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REAL ESTATE TRANSACTIONS

The Paris Realty Co. sold Wednesday for Mrs. Ruby Arnsperger a cottage on Clifton avenue, the purchaser being Mrs. Mattie Johnson. The price paid for the property was not given out for publication.

Three small cottages on Pleasant street belonging to Mrs. Ed. C. Keller, of Louisville, formerly of Paris, were sold Tuesday through the Walter Clarke Real Estate Agency, to Mrs. R. B. Hutchcraft, for \$3,300.

The W. Z. Thomson farm of 518 acres, located about five miles from Georgetown, on the Lexington pike, advertised in several issues of THE BOURBON NEWS, was sold at public auction Tuesday, being subdivided in four small farms. Tract No. 1, 148 acres, was purchased by Ben E. Bridges for \$324 an acre; tract No. 2, 180 acres, was bought by N. M. Thompson, of Woodford county, for \$325 an acre; tract No. 3, 126 acres, was sold to A. Little, of Fayette county, for \$310 an acre, and the fourth tract, 64 acres, was purchased by the latter party for \$305.50 an acre. The entire place brought \$16,864.

As a result of the inability of auctioneer George D. Speakes to make two public sales Wednesday, Auctioneer Charles Peters, of Flemingsburg, conducted the sale for Dr. T. C. Jones, administrator of the estate of Mr. W. T. Jones. He sold a 45-acre tract of land with improvements for \$225 an acre, and an adjoining tract containing 65 acres brought \$166.25 an acre.

Live stock brought the following prices: 110-pound shoats, \$21.30 per head; cows, \$65 to \$95 per head; horses \$75 to \$100 per head; chickens 90 cents to \$1.10 each; turkey hens, \$5 each; turkey gobblers, \$6.25 each.

COUNTY COURT NEWS

In the County Court yesterday the First National Bank & Trust Company qualified as guardian of Lee Russell Penn, by furnishing bond in the penal sum of \$5,000.

The Court appointed Allie Hart Miller as guardian of William McCure Miller and Charles Hart Miller, infant children under fourteen years of age, and heirs of the late Dr. William Mac Miller, of Millersburg. Mrs. Miller furnished bond in the penal sum of \$6,000, with J. F. McDaniel and John H. Stewart, both of Millersburg, as sureties.

Marion Ryles qualified as administrator of the estate of the late Mrs. Emily Collins Smith by furnishing bond in the sum of \$5,000, with J. H. Shropshire as surety. The Court appointed Derice Johnson, Herbert Smith and John N. Shropshire as appraisers of the estate.

A warrant was issued for the arrest of George Williams, colored, whom Patrolman George W. Judy styled "the prince of bootleggers." The officer intercepted George as he was leaving from the 6:50 p. m. interurban car from Lexington at Fourteenth street. When George saw Patrolman Judy he retraced his steps and set his basket down, leaving the car at Eighth street and making his escape.

When Effie Cross, colored, left the Louisville & Nashville train at Millersburg, Saturday night, she had a suitcase, which seemed to be weighted down with something heavier than ordinary wearing apparel. Constable Linville took charge of the suitcase, which, when opened, revealed its contents upon actual count to be twenty pints of whiskey. She was brought to Paris and lodged in jail, while the suitcase and contents were held as evidence. In Judge Batterton's Court yesterday the hearing resulted in her being held to the grand jury in \$200 bond. Failing to furnish this she was remanded to the custody of Jailor Taul.

Fire, Wind and Lightning Insurance.
Thomas, Woodford & Bryan

NINETEEN HIGH-GRADE COWS AT PUBLIC SALE SATURDAY

At the public sale to be held at the Taylor farm, on the Paris and Maysville pike, near the city limits, next Saturday, by Collier Bros., Mrs. J. U. Boardman will sell her entire herd of high-grade dairy cows, all good milkers and excellent animals for the dairy. A fine chance for someone to get a dairy herd of proved value. They should be seen to be appreciated. Terms will be made known on day of sale, which will be conducted by auctioneer George D. Speakes. This said to be one of the best dairy herds in the State. Attend this sale, on next Saturday, beginning at ten o'clock. (25-21)

REPORT OF M. B. LOVELL SALE

At the sale of live stock, crop, etc., held on the premises of the owner, Mr. M. B. Lovell, by Auctioneer George D. Speakes, Wednesday, cows sold at from \$100 to \$175 per head; sows from \$35 to \$75 per head; yearling cattle, \$81.50 per head; horses from \$50 to \$120 per head; chickens, ninety cents to \$1.10 each; corn in crib, from \$8.25 to \$8.35 per barrel; hay, from \$20 to \$23.50 per ton.

