

HIGHER PHONE RATES NOW ON

Injunction In Favor of City Is Dissolved By Judge Shackelford After Big Courts Act

The United States Supreme Court and the Kentucky Court of Appeals, having dissolved other injunctions sought to prevent increased telephone rates, Judge Shackelford on Friday dissolved the injunction he had granted during the recent term of circuit court upon motion of the city of Richmond, seeking to prevent phone rate raises here.

Thus ends legal steps for the present, in the local courts to prevent the increased telephone rates for the city patrons. The new rates have gone into effect this month and next bills sent to telephone subscribers will be on the basis of \$3.75 per month for business phones and \$2.00 for residences.

HIGH SCHOOL PLAY DELIGHTS EVERYONE

Eleven seniors of the Caldwell High School played to a crowded house last night, when they gave their play, "Standing By." The story was full of pathos with just enough humor which was furnished by Aunt Polly, black face and tender of heart, to make the whole play intensely interesting from the very start.

Mary Alice Tudor, as the wife of Mr. Carey, and the designing mother who tried in vain to marry their daughter, Ethelind to a millionaire, took her part with the ease and grace of a professional player. Stella Ramsey as Ethelind, showed real dramatic art when she defied her mother and overcame all obstacles which kept her from her soldier lover whom she had promised to marry on his return from overseas.

Caldwell Baccalaureate Sermon

The baccalaureate sermon to the graduates of Caldwell High School will be preached at the Christian church at 8 o'clock Sunday evening by Dr. W. A. Fortner, of Transylvania University. Dr. Fortner is said to be a splendid speaker and will bring a fine message to the young people who are just finishing their course.

Kirkville Farm Sells Well

Rev. D. H. Starns, of Kirkville sold his nice little farm of 51 acres to Dr. H. C. Pope, of the same community this week. There are 51 acres in the tract but no improvements, but the land is all mighty fine dirt. The price is reported to have been around \$2000.

HARDIN NOMINATED

Judge Charles A. Hardin, of Harrodsburg, was formally declared the Democratic nominee for congress in the special election to be held in the 8th district August 2d, by the district committee at a meeting held at Nicholasville Thursday. A certificate of nomination was given Judge Hardin, who was present, when the report of the committee was made and an affidavit was immediately forwarded to Frankfort, to be filed with the Secretary of State.

Judge Hardin was the only Democrat in the district who announced his candidacy for the office. Papers of nomination were filed by Judge Hardin at Frankfort, on May 21st, the last day they could be filed according to law. His nomination by the committee has been practically assured as no other democrat in the district announced as a candidate.

"MICE AND MEN"

Next Tuesday evening at eight o'clock, Miss Mary Ann McMillan, head of the Expression Department at the Normal School, will present a selected cast in "Mice and Men," a four act romantic comedy by Madeline Lucette Ryley. A royalty of \$20 has been paid for the use of this play and the cast has been selected with a view of presenting it to the Richmond public in the best possible manner.

Each year the Normal presents its best talent on Tuesday evening of Commencement week. Crowded houses have greeted all performances this year at the Normal and it is expected that a banner crowd will be in attendance. Tickets are on sale at the Normal School and have also been placed in the hands of the Model School children for sale.

Flynn On The Job

New York, June 7—After a conference here today with police officials, William J. Flynn, head of the Department of Justice forces seeking the persons responsible for recent bomb outrages, said "There are a hundred clues to be traced out, and we are making progress."

Made A Mighty Serious Charge

A dispatch from Flemingsburg to a morning paper said: B. S. Grannis, commonwealth's attorney, has filed suit against James S. Muse, a wealthy Fleming county farmer, demanding \$50,000 for alleged defamation of character. The complaint alleges that Muse in a conversation with Frank B. Henderson, a poultry dealer, stated that Grannis had accepted a bribe of \$1,200, and by dividing it with Gov. Stanley, had secured the release of a man named Owens who had been sentenced to prison.

