

PROCEEDINGS OF  
CITY COUNCILQuestion of Salary of Police Judge  
F. P. Pendleton is Settled—Other  
Business Transacted.

The City Council at its meeting Friday night settled part of a long drawn-out controversy as to the salary of Judge F. P. Pendleton, as Police Judge. The salary of Mayor J. A. Hughes which has also been under discussion was not mentioned. Dr. Browne made the statement for the council as to why the salary of Judge Pendleton was increased. He stated that in a decision of the Court of Appeals, a Police Judge is entitled to a clerk whose salary is to be paid by the city. Judge Pendleton has not been allowed a clerk or any compensation for doing the work of the clerk which he is entitled to, and that it was the opinion of the Council that he should be allowed the compensation for this work. He offered a motion to allow Judge Pendleton \$30 per month additional, and it carried. It was also ordered that the allowance be made for the full term beginning January 1st, 1910.

Some time was consumed by the Council in hearing Mr. Charles Stewart in regard to the assessment of the Burley Tobacco Society. Mr. Stewart was questioned at length by the City Attorney who stated that he did not advise the assessment but believed that Mr. Stewart had acted on his own opinion and the advice of Mr. B. R. Jonett. Action was deferred until the adjourned meeting which will be held next Thursday night.

Mayor J. A. Hughes presided at the meeting and all the councilmen were present with the exception of Mr. George Hon, who was away on business.

Police officials reported 30 cases tried during the month of November; fines amounting to \$135 were imposed, costs rendered, \$102.10; old bonds collected \$39.70.

City Clerk S. B. Tracy reported that he had collected the sum of \$105.50 for license and had paid out the sum of \$296.15 for street labor and teams. He also reported that the collector had returned the tax books to him and that it contained receipts amounting to \$1,647.64 and that the penalties had been added, making the amount now \$1,698.00. The treasurer reported a balance of \$8,831.42 in the general fund; \$1,647.64 in the sewerage sinking fund and \$3,900 in the school sinking fund.

Mr. J. A. McCourt, City Collector, reported that he had collected during the month of November \$14,717.77 and placed it in the proper funds.

Sewerage bonds 3, 4 and 5 which were purchased from the E. T. Lewis Company at the last meeting were destroyed in the presence of the council.

Mr. S. H. Rutledge, City Engineer, filed his report on the progress being made on the construction of the sewerage system. The report showed that the city was indebted to the Lewis Company in the sum of \$4,373.72 for the amount of work done during November and the City Treasurer was directed to deliver bonds Nos. 6, 7, 8 and 9 to the company.

Mr. Rutledge also reported that \$296.15 had been expended for labor and that \$396.76 was due the Clark County Construction Company for work placed on the streets of the city.

The resignation of Mr. John Ballard as deputy policeman was read and accepted.

Mr. W. W. George was granted the privilege of erecting electric light poles from a lot in the alley back of the St. George Hotel to the hotel building.

Attorney J. M. Stevenson, representing Mr. Matt Benn and Mrs. Amanda Rice, presented the deeds for the lots on Lexington avenue upon which the city hall was to have been erected, and Mr. Lewis R. Hampton, representing the Citizens' National presented a mortgage release which is held on the lots by the bank. The council postponed action on the matter until next Thursday night. Mr. Stevenson also appeared for the widow of George Hume, colored who was killed at the rock quarry last summer when a blast was accidentally discharged and stated he had a settlement to propose. This matter was also postponed until next Thursday night.

The order which was passed at the last meeting of the council opening the alley near the First Baptist church running from Hickman to Fairfax street was revoked.

The time of opening the saloons

in the morning was changed from 5 to 4:45 o'clock.

An ordinance prohibiting spitting on the streets was passed but will not become effective until March, 1911. The ordinance makes it unlawful for any person to spit on the pavements or on the floors of public buildings, and if found guilty a fine of \$1 will be imposed.

Mr. R. P. Taylor offered to pay for macadamizing a short street running from French avenue now, the city to pay him January 1st, 1912. His proposition was accepted and the work will be started at once.

