great Democratic party," Reece said, "has become an international hybrid of radicalism and big city 'machinism.' It cannot exist with both; it cannot exist without both."

The Republicans, he asserted, are entitled to victory in November "because we have been constant in principle, loyal to our beliefs, and faithful to our promises. It cannot exist with both; it cannot exist without both."

He told them that they "must define a new and responsible purpose and pledge the world a moral and spiritual leadership that alone can save us all from the deep abyss to which a pure materialism is endeavoring to engulf us."

Party enthusiasm was at an all-time high. The party faithful seemed sure they were about to win their first presidential election in 20 years.

The Republican man-of-the-year will be named before the week ends, as balloting is scheduled to begin no later than Thursday night. He could be any one of a dozen statesmen. Here's a who's who of the contenders as the gavel falls.

Gov. Thomas E. Dewey of New York: Conceded to have the most first ballot votes but must win in the first half dozen roll calls if at all.

Sen. Robert A. Taft of Ohio: Expected to place second on the first ballot and to get his shot at the nomination only if Dewey falters.

Former Governor Harold E. Stassen of Minnesota: Safe by third place on the first roll call, but needing a Dewey-Taft deadlock for a chance to run.

Sen. Arthur H. Vandenberg of Michigan: Far behind the leaders on ballot number 1 but a better bet than Stassen to profit from a deadlock.

Gen. Douglas MacArthur: Strictly a dark horse in a far stall of the deadlock stable.

Convention Footnotes

WASHINGTON, June 21 (UP)—President Truman believes that New York would be the toughest opponent the Republican convention could give him.

He feels house speaker Joseph W. Martin, Jr. of Massachusetts would be the easiest to bet on in November.

White House sources said today Mr. Truman listed his choices during a recent "bull session" with some members of his staff. The President's selections—from the hardest to best to easiest opponent—reportedly were as follows:

Dewey, Harold E. Stassen, Gov. Earl Warren of California, Sen. Arthur H. Vandenberg, R. Mich., Sen. Robert A. Taft, R. O., Sen. John W. Bricker, R. O., and Martin. Gen. Douglas MacArthur apparently was not included in Mr. Truman's list of GOP possibilities.

Philadelphia, June 21 (UP)—The opening session of the Republican convention was alive today with rumors of impending deals, and one of the hottest was about a possible Vandenberg-Stassen ticket.

Former Minnesota Governor Harold E. Stassen continued to insist that he was in the race to win first place.

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Democrats Set Up National Headquarters In Middle Of Republican Convention Camp

By HARMAN W. NICHOLS
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PHILADELPHIA, June 21 (UP)—After waiting periods and a deep shock to run into a Republican convention, the Democrats set up their headquarters in the middle of the Republican convention camp.

And that is the Bellevue Stratford Hotel, where the Republicans have pitched camp. The city of brotherly love had become a city of brotherly confusion. But it leaked as if there were to be a little peace and quiet behind the paneled door of room 422.

There, sure was, it turned out to be the quietest suite in town. There, sprawled in an over-sufficed chair in his shirt-sleeves was Victor Hunt Harding. His friends call him Cap. He's the pleasant old secretary of the Democratic national congressional committee.

"What is the matter with you, Cap?" he asked.

"Shutting up," he said, "I'm a Democrat. And you're not a Democrat. You're a Republican."

He seemed to be getting a kick out of things at that. Outside his room in full view was a blown-up rubber elephant which kept getting the tip to the misery of the GOP. First the trunk sprang a leak and went limp. Once the whole business collapsed on top of a mangled Republican who had been sent up to the hotel marquee to fix it.

"How about this Republican business here, Cap? Who's going to come out on top and face Mr. Truman in November?"

"Well, now," he said, hitching up his blue serge pants again. "I wouldn't be far to tell you everything I know. But I can't tell you a couple of things. Those Republicans tried to hang up the election to advance with that stuff they pulled in congress."

"That's thing number one."

"Number two, I'm a pretty close observer."

Tom Dewey has got some sharp operators on his side. A lot of savvy. Second time out, you know.

"And watch that waxed moustache catch the glances and a lot of votes from the new look. The women. Most even say Tom is a new look in politics."

Bob Taft of Ohio.

"Well, the Taft workers are all line politicians. They've got their feet wet. They know what they're doing."

"And the Harold Stassen crowd?"

"There's a game. You've got to watch 'em," he said.

He's got the sorry-eyed young son on his team," said old Cap. "You've got to shadow that kid. They're crooked."

Cap said he came here to do a little spade work for the Democratic hot-down when begins here in three weeks.

"I'm gonna stick around," he said. "I might learn something."

He would take hold of her arm and lay his hand on her leg. When the conductor came along he behaved for a moment, and when the conductor passed for my 10-cent I said, "That man looks like a drunk and a woman."

There is drunken and a woman that young lady is serious. The conductor said to him, "You're not a woman, are you?"

