

MILLION POUNDS IN ONE DAY'S DRIVE

Success of Meetings Saturday Add to Belief That 1921 Crop Will Be Pledged

Lexington, Sept. 27—Probably a million pounds of tobacco were added to the pool of the Burley Tobacco Growers' Cooperative Association as a result of meetings held in Shelby, Mason, Nelson, Meade, Boone and Carter counties, Saturday.

Exact figures were not available Saturday night, but growers at each meeting signed contracts for a considerable acreage and added to the growing conviction that the 1921 crop will be signed up in time to share in the benefits of the pool.

John L. Buckley spoke at Bagdad to a representative audience of Shelby county farmers. He was introduced by acting chairman Walters, of Shelby, and made a forceful appeal for united action in behalf of cooperative selling. Congressman Cantrill had been expected but when it was found he could not be present, Mr. Buckley was assigned to take his place. John E. Brown, well known Shelby county farmer, also spoke urging the growers to sign. Four persons were kept busy filling in the contracts for the growers to sign after the meeting for some time.

Mason Total Swelled

Hon. James N. Kehoe and Hon. Stanley F. Reed spoke at Mayslick, where 514,000 pounds were signed up immediately after the meeting. The Maysville Boys' Band rendered music and a big crowd was in attendance. Mr. Kehoe said after the meeting that Mason had between sixty-five and seventy per cent and that the county was "sure to go over with in the next few days."

Organization Manager Joseph Passonau addressed a good crowd at Grayson, Carter county starting the organization there off well, a number of farmers signing contracts, and Charles B. Marvin addressed a large crowd of growers at Ekron in Meade county, which also is just starting its organization.

At Bloomfield, James C. Stone, spoke to a gathering of farmers and after his address many came forward and signed contracts, while the exact figures from none of the meetings, save that at Mayslick, were available. Secretary Walter B. Hughes said the total pledges for the day probably would be in excess of a million pounds.

Ralph W. Barker had two meetings Saturday, one at Verona, Boone county, in the morning, and the other at Walton in the afternoon. Both were largely attended and at each many farmers signed their crops to the association.

Owen Farmers Ready

Congressman J. Campbell Cantrill, who returned from a four-day trip in Owen county, said the farmers there were ready to sign. He said that Owen had been one of the best of the pool counties and that all that is necessary is to follow up the educational campaign with solicitors to clinch that county for the organization.

J. W. Gaines, of Lawrenceburg, sent word that Anderson county farmers were coming in to headquarters and signing without being solicited and that an intensive campaign to put the county over the top would be put on Monday, to last all week, if necessary.

Garrard Working Hard

At Lancaster a meeting of business men and farmers was held and it was decided to close the stores of Lancaster, Bryantsville and Paint Lick for one day, or two, if necessary, while the business men helped the farmers sign up the whole county. Secretary John M. Farra said Garrard was certain to be in line. Judge Lewis L. Walker, chairman for the county, was the only speaker at the meeting. It was a conference of the merchants and farmers and no attempt was made to obtain contracts, almost every farmer having already signed.

Chairman Jesse S. Hocker, of Lincoln county, said his county had about seventy-three per cent. He asked that a thousand contracts and literature be sent at once, indicating that it is the intention to go after the rest of the

county and sign it up. Chairman Robert J. Denny, of Jessamine, reported that an accurate tobacco census of that county had been finished practically. A campaign is to be put on in that county Tuesday to close October 1. Chairman Denny socially requested the help of Chairman Buford E. Allen and Charles M. Marshall, of Fayette county.

ROAD BIDS TO BE OPENED WEDNESDAY

(By Associated Press)
Frankfort, Ky., Sept. 27—Bids for a number of highway projects throughout the state, including seven miles of pike in Madison county and 19 miles of the Mayo Trail in Lawrence county, will be opened at the office of the State Highway Commission here tomorrow.

TWO MISSING WHEN U. S. SUB SINKS

(By Associated Press)
Los Angeles, Calif., Sept. 27—The United States submarine R-6 sank late last night in the harbor at San Pedro. As the craft began to fill through a torpedo tube, which is believed to have yielded to sea pressure, the crew rushed for the conning tower. All are accounted for except J. Dreffan, a seaman, and an electrician named Spaulsberg.

Reports from San Pedro later in the day said a third man also lost his life.

