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EARLINGTON, HOPKINS COUNTY, KY., TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 19, 1912

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MR. CHAS. R. TAGGART

At Temple Theatre Wednesday Night, November 20

SECOND NUMBER LYCEUM COURSE

This is a splendid evening of Music and Stories. Season tickets may yet be had of the Treasurer, Mr. Ellsworth Evans.

Regular admission 20c and 50c. Program will begin at 8:15 sharp.

A Young Woman Who Cleaned up a Town Both Politically and Socially

In the December Woman's Home Companion appears an article about Virginia Brooks, of West Hammond, Ill., who has done a great work which is partly described in the following extract from the article:

"Miss Brooks was leading the pleasant life of a Chicago girl in comfortable circumstances when a notice assessing herself and her mother two thousand dollars on some vacant lots that they owned in the neighboring town of West Hammond, Ill., strengthened certain suspicions in her mind that the rulers of that town were not all that they should be. Subsequent investigations confirmed those suspicions to such an extent that Miss Brooks and her mother closed their Chicago home and moved into a little cottage in West Hammond to see what was to be done about it. It appeared that the town, with a voting population of 750, supported fifty-five saloons, with all varieties of objectionable resorts in due proportion. Largely on account of overtaxation, the result of extensive graft, there were in the Southern half of the town but 25 houses free of mortgage. Moreover, the rating powers had proposed that the town be incorporated as a city, for the purpose, Miss Brooks inferred, of enabling the controlling ring still further to increase the burdens of taxation. Under such circumstances, as any reformer could tell you, the proper thing to do was to 'appeal to the people.'"

"Unlike many reformers, Miss Brooks knew how to appeal. In this instance 'the people' were mostly Poles. Miss Brooks began by learning their language. She then addressed them at public meetings with such effect that she completely won her impulsive, warm-hearted auditors. Not only was the incorporation project signally defeated, but Miss Brooks had so sturdy an army of Polish voters behind her that she felt strong enough to urge more active reforms."

"Fighting an organized ring is not an easy task, and Miss Brooks had many discouragements; but in the end the decent citizens were thoroughly awakened. A reform ticket was put into the field and won an overwhelming victory, and the last day in West Hammond, called in derision 'The Virginia Brooks' closed its doors."

If you want to see a good show go to the Princess.

J. W. Gatlin Sr. Passes Away.

J. W. Gatlin, Sr., age sixty-six years, one month and twenty seven days, died at his country home, two miles from Madisonville, on the Princeton road, last Friday at 10:30 a. m., after an illness of several months, death being due to a complication of diseases. His condition had been serious for the past week, and his death had been hourly expected by those at his bedside.

Mr. Gatlin was one of the best and most favorably known citizens of the county. He was born in this county, and with the exception of a few years spent in Caldwell county, lived in Hopkins county all his life, and enjoyed a wide acquaintance and the confidence and esteem of all who knew him.

A Great Building Falls

When its foundation is undermined, and if the foundation of health—good digestion—is attacked, quick collapse follows. On the first signs of indigestion, Dr. King's New Life Pills should be taken to tone the stomach and regulate liver, kidneys and bowels. Pleasant, easy, safe and only 25c at all Druggists.

Nebo Notes

J. S. Duram, our postmaster had the misfortune to get his ankle badly broken Monday, by falling through his stable loft, the bone protruding through the skin. Dr. Morton was called immediately and set the broken bone. Although he suffered much no serious results are looked for.

Mr. Nick Parrish's beautiful home was firely consumed by fire Tuesday. He was burning grass off his garden, his meat house catching first, as the wind was blowing that way, the house soon followed. They saved most of the contents, though Mrs. Parrish lost most of her canned fruit, preserves and all of her quilts and blankets.

Mr. and Mrs. Mack Ross of Centertown, Ohio county, visited the family of G. A. Eudaley last week.

Mrs. Ella Pierce, of Marion, spent several days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Cox last week.

