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HOW TO CELEBRATE.

Statistics state that on last fourth of July 30 deaths resulted from the celebration of Independence Day, and that there were 1,135 injuries, some of them very serious. In former years many lives have been lost or injured by the old fashioned way of celebrating and parents should see to it that the young folks have a safe time as well as a good time. Most of the accidents were caused by cannon crackers, fire arms and cannons. And effort should be made to dispose of these dangerous fireworks and the use of them on holidays, and that the children get along without them this year, their celebration will be just as enjoyable and much safer.

The garbage wagon made its first appearance Thursday. Every Thursday of this season it will make a complete round of the city and take up all the garbage that is put in a convenient place for the men who have charge on the wagon. This garbage wagon is a great help to the town and if the house-keepers will see to it that all trash, tin cans, etc., are kept out of the back yards and allies much sickness can be avoided. It is surprising to note the amount of garbage that accumulates in a week's time.

Billy Sunday recently held an eight week's campaign in Baltimore. On his departure from that city he carried a check for the amount of \$32,500 and \$8,000 more was to be sent to him later for his services, making the total of \$40,500. About 1,376,00 persons attended the tabernacle services. Thousands of gifts of all kinds were given Mr. Sunday during the campaign.

President Wilson issued a proclamation last week calling upon the people of the United States to celebrate Flag Day, June 14, with patriotic exercises, giving expression "to our thoughtful love of America." The President declared that the people should rededicate themselves for "an America which no man can corrupt, no influence draw away from its ideals, no force divide against itself."

KENTUCKY NEWS CUT TO THE QUICK FOR BUSY READERS

The Paris Milling Co. of Paris has the honor of being the first employer to accept the terms of the new workmen's compensation act.

Mrs. Katherine T. Hardin, 76 years old, widow of M. R. Hardin, once Chief Justice of the Court of Appeals of Kentucky, died at St. Joseph's Infirmary at Louisville of senility.

Knox County's first road construction work will be started on the four-mile extension from Flat Lick to the Bell County line, this being a portion of the Dixie Highway and the only contract in Knox County approved by the State Engineer.

It costs the State of Kentucky \$1,351,053.63 annually to pay the salaries of the 1,320 persons employed to attend to the business of the state, including the Circuit Judges and Commonwealth's Attorneys, there are 1,390 persons on the state's payroll.

Representative A. B. Rouse, of Burlington, obtained permission of the House of Representatives that the speeches delivered by Governor Stanley and Senator James at the recent Kentucky Democratic State Convention be printed in the Congressional Record.

Fraternal insurance companies doing business in Kentucky are filing notices with State Insurance Commissioner Thomas of acceptance of the uniform fraternal insurance statute which becomes effective January 1, 1917. This statute has been advocated by fraternal insurance companies and has been adopted in 39 states.

George McKenna, formerly a cabaret singer, was sentenced at Louisville to serve five years in the penitentiary for slaying his wife, Ora Burch McKenna, a singer in a local rathskeller, with a razor. He cut her about the face, and claimed he was drunk and did not know what he was doing. McKenna declared, "I love her beyond words. Right or wrong, I am with her."

The city of Mayfield may issue \$200,000 in bonds and buy the plant of the Mayfield Water & Light Company, said the Court of Appeals, affirming the decision in a taxpayer's suit to enjoin the issue on the ground that it would bond the city beyond 5 per cent of its property assessment and necessitate a tax levy in excess of the constitutional limitation.

Governor A. O. Stanley delivered the unveiling address of the D. A. R. monument in Courthouse Square, Henderson. Twelve soldiers of the Revolution are buried in that county, and the chapter of the D. A. R. erected a monument in their memory. Henderson sent a company of 100 men to participate in the War of 1812, and only

twenty-five returned, twelve of them being buried in Henderson County.

Having completed his sentence of two years in the Frankfort Penitentiary on the charge of robbery, Will White, of Kenton County, was arrested as he left the prison gate on the charge of housebreaking. White is accused of having broken into a house and taken a suit of clothes of a guard when he escaped from prison last year. He will be held to the Franklin County Grand Jury.

Farmers around Winchester continue to experience big losses among fat cattle on account of the white clover, which is said to be the heaviest in many years. The animals swell quickly and die. The only remedy that has been found to be anywhere effective is by sticking them and inserting a tube. At least 100 big cattle, averaging from 1,200 to 1,500 pounds, and valued at from \$110 to \$135 have died.

Henry Clay Scott, seven-year-old son of a farmer living near Brannon, a few miles from Nicholasville, was killed instantly by lightning during a heavy storm. The child was asleep in a room with an older brother, who was not injured by the bolt. The residence of George Fahn, near the same place, was struck by lightning, which caused damage amounting to several thousand dollars.

The United States Senate has set aside Saturday, June 24, as the date for eulogies on the late Senator William O. Bradley, of Kentucky. Addresses will be delivered by Senators James and Beckham, of Kentucky; Kenyon, of Iowa; Smoot, of Utah; Smith, of Arizona; Williams, of Mississippi; Kern, of Indiana, and a few others. Senator James made the motion for this recognition of his late colleague.

