

DOES COUNTY JAILER OWE CITY TAXES

Interesting Legal Question Raised By Refusal of Burgess to List in Richmond

Is a county official, living in the city during his term of office, liable for city taxes?

This novel question will undoubtedly have to be passed upon by the courts, for County Jailer Wm. Burgess, has refused to give in a list or to pay city taxes in Richmond. He takes the ground that he is a citizen of Madison county, outside of the city, is in town only temporarily during term of office, and is not subject to taxation in town. The point is also made that Jailer Burgess is not at present domiciled in the city proper, for he lives in the jail house situated on the court house square which is also owned by the county.

The question came up before the City Council Thursday night. City Tax Collector Jesse Dykes reported that Mr. Burgess refused to pay his city taxes for 1918. City Assessor Trim Deatherage reported that Mr. Burgess has declined to give in a list for assessment, and that acting under order of the City Board of Tax Supervisors, Burgess had been listed, as nearly correct as the board was able to do.

It seemed to be agreed that this is a nice point which will require court construction. So upon motion of Councilman Wm. O'Neil, the amount of taxes claimed by the city from Mr. Burgess will be deducted from his bill for keeping city prisoners, and if he wants to regain his tax money he will have to bring suit. It was suggested that the city pay Burgess his bill and sue him for his taxes, but by adopting the other method Burgess will be required to do the suing if he recovers his tax money, and the courts hold that he is not liable for taxes in the city.

A gentleman suggested that Burgess' case may prove to be similar to that of state and government officials, who retain their residence and pay their taxes in their home towns and counties and are not taxed for city purposes because they happen to be temporarily domiciled either in Frankfort or Washington, holding some official position.

Marooned By R. R. Strike

Deputy Tax Commissioner Will Adams was hunting up an automobile this morning to start to Mt. Sterling after Mrs. Adams, who has been visiting friends in Montgomery county, and has been marooned on account of the railroad embargo. Mrs. Adams wired her husband to send for her, and he is of the opinion from that that passenger trains on the C. & O., must have been taken off today on account of the shopenmen's strike, although it has been supposed that nothing but freight trains were so far affected. From many places come reports that the strikers are going back to work, after President Wilson's strong "call" to the laboring men for their precipitate action.

Bradley Kincaid, just back from the army in Germany, is here for a short visit to his father, W. P. Kincaid. He was a student at Berea College before he volunteered for service with Uncle Sam, and is planning to go back and finish his education, at this famous institution.

The Interior Journal of Stanford, says Friday that Will Shanks attended the meeting of candidates in Louisville this week, and received reports that his majority will be between 8,000 and 10,000, for lieutenant governor.

RAILROAD SCHEDULE

Arrival and departure of passenger trains from Richmond.

The following schedule figures published as information and not guaranteed.

Louisville & Nashville Railroad	
4:01 am	Atlanta-Norton 12:19 am
12:19 am	Paris-Cincinnati 4:01 am
7:25 pm	Cincinnati-Lexington 7:25 pm
Mayesville	
11:05 pm	Cincinnati-Local 12:55 pm
12:55 pm	Frankfort-Local 12:55 pm
6:45 am	Frankfort-Louis 7:00 am
11:45 am	Cincinnati-Local 1:40 pm
5:55 pm	Atlanta-Norton 11:59 am
1:20 pm	Jackson-McRoberts 1:20 pm
Knoxville-Local	
1:55 pm	Knoxville-Local 12:55 pm
12:17 pm	Louisville-Local 12:55 pm
12:38 pm	Frankfort-Louis 1:30 pm
11:59 am	Lexington-Cincinnati 5:55 pm
8:25 am	Stanford-Local 7:40 am
6:55 am	Ravenna-Local 7:40 am
8:25 am	Stanford-Local 11:05 pm

*Except Sunday
†Sunday only

THE WEATHER

Fair tonight; Sunday fair, with rising temperature.

POLAND CHINA SALE PROVES BIG SUCCESS

Pearson and Wallace report a splendid demand for the big Type Poland China hogs, which they sold at the East End stock yards Monday. Buyers were here from all over the state. Hogs were sold to the following buyers at the following prices:

O. G. Grant, Lancaster, one for \$75.

J. M. Park, Richmond, one for \$20.

George DeJarnette, Richmond, one for \$30.

