



FARMERS COMPLETE BIG UNION CREAMERY ORGANIZATION HERE

Mr. Elmer G. Downing Elected President of \$250,000 Corporation Owned By Farmers to Handle Milk, Cream and Country Produce.

Organization of the Farmers Union Creamery Association, a concern capitalized at \$250,000, was completed at a meeting of the stockholders held at the Maysville court house Saturday.

Maysville is the headquarters for the first of twelve districts in Kentucky to be created for the cooperative marketing of cream, butter, eggs, poultry and other products under the auspices of the Kentucky Farmers Union.

The adoption of the constitution and bylaws and articles of incorporation to be filed this week in the Fayette county clerk's office, creating the \$250,000 co-operative business followed the election of directors.

Twelve district directors were chosen by the stockholders of the first district comprised of Mason, Bracken, Nicholas, Fleming, Lewis counties of Kentucky, and several Ohio counties. The directors are Elmer G. Downing, Pat Comer, of Mason county; C. D. Asbury, former director of the Burley Tobacco Growers' Cooperative Association, and Harry H. Cline, of Bracken county; G. L. Carter and John Dunn, of Nicholas county; Charles Marshall, George W. Hurst and Oscar Green, of Fleming county; W. T. Hughes, of Lewis county; and C. W. Grimes, representing the Ohio section. These twelve directors, according to the constitution and by laws, elected three directors-at-large as follows: J. P. Beatty, Lexington; E. L. Harrison, state president of the Kentucky Farmers Union, of Lexington; and H. C. Pierce, product director of the Farmers Union, of Lexington.

These directors-at-large work with the directors in laying plans for the organization of more associations in other districts of the state, including Lexington and Cincinnati districts where work of signing up cows and poultry has already started.

The fifteen directors next elected officers as follows: Elmer G. Downing, president; Pat Comer, first vice president; C. D. Asbury, second vice president, and E. L. Harrison, Lexington, secretary-treasurer.

The executive committee chosen included E. L. Harrison, Elmer G. Downing and John Owens.

Committees as follows were appointed: Finance: building equipment and business operations; receiving and handling cream; standards; auditing and increasing membership.

The next regular meeting of the executive committee of the district will be held at Maysville Wednesday morning, at 10 o'clock at the Farmers Union

MANY FILL OPERA HOUSE TO HEAR BAND CONCERT

Kentucky Cardinals Render Delightful Thanksgiving Concert on Sunday Afternoon.

The Washington Opera House was filled Sunday afternoon to hear the annual Thanksgiving concert of the Kentucky Cardinals band and while one just naturally thinks that every concert they hear the band play is the best one yet, from the quality of the music rendered, Sunday afternoon's concert was thought by many able critics to be really the most worth while effort the band has ever made.

Mr. Barnard had selected a very appropriate program that brought out the best there is in the band and the improvement during the past several months of hard practice was noted and commented upon by scores throughout the large audience.

The Cardinal band is rapidly developing into a class of musicians never before developed from a juvenile band and Maysville is indeed proud of their accomplishments in music.

SELLS TUCKAHOE RIDGE FARM.

Mr. John P. Foley Saturday bought, through the G. L. Ewan & Co. agency, the well improved and highly productive fifty acre farm of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Brown of Dover. This farm is located in the section of the county that usually produces the premium tobacco that competes at our tobacco fairs. Mr. Foley gets possession of the farm March 1st, 1923. The price paid for the farm was not made public but is a much better price than could have been obtained a year ago.

BEACON COURT TO

END THIS WEEK. Circuit Judge C. D. Newell will close the winter term of the Bracken Circuit Court at Brooksville this week. The regular term of the Mason Circuit Court will be opened next Monday at the local court house.

Squire Fred Dresel held his regular term of civil court at the court room in the fifth ward Monday and transacted much business.

offices in the State National Bank building. The second meeting of the board of directors of the Farmers Union Creamery Association will be held in the Maysville court house Saturday, December 9, at 10:30 o'clock.