IN THE SERVICE OF THEIR COUNTRY.

Private Carl V. Johnson has arrived home from Camp McClelland, where he has been stationed, having received his final discharge papers from the service. He is the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. R. Johnson, of near Paris.

Private Simon Buchanan, who has recently returned from overseas service, is at home near Clintonville, from Camp Dix, New Jersey, for a ten-days' furlough. At the expiration of his furlough, he will return to Camp Dix, to receive his final discharge papers from the service of Uncle Sam.

Officers and soldiers being discharged from the military service at Camp Zachary Taylor have begun to receive \$60 bonus each, under the act of Congress signed by President Wilson.

Since the signing of the armistice 68,320 discharges have taken place at the camp. These officers, privates and nurses will receive \$4,099,200.

Corporal Sherman Snapp, of Paris, who has been for some time in the Personnel Office at Camp Lewis, in Washington, on the Pacific Coast, has resumed his old position as traveling representative of the Royal Baking Powder Co. He has been assigned to his former territory in California, with headquarters in Sacramento. Corporal Snapp has received his final discharge from the service.

Colonel H. H. Pfeil, 35th Field Artillery, who has been at Camp Taylor, arrived in Lexington, Wednesday, to find a location and open a recruiting office for the United States Regular Army, to be headquarters for Kentucky.

Colonel Pfeil stated that final arrangements for opening the station and its location had not yet been completed, but that it was probable that these details would be arranged within the next two days.

G. S. Varden & Son have on display in their show windows a number of helmets that were formerly worn by officers in the German army during "the late war." These helmets were picked up at the battlefields of Verdun, St. Mihael and other places. There is also a gas mask and a trench lamp in the collection. The souvenirs were sent from France by Capt. (Dr.) James A. Orr, to his sister, Miss Olivia E. Orr, of Paris.

Central Kentucky's two largest contributions to the War Base Hospital Unit No. 40 of Barrow's Unit, as it is familiarly known, and the 113th Field Signal Battalion, will arrive home shortly, if present information reaching Lexington from both organizations is true.

Similar communication have been received in Paris by relatives of the Bourbon county boys, who are members of the Barrow Unit and the Signal Battalion.

A telegram has been received by Mrs. Ruby Arnsperger announcing the safe arrival at New York from overseas of her son, Clifton Arnsperger, who has been in France several months as a member of the Coast Artillery branch of the service with the American Expeditionary Forces. Mrs. Arnsperger has another son, Lucien Arnsperger, in the service, who is now thought to be en route back home, as letters addressed to him at Paris, Ky., have been received here.

Wayne Cottingham, former newspaper man of Paris and Lexington, returned to Paris, Wednesday, from Camp Zachary Taylor, where he has received his final discharge papers. Wayne was such a good man that the authorities placed him in the Finance Office, where he could watch over the pay-rolls and exercise a general supervision. He will spend a few days in Paris and then resume his old position on the Lexington Leader. Wayne hoped to see active service in the ranks, but was just one of the many hundreds of disappointed ones.

A GOOD INVESTMENT.

Let the Peoples Building & Loan Association show you how to provide for the future. What a record! Ten dividends averaging 7 per cent. annually. New series opens Saturday night, March 1, 1919, at the Peoples Deposit Bank & Trust Co. (25-21)

ADMINISTRATRIX BRINGS DAMAGE SUIT AGAINST RAILROAD.

Walker D. Hines, Director-General of the railroads of the United States, was made defendant in a suit for damages filed in the office of the Clerk of the Bourbon Circuit Court yesterday. Mrs. Inez Burns, widow and administratrix of her husband's estate, filed suit through her attorneys, Talbot & Whitley, of Paris, for the death of her husband, Robbie Burns. The petition alleges that Burns, who was a locomotive engineer, was killed in Corbin, Ky., by being struck by an engine backing in while crossing the tracks going to his own engine. The petition alleges gross neglect on the part of the railroad company. Burns resided on Parrish Avenue, in this city. Besides his widow, he is survived by five small children.

