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450 Men Idle at Betsy Layne as Tipple Burns

PIKE-FLOYD MINE DAMAGE MONDAY IS NEAR \$75,000

Coal Company Officials Not Certain If Structure To Be Re-Built

BLAZE ORIGIN UNKNOWN

Between 450 and 500 men were out of work this week as the result of the destruction Monday afternoon of the tipple of the Pike-Floyd Coal Company at Betsy Layne by fire at an estimated loss of \$75,000.

Origin of the blaze is unknown. Defective wiring or spontaneous combustion resulting from intense heat on a creosote-covered tipple roof were given as probable causes of the fire. Within little more than half an hour the tipple was leveled.

The fire started at 4:30 o'clock and had gained such headway before it was discovered that mine officials and employes, using fire-fighting equipment at the tipple, were unable to save the structure. They did succeed, however, in saving nearby miners' homes. A hundred men worked through the night, battling the flames. Two loaded railroad cars and another, partially loaded, were destroyed.

Destruction of the tipple included the headhouse, and all tipple equipment. The loss is said to have been partially covered by insurance.

The tipple extended across Betsy Layne hollow, its length covering the main railway track and five switches. Loading capacity of the tipple was placed at 1,600 tons daily.

James Lawrence, manager of the mines, said Wednesday morning that he had not received definite information from Pittsburgh headquarters. If the tipple is re-constructed, employes of the mine will be without work for several months, it was unofficially stated.

Failure of the company to rebuild will affect a large section of Floyd county. The Betsy Layne operations are owned by the Pittsburgh Coal Company, one of the largest of its kind in the country.

MISS OPAL HUNLEY CLAIMED BY DEATH

Miss Opal Hunley, 27 years old, died Saturday afternoon at the Paintsville hospital, where she was a nurse, following an illness of two weeks of kidney complications.

Miss Hunley was born and reared in Prestonsburg, the daughter of the late John Hunley and of Mrs. Ella Hunley, who survives. Her father was killed several years ago while chief of police here. Following her graduation from Prestonsburg high school in 1927, Miss Hunley entered upon training as a nurse at the City hospital, Louisville, and finished her training at the hospital in which she died. A young woman of fine character, she was highly qualified for her profession and had a host of friends throughout this section.

The body was returned to the Hunley home here Saturday and funeral rites were conducted from Irene Cole Memorial Baptist Church Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock, the Rev. Harry F. King, assisted by the Rev. A. C. Harlowe and the Rev. Robert A. Potter, officiating. Burial was made in the Hearheart cemetery under the direction of E.

Miss Hunley, besides her sister, Miss Eula, two brothers, Russell and Harry, Jr., all of Prestonsburg.

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TO FINISH ROADS OF THIS SECTION

Highway Officials Assure Auto Officials Work to Be Done Immediately

Eastern Kentucky is finally in a position to announce to the world that it will have a completed highway the entire length of the state this year.

Officials of the Eastern Kentucky Automobile Club, AAA, have this week been given assurance by members of the advisory council of the State Highway Department that appropriations have been made, contracts have been let and materials are now being placed on the ground for the completion of several sections in the state.

The much-discussed stretch of 24 miles between Louisa and Paintsville is the first to be given attention. Funds were not available for concrete paving, so it was decided to make this a substantial black-top road, especially since a new grade has been surveyed over part of this stretch for the purpose of eliminating a number of hairpin curves and other objectionable features.

Contracts were awarded for this work last week and rock is being placed this week at the rate of 300 tons a day in both Johnson and Lawrence counties. This will be spread to a depth of more than two inches and a tarria surface placed over the top of the rock. It is estimated by highway officials that this stretch will be completed in less than 60 days.

A similar contract has been awarded on the unfinished stretch of 14 miles between Ashland and the Portsmouth bridge on U. S. 23 and that will be completed at about the same time.

In the meantime, work is going forward on the highway change through Paintsville to enable motorists to use the new concrete bridge and right-of-way for the change at the south entrance of Prestonsburg has been assured by county officials, so that unpaved stretch of over 1,000 feet will be paved with concrete. Pikeville has secured most of the right-of-way for improving the highway through the city and as soon as this is assured the road will be paved, making a completed highway from end to end of the state.

MILL FOREMAN IS ACCIDENT VICTIM

Calvin Moore, 78, Fatally Injured as Cant-Hook Slips; Dies at Martin Thursday

Calvin Moore, 78 years old, well-known Beaver Creek man, died at the Beaver Valley hospital, Martin, Thursday, last week, of injuries sustained while working at a sawmill near Weeksbury July 8. He succumbed a few hours after having been taken to the hospital.

Foreman at a mill sawing timbers for the Koppers Coal Company, Mr. Moore was injured when a cant-hook slipped on a log and struck him in the abdomen. He formerly resided near McDowell and had many relatives and friends in that section. His wife and two sons, Nelson and Al Moore, preceded him in death. Name of one daughter, Mrs. Vaughan Moore, is the only one of surviving children available.

The body was prepared for burial by E. P. Arnold, taken to Weeksbury, thence to McDowell where funeral rites were conducted Sunday. Burial was made in the family cemetery.

GOV. CHANDLER TO SPEAK AT LACKEY

Dedication of Gymnasium To Be Occasion of Governor's Visit to Floyd

Governor A. B. Chandler will speak at the dedication of the gymnasium of Lackey high school Saturday, July 25, it is announced by Monroe Wicker, principal of the school for the last several years.