Why not? The drunk replied, "Why not?" Who said I was a woman? The conductor said, "You're not a woman, are you?"

When the train stopped at a station an hour or so later, the conductor was handed a telegram, say \$25,000.00. Get the name of the man who sent it and hand the amount. Secure statements from each.

Southern Melodrama

According to James M. Thomas, publisher of The Mid-South while on his trip to the Spray Mountains recently he tipped off the conductor of that same passenger train that a rape passenger in a southern train out of Chattanooga was molesting a young lady. The passenger, allegedly intoxicated was later ejected from the train.

"I had just finished the train and I was ready to pull out of Chattanooga at 7:30. An elderly man entered parting in my seat. So one and two were wrapped on the left by a nice looking young lady with hair combed from New Orleans and bound for Virginia. I took seat 4 on the right, the particularly drunk man sat next to me. The lady said who he is, he is long and we're trying to rest and sleep. Again the man began a tirade of criticism and tantalizing talk which grew decidedly worse. He finally took her feet and began to rub them. After fumbling with it put it on her head. The lady quickly grabbed it off and asked him to get another, that she needed like good shoes, she overheard. He said he



SOMETHING TO SHOUT ABOUT—You'd sound off, tho' if you were expecting a baby elephant like Juliet, the Home, Italy, Zoo's star attraction. Her husband, Romeo, who can't figure out all the fuss, doesn't know that when the baby arrives in August or September, it will be the second born in captivity and perhaps the first to survive.



SHARING WITH THE INDIANS—Frances Dee, star of the film, "Wanted," stages her own aid program for a needy Navajo tribe. She shares one of many lunches with an Indian mother and her three children on location near Gallup, N. M., where movie is being made.

THE AMERICAN WAY

As ancient as the story of man is the tendency of man himself to avoid responsibility and evade work. So strong and fastly-evoked is this tendency that glittering but empty promises from the mouths of the unscrupulous can lure even normally sensible men into the fool's paradise of "something for nothing."

The folly of a fish biting at a baited hook is no greater than the folly of a man yielding to the blandishments of an exploiter or the eloquence of a fool who promises him more than his own labor or desert can earn for him. Indeed, one can excuse the fish for falling to the bait—anything about what is being done beyond the surface of the water, but the man should know better than to fall prey to the folly of his own avarice.

Force has been a tremendous factor in history, but far more destructive than mere force has been the deceptive use of man's weakness against himself.

We pity the poor "Roosevelts" and other Europeans who have succumbed to the impossible promises of unscrupulous or fanatical leaders. Yet millions of people in our country yield step by step to the same blandishments or believe other falsehoods and things that are not true. The others get it. Why not we? And they fall.

When the government hands out millions and even billions of dollars, at the expense of taxpayers, even the virtuous have been shown to flip out their hands in a share of the "bargain."

Even today many who declaim against government control of business or economic life, at the same time favor Federal aid to schools because it may relieve their taxes slightly. And not long ago an organization went on record as favoring the government taking over the peanut crop at high prices in order to hold up the price while subsidizing lower prices on peanuts for use in candy and other products.

There are those who deliberately close their eyes to government inefficiency in order to justify the back home for the last year of the government from other states or persons. They seem to think that when a dollar leaves home for Washington it has pups on the way and so more dollars which left home for Washington.

Exactly the opposite is true. Every dollar spent by the Federal Government has to come either directly from the pockets of its citizens or indirectly from those same pockets through mounting horror of inflation. In the last analysis, the dollar you get back from Washington for Postum or any other place, had to come from Postum or that other place in the first place.

And on the way to Washington and across on the way back, that dollar has to pay for the brokerage of bureaucracy and the cost of transportation both ways so that every dollar that came back was smaller than the one that left.

It would have been wiser, in many many parts of the country, to keep most of your dollars home, and pay directly for the work you wanted that dollar to do, and to get more done by that dollar at home. And that includes the question of all the glamorous arguments to the contrary notwithstanding.

Anyone who thinks that there is some magic in government bounty or charity to its citizens, is living in a fool's paradise. The dollars Washington spends on you come out of your own pocket in the first place.

A wise man once said: "A fool beholdeth only the beginning of his work, but the wise man taketh heed to the end."

Bob Lemon Turns Out To Be A Peach For Indians At Cleveland Sunday

By CARL LUNDQUIST
 United Press Sports Writer

NEW YORK, June 21 (UP)—If Bob Lemon has turned out to be a bit of a lemon this year, Bob Lemon has turned out to be a peach.

And with the Indians "bobbing" along to a vital double victory over the Athletics, 4 to 3 and 10 to 0, before the largest crowd in baseball history at Cleveland yesterday, it was Lemon and not Feller who drew the biggest cheers from the overflow multitude of 82,781 fans at the finish.

Feller was lucky to win the opener, giving the A's a 3 to 0 lead as Eddie Joost and Sam Chapman tagged him for homers. But his mates rallied for four runs in the seventh, and he survived for his first victory since May 19, breaking a five-game personal losing streak.