Edgar Adams, Richmond, one for \$40.

V. M. Gaines, Richmond, one for \$45.

I. T. Parke, of Red House, one for \$29.

V. M. Gaines, of Richmond, one for \$27.

Mrs. Cora Boggs, of Red House, one for \$30.

J. C. Kelley, of Richmond, one for \$24.

O. G. Grant, of Lancaster, one for \$45.

V. M. Gaines, of Richmond, one for \$49.

C. L. Baldwin, of Richmond, one for \$25.

Forrester Paine, of Berea, one for \$20.

C. T. Forkner, of Winchester, one for \$15.

S. M. Tipton, of Irvine, one for \$20.

Lewis Duerson, of Richmond, one for \$18.

Green Merritt, of Richmond, one for \$19.

George DeJarnette, of Richmond, one for \$45.

George DeJarnette, of Richmond, one for \$51.

Jake McCord, of Richmond, one for \$35.

Luther Bowlin, of Kirksville, one for \$15.

Roy Taylor, of Cottonburg, one for \$30.

C. T. Forkner, of Winchester, one for \$12.

Edgar Adams, of Richmond, one for \$30.

George DeJarnette, of Richmond, one for \$25.

Green Merritt, of Richmond, one for \$22.50.

Green Merritt, of Richmond, one for \$19.

L. J. Barkley, of Richmond, one for \$14.50.

Edgar Adams, of Richmond, one for \$74.

Col. Jas. H. Pearson conducted the sale to the entire satisfaction of everyone.

ALL STAPLES HIGHER

(By Associated Press)

Chicago, Aug. 9.—Every single staple in which the board of trade deals, rose decidedly in price today. Whatever effect to the contrary might have been looked for from the address of President Wilson yesterday on the high cost of living was obscured by the opposite influence of the government crop report yesterday, showing great crop losses, extreme gains included four cents a bushel higher for corn and \$1.75 a barrel for pork.

Pershing Not Recalled

(By Associated Press)

Washington, Aug. 9.—Secretary Baker and Chief of Staff March said today they knew nothing of any order recalling General Pershing. White House officials said they were not advised of any order.

Congress Will Act On H. C. L.

(By Associated Press)

Washington, Aug. 9.—Bulletin—Republican leader Mondell declared in the House today that Congress is ready to act promptly on such legislation as is needed to carry out President Wilson's suggestions yesterday for reducing the high cost of living.

Huntton Dead

Louisville, Aug. 9.—Benjamin Bussey Huntton, 83, superintendent of the Kentucky institution for education of the blind, died at his home here today, after a long illness. He was widely known in connection with the uplift of the sightless.

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BIG FIRE IN HENRY COUNTY

(By Associated Press)

Campbellburg, Ky., Aug. 9.—Fire believed to have originated from defective electric wiring, in a garage, destroyed five business buildings here today and the Grasman Hotel, where guests were compelled to flee without opportunity to save their belongings. The loss is \$50,000.

UNION OFFICERS URGE MEN TO GO TO WORK

(By Associated Press)

Chicago, Aug. 9.—R. H. Ashton, regional director for railroads for the northwest, said today that while both freight and passenger traffic on many roads is still seriously affected by the shopenmen's strike, conditions are gradually improving. He expects a majority of the strikers to return to work Monday. Union officials insist a quarter of a million men are out. Railroad officials place the figures at 40,000. Officers of the international unions continued efforts today to urge the men to return to work.

PROFITTEERING FARMERS ARRESTED AT PITTSBURGH

(By Associated Press)

Pittsburgh, Aug. 9.—Thirty-two farmers charged with selling food stuffs at abnormal prices and at short measures, were arrested at the markets here today in the drive against profiteering.