BETHURUM SHOTS AT HIS ENEMIES

Judge B. J. Bethurum, of Somerset, has accepted the place of legal adviser to State Prohibition Director Sam Collins. Judge Bethurum will also practice law in Lexington. He was defeated for renomination in the republican primary by Judge H. C. Kennedy in August. Judge Bethurum has just given out his first statement since his defeat in which he pours some hot shots at his political enemies. He says:

"My defeat was brought about by fraud practiced by the opposition. I was not allowed a single election officer in Wayne and Rockcastle counties and in those fully 1,500 democrats were permitted to vote. In the other two counties, Pulaski and Clinton, while I had a fair representation as to election officers, still fully 600 democrats voted for my opponent."

"Despite the fact that Governor Morrow and all members of the Morrow family and their friends opposed my election I carried Pulaski county by more than 800 votes. This in the face of the fact that Gov. Morrow and the others have made Pulaski county their homes since they were born."

"Throughout the district the sympathies of the democrats were with my opponent because the open fight he made for the election of the democratic county ticket in Pulaski county four years ago."

"I made the disloyalty of my opponent one of my chief issues of the campaign. But because of my opponent's aid to the democrats in their fight in Pulaski county their sympathies were aroused in his behalf. I lost the nomination by 800 votes but in making my race very little money was spent in my behalf while supporters of my opponent were lavish in their expenditures."

Mrs. Wallace Sale Thursday

The Freeman Realty Company is advertising sale of Mrs. Dan Wallace to be held at Waco, Thursday. There are 203 acres in the place, and it is said to be among the best land in that section, and it is expected that the bidding will be spirited right from the start.

Bishop Lambuth Dies in Japan

(By Associated Press)
Nashville, Sept. 27—News of the death yesterday in a hospital at Yokohama, Japan, of Bishop Walter Lambuth, of the Southern Methodist church, was received here today by relatives.

MRS. JUDITH PETTUS DIES AT KINGSTON

Mrs. Judith Pettus passed away at her home near Kingston Monday after a lengthy period of invalidism. She was a Miss Jarman and was related to some of the most prominent families in Central Kentucky. She was about 70 years of age. Funeral services were held at the Richmond cemetery Tuesday afternoon. Among the relatives who attended the funeral were Judge and Mrs. Henry D. Prewitt, of Mt. Sterling, C. D. Grubbs and other relatives from section.

INFANTRY REGIMENT MAY PASS THRO'

Lieut. Frank Corzelius left here today to join the 11th infantry at Knoxville, Tenn., where it is expected to reach Wednesday morning. The 11th infantry is marching overland from Columbia, S. C., to Camp Perry, Ohio. It is following the Dixie Highway and in all probability will pass through Richmond, over the Dixie Highway, over which it will undoubtedly find the best roads. The event the regiment comes in the event the regiment comes that the local Legion post turn out with its band to give the visitors a military welcome.

LABOR WON'T WORK AT LOWER PRICES

(By Associated Press)
Washington, Sept. 27—Aversion of labor to accepting work at reduced wages is assigned as the cause for some unemployment by Roswell Phelps, of Massachusetts, director of labor and statistics; the first witness heard by the National Unemployment Conference Committee on unemployment statistics which set to work today to determine the extent and volume of the nation's involuntary idleness. McCine Lindsey, of New York, chairman of the public hearing committee, today issued a call for all who have specific suggestions relative to the conference program, to communicate with him immediately.

Jail Break Foiled at Winchester

(By Associated Press)
Winchester, Sept. 27—Four prisoners, two alleged murderers, were detected early today trying to cut their way out of the Clark county jail. Jailer J. S. Mullins caught the men who are T. C. Combs, of Hazard, and George Roberts, of Jackson, held on a murder charge; Don Cameron, on automobile theft, and J. W. Bailey on charge of highway robbery.

Whisky Delivered in Poice Patrol

Chicago, Sept. 27—Evidence that whisky had been delivered from bootleggers to their customers in the police patrol of the Grand Crossing precinct is in the hands of Federal authorities, the District Attorney's office announced today. An extra charge of \$5 a case was assessed for use of the patrol and a uniformed escort of patrolmen, Assistant District Attorney Herensky said.