Lemon has no such travail in the second game. He struck out 10, walked only two batters and pitched no-hit ball for six innings as he scored his 10th victory, tops in the majors. It was his fourth shutout, a four-hitter and his 10th complete game. He gave him a total of 65 strikeouts, also tops for the majors.

His victory, in which he contributed his third home run of the year and a double, put Cleveland 3-1-2 games ahead of the second place Yankees.

The Braves took over second from the A's by winning 4 to 2 and 6 to 2 victories at St. Louis. As Joe Dimaggio hit three homers, The Red Sox very much in the American league pennant reckoning again, won their fifth straight and their 12th victory in 14 games, 8 to 3, at Detroit to take over first place from the Tigers. They handed Hal Newhouse a defeat as he sought to win his eighth straight game. Vern Stephens clinched the victory with a three-run homer.

Luke Appling set a new American league record for third basemen by handling 10 assists as the White Sox defeated the Senators, 8 to 5, after which Washington broke an eight-game losing streak with a 4 to 1 triumph on Sid Hudson's pitching.

The Braves took a lead of 1-1-2 games in the National by topping the Reds at Boston 5 to 4 and 4 to 1. Tommy Holmes with a double and three singles and Earl Torgerson with a two-run homer led Boston's victorious attack for Charley Barrett in the opener.

The Giants tied a major league record when they hit consecutive homers by Johnny Mize, Willard Marshall, and Sid Gordon in the eighth inning of the second game to top the Cardinals, 6 to 4, at St. Louis.

Ex-Service Men's News

Approximately 270,000 veterans of World Wars I and II and peace-time service now residing in Ohio, Michigan and Kentucky are receiving monthly payments totaling nearly 12 million dollars for disabilities incurred in the armed forces. Veterans Administration Branch Office in Columbus, O., reported today.

Compensation payments for service-connected disabilities range from \$13.80 to \$890 a month, depending upon the degree and type of disability.

VA said the totals in May were: Ohio, \$5,938,958 to 133,376 veterans; Michigan, \$3,784,068 to 86,968 veterans; Kentucky, \$2,272,116 to 49,787 veterans.

Veterans Administration is helping 6,917 World War II veterans in Ohio, Michigan and Kentucky to finance new business enterprises under provisions of the G.I. Bill.

VA branch office officials in Columbus, O., said that up to the end of May, 6,917 veterans had borrowed under the G.I. Bill, \$22,200,650 to finance business projects. VA guaranteed repayment on \$9,902,483 of the total.

In Ohio, 2,377 veterans had borrowed \$8,393,932 to enter business. A total of 3,504 Michigan veterans had borrowed \$10,392,587 for business purposes and in Kentucky 1,036 veterans had negotiated \$3,414,121 in business loans.

VA will guarantee up to \$4,000 on real estate loans or up to \$2,000 on personal loans but not to exceed 50 per cent of the total loan. The actual loans are made by financial institutions, not by VA.

Q: When is National Service Life Insurance considered lapsing?

A: It is lapsed when a veteran fails to make a payment of premium within 31 days from the date it was due.

Q: I was practically compelled to sign a statement before my discharge that my disability existed prior to enlistment. Will this prevent my receiving compensation?

A: Any statement of this nature, according to the G.I. Bill, which you made at discharge is considered null and void. Decision as to service connection of the disability will be made by VA, based on the service medical record, and excluding the statement made at time of discharge.

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Coldwater News

Those visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Black and Mrs. Dillard Finney were Mr. and Mrs. Lester Black and family and Mr. K. Black and girl friend, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Rushing and son and Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Cloyd.

Mrs. Allen Page returned to the Murray Hospital and remains ill. Mr. and Mrs. Robert L. Bazzell and son, Mrs. Jennings Turner and Edwin Mrs. William Carter and Mrs. J. Ray Keefe spent last week with their brother James Bazzell and family of Denver, Colo.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Lamb and sons spent one night the past week with Allie and Carlene Lamb.

Miss Jennie Arnet of Highland Park, Mich., is spending a few days with home folks.

Mrs. Tom Glass returned home Sunday and is improving slowly. Bro. and Mrs. H. P. Blankenship, Mrs. Ada Edwards, Mrs. Margaret Riley, Mrs. A. L. Bazzell and Dale visited in the home of Mr. Allen Page one afternoon the past week. They also were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Will Stedd. Mrs. Stedd remains about the same.

Mrs. Algie Tidwell spent a few days the past week with J. T. Tidwell.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Lamb were Sunday afternoon callers of Mrs. Mattie Jones and Lois and were Sunday evening guests of Allie and Carlene Lamb.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Tidwell are the parents of a daughter born Sunday, June 13, at Murray Hospital. Her mother and baby are doing fine.

Mrs. Ethel Stone and others were recent guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Stone of Clinton.