WILL OF MR. THOS. H. CLAY, JR., PROBATED.

In the County Court, Wednesday, Judge George Batterton probated the last will and testament of the late Mr. Thomas Henry Clay, Jr., who died several days ago at his home, "The Heights," on the Winchester pike, near Paris.

Mrs. Elizabeth Woodford Clay is made executrix of the will, with the request that the Court require no bond of her, and that no inventory or appraisal of the estate be made.

No provision is made for his two children, Thomas Henry Clay, III, and Elizabeth Woodford Clay, because Mr. Clay expressed the belief that their mother would do what is best for them.

The document, which bore date of October 21, 1916, is short, and makes the following disposition of his property:

"I Thomas Henry Clay, Jr., of Bourbon county, Kentucky, being of sound mind and memory make this my will.

"First—I direct that all of my just debts be paid as soon after my death as practicable.

"Second—I give, devise and bequeath to my beloved wife, Elizabeth Woodford Clay, my entire estate, both real and personal, absolutely and in fee simple, with full power to sell and dispose of same in any manner in which she may see proper.

"I do not bequeath any property to my children, Thomas Henry Clay, III, and Elizabeth Woodford Clay, because I know their mother will do what is best for them.

"I appoint said wife, Elizabeth Woodford Clay, as executrix of this my last will and request that the Court require no bond of her and that there be no inventory and appraisal of my estate.

"Written and signed by me this the twenty-first day of October, nineteen hundred and sixteen.

"(Signed)
"THOMAS HENRY CLAY, JR."

CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATIONS.

An open competitive examination for fireman-laborer, as custodian of the Paris postoffice building, will be conducted in the Government building in this city, on March 15, under auspices of the Civil Service Commission. Mr. Wm. E. Clarke, local secretary, will be in charge.

On account of the difficulty experienced in securing men for the custodian service the maximum age limit for the custodian service has been waived and women will be admitted to examinations for the duration of the war.

Full particulars will be furnished upon application to Mr. Wm. E. Clarke, local secretary, at the Paris postoffice.

COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION TO MEET.

Members of the six divisions of the County Board of Education will meet in the court house to-morrow, Saturday, March 1, instead of Monday, as previously announced.

Divisional District No. 1 will meet at ten o'clock, a. m., and is composed of the following members: D. C. Lisle, Frank Current, J. M. Leach, Grant Galloway.

District No. 2, composed of C. B. Brannock, W. W. Kiser, R. R. Lall, A. H. Fritz and W. E. Cook, will meet at 10:45 a. m.

District No. 3, composed of J. A. Bailey, W. W. Purdy, Ashby Leer and W. L. Cantrill, will meet at 11:00 a. m.

District No. 4, composed of Reynolds Letton, Sam Clay, Tilford Hinkle and C. J. Day, will meet at 11:15 a. m.

District No. 5, composed of W. R. Tuttle and J. R. Mitchell, will meet at 11:30 a. m.

District No. 6, composed of J. F. Ingels, Robert Stipp, Winstead Spears, Geo. Link and C. R. White, will meet at 11:45 a. m.

HOW MUCH YOU CAN SAVE

One share of Peoples Building & Loan Association stock will net you one hundred dollars in less than seven years. Ten shares, one thousand dollars in same time. Don't forget to buy stock in the new series opening Saturday night, March 1, 1919, at the Peoples Deposit Bank & Trust Co. (25-21)

IMPERIAL ENCAMPMENT TO ENTERTAIN WEDNESDAY NIGHT.

Members of Imperial Encampment I. O. O. F., their wives, daughters, sweethearts and sisters are invited and expected to attend a social session and oyster supper to be given in the lodge room on the night of Wednesday, March 5.

At this meeting the Royal Purple Degree will be conferred on several candidates. The ladies are asked to be present at 8:15 o'clock.

ADMINISTRATION SAYS NATURAL GAS ORDER WILL STAND.

The United States Fuel Administration has no present intention of revoking the order of December 12, limiting the natural gas supply of Ohio, Indiana, Kentucky and West Virginia to domestic consumers and a few most essential users. This announcement was made by T. G. Gregory, Director of the Natural Gas Section, oil division of the administration, who held hearings on a petition of Muncie, Ind., industries with a view to equalizing distribution under the Fuel Administration's order.