Oldham Buys Nicholasville Store

A. B. Oldham & Son owners of Mt. Sterling's largest department store, this week closed a deal whereby they purchased the stock store and good will of J. H. Boner dry goods and department stores at Nicholasville. Mr. William Oldham will go to Nicholasville to take charge of the business in which he will be assisted by his younger brother, A. B. Oldham, Jr. The senior member of the firm is a brother of Mr. W. D. Oldham, of this city, and has many friends here.

Masons Want New Home

Kentucky Masons will launch a state-wide campaign Monday morning for \$1,000,000 to replace the historic Masonic Widows' and Orphans' Home at Louisville, built half a century ago, with a group of handsome new fire proof buildings which also will be headquarters for the Grand Lodge of Kentucky.

SPLENDID CHANCE TO GET HUN CANNON

If Senator J. C. W. Beckham can possibly secure it, Richmond will obtain one of the captured German cannon to ornament the court house yard. A long petition was forwarded to Senator Beckham by Mrs. Jonah Wagers a short time ago, requesting that he use his best efforts toward that end, and Senator Beckham has written that he will do all in his power. In a letter to the editor of the Daily Register regarding the matter, Senator Beckham says:

Hon. Shelton M. Saufley, Richmond, Ky. Dear Shelton:

I have your note of May 19th, expressing your personal interest in seeing Richmond secure one of the captured German cannon to be placed in the court house yard there, and it is hardly necessary to tell you that it will give me pleasure to be of any assistance possible in the matter.

I have taken the matter up with the War Department, and urged in the strongest terms possible that Richmond be given one of these cannon. I hope it may be done, and I shall gladly do what I can to aid in it.

Very sincerely yours, J. C. W. BECKHAM.

Here's What That Bug Is

Most everyone around here has been wondering what is this new fly or bug that made its appearance about a week ago, and while it does not "bite," so far as known, causes a lot of discomfort when it "lights" on the back of your neck. It remained for a precocious student of Centre College at Danville, Howard Van Antwerp, to send in a sample to the Experiment Station at Lexington. He received a reply from Prof. Garman, the bug specialist, which said: "The insects of which you send samples are the winged form of sycamore aphid, Lanchius platonicus. It is exceptionally common this season, though the wingless form are frequent during the ordinary season on sycamore. I have never before seen so many of the winged form. It is possible that the freezing of the young leaves of the sycamore trees may have led to the dispersal of the insect in search of other forage."

COLYER LOSES IN COURT OF APPEALS

A dispatch from Frankfort in the morning papers said: The act of the Legislature creating the office of superintendent of insurance rating was held to be valid Friday by the Court of Appeals. The court construed the act by deciding the case of the State Insurance Board against R. L. Greene, auditor and H. H. Coyer, a member of the State Rating Board, against N. O. Gray, superintendent of insurance board and provided for the appointment of a superintendent of insurance rating. Conceiving the act to be invalid, C. F. Thomas, insurance commissioner and Coyer, a member of the board, filed suit to restrain auditor Greene from appointing a superintendent of rating. The lower court construed the act to be valid and N. O. Gray, who was at the time a member of the insurance board, was appointed superintendent of insurance rates. Coyer then sued Gray to restrain him from performing his duties as superintendent of insurance rating and the two cases were consolidated and taken to the Court of Appeals. The court holds that there is sufficient clearness in the act to abolish the State Insurance Board and the officers of secretary and attorney and declines to pass on the other questions in the case.

Next Base Ball Game

The next game to be played by the champion Richmond Browns will be against the Nicholasville Giants at Pioneer Park here on Wednesday afternoon, June 11th. They all seem to look alike to the crack local colored players, who are putting up a big league style of ball. A lot of white fans are out to see every game.

E. H. Lafford, of Paint Lick, and Grover C. Cox, of Manes, were visitors in Richmond Saturday, on business. Both are prominent merchants of their communities.

WANTED 10,000 bushels Blue Grass Seed; highest cash market price. F. H. G...