The following accounts were allowed and ordered paid:

Chas. Hagan	2.00
Bessie Haggard	10.75
Democrat	3.75
Clark County Construction Company	366.55
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John R. Stuart	65
C. T. Wills	50.00
John H. Crone	25.00
Theodore Ecton	35.00
Joe Gordon	35.00
Western Union Telegraph Company	2.40
R. R. Batson	1.25
Winchester Railway, Light & Ice Company	588.29
J. W. Walden	2.11
Chas. Hagan	9.55
Strode Drug Store	1.50
Jas. Gartland	1.75
Winchester Laundry Co.	2.99
Townsend & Willis	2.30
Ramsey Transfer Co.	2.00
George Manse	25.00
George G. Pettey Co.	4.85
Postal Telegraph Company	1.00
J. W. Crone	90.00
B. T. Jones	7.00
J. R. Martin Coal & Supply Company	33.15
Phil Parrish	30.00
Clark County Construction Company	29.37
Strode's Drug Store	1.17
Winchester Railway, Light & Ice Company	4.57
E. B. Jones	10.00
J. S. Mullins	186.00
Central Kentucky Natural Gas Company	6.77
Central Kentucky Natural Gas Company	3.78
C. E. Collins	300.00
Total	\$1,884.44

ELD. HARDING  
IS STRICKEN

With Attack of Indigestion But Was  
Reported to Be Much Improved  
Saturday Morning.

Elder J. W. Harding was seized with a slight attack of indigestion Friday afternoon and for awhile was considered to be in a serious condition. He had started from his home on Hickman street and had just reached Main street when he was taken ill. He staggered and caught hold of a post where he was found by passersby and taken back to his home. Medical aid was summoned, and for several hours he was very ill, but Saturday morning it was reported at the residence that he was much improved and was able to sit up.

SOLD INTEREST IN  
SALOON BUSINESS

Mr. Matt Thomas Buys Interest of  
George Gatson in Firm of Gatson  
and Martin.

Mr. George Gatson Friday sold his interest in the saloon business of Gatson & Martin on Washington street to Mr. Matt Thomas. Mr. Thomas took possession immediately after the contract was signed.

## ANOTHER STEVENSON.

During the campaign we referred to Mr. Stevenson's remarks in connection with his speech nominating A. Floyd Byrd for Congress. This Mr. Stevenson was not Mr. E. D. Stevenson, of Pikeville, as some seem to thought. E. D. does not want it to be known that he is the only Stevenson in Kentucky, nor on earth, neither does he want to be sponsor for all the utterances of the other Stevenson.—Pikeville Herald.

Come to see Bloomfield's special suits and overcoats at \$10, \$12.50, and \$15.

DID NOT DIE  
BY VIOLENCE

Coroners Found No Evidence of Bruises, Bullet Wounds or Stab Wounds on Skeleton.

NEW YORK, Dec. 2.—A microscopic examination of a skeleton found in a zinc-lined trunk, where it had lain eight years, showed that the unidentified victim of the murder for which William Lewis, a waiter, is now sought the world over, did not die by violence. The coroner's physician reported Thursday that there is no evidence of bruises, bullet wounds or stab wounds.

The trunk belonged to Lewis, and Commissioner Flynn, of the detective bureau, said Thursday night he had evidence that Lewis had died several years ago of consumption. Until his death is established or he is found, however, the search for him will continue.

His friend, Callier, a French sculptor, has also disappeared and the desecration of the body found has progressed so far it is impossible to prove whether Callier still lives or was murdered and shoved into the trunk. The Paris detective bureau is co-operating with the New York police, but thus far has turned up no additional facts.

GIRL MARRIES  
HER CHAUFFEUR

Is One of the Wealthiest Young Women in West Virginia and a Society Belle.

FAIRMONT, W. Va., Dec. 3.—It was learned here Thursday that Miss Blanche Malone, of this city, had become the wife of Al Saunders, of Baltimore, who until recently was Mrs. Lydia Malone's chauffeur. The wedding is said to have taken place in Baltimore on the 29th of October. The greatest care was taken to keep the marriage secret. The report was confirmed at the Malone residence.

The bride is just 21 years old, and is one of the wealthiest girls in her own right in this part of the State. She is a daughter of the late Lee L. Malone, who at the time of his death was general manager of the Consolidated Coal Company. From him she inherited a large estate. She and her mother spent a great deal of their time in Baltimore and Washington.

The bride, a beautiful blonde, was studying at Mt. Vernon Seminary, Washington, at the time of her marriage. A short time before the marriage Mr. Saunders left this city, stating to his friends that he was going West to represent a large automobile firm, and the next news that reached this city was that Saunders and Miss Malone were married. Mr. and Mrs. Saunders left here Wednesday night and will make an extensive trip through Eastern cities. They will make their future home with Mrs. Lydia Malone, the girl's mother.