Next Thursday morning week, at ten-thirty o'clock, there will be a thanksgiving service held at the Methodist church. Preaching by C. F. Wimberly, of Madisonville, singing by some of the best singers in town. Everybody invited to come. Every member of the Methodist church is especially urged to be present, and bring an offering of corn, potatoes or money of anything that can be turned into money, which will be sent to the orphans home. The girls of the Home Mission Society, will give an entertainment at the church in the evening at seven thirty.

The bang, bang, of the bird hunters are heard now, but birds are scarce this season.

Nebo will have good roads three town this winter, as slack and cinders were being hauled from the mines every day last week.

Opezzum College (or Claude Porter's) school boys played Nebo school at ball game Friday, the scores being 21 to 19 in favor of the college boys, of course a scrap was the result, at the close of the game, no blood was shed though.

Mrs. Chas. Webb Entertains

One of the most enjoyable events of the season, was the tea given last Friday evening by Mrs. Chas. Webb at her cozy home on R. R. Street in honor of her charming niece, Miss Lela Cole, from Nashville, who has proven quite a favorite in the Social Set. The parlor was very artistically decorated in potted plants and cut flowers. They enjoyed numerous games, contests and music, after which a delicious salad course was served. Those present were: Misses Lela Cole, Connie Fenwick, Mary Parker, Charlie Davis, Margaret Dudley, Mary Martin, Ida Martin, Wilma Thomas, (Madisonville) Goldie Chandler, Ida Lee Sisk and Messrs. Hobart Browning, (Madisonville) David Dudley, Paul Pilkinton-Goode, Thos. Stokes, Givens Fugate and Jewel Webb.

A very enjoyable tea was given last Friday afternoon by Mrs. Chas. Webb, at her home on R. R. Street. Her home was prettily decorated in ferns and cut flowers. Those present enjoyed a very unique contest which caused several hearty laughs. A delightful salad course was served. Mrs. Webb always proves a charming hostess to both old and young. Those present were: Messdames Ott Powers, Elmer Witherspoon, O. P. Webb, R. E. Ashby, W. E. Martin, Kate Withers, T. Allen Smith, Bob Brown, Jno. Brown, C. W. Webb, M. A. Deshon, W. A. Grant and Arnold.

Bud Kell, of Madisonville made a business trip to Earlington Tuesday. Tickets now on sale at News Stand for "Two Merry Tramps" get yours before they are all gone.

REV. S. M. BERNARD MAKING GOOD.

In His New Charge As Pastor Of Christian Church At San Dimas Cal.

Following is from San Dimas "Press."—Last Monday night the members of the San Dimas Christian Church and others gathered at the magnificent new church building, and with song, speeches and hearty handshakes gave to Rev. S. M. Bernard, the new pastor, and his wife a most warm and enthusiastic welcome. A short program was followed which included some rousing singing led by that prince of choir leaders, Prof. B. L. Burditt. The opening prayer was made by Elder Newcomb and was followed by an address of welcome by Rev. S. M. McGee, of the San Dimas Methodist Church.

In reply to all Dr. Bernard spoke feelingly of the welcome extended to himself and wife, and pledged his best efforts to carry out the church's program of expansion and also to assist in all material work for the community's welfare.

A male chorus sang the doctor's and his wife's favorite songs, after which the evening was spent in social intercourse and in getting more intimately acquainted with the new pastor and his wife. Light refreshments were served by the ladies of the church. Every one present united in pronouncing the evening an unqualified success and an excellent forerunner of the evangelistic meetings which are just beginning.

Boyd-Reed.

Leslie Boyd and Miss Florence Reed, both of this place greatly surprised their many friends when they left Saturday for Springfield, Tenn., where they were married. Miss Reed is a sister of Jack Reed and has made her home with her brother for some months past and is a very attractive and popular young lady. The groom is an industrious and worthy young man well known in this, his home town for his many good qualities. The marriage was the culmination of a short courtship. No one but the immediate family knew of their intentions. Their many friends wish them much prosperity.