Saturday evening callers of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Bazzell were Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Carter and sons, Mr. and Mrs. Robert L. Bazzell and son and Mrs. J. Ray Keefe and Jennie Arnet.

Lake Valley News

Hello, everyone! Hope this will find everyone feeling fine. Ole Sue is o.k.

Robert Walker visited Mrs. Ina Wyatt Wednesday.

Mrs. Cora Lee McCauston and Keys visited Melle Ivy and Marjorie Smotherman a while Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Porter Hutchens visited Mrs. Alpha Wyatt, Mrs. Mattie Reed and Billy Miller.

Billy Joe Williams helped Lindsey Beah set tobacco Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lindsey Benn and James Hobert Elliott visited Melle Ivy and Marjorie Monday evening.

Shorty McCauston set tobacco two days last week.

Mrs. Kate Etilson and Roy and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Dick McNitt visited Mr. and Mrs. Joe Walker Wednesday evening.

Joe Walker leaves for Louisville Thursday for a medical examination.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Walker visited Mrs. Ellen Walker one day last week. They have a new car and it really is a beauty. Ole Sue would like to have a new car. She might go somewhere. I might even visit you, Lone Han. I still intended to visit you some time, I think.

There is lots of fishing going on now days. They say fish are biting pretty good. Come down, Lone Han, and we'll go fishing, boating and swimming, ha ha!

Guess I'd better go now folks—just wanted to say hello. So bye, now.—Blue Bonnet Sue

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4. Hospitals, Charities and Corrections	4800.00
5. Libraries and Other Educational Activities	1600.00
6. Debt Service, General Fund	4080.00
7. Miscellaneous, General Fund	11680.81
Totals, General Fund	44790.81
8. Highways	30000.00
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No Closed Season Announced For Kentucky Fishing

FRANKFORT, Ky., June 21 (UP)—There will be no closed season on fishing in Kentucky this year, the Game and Fish Commission announced today. The commission issued an order declaring a year-round open season in fishing in all streams and impoundments, for private fishermen, and in all rivers except above the last lock and dam up the stream for commercial fishing.

CROSSWORD PUZZLE

Crossword puzzle grid with clues for Across and Down. Clues include: 1-Protia, 2-Dressed, 3-Kind of bird, 4-Wire measure, 5-Kind of bird, 6-Fourth Arabian, 7-Part to an era, 8-Whirlwind, 9-Whirlwind, 10-Whirlwind, 11-Whirlwind, 12-Whirlwind, 13-Whirlwind, 14-Whirlwind, 15-Whirlwind, 16-Whirlwind, 17-Whirlwind, 18-Whirlwind, 19-Whirlwind, 20-Whirlwind, 21-Whirlwind, 22-Whirlwind, 23-Whirlwind, 24-Whirlwind, 25-Whirlwind, 26-Whirlwind, 27-Whirlwind, 28-Whirlwind, 29-Whirlwind, 30-Whirlwind, 31-Whirlwind, 32-Whirlwind, 33-Whirlwind, 34-Whirlwind, 35-Whirlwind, 36-Whirlwind, 37-Whirlwind, 38-Whirlwind, 39-Whirlwind, 40-Whirlwind, 41-Whirlwind, 42-Whirlwind, 43-Whirlwind, 44-Whirlwind, 45-Whirlwind, 46-Whirlwind, 47-Whirlwind, 48-Whirlwind, 49-Whirlwind, 50-Whirlwind, 51-Whirlwind, 52-Whirlwind, 53-Whirlwind, 54-Whirlwind, 55-Whirlwind, 56-Whirlwind, 57-Whirlwind, 58-Whirlwind, 59-Whirlwind, 60-Whirlwind, 61-Whirlwind, 62-Whirlwind, 63-Whirlwind, 64-Whirlwind, 65-Whirlwind, 66-Whirlwind, 67-Whirlwind, 68-Whirlwind, 69-Whirlwind, 70-Whirlwind, 71-Whirlwind, 72-Whirlwind, 73-Whirlwind, 74-Whirlwind, 75-Whirlwind, 76-Whirlwind, 77-Whirlwind, 78-Whirlwind, 79-Whirlwind, 80-Whirlwind, 81-Whirlwind, 82-Whirlwind, 83-Whirlwind, 84-Whirlwind, 85-Whirlwind, 86-Whirlwind, 87-Whirlwind, 88-Whirlwind, 89-Whirlwind, 90-Whirlwind, 91-Whirlwind, 92-Whirlwind, 93-Whirlwind, 94-Whirlwind, 95-Whirlwind, 96-Whirlwind, 97-Whirlwind, 98-Whirlwind, 99-Whirlwind, 100-Whirlwind.