CHILD HIDES  
IN CUPBOARD

And is Burned to Death While Mother  
Frantically Searches House to  
Rescue Him.

PITTSBURG, Penn., Dec. 3.—Alone on the second floor of his home four-year-old Alexander Levin burned to death Thursday while his mother, Mary Levin, fought frantically to save him, entering the burning house twice and sustaining serious burns.

The child was left alone on the second floor, and in his play he probably knocked coals from a grate fire to the rug. Then, frightened at having started the fire, he hid in a cupboard and swung the door after him.

As the flames spread the child's screams were heard by the mother. When she ran up the stairs the room was a mass of flames and the fire was spreading through the house. She searched the room, but could not find the boy.

The house was destroyed, and when firemen had cooled the ruins

enough to search for the body they found it charred to a cinder.

## HORNE STOCK COMPANY.

Manager Dinelli of the opera house is to be congratulated on securing the strongest stock company on the road. Horne's Stock Company, which is on a short tour of this section before going in for permanent stock in Cincinnati. This company played Dayton, O., two summers to enormous business and also played Cincinnati for five years. The company carries 17 people and almost a carload of scenery. Each production will be given a complete scenic equipment. Manager Horne does not present any of the tiresome "shoot 'em up" plays commonly found with cheaper shows nor does this company carry a band, but a company of merit has gained for the Horne Stock Company the reputation that it now has.

During the week a list of royalty plays will be presented such as "The Sign of the Four," "Sherlock Holmes," "Little Lord Fauntleroy," "Under Arizona Skies," "The Man of Her Choice," "St. Elmo" and Frank M. Readick's beautiful pastoral drama, "The Shores of Sin." Monday night the company will present for the opening bill a Western play, "Under Arizona Skies." The play will be elaborately staged and it should attract quite a crowd. The prices for this engagement will be 10, 20 and 30 cents. Ladies free Monday night when accompanied by one paid 30-cent ticket purchased at the advance sale before 6 p. m. Monday.

The company will be in this city during the entire week.

OPEN SLAP AT  
W. J. BRYAN

Lieutenant Governor George W. Bellamy Refuses to Allow Likeness to Be Placed on Wall.

OKLAHOMA CITY, Okla., Dec. 3.—William Jennings Bryan was given a slap in the Oklahoma Legislature Thursday when efforts were made to have his portraits hung in the House and Senate Chambers.

"That picture does not go up in this Senate Chamber as long as I am in the chair," said Lieutenant Governor George W. Bellamy, when the Sergeant-at-Arms sought to hang the picture behind the Lieutenant Governor's back, beside portraits of Governor Haskell and President Taft. Bryan's portrait was then placed on the floor, with its face to the wall.

In the House a portrait of Bryan on the wall behind the Speakers' desk was covered Thursday with a map of Oklahoma City.

This seems to have been the first open slap at Bryan by the Haskell administration since Bryan requested Haskell to resign from the National Democratic Executive Committee in 1908.

BANK ROBBERS  
SCARED AWAY

After Three Hours' Unsuccessful Attempt to Crack Safe in Russell, Iowa.

DES MOINES, Iowa, Dec. 3.—Six bank robbers tied a passerby in the bank of Russell at midnight, and for three hours tried to crack the safe, only to be frightened out of town by a Sheriff, who made a record run on a Burlington Railroad engine to capture the robbers.

George Storms, a restaurant man at Russell, was going home at midnight and stopped in front of the bank to take a drink from the town pump. Two men seized him, and after gagging him, tied him to a chair in the bank, occasionally turning from the work, four others were doing at the safe door, to threaten him with instant death.

They fired 12 shots of nitro glycerin and had torn off the vault door when the outlooks warned the robbers, and the whole party vanished.

Homer Jeffreys, Cashier, saw the light in the bank and two men watching in front. He telephoned to the Sheriff at Charleston, 10 miles distant. That officer, with Max Shaffer, night watchman, seized a Burlington engine at the depot, making the 10 miles to Russell in 11 minutes, only to find the robbers had been scared away.

MISTAKEN FOR  
ETHEL LENEVE

Young Woman is Annoyed by Passengers Who Were Comparing Her With Pictures.