J. T. Coleman Injured at Hopkinsville.

Mr. J. T. Coleman of this place who has been on the work train at Hopkinsville for some time met with a serious accident at that place Saturday when he was jerked from the top of a car falling, striking his head against the rail, crushed his skull and other injuries rendering him unconscious. The accident would likely have proved fatal if his jacket had not caught on the truck and held his body from under the wheels. His condition is critical but hopes are entertained for his recovery.

LATER—Mr. Coleman is getting along nicely and his condition is not so serious as was first reported.

Sturgis Home Of Aged Minister.

At the closing session of the Kentucky Baptists' Association held in Madisonville last week, a gift of the \$50,000 property of the Ohio Valley Institute at Sturgis to the Ministers' Aid Society was made, and it will be converted into a home for old ministers. The association, after voting Lexington as the next meeting place over Newport, closed at noon one of the best church gatherings ever held in the state.

'Round The Roundhouse

(By R. R. Ritter)

PAY DAY

What day do we all like best?

Pay day.

What day means more than all the rest?

Pay day.

What day draws men from far and near?

Makes them forget their inward fear.

Thinking only of those that are so dear.

Pay day.

What day lasts all day and all night?

Pay day.

What day puts wolf at door of flight?

Pay day.

What day renews the clothes you wear

And brings your wife some new false hair,

While you sit on the new bought chair.

Pay day.

What day do you pay off your bill?

Pay day.

What day makes the merchant's cash drawer fill?

Pay day.

What makes them tell you it's for fun,

That they send out a monthly dun,

And it takes it to make the business run.

Pay day.

What day interests your little wife?

Pay day.

What makes you satisfied with life?

Pay day.

What day makes you willing to stand

And watch the butcher smile so bland,

As with you meat he weighs his hand.

Pay day.

It only took me two weeks to compose the above sentimental little ditty.

Monday evening I was standing near the end of the pay-car talking to some other "rough necks" when a fellow came running from toward the depot at full speed. He was a traveling man, and when he reached where the crowd had assembled, perspiration was tickling down his face like tears down the cheek of a bereaved crocodile. He asked one of the General Foreman's clerks if someone was hurt. The clerk said, "not yet. They will not see their creditors until tonight." He caught it and beat it back to town.

Engineer P. W. Tuck has been off sick a few days.

Brakeman Tom Coleman was injured while switching at Latham last Saturday night. He was bruised up pretty baby but is doing nicely.

Engineer F. P. Giannini is still off on account of sickness.

Fireman L. W. Vaughan was in Nashville, Madisonville and other points last Friday. He was in company with F. P. Giannini, Jr. While in Madisonville, of course they saw the show.

Engineer H. L. Smith is off sick.

Fireman S. G. Ellison is off on a leave of absence.

Engineer Elmo Shaver, of Fordsville, was in town Monday.

Fireman Noah Clark was in Evansville Sunday.

Boilermaker W. F. Lavender

was in Guthrie Sunday.

Walter Daves went out "birding" last week. It is reported he slaughtered eight. (We mean birds.)

I have been confused about a little incident which occurred Sunday morning. I saw the wrecker being handled by the switch engine and asked the caller where the wreck was and he said he didn't know anything about it except it was called for once to go to Pembroke.

Pingree Staver is still laying off on account sickness.

W. A. Hardy and "Bosco" Shaver were in Madisonville Friday night.

Engineer Flaming, of Hopkinsville, is working on the Switch engine at this place for a few days.

Engineers R. T. Oggins and G. D. Hampton were in Nashville Sunday.

Fireman J. E. Vaught was in Evansville Sunday.

Judging from the actions of some men, they just work for the money there is in it.

The pay car was here Monday night.

If the wind was angry, would the atmosphere?

Bargains in Ladies & Misses' coats

Barnes, Coward & Co. Incorporated

Mr. and Mrs. Jake McEuen, Miss Ruth McEuen and Dr. Barton McEuen, visited Mrs. Rex McEuen Sunday.

Kentucky Corn Show.

Preliminary announcements have been issued for the third annual exhibition of the Kentucky Corn Growers' Association. The Corn show will be held at the College of Agriculture, Lexington, from January 7 to 10, in connection with Farmers' Week at the State University.

