

BAD BOOZE

Causes Trouble.—Joe Cook Gets Drun and Starts a Roughk House.

ATTACKS YOUNG LADY ON STREET.

Joe Cook, a miner of this place, went to Madisonville Friday and tanked up on an inferior grade of bug juice. On returning to Earlington he was feeling just right for a rough house and proceeded forthwith to start one.

He first visited Stone & Son's livery stable and after a short conversation bit a piece from Tom Stone's neck, then followed an altercation with Charlie Barnett from which Cook emerged with a bloody head.

After going to the little village of Barnsley where he sneed a piece from a colored individual for failing to recognize him and made it interesting for town marshal Nichols, he took possession of Trainmaster Seargent's office where he remained over an hour.

Cook was in a state bordering frenzy when he left the trainmaster's office and attacked Miss Elizabeth Hanna, who was walking along Main street in company with her sister. She defended herself bravely until assistance came when Cook was promptly arrested. He was fined \$20 and costs by Judge Cowell Monday.

Cook claims that he was utterly ignorant of any thing he did in teaching Earlington Friday and sincerely regrets the affair. Cook is a hard working industrious man and is not a drinking man by any means. This is his first experience along this line and will likely be the last.

PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT WILL STOP TWO HOURS AT LOUISVILLE.

Southern Trip Probably to be Made Some Time in April.

Word has been received at Louisville by the Board of Trade committee, that President Roosevelt will stop in Louisville on his prospective Southern trip, which will be undertaken probably in April.

The President will, however, "travel by special train and will not be able to spend more than a couple of hours in Louisville." So writes Wm. Loeb, Jr., secretary to the President. An effort will be made by Louisville men to have the schedule changed so Mr. Roosevelt may spend three or four hours in the city.

LIFE SENTENCE FOR BRITTON.

Charged With Murder of James Cockrell in Breathitt County.

Lexington, Ky., Jan. 28.—The jury in the case of Bill Britton, charged with the murder of James Cockrell, returned a verdict of guilty this morning and fixed the punishment at life term in the penitentiary.

Concert Singer Dying From Burns.

Cincinnati, Jan. 31.—As the playgoers in a local theater awaited the appearance of Mamie Rayburn, a concert singer, rushed out of her dressing room a living torch and ran screaming through the theater. Several men threw coats over her and a bucket of water finally put out the flames, but the singer, burned from head to foot and suffering terribly, is dying in a hospital today. Only prompt action by men in the theater prevented a dangerous panic.

MADE HIM A PRESENT.

Foreman L. H. O'Brien Made the Recipient of a Handsome Gold Watch. Presented by His Workmen.

Foreman L. H. O'Brien, who has for a number of years past been connected with the L. & N. at this place as round house foreman, was made the recipient this week of a very handsome gold watch. This token of esteem and regard was presented by the men in his employ and it is unnecessary to add that Mr. O'Brien highly appreciates the present. Mr. W. H. Shean was spokesman for the others and received Monday a long letter of congratulation from Mr. O'Brien which says in part:

"Your kind demonstration has touched my better self, and drawn me closer to my co-laborers, who are my associates, and friends, who have shown that they are ever ready to nurse my sick, bury my dead, and now cheer me by this mark of esteem, the grandest gift, one which cannot be bought with gold, and therefore is more precious than gold. So my dear friends 'with a watch on your Foreman' and a 'timely' feeling between us, I hope that our future, as our past may be a continuation of good fellowship, and kindly feelings toward each.

"With my kindest regards and a true 'Old Kentucky' handshake that comes from the heart, I thank you for your nice present."

RURAL CARRIERS APPOINTED.

Hopkins and Webster Counties Have Several New Routes.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 30.—Rural carriers appointed for Kentucky routes in Hopkins and Webster counties: Dawson Springs, Route 1, William L. Buchanan, carrier; Edgar M. Eison, substitute; Route 2 Johnnie M. Vensey, carrier; John W. Holman, substitute. Manitou, Route 2, Zebulon V. Dixon, carrier; Robert H. Pemberton, substitute. Sebree, Route 2, Frank Griffith, carrier; Guy Griffith, substitute; Route 3, Joe Winstead, carrier; William Winstead, substitute. Slaughterville, Route 2, William H. Jenkins, carrier; John Jenkins, substitute.

SUES FOR BIG DAMAGES.

Hopkinsville Man Asks \$25,000 for Injuries Received Under Railroad Car Here.