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TOBACCO MARKETS

Fourteen wagons, loaded heavily with tobacco, passed THE NEWS office yesterday morning, en route to the local warehouses, where, as a matter of course, they will bring high prices. Bourbon county tobacco is bringing a premium in the market and the Paris market is the best in Kentucky, admittedly so.

Almost every day, and even Sunday, necessity compelling this, long lines of heavily loaded wagons pass up Main street, destined for the local markets. If the farmers and the tobacco people are not getting a generous outpour from the horn of plenty, there's something wrong in Denmark. Tobacco to-day is one of the principal sources of revenue in the Central Kentucky counties.

The Bourbon Tobacco Warehouse Company sold in the Paris House yesterday 64,950 pounds of tobacco for \$22,757.70, an average of \$35.03. The market was about steady at the recent decline in prices. Some of the best crop averages follow:

Woodford & Tarr, 1,860 pounds, average \$50.14.
Soper & Anderson, 3,990 pounds, average \$33.35.
Russell Hinkle, 2,705 pounds, average \$42.07.
Weseman & Chreland, 4,645 pounds, average \$50.54.
Judy & Wess, 2,505 pounds, average \$44.69.

Lowe Bros., 5,290 pounds, average \$57.98.
Clarence Hinkle, 2,135 pounds, average \$49.46.
Stoker & Wagoner, 1,340 pounds, average \$49.46.
Burriss & Sutton, 4,540 pounds, average \$37.79.
Thurman Hinkle, 2,925 pounds, average \$45.67.

The Paris tobacco market took a fluctuating tone Wednesday with a tendency to lower prices. Quality counted and where the lower grades predominated crop averages were low.

At the Bourbon House of the Bourbon Tobacco Warehouse Company, a total of 153,515 pounds was disposed of for \$68,228.48, an average of \$44.44.

Some crop averages follow:
Henry Carmichael, 3,660 pounds, average \$60.97.
Plummer, McMillan & McCarthy, 4,850 pounds, average \$39.89.
Letton & Barry, 2,780 pounds, average \$32.26.

Carpenter & Buckley, 5,405 pounds, average \$62.41.
Talbot & Hough, 6,520 pounds, average \$47.46.
M. B. Lovell & Sons, 6,795 pounds, average \$57.58.

Claybrook & Link, 2,940 pounds, average \$56.19.
E. B. Allen, 1,690 pounds, average \$33.67.
C. B. Curtis, 5,770 pounds, average \$42.84.

Gillispie & Mason, 2,515 pounds, average \$51.74.
Mrs. E. Fitzgerald, 2,615 pounds, average \$53.21.
Clay & Roe, 3,995 pounds, average \$47.71.

Long & Thomas, 5,490 pounds, average \$38.76.
Dalzell & Williams, 3,645 pounds, average \$38.19.
Clay, Houston & Leach, 3,250 pounds, average \$66.93.

Burke, Brent & Snapp, 5,590 pounds, average \$34.43.
Simmons & Logsdon, 9,630 pounds, average \$54.03.
Collins & Taul, 3,465 pounds, average \$65.42.

Linley & Grayson, 2,445 pounds, average \$51.61.
W. H. Earlywine, 3,645 pounds, average \$36.55.
Simmons & Dearing, 4,565 pounds, average \$50.15.

Judy & Summers, 6,295 pounds, average \$50.15.
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Rash & Osborne, 3,270 pounds, average \$47.92.

Thos. Drennan, 5,190 pounds, average \$60.64.
Kenney & Whalen, 1,835 pounds, average \$54.28.
R. D. Worthington, 5,320 pounds, average \$35.68.

Leach, Bannister & Son, 3,355 pounds, average \$36.72.
Wyatt & Pogle, 3,220 pounds, average \$40.94.
Buckner & Finch, 4,315 pounds, average \$46.30.

Wiedemann & Ingels, 2,29 pounds, average \$46.30.
The Paris House sold a floor of 66,710 pounds for \$23,332.37, a floor average of \$37.97. Crop averages follow:

W. R. Tuttle, 3,355 pounds, average \$35.16.
Layson & Dwelly, 4,395 pounds, average \$61.45.
Allen & Pence, 3,055 pounds, average \$33.91.

Barnes & Hamilton, 4,770 pounds, average \$36.52.
T. W. Brock, 5,640 pounds, average \$53.04.
John Shropshire, 3,765 pounds, average \$36.52.

