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Bankers' Meeting

The Bankers of the 8th and 11th Districts met here last Friday and the meeting was a decided success. In the morning automobiles were lined up in front of the Jones Hotel and the Bankers, their wives and many others were taken over Paint Hill and down to Wilton where they were shown the beautiful little mining town, returning to Dishman Springs where they enjoyed a most bountiful and well prepared lunch, consisting of sandwiches, mints and coffee, prepared by Mrs. S. T. Steele who, it goes without saying, is an artist in that line. The coffee was furnished by Mr. W. H. Green, who represents Arbuckle Bros. Coffee Co. of New York City and was of the Yuban Brand, and better beverage was never quaffed by the hand of man.

After the lunch was over the Bankers and their friends were brought back to the City High School where they adjourned at 2 o'clock P. M. to meet in the Auditorium at Union College at 7:45 for the disposal of business, after which at 8:45 they repaired to the dining hall where they were served with a Banquet at which 200 plates were set and all taken.

The welcome address was delivered by Lieut. Governor Jas. D. Black in one of his characteristic ways of doing things of this kind. He was responded to by Mr. H. G. Shiles of Crab Orchard, Ky. Many fine toasts were delivered by the visitors and our own citizens, among whom were E. E. Turley, Richmond, Ky., C. B. Minor, Perryville, Ky., Mr. Manning, with the Reserve Bank of Cleveland, O., and B. C. Lewis, F. D. Sampson, J. M. Robison, E. T. Franklin of Barbourville, and others.

Robt. W. Cole was toastmaster, and while "Bob" is not a preacher, lawyer or politician, yet he is some toastmaster.

The Banquet was under the direct supervision of Mr. C. P. Kennedy; it was prepared in Knoxville and brought here ready to serve; all except the coffee which was donated by Mr. Green and was the same as that served at Dishman Springs. The mints and chewing gum was from Perkins & Co. of this city.

The Banquet was most interesting from start to finish, it being

intermingled with eating, drinking, oratory and music. The music was furnished by Miss Cassie R. Walker, piano, Messrs. C. W. Mealy, violin and V. C. McDonald, coronet. Not until 11:30 did the reverly come to a close, and then only for the fact that train No. 24 leaves at 11:45.

Most all the delegates being men who had urgent business at home left on train No. 24, but it goes without saying that all who participated had a most enjoyable time. We say come again, we are glad to have you.

A Letter of Thanks.

May 27, 1916

Mr. Robt. W. Cole
Barbourville, Ky.
My Dear Mr. Cole:

You folks could not have been nicer to us than you were and everyone came away singing your praises. I believe you were a little disappointed at the attendance. I, too, was sorry that we did not have more present, but it was their loss, not ours. I thought the banquet was simply great and I liked the way you handled the business part of it as toastmaster. Did you not take particular notice of the interest in the proceedings? I did and it spoke volumes.

I want to thank you and Mr. Robison and all the other Barbourville people who were so nice to me and everyone else, but it seems to be natural for Eastern Kentucky people to be hospitable and they do everything just right. When I reached Barbourville from Cincinnati, I was tired and worn out, but the nature of your welcome put new life into me and I tell you in all sincerity, that I enjoyed the day more than I have anything in a long while. Please accept my sincere thanks for your many kindnesses and courtesies to me and I hope you will call on me freely if, at any time, I can serve you.

With best regards,

Yours very truly,

Arch. B. Davis, Secretary

For Rent

A modern six roomed cottage, in Barbourville with bath, and toilet, Electric and Gas lights, gas stoves, large garden, at a reasonable price. Call upon or address J. M. Robison, or R. N. Jarvis, Barbourville, Kentucky.

PRAISE JUDGE SAMPSON

Whitley Jurors at May Term, Say Sampson's Charge to the Grand Jury was Sublime--Broke All Records--Rev. Ulyssus S. Grant Carroll, Ph. D., Spokesman.