"Midsummer Madness"

"Midsummer Madness" the feature attraction at the local theatres Tuesday and Wednesday is a marriage picture that thrills. Produced by William De Mille from a brilliant society novel by Cosmo Hamilton, the picture portrays the dramatic results of the momentary infatuation of a pretty woman, whose husband neglects her, for another man. Matters are complicated by the fact that her admirer is her husband's closest friend and also the husband of her own girl chum.

Lila Lee, Lois Wilson, Conrad Nagel and Jack Holt carry off the acting honors. The picture is produced with the richness and charm that characterized Mr. De Mille's "The Prince Chap" and "Conrad in Quest of His Youth." It is one of the great productions of the season.

Don't fail to attend the sale of Mrs. J. V. Whitlock farm Saturday, October 1, at 10 o'clock. 40 acres, a nice tract for a pretty home, just a nice distance from town on Tates Creek road. Don't miss it.

DEMOCRATS WON'T CAUCUS ON TREATIES

(By Associated Press)
Washington, Sept. 27—Democratic Senators in conference here today decided the peace treaties with Germany, Austria and Hungary are not matters for party action. Individual democrats will be left to their own judgment in voting on ratification.

HEARD ABOUT TOWN

The Winchester Hustlers played Cynthiaana to a tie at Cynthiaana Sunday.

Miss Lucy Brandenburg, who has been spending several months at the home of Mrs. Alex Hargis in Jackson, has written friends that she will not return to Richmond until the latter part of October.

Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Mays have leased the home of Mrs. Frank E. Jennings on West Main street for the winter months during Mrs. Jennings' stay at Jacksonville, Florida.

Mr. R. A. Cosby sold to May Collins a yearling jack for \$100. Mr. J. Collins Yates has returned from a month's stay in Lexington where he has been under the care of a specialist. His friends will be glad to know he is improving.

Mr. E. C. Cornelison has been ill for several days but is improving.

Mrs. Ella Gilmore, of Huntington, West Virginia, has been the guest of relatives and friends at Red House.

Mrs. May Collins has returned from a visit to Louisville where she enjoyed the State Fair.

Mrs. A. V. Dedman is ill at her home on East Walnut. Friends hope for her a speedy recovery.

Mrs. Alma Gentry is spending a few days with Mrs. H. B. Duncan at Waco.

Four prominent Mercer county farmers have gone into bankruptcy the past week. They are R. W. Boston, J. B. Cinnamon, T. A. Cinnamon and C. L. Stevens. They were among the largest operators in the county.

Rev. O. J. Young was in Perryville Sunday to fill the pulpit of Rev. Cleo Purvis, who is holding evangelistic services at the Second Christian church.

A message was received by friends at Berea that John Booker, a former student of Berea College, was drowned a few days ago. Full particulars have not been learned. He was a member of the college department and won the Rush-Story medal for writing the best essay on "The Value of Truth." He attended Louisville Medical College last year.

Mr. Leroy Estill, of Mt. Sterling, had the misfortune to stick the end of a sharp tobacco stick in his face, just below the right eye, while housing tobacco.

Paul Edwards, son of Dean Edwards, of Berea College, left the latter part of last week to enter Louisville Dental College.

Paul Muncy and Ray Chrisman of Berea, have entered Greenbrier Military School at Lewisburg, West Virginia.

Mr. George Wright, of Georgetown, age 86 years, fell out of the bed while asleep and broke his hip. Owing to his advanced age the injury is considered serious.

The many friends here of Jas. Stewart who was hurt in a ball game at Winchester, will be glad to know he is recovering.

Carroll Smith, of Harrodsburg, is dangerously ill of blood poisoning caused by sticking a nail in his foot.

Three Dry Agents Resign

Lexington, Sept. 27—Sam Collins, Kentucky prohibition director, today announced the resignation of prohibition agents Albert Dawson, of Russellville, Leslie Larimore, of Greensburg, J. W. Stamper, of Mt. Sterling, Robert A. Collier, police judge at Jackson, was appointed an enforcement agent.

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GILBERT MEETS HIS CONSTITUENTS HERE

Congressman Ralph Gilbert spent Tuesday in Richmond meeting his friends and seeking to ascertain their wishes regarding legislation they desire him to favor at Washington. Mr. Gilbert believes in going right to the people and carrying out their wishes if it is possible. He is making one of the most popular congressmen the old 8th district ever had by carrying out this policy of doing what his people want him to do. He was given a cordial welcome here by his many friends.