E. K. NORMAL ENDS SUCCESSFUL YEAR

Program of Interesting Commencement Exercises Begins On Sunday

Everything is in readiness on the campus at the Normal School for the Commencement sermon which will be delivered by Dr. Homer W. Carpenter, of the First Christian church, at 7 o'clock tomorrow evening. The hour is so arranged for the convenience of those who desire to attend the exercises at the Christian church at a later hour. Dr. Carpenter is at his best when talking to young people and a great sermon will be delivered by this able orator tomorrow evening.

Monday morning the Seniors have their class exercises in the chapel. Following the exercises the chapel, the Field Meet will take its place on the program. Many entertaining contests have been arranged for men and women. In the afternoon a baseball game will be played. There is always much fun on this occasion.

Tuesday the Elementary Class exercises will be held in chapel at the regular hour. The commencement play, "Mice and Men," will be given at 8 o'clock in the evening. Miss McMillan is working overtime to give the public a high-class entertainment.

Wednesday morning the Intermediate class exercises will be held at the regular chapel hour. Wednesday night Hon. Tom B. McGregor will deliver the address to the graduates of Model High School. There are 14 graduates from high school this year.

Thursday morning at chapel hour the Senior class of 1919 will make its last appearance in chapel. A fine program has been arranged. Thursday night the President's reception will be held. This is the occasion for a real home-coming. Old graduates, Seniors, Juniors and Sophomores all join to make the event one long to be remembered.

Friday closes the week's program. Dr. Garfield will deliver the address to the graduates at 10 o'clock. Dr. Garfield is always welcome to Richmond and the school is indeed fortunate to secure such an able speaker for the occasion. In the afternoon and evening the Alumni Association are in charge. The business meeting is held at 4 o'clock and the banquet at six. This year has been a most successful one for the Normal School. It was the only school in the state that did not have to close on account of the "flu." The summer term of six weeks, which opens June 16th and closes July 25th, will mark the close of the 18th year of the Eastern Kentucky State Normal.

ANOTHER FORGING CASE IN COURT

Trigg Lane, the young white man charged with working the forged check game on two Richmond business men, was held to await action of the next grand jury under \$200 bond by County Judge W. K. Price in quarterly Court Friday. He was unable to give the bond and went to jail. Lane is charged with forging a check for the sum of \$20.20, signing the name of Mrs. M. J. Boggs thereto, and offering it to J. Periman, First street merchant, in payment of goods. Later he signed a check himself for \$10 and attempted to buy goods from D. W. Vandever near the freight depot. Trigg is said to be 26 years of age.

The jury which tried Mrs. Tennessee Hoskins, of the White Hall section of the county, on a charge of permitting her stock to run at large, was unable to agree. In the civil suit of the City National Bank, of Parkersburg, West Virginia, against Parks and Son, a judgment was given in favor of the plaintiff for the sum of \$179.70. The suit was brought on a note which it was alleged had been assigned to the bank. The note was subject to a credit of \$50.

GIFTS FOR DANVILLE COLLEGE

A number of gifts to the Kentucky College for Women at Danville, were announced Wednesday. The first scholarship endowment to the college was presented by the alumnae of Bell Seminary and was for \$1,000. Mrs. Joe Brown gave the college \$100 in memory of Miss Amanda Piles. The class of '96 gave the college \$150. The class of '06 gave the college \$50 and Miss Nannie Barber presented the college with two antique chairs in memory of her sister Alice.

Down they go—Prices on all Fresh Fish are reduced. We are receiving a fresh supply daily. Neff's Fish & Oyster House, phone 431. 156 6

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JACK PHELPS GOES AS RAIDING DEPUTY

Jack Phelps, who recently returned from fighting overseas, has just been appointed a U. S. Deputy Internal Revenue Collector. He has already gone to work again for Uncle Sam. Mr. Phelps is what is known as a "raiding deputy," which means that he will have a lot of raiding to do in the mountains, hunting out the festive moonshiner, and the illicit booze that he is making and will probably make on a more extensive scale than ever before after the first of July. This raiding business has gotten to be rather risky at times, for the 'shiners have a disagreeable way of hiding behind stumps and bushes and taking a shot at anyone they think is trying to interfere with their business. To a man who has been over No Man's Land after the pesky Hun, this will seem but child's play, however, and Mr. Phelps' many friends at home are satisfied that he will more than make good. It is understood that his headquarters will be at Columbia, in Adair county, out of which he will work over 16 counties with Deputy Charley Winfrey, one of the old heads at the game, and one of the very best men in Uncle Sam's Service.