The filing of the articles of incorporation for the new organizations will be done by Secretary-Treasurer Harrison the coming week. The 250,000 shares will be divided into 150,000 common and 100,000 preferred.

Following the organization of the company, a large central creamery will be erected at Maysville to handle all the milk that has been signed up with the association. A poultry plant will next be established.

REV. FRED RILEY WILL ADDRESS CLUB ON BRITISH TEACHING

Prominent Aberdeen Minister, Native Britisher, to Address Mason County Women's Club on Next Friday.

Rare opportunity will be given to members of the Mason County Women's Club at their regular meeting Friday, December 1st, when Rev. Fred Riley will deliver a lecture on "Community Education of England Compared to America."

Rev. Fred Riley, of Aberdeen, Ohio, was born in England in the vicinity of the city of Sheffield, the great steel center. In the early days of youth, his ambitions were directed towards the scholastic profession as teacher, but, through force of circumstances, he was compelled to forego this desire, and he directed the talents he possessed to other important phases of public work, and was one of the prominent civic workers of the town and district in which he resided up to the time of the outbreak of the world war.

Rev. Riley's father spent thirty years of his life in the active service of municipal government of the town, and was for a number of years the mayor of the city. This was an unique opportunity for young Riley to become acquainted with the many aspects of civic life, as for a number of years he served as secretary to his father, during which time Education, Sanitary Board, Child Welfare, Hospital and Health Boards, and other important duties came under the scope of his activities. Rev. Riley thereby became acquainted with community life and progress and was very much in demand as a public speaker on all questions of social and economic matters. He thereby gained a very wide experience and this, coupled with the fact that he has done extensive work as a lay preacher in the Wesleyan Methodist Church of England, gives him a wonderful knowledge of the needs and requirements of community life.

Before the outbreak of the world war, Rev. Riley was a mechanic by trade and served a term of service as Second Chargeman of a large water-works corporation, supplying a population of 22,000 people, thus giving him an inside knowledge of the working of municipal projects and organizations.

In the early days of the world war, he voluntarily enlisted in the British army in the ranks and saw four years' active service in France and Belgium, gaining several distinctions for bravery and devotion to duty. At the close of the war, he returned to his old home but felt the call from God to visit this country and take up active work of a minister of the Gospel, and eventually was assigned by the West Ohio Conference to the pastorate of the Aberdeen Circuit.

Rev. Riley with his accomplished wife and bright little daughter came to America in August 1921. They have made many warm friends in this country during the short time they have been with us, and their many friends in Maysville and Mason county welcome them into our city on this occasion.

Every member of the Mason County Women's Club should hear Rev. Riley's lecture on Friday, December 1st.

NOTICE.

The People's Building Association will open its books for subscription to its 57th Series of stock on December 2nd, 1922. No initiation fee. No charge for carrying. All savings accounts paid on demand. Substantial dividends paid annually. See A. G. Sulser, Secretary; W. A. Munzing, treasurer, or any member of the board of directors. 27Nov10

MANY ATTEND FUNERAL OF PASTOR MULLEN.

The funeral of Pastor John Mullen, of the Christian church, was held at the church Sunday afternoon and a great concourse of people were in attendance to pay their respect to this splendid man. Burial was made at the East Fork Cemetery, Lewis county.

MOREHEAD GETS NEW NORMAL SCHOOL.

Morehead, the county seat of Rowan county, has been selected by the Normal School commission as the site for the new normal school for this section of the state. The commission was deadlocked on a site for several days.

FEDERAL COURT AT LONDON OPEN.

Federal Judge A. M. J. Cochran went to London Monday to open the winter term of Federal court at that place. It is reported that there are many cases scheduled for trial this term.

Hon. Thomas D. Slattery, of Cincinnati, was in Maysville Monday on legal business.

INJUNCTION REFUSED LEWISBURG TAXPAYERS

Court of Appeals Sustains Judge Newell in Refusing to Grant Taxpayers of School District Injunction.

Judge C. D. Newell's action in refusing certain taxpayers of the Lewisburg district an injunction against the sheriff and the County Board of Education to stop the collection of the special thirty cent school tax in the Lewisburg Consolidated school district, has been upheld by the Court of Appeals.