Hopkinsville, Ky., Jan. 28.—Suit was filed here this morning by G. G. Reeder against the Louisville & Nashville railroad for \$25,000 damages. While working under a car on the track at Earlington, plaintiff was injured in both legs by an engine bumping into the car on which he was working. One leg was amputated and the other was twisted and injured. Plaintiff claims accident was due to negligence.

Married in Madisonville.

Mr. Edgar Hill and Miss Verna McCord, both of Hopkinsville, Ky., were married in Madisonville Saturday at the Methodist parsonage by the Rev. Adams. Miss McCord had been visiting the family of Mr. M. A. Twyman, of this place, for several days and Hill came down Saturday morning. Both parties are well and favorably known in this neighborhood. Mr. Hill works for Forbes & Bros., the well known contractors, and Miss McCord is an estimable young lady.

INDICTED SOME MORE

The Hargises Et Al. Charged With Bribery and Intimidation of Witnesses.

SHERIFF GOES TO MAKE ARRESTS.

Lexington, Ky., Jan. 31.—Sheriff Woodson McCord, of Winchester, and a posse have gone to Jackson to serve the warrants on Judge Hargis and Sheriff Callahan, issued by the special grand jury at Winchester today charging bribery and intimidation of witnesses, and it is expected that when he brings the prisoners to Winchester he will be met by an officer from this county and the bench warrants of the Fayette Circuit Court will be served.

"Unless the Court of Appeals should grant Hargis a temporary writ I shall ask Gov. Beckham for troops to support an officer we will send to Jackson to serve the bench warrants of the Fayette Circuit Court," said Col. John R. Allen, Commonwealth's Attorney here today, in answer to a question as to the position of the court in the matter of the resistance of the Hargises and Callahan to the Fayette Circuit Court's indictments.

Officials here say the claims of the attorneys for the Hargises will not hold good, the pleas being inasmuch as Breathitt County was given jurisdiction in the case of Jett for the Cockrill murder other prosecutions for this crime would necessarily have to be in Breathitt County. The Fayette county indictments charge the Hargises and Callahan with complicity in the murder of James Cockrill. The accused had themselves arrested in Breathitt in December, gave bond there and refuse to go to Fayette. It is said that the Breathitt Court record of these arrests bears evidence of having been made very recently.

ILLEGAL LIQUOR TRAFFIC.

Madisonville Negro Taken to Owensboro Jail to Await Federal Grand Jury.

On Saturday Deputy U. S. Marshal C. T. Nichols took William Brown, colored, of Madisonville, to Hopkinsville to appear before Commissioner L. Yonts on charge of selling liquor without license. The prisoner pleaded guilty and in default of \$300 bond was taken to jail in Owensboro to await action of the Federal grand jury.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Coyle Entertains.

The comfortable home of Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Coyle was thrown open to a number of their friends Monday night and for three hours finch piles vanished with amazing rapidity. Thirteen games were played from 8:30 until 11:30, Mrs. W. S. McGary and Frank Rash being champions for the night. At the usual time delightful and appropriate refreshments were served consisting of cold meats, coffee, bread, pickles, lobster salad in tomato dressing followed by sherbert, cake, salted almonds and mints. The tally cards were handsomely designed. The happy guests took their departure about midnight and thus another successful finch party is added to the long list gone on before.

Young Crofton Man Dies.

Hopkinsville, Ky., Jan. 30.—Ashton Meecham, son of J. M. Meecham, Town Marshal of Crofton, died last night of consumption, aged twenty-five years. He was for several years Deputy Sheriff of the county.

Kentucky Republicans Appointed Aides on President's Staff.

Frankfort, Ky., Jan. 28.—Gov. Beckham appointed the Hon. R. P. Ernst, of Newport, and Major J. H. Ashcraft, of Paducah, as aides on the President's staff at the inaugural parade in March.

GRAND LODGE GOLDEN CROSS

Will Meet in Earlington During the Coming April.

ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY GUESTS.

Earlington Commandery No. 525 U. O. G. C., has invited the Grand Lodge of Kentucky to meet here in April and the invitation is accepted. There are those who have before accepted invitations to partake of Earlington's hospitality and they have not returned home disappointed. The prediction is safe that history will repeat itself in this instance.

The first act in making the hospitality complete, outside of Golden Cross circles, has been performed by the Masonic orders of Earlington, who have proffered their very complete and commodious quarters in Masonic Temple for the use of the Grand Lodge meetings. These quarters include the main lodge room, reception room, ante rooms and large banquet room.