ANSWER TO PREVIOUS PUZZLE

ACROSS: 1-Protia, 2-Dressed, 3-Kind of bird, 4-Wire measure, 5-Kind of bird, 6-Fourth Arabian, 7-Part to an era, 8-Whirlwind, 9-Whirlwind, 10-Whirlwind, 11-Whirlwind, 12-Whirlwind, 13-Whirlwind, 14-Whirlwind, 15-Whirlwind, 16-Whirlwind, 17-Whirlwind, 18-Whirlwind, 19-Whirlwind, 20-Whirlwind, 21-Whirlwind, 22-Whirlwind, 23-Whirlwind, 24-Whirlwind, 25-Whirlwind, 26-Whirlwind, 27-Whirlwind, 28-Whirlwind, 29-Whirlwind, 30-Whirlwind, 31-Whirlwind, 32-Whirlwind, 33-Whirlwind, 34-Whirlwind, 35-Whirlwind, 36-Whirlwind, 37-Whirlwind, 38-Whirlwind, 39-Whirlwind, 40-Whirlwind, 41-Whirlwind, 42-Whirlwind, 43-Whirlwind, 44-Whirlwind, 45-Whirlwind, 46-Whirlwind, 47-Whirlwind, 48-Whirlwind, 49-Whirlwind, 50-Whirlwind, 51-Whirlwind, 52-Whirlwind, 53-Whirlwind, 54-Whirlwind, 55-Whirlwind, 56-Whirlwind, 57-Whirlwind, 58-Whirlwind, 59-Whirlwind, 60-Whirlwind, 61-Whirlwind, 62-Whirlwind, 63-Whirlwind, 64-Whirlwind, 65-Whirlwind, 66-Whirlwind, 67-Whirlwind, 68-Whirlwind, 69-Whirlwind, 70-Whirlwind, 71-Whirlwind, 72-Whirlwind, 73-Whirlwind, 74-Whirlwind, 75-Whirlwind, 76-Whirlwind, 77-Whirlwind, 78-Whirlwind, 79-Whirlwind, 80-Whirlwind, 81-Whirlwind, 82-Whirlwind, 83-Whirlwind, 84-Whirlwind, 85-Whirlwind, 86-Whirlwind, 87-Whirlwind, 88-Whirlwind, 89-Whirlwind, 90-Whirlwind, 91-Whirlwind, 92-Whirlwind, 93-Whirlwind, 94-Whirlwind, 95-Whirlwind, 96-Whirlwind, 97-Whirlwind, 98-Whirlwind, 99-Whirlwind, 100-Whirlwind.

title he winds up as just another heavyweight. But that retired undefeated heavyweight champion will pay off for years and he wants the designation badly.

Then, too, the pair of Joes haven't endorsed themselves to each other as their respective marching, chowder and oratorical societies whiled away the past six months with vim and invectives. Walcott has made it tough on himself.

The fugitive from hit and run charges has caricatured Louis as a has been. And he also took some liberties with the memory of Jack Blackburn, the late trainer who was to Louis as a father. Walcott insisted that Blackburn, who always called Louis "Chapple," originally took him under his wing and gave him that nickname. Which probably makes Walcott the original Brown Bomber, in his own eyes. He coppers the bet by saying that while he was having a bout with some germs, Blackburn tied on to his new "Chapple" the man named Joe Louis.

Louis was terribly fond of old Jack. And he wasn't overjoyed to hear Walcott's claims. Remember, too, that nobody has ever accused Louis of being a Phil-Beta Kappa of clout. Sometimes those strange, new styles bother him. But by the time a curtain call rolls around, it always has seeped through the Louis cranium and retribution sets in. Old Fearless drew a horse laugh the last time when he claimed that Louis was slow and his timing was off. This time there can be no alibi. He's in shape. And that's all, brother!

Bangs' Disease Now Wide-Spread

Brucellosis in animals, once called Bang's disease or contagious abortion, is now wide-spread and a serious menace to livestock and people, according to the Animal Pathology Department of the Kentucky Agricultural Experiment Station. In humans, it is called undulant fever.

other dairy products, or by contact with meat of diseased animals.

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Table with columns: Fish, Creel Size (lb.), Creel Size (in.). Rows include Black bass, Small mouth bass, Large mouth bass, Kentucky bass, Crappie, Rock bass, Goggles, Jack salmon or wall-eyed pike, Sand pike or sauger, Stripped bass, Muskellunge.

Today's Sports Parade

By OSCAR FRALEY United Press Sports Writer NEW YORK, June 21 (UP)—Joe Louis was about ready to prove today that crime does decidedly pay. "Arnold Crime, that is, alias Arnold Creme, Alias Jersey Joe Walcott. For at about 10:26 come Wednesday's post meridian or Wednesday during the seventh round—Fearless Fraley feels that the champ is going to lower the boom on the bike racing king of Camden, N. J. Thus will Walcott become the tenth member in good standing of the Louis double feature display. And, like the nine others, he'll find that the second time around is the quickest. This despite that Louis' hands now are alleged to have slightly less authority that the hind hooves of a mountain canary. Old Fearless is banking on Alabama Joe being more stubborn than the mule. Louis seems primed to prove that a fall gosh before pride. He fell down the last time. Taking a split decision, and now he has to resurrect his morale. That pride of his has to be satisfied and you'll see something more akin to the Old Louis this trip. On top of which, the Brown Bomber is fighting for a future meal ticket. Soon, maybe not this time but in the near future, Louis plans to retire. If he keeps the

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declared open year-round in all Kentucky streams. The commission issued the new regulations under a new law passed by the 1948 legislature, which went into effect Wednesday midnight. The law gave the Game and Fish Commission almost unlimited power in its own regulations concerning game and fish. Previously seasons and similar affairs were taken care of by statute.