Judge, Your Honor:—It is my information that you are now about to discharge the jury for this term of the Court. I want to say for myself, and on behalf of my fellow jurors, that we extend to you our highest appreciation for the courtesy and kindly treatment, not only in your judicial capacity, but socially as well. I am sure that I voice the sentiment of all jurors, when I say that your charge to the Grand Jury was the ablest that I have ever had the pleasure of listening to; I have heard many able charges delivered, but Your Honor broke all records. It was wise in the highest degree, sublime in its dignity and truth expressive of the strongest judicial ability, yet, so clear and well defined that each juror could clearly comprehend his legal and moral duty under the law.

We have been delighted with your method of procedure. It is indeed of the highest order within the realm of jurisprudence. This demonstrates your fitness for the high position which you now occupy, and Your Honor, the higher position to which you aspire. You have shown yourself a man who knows how to talk to the point, and stop when you have reached it. Such art and skill of the public man towers above a thorough university training without it.

Your Honor: You made a deep impression upon the minds of the jurors, when you called one jury of twelve men before you, who had been unable for several days, for some reason, to come to an agreement, and, in the most kindly spirit, offered

any assistance that you could give. In your entreaties, sir, you ask them to go back and pray over the matter, and to seriously consider their duties. You did in a way that it had its effect, undoubtedly, and there must have been some praying in that room, for soon after they brought in a verdict. You emphasized to the jurors, the Bar, and all others, the necessity of prayer in the court room, as well as in the home and the church. Scarcely an instance of this kind could be found on like occasions.

We, the jurors, trust that our Divine ruler will be pleased to spare you for many years to come, and hold open the opportunity, that you may continue to emphasize Law and Equity, the results of which it has upon humanity, relative to the highest ideals, and most noble citizenship.

We also wish to express to the Bar, and the officers connected with the court house, our appreciation for their courtesies and kindly treatment rendered to us by them, and in return assure them that we have the most kindly feeling and brotherly love for them.

And, now, I trust, that if we should never meet again in this relation, that our Divine master may so lead us, and that we may so follow him, that we may all meet together in the Holy City, the New Jerusalem, the Temple of God, where jurists, the bar, court houses and prisons will never be needed.

And now may the blessings of God, the Father, rest upon each one present.

Public School Certificates

Last Saturday those who were examined to teach in the Public Schools of the county received certificates, as follows:

First Grade.

John Bingham, W. D. Martin, Clara A. Campbell, B. F. Evans, Victor Carnes, Richard Grant, H. C. Hopper, Kathleen Hammons, Ed Hampton, Mollie Herndon, George Jackson, Della Logan, Della Logan, Dora Mitchell, Gertrude Steele, Viola Ray, Deronder Stewart, Lucy Taylor, D. M. Walker, Chas. B. Jones, C. A. Mills, Cleo Keck, Ben McDonald, Evelyn Norvill, Clara E. Campbell, Andrew Carns, Cora Evans, Noma Hammons, Grover Hopper, Nettie Hammons, Cleo Howard, Myrtle Jarvis, John Jarvis, Chelsa Marsee, J. L. Powers, John Reese, Niece Smith, Cager Tye, Nannie Vaughn, C. H. Reynolds, H. C. Mills, W. R. McWilliams.

Second Class.

Calvin Blanton, E. E. Davis, J. L. Davis, Harvey Hopkins, W. P. Hubbard, Flora Lewellyn, Lida E. Noe, J. H. Powell, Lawrence West, J. T. Sowders, Wm. Barge, W. G. Davis, Mary Hammons, Victor Hammons, Minnie Lewellyn, Nina Miller, Ora Owens, Dora Williams, Nola Parrott, Fred Miller.

There were 91 applicants; 41 first grade; 21 second grade, and 29 failed to make the required grade.

Eugene Spurlock,
Bertha Fore,
Examiners,
W. W. Evans,
Co. Supt.

What's His Name

At Star Theatre, Saturday June 3--Story of the Play.

Harvey, the beau of Blakeville, a soda clerk, is very popular with the girls. Harvey marries Nellie, the baker's daughter, against the wishes of Harvey's uncle, a trusty old bachelor who is the village photographer.

When the show leaves for New York, Nellie, Harvey and Phoebe their little girl, go with it. During the performance in New York, Nellie makes a big hit and arouses the interest of Fairfax, a millionaire man-about-town. Nellie becomes the star at the play at a big salary.