NEW YORK, Dec. 3.—Elizabeth McNaughton, who was detained by the immigration authorities and sent to Ellis Island Thursday, under suspicion of being Ethel Leneve, was released in the afternoon upon establishing her identity beyond doubt. Pat Casey, a vaudeville booking agent who met Miss McNaughton at the boat Thursday morning, was responsible for her release.

Miss McNaughton left to join her sister-in-law, Alice Lloyd, in Spokane, Wash.

Miss McNaughton had been advised by cable by her sister-in-law, an actress, to meet the latter in New York to become her traveling companion. She missed the Majestic at Southampton and took the fast train to catch the ship at Queenstown.

The unusual incident of a passenger on a first class train hurrying to catch a boat at Queenstown and embarking as a second cabin passenger aroused suspicion, and Miss McNaughton was immediately questioned by Scotland Yard men, who were of the opinion she was Ethel Leneve.

The Majestic failing to arrive Wednesday, the actress had to go with her company, and when Miss McNaughton arrived nobody could identify her. Casey, who had money and instructions for Miss McNaughton came to the rescue with Mrs. Fred Guinet, who identified the original Ethel Leneve when she was arrested in Canada with Dr. Crippen, and Miss McNaughton was proven not to be Leneve.

As there was a resemblance between the women, Miss McNaughton was under suspicion all the way over of the passengers, who trailed her daily on the decks, comparing her with pictures of Miss Leneve.

MEETING OF ORDER  
OF HEPTASOPHS

The regular monthly meeting of the Order of Heptasophs was held in the Fraternity building Friday night. After the regular meeting a smoker was held and a number of visitors who came with the members were entertained.

## LICENSE ISSUED.

County Clerk J. A. Boone Saturday morning issued marriage license to Mr. Walter Brown and Miss Cora Aldridge of this county. The couple was married in the city.

COUNTERFEITERS  
RUN TO EARTH

Officers Find \$1,200 in Two-Dollar Bogus Bills Hidden Away in Old Fireplace.

NEW YORK, Dec. 3.—It was only last February that "Lupo, the Wolf," and his seven desperate associates received the terrible aggregate sentence of 150 years in prison for making and distributing \$50,000 in counterfeit paper money. But Thursday afternoon a human net of United States Secret Service men and police, drawn swiftly through a little section of the East Side, captured nine other men and accused them of carrying on the traffic in Lupo's false money.

Hidden away in an old fireplace in the rear of the basement at No. 86 Christie street, which is used as a wine cellar, Chief Taylor, who has taken Deputy Commissioner Flynn's place in the Secret Service, found \$1,000 in two-dollar counterfeit bills. The stuff was apparently struck from the same plates which were used by the Lupo gang. The men arrested were Modeste Di Somma, a barber, supposed to be the leader of the gang; Francesco Di Somma, also a barber; Vincenzo Torrino, a druggist; Lorenzo D'Antonio, a wine agent; Salvatore Sabatino, a salesman; Michele Albanese, a porter; Giorgio Catano, Rosaro Tusso and Dominico Sapiezio.

All the prisoners were accused of passing counterfeit money. It is not known that the coining of the false paper is still going on. It is sup-

posed that the stuff is that which was left over from the secret print shop of the Lupo gang in Highlands, N. Y. About \$7,000 in counterfeit two-dollar and five-dollar bills is believed to have been circulated during the last few months.

TRADE SCHOOL  
IN WASHINGTON

Public Instruction Without Frills Will Be Given to Boys and Girls 14 or 15 Years Old.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 3.—A public school without frills, one that will teach boys and girls 14 or 15 years of age how to work at some legitimate trade and prepare them to enter the business world as first-class apprentices, able to earn more money than they could selling papers or blacking shoes, has been planned with great detail, and probably will be opened at the beginning of the next school year.

School figures show that hundreds of boys and girls leave school before the age of 15 to engage in "blind alley" occupations, such as blacking shoes, selling papers, etc., occupations that lead nowhere. The vocational school is designed to fit scholars into well-trained apprentices.

Two-year courses have been provided in seven trades for boys and three trades for girls. For boys the courses will include machine work, blacksmithing, wagon and automobile construction, electrical work, plumbing, heating, tinting, house, sign, wagon and fresco painting, and paper hanging, printing, brick and stone masonry, plastering and concrete construction.

For girls there will be courses in practical cookery and household management, sewing and dressmaking and tailoring and millinery. The only academic work would be in mechanical drawing, English, mathematics and general elementary science.

The greatest emphasis will be placed on practical hand-work construction, under conditions as nearly as possible resembling those prevailing in actual commercial practice. There will be no frills in the new school.