The world's long-distance flight record of 11,230 miles set by the U. S. Navy's P2V, Neptune in 1946, has not yet been challenged.

CARD OF THANKS We appreciate all the nice things said by our large number of friends who attended our "Open House" Sunday afternoon and evening, and also thank openly all who took part in the program, and we especially thank Miss Jean Mueller for coming from Amherst, Ohio, to be with us on this occasion. We also express our appreciation for the large number of flowers received from friends. (Signed) Mr. and Mrs. Van D. Valentine.

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ABBIE an' SLATS Charlie Goes Up—and Down By Raeburn Van Buren

Comic strip panels showing Abbie and Slats. Slats is flying through the air, saying "THUD!!!".

L'I'L ABNER Ah Hears Yo' Talkin' By Al Capp

Comic strip panels showing L'il Abner. One panel says: "AH WHOMPED UP A GENOOWINE, HUNDRED-PUSSENT ATOMIC BAY---IT REVERSES THE LIFE CYCLE!! ANYTHING AH PUTS UNDER IT GOES ZOOMIN' BACK THROUGH SPACE AN' TIME!! AN---AH KIN ADJUST IT T'ANY PERIOD O' TH' PAST!!". Another panel says: "TH' GREAT AMERICAN PUBLIC BLESS THAR CROOL. SENSE O' HOOMER DONE PICKED OUT A SARTIN SPESHUL ADVENTCHURE FO' YO' ALL I SUFFER THROUGH AGIN' IT GIT UNDER TH' RAY, YO' BORE SOLES O' TH' PUBLIC HAS SPOKEN!!".

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Women's Page

JO WILLIAMS, Editor — PHONE 374-M

Club News Activities Locals Weddings

Mrs. Hayes Is The Hostess To Club

The last meeting of the Eastside Homemakers Club for the club year was in the home of Mrs. Curtis Hayes, Wednesday afternoon, June 16.

The roll call was answered by telling the name of a new flower being grown this year.

Mrs. J. D. Wall, chairman, presided over the business session. She announced the club would have six major project lessons on

clothing next year, beginning in October and ending in March, and that the club would have eight minor project lessons on Etiquette and Kentucky History.

The nominating committee read the following slate of officers for another year, and they were unanimously elected: President, Mrs. Thomas Parker; Vice, Mrs. Hunter Love; Treasurer, Mrs. Betty Kelly; Program Conductor, Mrs. Leslie Gilbert; Major Project Leader, Mrs. Sam Adams and Mrs. Allen Wells; Minor Project Leader, Mrs. Curtis Hayes.

Miss Rowland stated she would be glad to have a canning clinic for those who were interested. She also stated she would check pressure cookers of all club members.

Mrs. Wall stated there would be no meeting during the month of July. She named a committee to make plans for the club's annual picnic to be held Friday evening, August 17.

Mrs. Ollie Brown visited the club and demonstrated how to make sorghos. The recreation was directed by Mrs. Rupert Lassiter.

Refreshments were served to 11 members and six visitors: Mesdames Willy Cope, Rupert Lassiter, Hunter Love, Thomas Parker, Eugene Shipley, Clifford Smith, J. D. Wall, Prentice Overby, Leslie Gilbert, Allen Wells and the visitors: Mesdames A. B. Lassiter, Herman Barber, Barley Scott, Verna Roberts, N. A. Ezell, Ollie Brown and the hostess.



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Social Calendar

Tuesday, June 22

The OES will hold its regular monthly meeting at 8:15. This will be preceded with a pot luck supper at the Masonic Hall at 6:30.

Thursday, June 24

The Magazine Club will meet at 3:00 p.m. with Mrs. Jack Beale on Olive street.

VIGILANTES OF BUENA VISTA

By FRANK C. ROBERTSON

Jose Pennington has come to Idaho Territory from New York to marry Jim Bloxham, gold prospector in Bonanza Basin. With her is Pauline Cazette, sister of Jim's French partner, Bruno Cazette. On the last evening of their trip, they arrive by stage-coach at a roadside not far from Buena Vista, largest town in the Basin. This inn is owned by young Ben Warren. When Jose and Pauline arrive, he's instantly attracted to Jose. His mother serves supper to the two girls in her private sitting room. From the adjoining dining room, Ben can hear them talking. Then, in the midst of the meal, Hoppy Means, Ben's helper, bursts into the dining room with the news that Jim Bloxham has been murdered and that the vigilantes are getting ready to hang Bruno Cazette for the crime.