At the managers suggestion to keep her husband in the background, she establishes Harvey and Phoebe in a house at Tarrytown, and spends Sunday with them there.

Harvey becomes known as "What's His Name," the husband of Nellie Duluth. In a few years, Nellie becomes the rage of New York, and because of Fairfax, she rarely comes to see Harvey and Phoebe.

Harvey meets Fairfax and becomes jealous of his attentions to Nellie and, while leaving the theatre after a short visit, he sees waiters bringing food and wine to her dressing room, and returns later only to find Nellie, Fairfax and a great party of friends hilariously supping. Harvey flourishes a revolver and breaks up the party.

After Harvey returns home, Fairfax calls on him and offers him a large sum of money to allow Nellie to secure a divorce. Harvey, enraged, strikes Fairfax whereupon the latter brutally beats him.

The next day, Nellie calls and tells Harvey that they are going to marry. They attempt to take Phoebe from him but fail. Nellie has the furniture removed and turns them out of their home and leaves for Renowhile Harvey and Phoebe start back to Blakeville, afoot. After several weary months, they arrive there in tatters and are taken in by their uncle, who helps Harvey to a new start. At Blakeville he is welcomed by all his friends and takes his old job back.

Phoebe becomes dangerously ill and Harvey wires Nellie.

She has been disillusioned by Fairfax and comes back at once, a repentant and wiser woman.

Goes to West Baden Springs.

Dr. and Mrs. C. A. Bromley left for West Baden Springs, Indiana, where they are expected to spend several weeks at the suggestion of one of our best physicians.

Mrs. Bromley is afflicted with incipient Brights disease and other complications. She will drink the water and take the baths at these famous Springs. These good people have the sympathy of their church and the community in this affliction and hope for Mrs. Bromley's early restoration to health.

The local church through its official action carefully granted brother Bromley absence to look after his wife's health, but his pulpit will be occupied the next Sundays by two fine men Rev. Shepherd of Corbin and Rev. Brown of Berea.

Sunday School Convention

The convention held at the First Christian Church last Friday and Saturday was a great success. The attendance was not as large as it should have been, but all the sessions were of great interest. There were visitors from many sections of the State, and a number of inspiring addresses were made. The church and Sunday school have been greatly helped by this convention. The meeting will be in Williamsburg next year.

Decoration

Last Tuesday at the City Cemetery, the remnant of the Old Soldiers who fought to keep the flag of this Nation in the air and our country on the map of the world paid respect to their old comrades by placing flowers and a flag upon their last resting place.

We have been to many meetings, but this one was the saddest that we have ever witnessed. Out of the many who went from Eastern Kentucky, and Knox County there were only twelve who were able to get together to participate in this ceremony. These old veterans with uncovered heads that showed the hardships that they had borne stood in one little ring while their leader conducted these sad ceremonies, and as he read from the pages of the ritual, it seemed that one could read from the expression of the sad faces that they realized that it was only a few days until the flowers and flags would be placed upon their graves.

Mr. R. N. Jarvis who is the grand-son of an old soldier, delivered a very interesting address, as also did Hiram L. Taylor, who also is the grand-son of one of these old veterans.

Hughes.

Mr. Thomas Hughes died at his home on Allison Ave., May 31, 1916, at the age of thirty-one years, of tuberculosis.

Mr. Hughes was the son of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. W. Hughes of this City. He married Miss Lizzie Fisher and was the father of three children, one son and two daughters.

He was buried in the cemetery at Trace Branch, June 1st at 2 o'clock. Mr. Hughes has been in bad health for some time but has been confined to his bed only the last three or four days. He was a Christian gentleman and was liked by all with whom he associated.

He leaves, to mourn their loss, a father, mother, wife, three children and two brothers.

FOR SALE—I have for sale 2 Store Houses, 3 Dwelling Houses and one half interest in a 5:1-2 acre tract of land. Also 1 corn crusher and a slot machine; will take coal or timbered land in exchange. Call on or address J. H. Slusher, Flat Lick, Ky.

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