SECRET SERVICE MEN SENT AFTER PROFITTEERS

Washington, Aug. 9.—All special agents of the Department of Justice over the country have been ordered to assist District Attorneys in uncovering evidence of profiteering in food and other necessities. Attorney General Palmer's instructions were that special agents should drop everything but the most pressing cases and devote their entire attention to assisting in the campaign to reduce the cost of living. The result will be to put hundreds of trained investigators in search for men who have inflated prices exorbitantly.

Week's Weather Guess

(By Associated Press)

Washington, Aug. 9.—Weather predictions for the week: Ohio Valley—Normal temperatures; generally fair, except probably occasional rains toward the end of the week.

Business Getting Better

(By Associated Press)

New York, Aug. 9.—Unfilled orders of the United States Steel Corporation July 31st, were approximately 5,250,000 tons, an increase of over half a million tons compared with orders of June 30th. This is the second increase for any month since October and indicates a steady improvement in conditions.

Budapest Still In Trouble

(By Associated Press)

Vienna, Aug. 9.—A state of siege has been proclaimed in Budapest, according to advices received here.

Reported In Paris

Paris, Aug. 9.—It is reported here that General Pershing has been recalled suddenly to the United States, and may even abandon his Sunday visit to King Albert of Belgium.

Opens Restaurant On First Street

Messrs. Wells & Kerindoll have leased a building from Mr. A. Dobrowski, and opened a restaurant and soft drink stand on First street. Major Wells, a strong believer in "printer's ink" tells the advertising manager of the Daily Register to state to its readers that a formal announcement of their big opening will be published Monday.

Give us your order for Dressed Poultry, Fresh Fish and Watermelons on ice. Phone 421 Neff's Fish & Oyster House. It

FOR SALE—Ferd one-ton truck, Smith form; in first class condition see it at Luxon's garage. 212-6p.

FOR RENT—Ten room house and two lots on East Main street; all modern improvements; good stable and garage; possession Sept 1st. Phone 247, Mrs. Adam Kelly. 212-6p.

THE MARKETS

Cincinnati, August 9.—Hogs steady; butcher cattle active; steers steady; lambs steady and slow.

Louisville, Aug. 9.—Cattle 200; steady and unchanged; hogs 500; a quarter higher; tops \$21.50; sheep 3,100; steady and unchanged.

Station Camp Merges Into New Company

Mr. Joe Stanifer attended a meeting which was called by the Station Camp Oil Company, at Winchester this week. The important matter of emerging this company, now with another oil company, now in process of formation, will be of interest to local stockholders. The new company is to be known as the Eastern & Western Oil Company, and will have splendid holdings in Lee, Estill and other counties in this state.

Sinks Deep Test Well

On Millie Freeman

A report given out by directors at Winchester Friday is to the effect that the Lincoln Oil & Gas Company and the Bourbon Oil & Development Company will sink a deep test well on the Millie Freeman lease in the Rose Creek section of Estill county. These companies already have a number of good wells on the Millie Freeman.

Rathskeller's Hun Eagles Go

Pictures of German eagles painted on the walls of the Seelbach hotel rathskeller at Louisville drew a resolution of protest from the local chapter of the American Legion and resulted in the proprietors promptly agreeing to substitute the likeness of the American bird of the species. The hotel owners at the outset asserted the painting represented either British or Italian eagles. Officers of the Legion expressed the belief that they were German. Finally it was determined to submit the matter to the librarian of the Louisville Free Public library who said they represented the German species.

Whiskey Not Property Now

Louisville, Aug. 9.—Under war time prohibition whiskey is not property, or at least has no marketable value, and hence cannot be included in a schedule of assets submitted to a referee in bankruptcy, according to the plea submitted for a bankrupt Louisville saloonkeeper, by counsel who asserts that such liquor can only be held by a person for his own use.

CHURCH NEWS

First Baptist Church
Sunday School 9:30. Morning service 10:45, subject, "True Prosperity." Union Service court house lawn in the evening.

Church of Christ Scientist
Services Sunday morning at 11 o'clock, subject, "Spirit". Prayer service Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock. Everybody invited.

Catholic Church
Mass and benediction at 7 o'clock. College Hill Methodist Church
The pastor Rev. J. A. McClintock will preach at 11 o'clock.

First Presbyterian Church
Sunday school 9:30. No preaching service, as pastor is taking a vacation.