The Weather

Partly cloudy tonight and Sunday; probably showers Sunday west portion.

HEARD ABOUT TOWN

W. L. Davis, of Harvey, Ill., is the guest of C. F. Gilmore and family on Moberly avenue.

Mr. Hugh Millon sold to Center Bros., Garrard county, one five year-old mare mule for \$200.

Dr. Howard Cox, of Bardonia, committed suicide. He was sixty years old and a brother of Hugh Cox, the well known banker.

A shortage of \$1,000,000 has been discovered in books of the Michigan penitentiary.

The latest information from Paris is that the President may not leave for home before June 18th.

The railroads during the month of April had a deficit of more than \$41,000,000 in their operation.

The action of the city of Louisville in refusing the Traction Company increased fares of reduced service threatens the ruin of the Street Car Company.

Representative Blanton, of Texas introduced a resolution warning Samuel Gompers that he must purge labor organizations of bomb throwers and other anarchists.

The House has voted to investigate the War Department's expenditures during the war and a committee of ten Republicans and five Democrats have been appointed to conduct the investigation.

J. C. Starns, a prominent stock dealer of Grant county, is here for the week-end with his brother, Rev. D. H. Starns, of Kirksville.

Mr. B. L. Milon bought of Tennessee parties, at the sale, conducted by Mr. Jim Pearson this week, fifteen cows for \$1100. Mr. Geo. DeJarnett bought five of same parties, price not stated.

In Garrard county Squire J. P. Bourne purchased thru the D. A. Thomas Realty Agency, of Jas. I. Hamilton the Barlett 106 acre tract, located about 2 1/2 miles out on the Richmond pike. Consideration private. However Mr. Hamilton recently purchased this tract at \$250 per acre.

California republicans are launching a boom for Senator Hiram Johnson for President.

With a view to carrying prohibition to all parts of the world, temperance workers assembled at Washington for the annual national convention of the Anti-Saloon League of America, organized the World's League Against Alcoholism.

Asbie Sebastian, 45, attempted to hang himself at his home eight miles from Stanford. He was caught just as he was breathing his last and resuscitated. His mind has not been right for several weeks. He was taken to Sprague's Sanitarium at Lexington, for treatment.

Wounded Conductor Dies

Conductor Samuel Burns, who shot on a Cincinnati Southern passenger train while it was pulling into Somerset Tuesday, died at the hospital from two wounds inflicted with a 38 revolver in the hands of James Thomas, a soldier of Scott county, Tenn. Capt. Burns was one of the most popular railroad men on the Southern road, and since his death, the jail has been guarded as a mob in

DERNBURG SAYS HUNS CAN'T PAY AND WONT

(By Associated Press) London, June 7—Dr. Bernard Dernburg, German minister of finance, in a Berlin interview insists upon Germany's inability to meet the financial demands of the peace terms. He said "Germany cannot pay and the entente cannot make Germany pay. You can invade Germany and occupy and raid its banks and nobody will stand in your way if you wish to come to Berlin. But when you are there, what are you going to do? Your only hope of reparation lies in getting the German people to work, producing goods which they can give the allies against a money indemnity but they first must have the raw materials reasonably soon. You do not suppose our children are going to remain slaves because their parents lost the war."

NATION-WIDE WIRE STRIKE LATE TODAY

(By Associated Press) Washington, June 7—S. J. Koenenkamp, president of the Commercial Telegraphers' Union, who today is en route to Chicago, announced that he would call a nation-wide strike of union telegraphers upon his arrival in Chicago late today. The proposed strike is to support the Western Union employes in ten southern states who struck Thursday night. He said the date and whether it would include Postal companies' employes is not yet determined.