The opinion follows: "On November 20, 1922, the plaintiffs made before me a motion to grant a temporary interlocutory injunction herein, to restrain the defendant sheriff from collecting the tax levied by the Board of Education upon the property of the Lewisburg Consolidated school district, levied on the 31st day of July, 1922, upon the assessment of property for county and state purposes, made as of July 1, 1921, and equalized in the spring of 1922. After a consideration of the motion and a submission to the judges hereinafter named for their advice, I am of the opinion that the injunction should not be granted and the motion is therefore overruled. ROLIN HURT, Judge."

Of the Court of Appeals. "Judges Thomas, Clarke and Mooreman considered the motion with me and concur in the opinion reached."

FORMER LOCAL PAINTER DIES IN COVINGTON.

Mr. Henry Shea, about 70 years of age, former local painter, died of Bright's disease at his home in Covington Saturday night. He is survived by his wife, two sons and one daughter. Mr. Shea left Maysville about twenty-five years ago for Covington and was a very prosperous painter and contractor in that city. He was a cousin of Mr. Henry Shea, of McClannan & Shea of this city. Funeral and burial will be at Covington Monday afternoon.

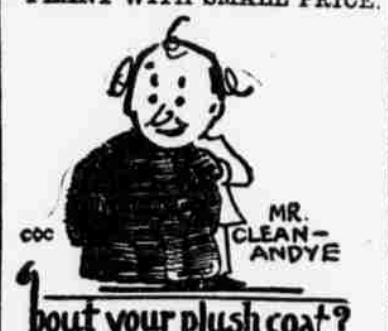
MRS. O'NEAL BURIED HERE THIS AFTERNOON.

The body of Mrs. Mary E. O'Neal, who died at her home in Cincinnati, was brought here Monday afternoon over the C. & O. and taken to the St. Patrick's cemetery at Washington for burial.

IMPROVES FOLLOWING OPERATION.

Miss Mildred Martin, of East Second street, continues to improve very satisfactorily following an operation for appendicitis.

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BURLEY PLANTS OPEN FOR CROPS ON DECEMBER 11

Director of Warehouses Says Association Will Be Ready to Start Receiving Then If Weather Is Favorable.

Receiving plants of the Burley Tobacco Growers' Co-operative Association will be opened to receive the 1922 crops of members December 11, if there is a "season," Director of Warehouses Ralph M. Barker said Saturday night. Warehouse managers and bookkeepers from all parts of the burley district will be in Lexington Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday, Director Barker said, to receive their final instructions.

District graders and managers of the association's redryers also will be in Lexington Monday for their final instructions and on December 4, warehouse graders will be in Lexington to make their examinations, which are required before they are permitted to pass upon the crops of the growers. These examinations will include practical demonstrations of ability on the part of the graders to do the work which will be required of them.

Director Barker reiterated his statement of last week that members of the association will not be compelled to haul their tobacco to the larger receiving points in order to obtain a good grade, and said that expert graders will be at every burley receiving point and that graders will be uniform throughout the district.

The Travelers Aid Association of the United States held its convention last week in Cincinnati, in the ball room of the Gibson House. Ninety delegates were present among them was Mrs. Mary Curran Hobday head of the Washington City Department. After the convention Mrs. Hobday came to Maysville to visit her aunt, Mrs. Hannah C. Curran, of East Fourth street, returning to her post of duty Sunday. Mrs. Hobday has a desk in the beautiful union station in our national capital from which she directs her activities. It is well to remember these public utilities and any Maysvillian going to Washington City should not fail to seek aid and advice from The Travelers Aid Society.

Mr. Harry W. Tolle, of Cincinnati, spent Sunday here at the bedside of his aunt, Miss Eva Fowler, who remains very ill.

Hon. and Mrs. Wm. Cox left Monday for a month's visit to Captain and Mrs. Carl Wheat at West Point, N. Y.