Mt. Pleasant
Services morning and evening. Revival continues with great interest 19 additions. Baptismal service Sunday afternoon.

2nd Christian Church
Sunday School 9:30. Observance of Lord's Supper at 11. Junior Endeavor 7 o'clock. Preaching by the pastor at 8 o'clock.

First Christian Church
Sunday School 9:30. Observance of the Lord's Supper immediately after Sunday School. No preaching service, as the pastor is away on vacation.

Methodist Church
Sunday School 9:30. Morning service 10:45, subject, "The Church Wide Revival". Dr. Chandler will deliver the sermon Sunday evening at the Union service on the court house lawn, subject, "The Church and the New World Order". All singers are urged to be present.

FOR RENT—One furnished and three nice unfurnished rooms suitable for light housekeeping. Phone 662. 204 tf

WANTED—Man, woman, or merchant to operate cream station in Richmond. No experience needed, good salary. Write Swift & Co., Lexington, Ky. 212-26-pd.

FOR SALE CHEAP—Several hundred bushels of wheat for hog feed. Call J. P. or J. D. Tribble, Richmond 546. Rice 212-26-pd.

WILSON WILL TAKE PROBLEMS TO PEOPLE

(By Associated Press)

Washington, August 9.—The domestic problems now facing the country may be taken up directly with the people by President Wilson upon his forthcoming trip in the interest of the peace treaty. This was indicated today at the White House, where it was also said plans for the President's tour are going forward.

Declaring that the requests of the men that living costs be reduced or their wages increased was aside from the question of future disposition of the railroad problem; labor leaders said if the President and Congress could not meet the request, the men would have to try to find another solution.

LABOR BODIES DECRY THREATS OF VIOLENCE

Washington, August 9.—Leaders of 15 organizations of railroad employes united today in a "definite assertion" that they have no desire to impress upon the public by violence or by threat their proposals that the railroads be nationalized under tri-party control.

BASE BALL AVERAGES

(By Associated Press)

Chicago, Aug. 9.—The battle between the two stars Sisler, St. Louis and Cobb, Detroit—for premier honors among the American league batters, resulted in the latter taking first place from his rival, with average of .365, according to unofficial averages released today. Sisler is ten points behind. Other leading American league batters for 35 or more games: Peckinpaugh, New York, .343; Jackson, Chicago, .334; Flagstead, Detroit, .326; Heilman, Detroit, .325; Jacobson, St. Louis, .325; Rice, Washington, .324; Gandil, Chicago, .314; E. Collins, Chicago, .322, Ruth Boston, .312.

Jim Thorpe, the Indian, of Boston, also suffered a batting slump but retained his hold on first place with an average of .357. Gavy Cravath, the Philadelphia manager, is pressing Thorpe for first place with a mark of .351. Other leading National league batters for 35 or more games: Roush, Cincinnati, .324; McHenry, St. Louis, .323; Z. Wheat, Brooklyn, .314; Myers, Brooklyn, .314; Doyle, New York, .313; Wingo, Cincinnati, .312; Hornsby, St. Louis, .308; Williams, Philadelphia, .307; Holke, Boston, .307; Kauff, New York, .307. Leading batters for 25 or more games in the American Association: O'Mara, Indianapolis, .326; E. Miller, St. Paul, .317; Covington, Indianapolis, .315; Kirke, Louisville, .311; W. Miller, Kansas City, .309; Cochran, Kansas City, .304; Leary, Indianapolis, .303; Sawyer, Minneapolis, .303; Duncan, St. Paul .303.

Worrell Leaves Police Force

Having secured the contract to transport mail from the postoffice to the depot and return, John Worrell has tendered his resignation as a member of the Richmond police force. Mr. Worrell made a splendid officer while he was on the force, and will be missed from his beats. He secured the mail transportation contract on competitive bidding. Wm. Ramsey has carried it for sometime. Mr. Worrell will use a horse and wagon regularly in his work. No successor has as yet been to succeed Worrell but Chief Claude Devore, and his other patrolmen are doing such efficient work that it may not be necessary to add another man to the force at present.