LITTLE CHANGE TO SEE TREATY YET

(By Associated Press) Washington, June 7—Administration officials believe that President Wilson's reply to the Senate resolution asking for the peace treaty with Germany, will be that it is not compatible with the public interest to furnish the text at this time. This belief is strengthened by dispatches today from Paris, saying the American peace delegation is apparently firm in its decision not to authorize publication of the treaty until it is signed.

THE MARKETS

Cincinnati, June 7—Packers 10 cents lower; others steady; Chicago 10 cents higher; cattle and lambs steady.

Louisville — Cattle 100; slow and unchanged; hogs 2,000 steady and unchanged; sheep 1,500; a quarter lower; \$9 down; lambs steady and unchanged.

50,000 Recruits Go To France

(By Associated Press) Washington, June 7—General March announced today that all of the original Archangel expeditions will have sailed for home within two weeks. He also announced that 50,000 recruits have been obtained for army of occupation in France. Three year enlistments continue to predominate over those requested for one year services.

Week's Weather Guess

(By Associated Press) Washington, June 7—The week's weather predictions for the Ohio Valley and Tennessee are some prospects for local showers early in the week; otherwise fair and nearly normal temperatures.

Another Railroad Strike

Roanoke, Va., June 7—Five thousand machine shop employes of the Norfolk & Western Railway struck today. They expect to be joined by trainmen and engineers before the day is over. The strike originated in the discharge of a few men for alleged insubordination. Reports say thousands of men also struck at the road's terminals in Portsmouth, Ohio, today.

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PLANS TO BEAUTIFY BUSINESS SECTION

Ordinance Offered In City Council To Have Poles and Wires Removed Before Paving

The first step of clearing the business section of Richmond, unsightly telephone and light and power wires and poles was taken by the City Council at regular meeting Thursday night. An ordinance providing for the removal was given its first reading. It was decided to hold special meeting on the night of the 17th at which time, the telephone company and the Kentucky Utilities Company will have representatives present, and the matter will be worked out in detail. There is widespread and practically unanimous sentiment on part of the citizens of the city a community generally that improvement should be secured before the new paved streets are put down. Removal of the wires and poles from the principal thoroughfares will improve the looks of the city many hundred per cent, and the City Council take whatever action is necessary to accomplish this. Question of a White Way Richmond may also be brought at this special meeting. Such improvement should be made this time. Merchants and business men had subscribed sufficient funds to provide the poles and lights and the city had agreed to furnish the electricity, a couple of years ago. Then the war broke out, and it became impossible to obtain iron or other materials and the matter was dropped. Now conditions are different, and active campaign should be set foot at once to get the White Way.

The City Fathers have had many complaints from merchants as to the parking of automobiles in front of their places of business, that a new parking ordinance was introduced at this meeting. The new ordinance would provide for parking cars in center of Main street instead north to the curbing on each side. Merchants say that cars left constantly and for long periods in front of their business houses prevent many customers from finding easy access to their doors and desire a change made.

The license ordinance was passed for another year, and Chief Police Claude Devore was authorized to make collection of the special license taxes. There practically little change in the ordinance in the matter of tax though a number of additions made to it. The ordinance, shortly appear in the Daily Register.

The city tax rate for the coming year was placed at \$1.70 each \$100 worth of property, an increase of 45 cents over last year's assessment being made under the provisions of the act and streets bond issue.

ELKS BACK S. A. CAMPAIGN

The Kentucky Elks, the "Best People on Earth" as the B. F. O. generally interpreted, will back all their usual energy and vigor campaign to raise in Kentucky State's quota for the Home Service of the Salvation Army. Work in Kentucky will include "less" saloons in the cities now where there is any demand for extermination of the work of the out, a permanent building for Army in Lexington, which will be chosen of proper location and found with the regular work of Army.

Was Night To The Elks

(By Associated Press) Philadelphia, June 7—The Elks, of Long Island's 33rd division, launched today. It was organized by Mrs. Frances M. ...

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