In addition to the premiums for corn, prizes are to be awarded for oats, soy beans and cow peas. Tobacco may be included if the growers manifested sufficient interest. All entries must be of products grown during the year 1912, and the lists will close on Saturday, January 4.

Kentucky has had good crops this year, and it is believed the corn show will be the best ever held in the State. Numerous exhibits from the boys' corn clubs will be included, and as the boys have had a more favorable season than they had last year for their agricultural operations they should be able to show some surprising results. The county corn shows will be heard from in the course of a few weeks, and the clubs may be expected to give a good account of themselves. There are more clubs this year and more boys interested in the competition. Their activities are of incalculable value as an incentive to bigger and better production of Kentucky's leading agricultural staple.

This year's corn show undoubtedly will be a great success if the corn growers elect to make it so. By their earnest co-operation their annual exhibition can be made an abiding influence for more intelligent farming and for more remunerative production.

There could be no better medicine than Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. My children were all sick with whooping cough. One of them was in bed, had a high fever and was coughing up blood. Our doctor gave them Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and the first dose eased them, and three bottles cured them," says Mrs. B. A. Donaldson, of Lexington, Miss. For sale by all Dealers.

WHAT \$10 A WEEK WILL DO

A California Woman Who Built a Home and Support Herself on \$10 a Week

Reducing the cost of living is a problem that has everybody "by the ears" as it were. To own one's own home and to have even the outward semblance of prosperity is denied most people. But cheer up—there is hope at least. Here is a California woman who bought a lot, built a house and maintained herself on \$10 a week. So tell how she did it in the PICTORIAL REVIEW for December, as follows:

I bought a lot for five hundred dollars—ten dollars down and five dollars a month. My remaining capital was \$100, and I bought enough lumber to build a shell on the rear of my lot. I moved in with a trunk, table and chair, a few dishes, ironing pan and teakettle, a covered cooking dish, wash dish and dish pan—all bought at the ten cent store. A broom, a cheap lamp and a one burner oil stove completed my outfit.

Never shall I forget my pride when I had gas installed for lighting and cooking, my monthly bill being from sixteen to twenty-four cents. I bought a little gas plate for fifty cents, a little oven for a dollar, a galvanized tub for seventy-five cents and a "plunger" for seventy-five cents, and my cooking and laundry equipment seemed perfect. The effective powders and soaps reduced my laundry bill to a trifle. I bought two flat irons with a patent handle and invariably cooked all foods requiring time on the iron when ironing, which conserved the heat amazingly.

In summer I pack "greens" in a jar, salt each layer and cover and weight each jar with a stone. It will be in perfect condition for winter use after being thoroughly washed. I take my luncheon, generally sandwiches, a little pot of jelly, and many little dainties not possible to any one who does not have a home table, to my place of business.

I bought a good brush with a pot of paint, and whenever I could manage it, painted my interior woodwork and gradually the outside of the house, so it was very presentable.

With ten dollars a week, I have been decently clad, well-fed have bought a desirable lot and built a home.

Mrs. John Long Entertains.

On Friday evening Mrs. John L. Long invited to her home on Clark Street, a number of her friends to tea. Each were requested to bring a dime which collection went to the Christian Church. These teas have been very popular and profitable for sometime past but this is the largest in number present that has been given, being over fifty members and friends of the Christian Church present. An abundant amount of amusements were furnished and everybody was well entertained, refreshments were served which added greatly to the evening. Mrs. Long in her usual artistic manner had everything in order for the convenience of her guests, making the entire evening a success socially as well as financially.

Real Estate Transactions

Mrs. Marion Sisk has purchased from James R. Rash, the property on the corner of Main St. and McEuen Ave. Consideration not known. Mrs. Sisk expects to improve this property and in the Spring will make this her home.

* Mrs. Bessie Tanner has bought from James R. Rash, a house and lot on South Main Street. Mrs. Tanner has been away from Earlington for sometime and has returned to make this her home.