HANSFORD JETT  
IN WASHINGTON

Will Serve Fourth Term as Page in the House of Representatives—Is Favorite With Congressmen.

Hansford Jett, the 14-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Jett left for Washington Friday night. Young Jett has served as Page in the House of Congress three terms and this will make his fourth term. He was given the appointment by Hon. John W. Langley, Congressman from this district, when he was hardly eleven years of age. He is a bright young fellow and a favorite with the Congressmen.

SERVICES AT  
COUNTY JAIL

Will Be Conducted Each Sunday By Captain and Mrs. Frazee, of the Salvation Army.

Services will be conducted in the county jail Sunday morning by Captain and Mrs. Frazee, field workers of the Salvation Army, who are now located in this city. Services will be held each Sunday at the jail by them in the future.

## SERIOUS CONDITION.

OWINGSVILLE, Ky., Dec. 3.—Harry Pheasant, who was attacked and badly bitten by a bull-dog belonging to his neighbor, Charles Tripplett, some days ago, is in a serious condition. One of his legs will be amputated in an effort to save his life.

## MT. ABBOTT CHURCH.

Rev. J. M. Rash will preach at the Mt. Abbott Methodist church on Sunday morning at 11 o'clock. Everybody is invited.

EIGHT DEEDS  
ARE RECORDED

Most of Them Are Transfers of City Property—Real Estate Business Very Quiet.

During the past week eight deeds have been recorded in the County Clerk's office. Most of them were transfers of city property. A few small tracts and a house and lot were the only transfers of county real estate. The real estate business is very quiet and the prospects seem now that it will not open until spring. Following were the deeds recorded during the week.

D. B. Hampton and wife to Edward Cleland, one acre of land on Two Mile pike for \$145.23.

E. R. Hinds to R. Thomas, interest in estate of Sarah Hinds, at Kiddville, \$55.55.

J. G. Vivion and wife to J. M. Combs, house and lot in Kiddville \$750.

F. H. Haggard to Eva T. West 1-9 interest in house and lot on East Hickman street for \$333.33.

R. A. Scobee and wife to John S. Rainey, house and lot on Georgia street for \$1,700.

R. A. Scobee and wife to R. P. Scobee, house and lot on Winn avenue for \$1 and other considerations.

R. P. Scobee to Vic Bloomfield, five houses and lots in North Winchester Addition for \$1 and other considerations.

Vic Bloomfield and wife to R. J. Sidwell, house and lot in North Winchester Addition for \$125 and other considerations.

## PESSIMISTIC.

The atmosphere is never free from politics nor is it! The city, State and Nation are always full of reforms. Hence the eternal need of more and more and more reformers, because we have more and more and more reforms. The world is out of joint, as well as full of joints. Life may be a dream, a smile, a tear, a joy, a fear, an aching heart, a dying groan. A mixture of pleasure and grief, with a world of friends for the sunny side, but a game of solitaire for the cloudy day. It is ever and ever the fight between the world and the flesh. The unequal battle goes on. The "Devil" has many a gleeful hour, but the "Servant in the House" wears a doleful visage. Well, it will ever be thus. It seems to be a case of second nature, or habit, with us.—Shelby Sentinel.

DEATH OF MISS  
MAUDE WEBBER

Lovely Young Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Philip Webber Passes Away Saturday Morning.

Miss Maude Webber, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Philip Webber, died at her home near Becknerville early Saturday morning after an illness of nearly a year of tuberculosis. Miss Webber was in her 23rd year and was a favorite with all who knew her. She had only returned a short while since from Colorado Springs, Colo., where she had been under treatment. Besides her father and mother, she is survived by two brothers, William and Hugh, and two sisters, Misses Iva and Sallie.

The funeral services will be conducted at the residence Monday morning at 10 o'clock by Rev. J. S. Wilson, of Lagrange. The burial will follow in the Winchester cemetery.

Fire almost completely destroyed Copper Hill, Tenn., last night. The town is situated in the famous Ducktown copper basin.

## TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

LOST—One large sorrel horse and small bay. Last seen in town at 11 o'clock Friday morning. Phone information to Will King, East Tennessee phone, Wades Mill. 12-3-11.

LOST—A white setter bitch, with lemon ears. Answers to name of Ward. Return to J. P. Lewis, 118 Fairfax street and receive a liberal reward. 12-3-31.