BANK OF MAYSVILLE WILL CASH YOUR WAR SAVINGS CERTIFICATES

The War Savings Certificates, sometimes called War Savings Stamps, which were issued by the United States Government in 1918, will mature on January 1, 1923. At the request of the Secretary of the Treasury and in order to extend all possible aid to the people of this community in effecting the redemption of their stamps, the Bank of Maysville will cash all unregistered certificates at their bank any time after January 1, 1923. Holders of these stamps are urged to turn them over to that bank as soon as possible. A receipt will be issued to you by the bank for the stamps you deliver to them and the money paid to you on or after January 1, 1923. By turning in your stamps to the bank now you will get your money promptly on this date.

The Bank of Maysville is also urging owners of all 4 1/2% Victory Bonds which have the letters A, B, C, D, E, or F preceding the number on the bond, to present them at their bank for collection without delay, as these bonds will be paid off by the Government on December 15, 1922. 27Nov3t

MRS. H. P. McILVAIN DIES.

Mrs. H. P. McIlvain died at her home at Mayslick Saturday following an illness of paralysis with which she was stricken about two weeks ago. She is survived by one daughter, Miss Lena McIlvain, three step-daughters, Mrs. Politt and Mrs. Peed, of Lexington, and Mrs. Bond, of Hamilton, Ohio, three sisters, Miss Sallie Owens, and Mrs. C. T. Marshall, of the county, and Mrs. T. W. Wallace, of Lexington, as well as two brothers, Mr. J. J. Owens, of Maysville, and Mr. Charles F. Owens, of Lewisburg. Funeral was held at the grave in the Maysville cemetery Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

REV. PERRY TO HEAD LOCAL PASTOR'S UNION.

At a meeting of the Maysville Pastor's Union, Rev. J. J. P. Perry, rector of the Church of the Nativity, was chosen president of the union to succeed Rev. John Mullen, deceased, who has been the head of the organization. Suitable resolutions upon the death of Mr. Mullen were ordered drawn by the local pastors.

BIBLE CLASS SOCIAL TO BE HELD WEDNESDAY.

The Eleanor Wood Bible Class social will be held at the public library next Wednesday evening at 7 o'clock. Misses Lucy Lee and Mary E. Richeson will entertain the class.

LOCAL BANKS TO MAKE FIGHT ON HEAVY TAX BILLS

Banks Bring Suit's Seeking Injunction To Prevent Sheriff From Forcing Payment on Heavy State Tax On Stock.

The Bank of Maysville, State National Bank and State Trust Company filed suits in the Mason Circuit Court Monday afternoon against Sheriff C. M. Devore in which they seek an injunction enjoining the sheriff from enforcing the payment of state taxes under the new state tax law.

In their petitions, the plaintiffs state that the result under the state taxing law is that the rate of taxation for state purposes as prescribed is 40 cents per \$100 levied upon plaintiff's shares of stock at a valuation of 125% of the fair cash value of its assets and requires of the plaintiffs the payment of the equivalent of a rate of 50 cents per \$100, whereas all other property subject to the said 40 cent rate for state purposes, being assessed at less than 75% of its fair cash value, is required to pay only the equivalent of a rate of 30 cents or less per \$100, of fair cash value. Plaintiffs state that they have tendered to the defendant sheriff in full of the taxes due from 60% of the said tax bill for state purposes now demanded.

The prayer is for a temporary injunction, and upon hearing in chief, enjoining the sheriff from in any manner collecting or enforcing the payment of the taxes.

Wednesday, November 29th at 10 a. m. was chosen as a time for the court's hearing on the petition.

NAMED ADMINISTRATRIX.

Mrs. Elizabeth A. Davidson was appointed administratrix of the estate of Thomas P. Anderson, deceased, in the county court Monday and she qualified with Messrs. E. T. Kirk and W. W. Ball as sureties on bond.

WED AT AUGUSTA MONDAY.

Mr. James E. Hanley, aged 38, of the Mayslick neighborhood, and Miss Ida Rose Appleman, aged 27, of Augusta, were married at the Augusta Catholic church Monday morning.

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