Oh, You Reds

Those Cincinnati Reds are going such great guns that we'll just have to remind Col. Jack Ryder, of the Enquirer, of that promise of a good seat to the world series, that he made us back in the spring of 1917 when the Reds gave one of their morning glory exhibitions that had the Blue Grass Kentucky bugs standing on their heads for a week. It does look like the Reds are going to cop the pennant this time sure, and but for the fact that Garry Herrman has declared that no reservations for world's series tickets will be made until the Reds are in, a couple of hundred dyed-in-the-wool fans around here would already have sent in the cash in order that they might have ritz side seats for the big show the first week in October.

Prof. J. H. Boothe of the Eastern Normal is conducting Teachers Institute at Indianapolis, this week.

BIG LOT SALE HERE AUGUST 19

United Realty Company Buys Attractive Tract On Lancaster For Building Sites

Tuesday, August 19, Richmond is to have another big lot sale. The United Realty Company, with headquarters in Lexington, has bought of Rev. D. H. Starns, the attractive tract of land he recently purchased from T. K. Hamilton and C. B. English on Lancaster avenue just beyond the Eastern Kentucky State Normal School. This tract will be subdivided into building lots and sold at public auction on the date named. There are about 35 in the place, all splendidly located, and offering desirable sites for homes.

Mr. C. R. Sherrod, of Lexington, was in town Saturday morning advertising the big sale that his firm will hold, and will return here early next week to take charge of all arrangements for the big event.

Details are given today in the advertising columns of the Daily Register. Richmond property is at the high peak of value and good building lots are greatly in demand.

The United Realty Company, of which Mr. O. T. Wallace formerly of Paint Lick, and well known here, is the head, has been conducting some of the biggest land sales in Central Kentucky this season. This firm always makes a success of any proposition they undertake and with its backing, the sale of these Lancaster avenue lots should be a decided success in every way.

JOHNSON SCHOOL

The following pupils are on the honor roll for the first month of Johnson school.

Grade 1—Spicy Crowley, Opal Lamb.

Grade 2—Ruth Harris, May Gabbart, Susie Gabbart.

Grade 3—Hazel Maupin, Lyman Burnell.

Grade 5—Myrtle Hazlewood, Mable Powell, Cleo Robinson.

Grade 5—Lewis Richardson.

Teacher, Nannie Johnson.

Big Cattle Sale In Bourbon

Among the livestock sales reported at Paris Monday were the following: H. S. Caywood bought of Miss Caroline Roseberry 49 head of 1,400-pound cattle for middle August delivery, at 16 cent per pound; of Hiram Roseberry, 59 head of cattle for September delivery, at 15 3/4 cents a pound, and of Marston Brothers two loads of 1,400-pound cattle at 16 cents a pound, with 3 per cent off. Mr. Caywood shipped two loads of 1,350 pound cattle bought of George K. Pepper that cost 15 cents per pound.

To Tabulate Vote August 16

The vote in the recent primary and special congressional election in Madison county has been sent in to the State Election Commission at Frankfort by the local board of election commissioners. The local board composed of C. B. Terrill, E. C. Million and Pete Whitlock. The State Election Commission will meet August 16 to canvass the returns of the state primary, and to issue certificates of nomination to the successful candidates. Secretary of State, Lewis is anxious for the County Clerks to have all the returns on file in his office by August 12, as it is necessary for him to make tabulated lists for the use of the State Election Commission. Two new members will serve on this commission. They are former Senator W. W. Booles, of Taylorsville, Democrat, and William Heyburn, of Louisville, Republican.

A Novel Suit At Hazard

Hazard, Ky., Aug. 8.—In answer to a suit by his former cook for \$85.25 alleged to be due as wages, D. Poulos, restaurant proprietor here set up a counter claim demanding \$500 damages, actual and punitive, from the cook for ten days absence from work. Poulos' petition recited that the cook quit without notice and that for ten days he was unable to fill his place so that he was unable to continue his business, which, he asserted, bought him 35 days profit.

WANTED—To buy medium size pony. Must be gentle and a good driver. Jesse Dykes, Call 674. 213-6t