It is probable that there will be 150 or 200 guests here during the meeting, which will convene on April 13 and continue two days. Committees and their work and all details will be announced later. Mrs. S. E. Stevens, Keeper of Records for the local lodge, has been largely instrumental in securing the meeting for Earlington.

Unique Kentucky Family.

The five sons of Mr. and Mrs. William Leroy, of Fayette county, Kentucky, celebrated their birthday together. Each came into the world on January 15—the first on January 15, 1900. Without exception since then the fifteenth day of the year has brought a new member of the Leroy family.

Singularly Mr. Leroy's birthday is December 15, just one month earlier, and Mrs. Leroy's entrance into the world was on February 15, just a month later. Mrs. Leroy is one of the handsomest women of the Blue Grass. She is a granddaughter of Colonel E. K. Hardin, one of the spectacular figures of the Mexican War. She was married February 20, 1898, to Mr. Leroy, who is a Blue Grass stock breeder of prominence. The son born January 15, 1900 was named William Hardin Leroy, in honor of the mother's grandfather.

When the second son came on the same day of the following year coincidence was noted, and, of course, still greater interest was attracted in 1902 when son No. 3, arrived January 15, 1903, brought the fourth son, and the fifth son entered life at 2 a. m., January 15, 1904.

The latest arrival was named for Senator J. C. S. Blackburn, who sent congratulations upon receiving news of the youngster's birth.

Milk \$50 a Quart.

To provide milk for his one-year-old son, George A. Bourgois, one of the best known attorneys in Atlantic City, N. J., a few days ago paid \$200 for two quart bottles of milk and the same amount of cream, or at the rate of \$50 a quart bottle. Mr. Bourgois lives in Ventnor, which was completely cut off from that city. On calling up a milk depot the lawyer found that it would be impossible to deliver milk. He then hired Archie Burrell to get the milk.

Missionary Meeting.

The Ladies of the C. W. B. M., Auxiliary of the Christian Church, have invited the ladies of the different churches to join them in a special service and social session next Monday afternoon from 2 to 4 o'clock.

The following program will be rendered, with Mrs. Chas. H. McGary as leader.

Hymn.
Scripture lesson, by Miss Ethel Evans.

Invocation, by J. E. King.
Hymn.

Responsive Reading—Psalm 68:1—20.

Circle of Prayer, Mrs. Jno. Rule, Mrs. M. B. Long, Mrs. Tate, Miss Carrie Crenshaw.

Hymn.
Paper, Mrs. H. L. Browning.
Paper, by Representative of Madisonville Auxiliary.

Paper, Mrs. Y. Q. Walker.
Paper, Mrs. Howard J. Brazelton.

Open Discussions. Talks of three minutes each.

Voluntary prayers for the workers in all fields.

Hymn.
Social hour.

A very cordial invitation is extended to every one, both man and woman to attend this service.

Mrs. Rogers Entertains.

One of the most delightful receptions of the season was the one given by Mrs. Henry Rogers Thursday afternoon at her lovely home on East Main street. The parlors were prettily decorated in evergreens and pink and white carnations. Twenty guests spent a pleasant afternoon playing the ever popular game, finch, until a late hour after which delicious refreshments were served.

Bishop McCloskey is in Serious Condition.

Louisville, Ky., January 31.—It is probable that Bishop McCloskey may have to undergo an operation for an abscess that has formed back of his ear. It is thought that on account of the advanced age of the distinguished prelate his condition is serious. He has been suffering from an attack of the grip for the past three weeks and was thought to be doing well until yesterday afternoon.

Dulin and Glenn Burned Out at Springfield.

The large dry goods store of Dulin & Glenn, of Springfield, Tenn., was consumed by fire Tuesday night. Amount of insurance unknown. This was one of the largest dry goods establishments in the city and carried an immense stock of goods. It is not known how the fire originated.

Operation Performed on Miss Kosure.

Miss Celeste Kosure, of Madisonville, came to Earlington Sunday and placed herself under the care of Dr. E. A. Chatten who on Monday performed the operation for appendicitis. The operation was entirely successful and the patient is progressing nicely.

Series of Sermons.

Rev. Howard J. Brazelton, of the Christian church, will deliver during this month a series of lectures on "Man." On Feb. 5th the subject will be "What is man worth?" Feb. 12th, "The man and his associates;" Feb. 19th, "The man and the drink problem;" Feb. 26th, "The man skeptic or believer, which?" These addresses will be delivered at night and every one is cordially invited to attend.

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