CHI. POLICE GAVE 'LEGGERS PROTECTION

(By Associated Press)
Chicago, Sept. 27—Federal District Attorney Clyne announced today he had positive information police sergeants and patrolmen have been attempting to intimidate witnesses called before him for examination in connection with the alleged liquor deals in which policemen are involved. Two sergeants and 2 patrolmen of the North Halstead street station were named today in charge, that they acted as guards to whisky salesmen.

LIBERTY BONDS GO ALMOST TO PAID

(By Associated Press)
New York, Sept. 27—Enormous purchases of Liberty Bonds on Victory Notes overshadowed all other dealings in the early stock market here today. The first hour's sales, approximately \$6,000,000, almost all domestic wa floatations, rose to the highest quotations of the year. Victor 4-3-4 rose to \$99.50.

WOMAN'S HEADLESS BODY Found on Railroad Tracks A Louisville—Identity Unknown

(By Associated Press)
Louisville, Sept. 27—Police today are seeking a heavy-set man in connection with the finding of an unidentified woman's headless body on a railroad track in the city limits early today. The coroner is proceeding on the theory that she was murdered and her body, which was mangled, placed on the track. She was about 30 years old.

Bus Line to Lexington

James Barnes was here from Lexington Tuesday advertising the opening of his bus line to run between Richmond and Lexington. He believes it will fill a long felt want. The schedule for the departure and arrival of the bus line is given in the advertising columns.

To Housekeepers

We shall be pleased to make your pickle, can your vegetables, preserve your fruit at the Domestic Science Department of the Richmond Colored High School. Our charges small; or we will accept a small toll of the product for our penny lunch stand. We promise best service. 230.2

Fiddler's Contest Postponed

The Old Fiddler's Contest which was to have been held at Union City this week has been postponed until later. This postponement was made so as not to conflict with a pie supper at the Runyon Grove school house. Full details of the fiddlers' contest will be given later.

Today's Produce Prices

Quoted and paid by Renaker Brothers.

Eggs	33c doz
Hens	16c lb
Springs	17c lb
Cocks	8c lb
Young Ducks	15c lb
Old Ducks	10c lb
Geese	8c lb
Old Turkeys	25c lb
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Young Guineas	60c each
Old Guineas	50c each
Beef Hides	4c lb

Today's Livestock Markets

Cincinnati, Sept. 27—Cattle extremely dull; nothing selling; hogs 10c higher; Chicago strong; Louisville, Sept. 27—Cattle, 200 slow; hogs 800, steady; sheep 400 steady; all unchanged.

Weather For Kentucky

Local showers tonight; Wednesday partly cloudy; no change in temperature.

COLUMBIA SUSTAINS HEAVY FIRE LOSS

(By Associated Press)
Columbia, Ky., Sept. 27—Fire of undetermined origin early today destroyed the general store of Bell and Cheatham, Bank of Columbia building, and implement store of Patterson and Hutchison. The loss is \$27,000. The entire town turned out to fight the blaze which for a time threatened to spread. Calls for help brought the motor engine from Campbellsville but it arrived too late.

RUTH GETS TWO HOMERS As Yanks Beat Cleveland Again For The Pennant

New York, Sept. 27—New York took a firm grip on first place Monday in the American League pennant race and went a long way toward clinching the championship by defeating Cleveland in a tense, thrilling struggle here Monday by a score of 8 to 7. The victory gave New York three out of four victories from the present World's champions and gave New York a lead of two full games, with Cleveland having only four more games to play and New York five.

George "Babe" Ruth, the famous Yankee slugger, was the hero of the New York victory, as he had one of his greatest batting days since coming into the American League. Ruth hit two home runs, a two-bagger and walked in four times up. He either scored or drove in five of the eight runs New York made.

Ruth's first home run was made off Coveloski in the first with no one on base and the second off Jhle in the fifth after Peckinbaugh had opened the inning with a single.

DARK TOBACCO MEN Resume Organization Work On Burley Plan

(By Associated Press)
Owensboro, Ky., Sept. 27—A meeting of tobacco growers of the "dark belt" will be held here tomorrow for the purpose of re-organizing work on the Kentucky Dark Tobacco Growers' Association. Frank Moseley, secretary of the organization committee, in announcing the meeting, said that an effort to organize the tobacco growers of the Green river, Stemming and One Sucker districts would be made within the near future.