CHAPTER II

AS THE men in the dining room started bombarding Hoppy with questions, Ben rose and hurried into his mother's sitting room, closing the door behind him.

Jose Pennington was sitting very erect, her face white. Pauline Ca-



"Get me a horse! They won't dare to hang him if I, Jim's girl, ask them not to!"

zette covered at the other side of the little table where they had been having supper. Mrs. Warren sat between them, looking marveling at one to the other.

"No, no, it is not possible!" the French girl cried. "My brother would not do such a thing!"

Jose said quickly, "Of course he wouldn't, Pauline. There must be some mistake." She looked up at Ben, her eyes filled with fright.

"Surely, that—that news can't be true! Isn't it just a wild rumor?"

"I don't know, miss," said Ben. "I'll find out what I can."

He turned back toward the dining room and opened the door. Before he could pass through, Hoppy's voice penetrated to the sitting room.

"Jonny Clark just come from Buena Vista. He said Jim was found dead at his claim. His head had been stove in with a rock, and the Frenchman was the only one with him. They're callin' out the Vigilantes. They'll hang the Frenchman before morning!"

Ben heard a shuddering sound and, swinging around, saw Pauline Cazette slide to the floor in a faint. He rushed to her, picked her up and carried her to a couch.

His mother bent over her. "Poor little thing! Get some water, Ben."

He glanced at Jose. She was pale but unlike Pauline she seemed to be bearing up remarkably well under the shocking news.

When Ben had brought water, Pauline was soon revived.

"She sat up and cried wildly, 'Bruno! I must go to him! That'

coming year.

The decision was given by Mrs. Hugo Wilson. Mrs. E. E. Collier led in prayer.

Miss Rowland reviewed the work for the coming year.

An interesting lesson on salads was given by Mrs. Maynard Ragsdale, assisted by Mrs. R. L. Cooper of the Pottertown Club. Several salads were demonstrated and served during the social hour.

An interesting Bible game was led by Mrs. Hugo Wilson after which a dainty party plate was served by the hostess.

Eight new members were welcomed into the club. They were Mesdames Jimmy Billington, Aubrey Willoughby, Cameron Pool, Rudy Barnett, Bennie Spahn, Owen Billington, Paul Hopkins and Will

leaving Jim to set off some dynamite. He says that, when Jim didn't show up, he went back and found him dead. But there's no evidence anybody else was around. Moreover, Bruno admits they had just worked out a glory hole, and he refuses to say what became of the gold.

"Looks like pretty slim evidence to hang a man on," said Ben. "Tell me, who is most anxious to have him hanged?"

"Well, Butcher Gilkie is captain of the Vigilantes, and he's all for it. But I reckon the loudest, if that's what you mean, are Al Ridgley and Lee Guy."

"That means that Charles Douglas is back of it, for they're the lads who do his shouting for him. I believe that Douglas is the shrewdest crook that ever hit the Basin. We know there's an organization of road agents called the Lambs who have been terrorizing this country. I know that Al Ridgley is a road agent, and I'd bet my last dollar that Douglas is the head of the lambs. I do know he's the real boss of the Vigilantes, and that Butcher Gilkie is only a firebrand, honest enough but a fool whom Douglas is using."

"Those are strong words, Ben," McKinley said guardedly. "Privately, I agree with you, but I figure it's worth a man's life to make remarks like that publicly."

When Ben rejoined Jose, he told her what he had learned. Though the hanging had been postponed, he wasn't very hopeful. As he pointed out, the same men who controlled the Vigilantes also controlled the completely venal county officers.

"However, he said that, if there was one man in Buena Vista who could aid them, it was John Paul Hudson, owner of the Pacific Hotel. He was a man in Bonanza Basin whom Ben respected more highly."

HENCE, when he and Jose reached Buena Vista, they went to the Pacific Hotel. John Paul had retired, but he was easily aroused. He was an elderly, fat man and, in an old silk dressing gown, looked like some affable Oriental priest.

He explained things to him. Then, as Jose was very tired, she asked to be shown a room, leaving the two men to discuss the situation.

"I'm afraid Cazette ain't got much chance," the hotelkeeper told Ben. "The worst thing for him is that he's a stranger in the Basin. He's weak. He can't be legally convicted on the evidence they've got, so they'll only pretend to give him a trial. Then, as soon as he's discharged, the Vigilantes will grab him."

"Why are they so bent on hanging him if the case against him is weak?" Ben asked.

"I think some one is picking on him to hide the real killer, wouldn't be surprised if Charles Douglas was behind the whole thing. You know as well as I do, Ben, that he runs the Vigilantes and everything else around here. Mebbe Jim was killed so that his brother Bill would get his money instead of this girl here. Bill hangs around Douglas a lot, and I happen to know he lost a lot of money lately. He was buying Mebbe fat himself was talked into doing the killing, or mebbe somebody else did it. Anyway, I think Bruno Cazette is just being victimized by him."