A. D. Wells, Deputy Collector, and two possemen raided a moonshine still in Morgan County and captured Gus Vance, for whom the Government authorities have been searching for 30 years. He was taken before United States Commissioner Cisco at West Liberty where he gave bond for his appearance. Deputy Collector Wells destroyed a ninety-gallon copper still, 21 fermenting tubs and a quantity of whisky and beer.

The Melick Producing Company, of Illinois, large oil promoters, has leased 1,500 acres of land from Georgetown landholders, including Waterson Showalter, Jack Showalter, Rhodes Ashurst, Thomas Ashurst, Otis Ashurst, John Fluke and Irvine Davis, with the expectation of boring for oil. David Melick, of Roseville, O., president of the company, thinks the land is in the direct line with the big vein in East County. Four hundred more acres will be leased before boring.

In the seventeenth annual registered tournament of the Kentucky Trapshooters' League, held on the grounds of the Winchester Gun Club, on the Mt. Sterling pike, Jake Gay, of Pine Grove, won the challenge cup from Ben Hisle, of Fayette County, who captured the prize at Lexington recently. Gay broke 95 out of 100.

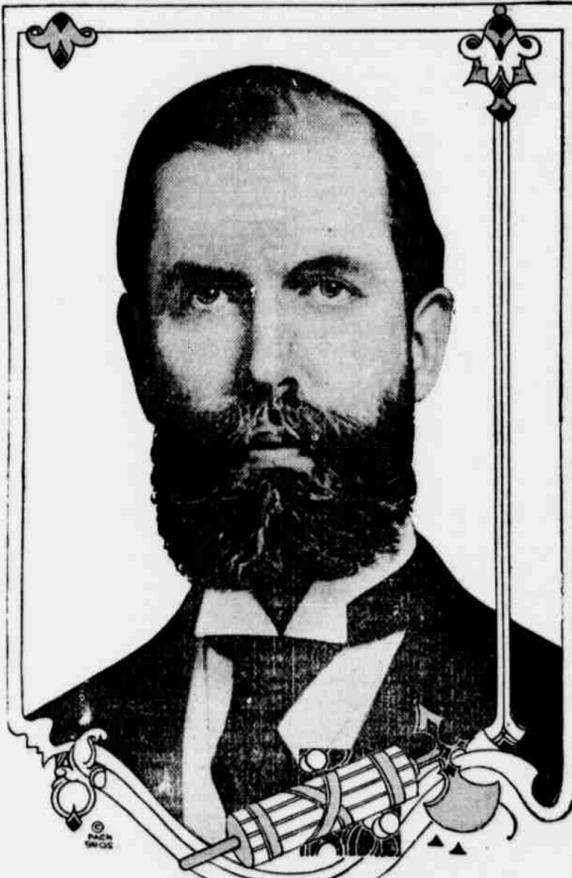
Securing a decree of divorce from his third wife only a few days ago in circuit court at Henderson, J. D. Boat-

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Which Will It Be?



Photo by American Press Association.
FORMER PRESIDENT THEODORE ROOSEVELT.



SUPREME COURT JUSTICE CHARLES EVANS HUGHES.



Photo by American Press Association.
FORMER UNITED STATES SENATOR ELIHU ROOT.



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LODIBURG.

Mercer Basham was the guest of Miss Hazel Payne at Webster last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Gibson were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Grayson Payne Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Payton Claycomb, of Webster, attended church at Walnut Grove Sunday, and were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jess Payne.

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Hardin visited Mr. and Mrs. Tom Basham at Clifton Mills Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Gibson, of Cloverport, visited Mr. and Mrs. Lige Gibson at Webster Sunday.

Mrs. Bettie Black and two daughters, Misses Sudie and Mattie, of Addison, attended church at Walnut Grove Sunday, and were the dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Avitt.

Julious Dutschke, of Holt, visited his sister, Mrs. Pollie Dutschke, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edmonson Harrison, of Raymond, visited Mrs. Harrison's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Feltner, at Mystic Sunday.

Bony Gibson, of Irvington, at-

tended church at Walnut Grove Sunday.

W. B. Argabright, our blacksmith, is going out of business and wishes to sell his shop. It is the best stand in the county for a smith. Let some good smith come and see the situation. He would be pleased with it.

GLEN DEAN.

Mrs. W. R. Moorman returned from Frankfort Saturday where she had been the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Sam Monarch.

Forty-seven tickets were sold to Louisville on the excursion Saturday.

Mrs. Levy lectured here last Monday afternoon to ladies and children.

Lewis Owen Moorman returned home Friday night after being in Texas in school for nine months.

Shell Harlow is visiting his grandmother in Hart county.

Miss Nell Moorman returned last week from Bowling Green, where she has been teaching.

Many from here attended the unveiling last Sunday at Macedonia church.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Meador returned to Cloverport recently after a visit to her mother and his mother.

Finishing Residence.

Hugh Haycraft, of McQuady, was in Fordsville Saturday buying finishing lumber from the Fordsville Planing Mill. Mr. Haycraft is completing his two-story eight-room residence which he is building on his farm near McQuady.