The plan contemplates much the same form of organization as that now being perfected in the burley tobacco district where the growers are being organized to do away with the evils of the old auction market by the farmers handling the sales through a cooperative organization.

R. W. Bingham, publisher, of Louisville, who was here last spring when preliminary organization steps were taken, is expected to again be present and advise with the organizers in perfecting the proposed association.

Ice Cream Supper

There will be an ice cream supper at the Miller School House, Friday evening, September 30th. The proceeds will be for the purpose of raising funds to paint the house. Miss Ida May Jones, teacher.

Cantrill at Winchester

(By Associated Press)
Winchester, Sept. 27—Congressman J. Campbell Cantrill, of Georgetown, will speak at the Clark county courthouse Wednesday afternoon in the interest of the Burley tobacco cooperative marketing plan. Growers in the county who are interested in the marketing association are planning to complete the work of obtaining pledges of the required seventy-five per cent of the crop by next Saturday.

Georgetown's Prospects

(By Associated Press)
Georgetown, Sept. 27—With the Georgetown football team swinging into its second week of practice and the first game of the season, that with Cumberland College, due on Friday, the prospects, according to officials of the college, are for a team fully 50 per cent stronger than that of last year.

BLACKMAIL SEEN IN ARBUCKLE CASE

Defense Attorneys Claim Witnesses Planned to "Hold Up" The Movie Comedian

San Francisco, Sept. 27—An assertion in court today by Rescoe C. ("Fatty") Arbuckle's chief counsel, Frank Dominguez, that he believed blackmail had been contemplated against the film comedian and that this motive figured in the defendant's arrest on a murder charge, was ordered put before the grand jury tonight by District Attorney Matthew A. Brady. Brady issued subpoenas for Dominguez and his associate counsel, Charles H. Brennan, of San Francisco, and Milton M. Cohen, of Los Angeles, to appear at tonight's grand jury session and repeat their charges.

The action was taken, Brady said, upon request of Alfred Sennacher, who was accused by Dominguez of having conspired with Mrs. Bambina Delmont, the complaining witness against Arbuckle to take torn part of the clothing of Miss Rappe to Los Angeles for the purpose, Dominguez said, of extorting money from the defendant, who is charged with the murder of Miss Rappe.

Dominguez made his assertion after long questioning of Sennacher regarding his previous testimony in the case. Police Judge Lazarus, before whom the hearing is being held, refused, however, to allow Dominguez to question Sennacher along this line, saying it had no part in the present proceedings.

Sennacher's testimony took up most of the afternoon session. In the morning, Dr. Arthur Beardslee, who treated Miss Rappe after the revel in Arbuckle's hotel suite testified he discovered evidence of a ruptured bladder early the morning after the party and that he advised her removed to a hospital. The defense was unable to make him admit that she could have been suffering from anything else. Dr. Beardslee reiterated his diagnosis and said he found her writhing in pain so great he had to administer sedatives three times.

Replying to a hypothetical question regarding the cause of a torn bladder, he said an injury, such as that described, would have been caused by an external force, such as a fall or blow, although contortions incident to violent vomiting might have produced that effect.

Evidence of alcoholism were overshadowed by Miss Rappe's sufferings from the rupture, Dr. Beardslee said. He testified that Mrs. Delmont, who attended the injured girl, showed no signs of being under the influence of alcohol or drugs.

The defense pursued its questioning of Sennacher with great vigor, causing him to announce that he might have been misquoted if he had said "he" was Miss Rappe's midwife. His acquaintance with both her and Mrs. Delmont was more or less casual until shortly before their trip to San Francisco, where they attended Arbuckle's party, he said.

Dominguez questioned the witness closely about a purse he produced from his pocket, saying it was Miss Rappe's and asking what connection he had with it. Sennacher replied that after the party Miss Rappe asked him to look for it and that on asking Arbuckle about it next day, Arbuckle produced it from a desk. Sennacher said he then took it to Miss Rappe in the nearby room where she lay ill.

Asked about Mrs. Delmont's condition at the party, Sennacher testified that she was dressed in yellow pajamas and appeared "lit up," or "about half drunk," when he first saw her. He denied hearing any screams from the room in which Miss Rappe was afterwards found in distress.

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