Marshall & Moreland, 6,230 pounds, average \$54.90.
Clark & Sargent, 2,455 pounds, average \$47.39.

SIGNS OF SPRING.

Local fishermen are examining their fishing kits; boys are playing marbles and spinning tops on side streets; the show windows are beginning to fill up with spring goods—anyway spring is just over the hill, if some crank in the Weather Bureau doesn't pull the wrong switch!

FARMERS' MEETING AT COURT HOUSE MONDAY.

There will be a meeting of the farmers of Bourbon county at the court house at Paris on Monday, March 3, at 1 p. m., for the purpose of deciding upon the advisability of employing a County Agricultural Agent and a Home Demonstration Agent. Judge Batterton and the members of the Bourbon County Fiscal Court request your presence at this meeting in order that you may express your views in the matter.

The meeting will be addressed by the Hon. Mat. S. Cohen, Commissioner, who has made a remarkable record, and who is blessed with the divine gift of eloquence in addition to his other numerous qualifications. You will also have the pleasure of hearing Mr. Morgan O. Hughes, of Bowling Green, who was featured in a recent article in the "Country Gentleman" under the title of "The Best Farmer in Kentucky." In 1917, after paying all expenses on his two hundred and fifty-nine acre farm, Mr. Hughes had a clear profit of over \$50.00 per acre. Any remarks he may care to make will be worth traveling many miles to hear.

Bourbon county farmers may never again have an opportunity of hearing the two foremost agriculturalists in Kentucky upon the same platform, so do not forget this meeting. Be sure to bring a friend.

COLLECTOR EXPLAINS AS TO INCOME REQUIREMENTS.

Collector of Internal Revenue Elwood Hamilton, of Lexington, is receiving frequent inquiries as to the amount to be included under the head of "gross income" to be reported in income tax returns. Collector Hamilton makes the following explanation for the benefit of the tax-payers:

In making out the return of gross income, the tax-payer is required to account for practically every dollar he received during 1918. The following items must be reported: Salaries, wages and commissions for personal services, including bonuses.

Interest received on notes and deposits in banks, including saving banks. Dividends on stock, whether received in cash or stock. Only dividends paid out of earnings or profits accrued since March 1, 1913, are taxable, but dividends are deemed to be distributed out of the most recently accumulated earnings.

Profits resulting from purchases and sales of property, real or personal. If the property was purchased before March 1, 1913, the profit is based on the difference between the selling price and the fair market price or value as of March 1, 1913. Profit from stock market transactions.

Income received from annuities, that is amounts received from income of estates, trusts, etc., through trustees, administrators or executors. Net partnership profits, whether divided or distributed or not. Royalties from mines, oil and gas wells, patents, copyrights, and franchises.

WARNING TO THE PUBLIC

Merchants and others are hereby warned to be careful in cashing checks bearing my purported signature. I will not hold myself responsible hereafter unless checks are known to have been signed by me personally.

MRS. O. K. HAZELRIGG.
(25-1f)

KENTUCKY SENATOR PLANS TO VISIT BATTLEFIELDS.

Senator George B. Martin, Kentucky's junior Senator, is planning to make, upon the expiration of his term, the fourth of next month, a trip to Europe, where he intends to visit the devastated battlefields.

He will also visit London, Paris, Brussels and probably Rome. Senator Martin has not yet decided on a definite date for his departure from this country, but he hopes to go on the George Washington when the President starts on his return to the Peace Conference. Senator Martin will visit his home before sailing.

EXTRA 45 DAYS TO FILE COMPLETE TAX RETURNS.

Income tax-payers, both corporation and individual, will be granted 45 days from March 15 for filing their complete tax returns if they notify collectors in writing that they can not complete their returns by that date. In making this announcement the Internal Revenue Bureau reiterated, however, that 25 per cent. of the estimated total tax must be paid by March 15.

KENTUCKY REPRESENTED ON PERRY MEMORIAL COMMISSION.

Creation of a commission to control the memorial on Put-in-Bay Island in Lake Erie to Commodore Perry's victory, is provided in a bill passed by the House and sent to the Senate. The commission would consist of three members from New York, Pennsylvania, Rhode Island, Michigan, Kentucky, Illinois, Massachusetts and Ohio, the States which contributed to the building of the memorial.

Collections of 200 technical books each have been sent to each army base hospital by the American Library Association.