"Not a very pretty picture," Ben said gloomily.

"No—but I doubt if you could get more than a dozen men in the Basin who'd believe it and who'd turn a hand to save Cazette's life."

"That ought to be enough," Ben observed. "A dozen honest, determined men ought to be able to deal with a thousand hoodwinked fools which is all the Vigilantes are. When it comes right down to it, Douglas probably hasn't got more than a dozen men himself he can really trust."

"By Gadfrey, Ben, I think you've got something! I was about resigned to letting the lawless money have its own way, but you give me fresh hope. If we can save Cazette, it would go a long way toward taking the power out of the hands of men like Charles Douglas. But if we fail and Cazette is hanged by the vigilantes, lawlessness in this country will just become more rampant."

"Yes," said Ben. "That's their challenge—and I say, let's meet it!"

Mr. Ben Cooper and little daughter, Julie, have returned to Louisville, and he's all for it. But I reckon the loudest, if that's what you mean, are Al Ridgley and Lee Guy.

Mrs. Lloyd Pugh and children of Erin, Tenn., were week-end guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Rob Lamb, 301 North Fifth street.

Mrs. Otis Churchill has returned from a month's visit with her son, Mr. Curd Churchill and family of Springfield, Mo.

Mr. and Mrs. Pat Wear and little daughter, Linda, spent the week-end in Memphis, with Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Brunson and Mrs. W. E. King. Mrs. King accompanied them home, and will be the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Wear, and Mr. Boyd Wear.

Mrs. Gertrude Key, Paris, was week-end visitor of Mrs. Lula Farmer, 109 North Sixth street.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed West with their family of Memphis are the guests of Mrs. West's mother, Mrs. Minnie Hood Jones, and Mr. West's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Owen West.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Starks with their daughter, Mrs. Vivian Watkins, Somerville, Tenn., visited in the Will Starks' home, Hazel Road, Sunday. They motored over.

Dr. and Mrs. Loren Putnam left Sunday morning for Columbus, Ohio, after spending ten days vacation with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Putnam. Dr. Putnam is a specialist in orthopedics and will teach courses in his special field at the University of Ohio this summer. While in Murray they spent several days at Putrell Lodge on Kentucky Lake.

Miss Jean Mueller of Amherst, Ohio, is the house guest of Mr. and Mrs. Van D. Valentine and Mrs. Emma Valentine, of 504 Elm street.

Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Klapp of Paducah were week-end guests of their Norman Klapp and family, Sharp street.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Humphries left Saturday for Kansas City, Mo. Mr. Humphries will be a patient at the Thornton and Minor Clinics.

Friends of Mrs. Hassell Oliver regret to hear of her emergency appendectomy in Louisville last Friday. She was enroute home when stricken. She had been to Abilene, Tex. to see her daughter Mary Sue and son-in-law, Roy E. Wilson graduate from Abilene Christian College. Both were honor students, and Roy expects to enter medical college in Galveston, Tex., in September.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Crider of Trenton, Tenn., were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Crider and Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Collier.

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Pottertown H'maker Club Plans Picnic

On Thursday, June 17, the Pottertown Homemakers met at 10 a.m. with Mrs. R. L. Cooper. Twelve members and five visitors were present.

The meeting date has been changed from third Thursday to the fourth Thursday each month. County Agent Miss Rachel Rowland discussed the work for the club the coming year.

New officers were elected. The meeting adjourned after lunch to visit the new club on North Highway.

In July the club will hold its annual picnic fourth Sunday at Poplar Spring church at 2 p.m.

Birthday Club Meets Thursday

The Birthday Club met Thursday afternoon at three o'clock at the home of Mrs. Elias Robertson, 800 Olive street.

Lovely arrangements of daisies, lilies, hydrangas and sweetpeas decorated the living room.

A delightful social hour was enjoyed with the hostess serving tasty refreshments to Mesdames Charlie Crawford, Henry Elliott, W. B. Scruggs, Wesley Waldrop, Helen Lassiter, Homer Williams, Effie James, W. W. McElrath, Steel, Clyde Jones, Miss Alice Waters, and a guest Mrs. J. T. Wallis.

The group presented Mrs. Robertson with a beautiful gift.

Miss Billie Robinson To Be Married To Mr. John Thompson

The engagement and approaching marriage of Miss Billie June Robinson to John David Thompson, son of Mrs. David Thompson of Murray, has been announced by the bride-elect's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Luke Robinson, 202 East Ninth Street, Austin, Texas.

The wedding has been set for August 27 at the University Church of Christ in Austin.

Miss Robinson is a graduate of Austin High School and received her B.A. degree from the University of Texas.

Mr. Thompson received his B.S. degree from Murray State College, Murray, and is now doing graduate work at the University of Texas.

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