The gym, one of the finest in this county, is just now being completed by the county board of education which procured a PWA grant of 45 per cent of the total cost of the structure. The building was erected at a cost of approximately \$15,000.

Governor Chandler will speak at 2 o'clock, and several hundred persons are expected to attend the dedicatory exercises.

Rev. H. F. King and family left Thursday for a week's visit in West Virginia. They expect to return Tuesday.

'Fainting Spell' of Man Arrested Here Results In Murder Investigation

When Bud, alias Arthur, Caldwell evaded in Magoffin county 13 years ago. When Magoffin county officers came here they were supplied information which resulted in the capture Saturday at Jackson, O., of George Ousley, alias George Gilman Ousley, a native of Floyd county, started his crime career at Huersville when he became involved in the whiskey business during the term of Kendall Moore as Sheriff and Dan Prater as Magistrate in that district. Sheriff Moore and deputies wounded Ousley in an exchange of shots when he sought his arrest.

Later, Ousley was slain George Ballew of Licking River day was effected. Ohio counties. Officers in making Ousley, who is said to be around Jackson, returned to the office of well had bills, police realized from prisoner's The day leave, a go tracking on be distrib this section been picke of the m well was said.

Caldwell was lodged in the county jail here, pending investigation, but Deputy Sheriff Long, of Magoffin county, said he was not the wanted man after coming here and talking with the prisoner. Caldwell then faced only a drunkenness charge and was released Wednesday afternoon.

Communication with Circuit Judge J. F. Bailey, Paintsville, uncovered information which, officers believe, directly connects Caldwell with the slaying. The prisoner, now at liberty and his whereabouts unknown, about 20 years ago killed a man in Magoffin and since that time has been a fugitive from justice, officers here were told.

Investigation into Caldwell's case resulted in the arrest of another. Arrest of Caldwell here last week resulted from a fight starting at or near the home of Sherman Collins. Collins, an aged man, went on the warpath and slashed Caldwell on the leg and his son, Theodore Collins, man for the murder of another Ball-

Two Die in County Jail, One a Suicide, This Week

MARRIAGE OF MISS SOOTT, MR. KITCHEN

An announcement of much interest throughout this section is that of the marriage of Miss Wanda Scott, of Prestonsburg, and Mr. L. B. Keeton, of Salyersville, Ky., at Cerredo, W. Va. The impressive double ring ceremony was performed by the Rev. Charles Lindbeck, pastor of the Congregational Church, Cerredo, at the church parsonage, in the presence of Mr. J. G. Lambert, of Kenova, W. Va., and a son of the Rev. Mr. Lindbeck.

The bride is the daughter of Mrs. James Clark, of Prestonsburg, and is quite popular here and elsewhere in this section where she is well and favorably known. She holds the position of clerk in the office of County Agent S. L. Isbell, a post she has held for the past 20 months.

Mr. Keeton has for the last eight years been connected with the Sandy Valley Grocery Company, having been manager of that firm's branch store at Salyersville until the store there was discontinued, and at present being floor salesman and billing clerk in the Paintsville office of the company. He is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Keeton, of Salyersville, Ky.

Mrs. Alfred Keeton, of Salyersville, deferred their honeymoon until September when they will spend a few weeks in Beverly Hills, California. They are at home to their many friends at the home here of the bride's mother.

STUMBO MEMORIAL HAS 28 PATIENTS

New Hospital, Though Not Officially Opened, Receives Numerous Cases; Staff Selected

Though yet not officially opened, the Stumbo Memorial hospital at Lackey had 28 patients Wednesday, Dr. W. L. Stumbo, Floyd county judge, said. Formal opening of the hospital will be held later, the date to be announced.

Dr. Stumbo this week announced the following as members of the surgical staff of the hospital: Dr. J. C. Coldiron, Hazard; Dr. Orris Gearheart, Martin; Dr. Jones, of Lexington, Ky. He also announced that Drs. J. H. Allen, Langley, M. M. Collins and T. J. Chandler, of Lackey, M. V. Wicker, of Wayland, and other physicians of the county will be members of the hospital medical staff.

The hospital has 76 wards, and has all modern equipment, including that necessary to make metabolism tests in treatment of thyroid disorders. Aside from the hospital, there is a nurse's home of 26 rooms, with a modern restaurant on the first floor. Between the nurses' home is a filling station, and at the rear of the filling station is a 10-car garage for the convenience of the hospital staff and visitors.

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VAN LEAR MAN HELD ON CHECK TAKES ARSENIC

Harrison Burnette, Who Shot Betsy Layne Local Head, Dies Monday Night

AUTOPSY HELD

Two prisoners in the Floyd county jail obtained release through death from prison walls this week.

J. P. Davis, 45 years old, of Van Lear, died Sunday morning at 2 o'clock by his own hand. He took arsenic.

Monday night, shortly before midnight, Harrison Burnette, aged about 50 years, of Betsy Layne, succumbed to a sudden illness.

Davis, who was jailed June 22 in payment of a \$10 fine and costs, upon his conviction in county court on a cold check charge, took arsenic which he had purchased prior to his arrest, with the intention, he told Jailer B. L. Sturgill shortly before his death, of ending his life. Davis became ill shortly before dark Saturday evening, and for a time sought to fight off all efforts to save his life. Assisted by jail officials and prisoners, Dr. M. T. Dotson succeeded in pumping Davis' stomach, and it was believed, after this was effected, that he would survive. Shortly afterward, however, he lapsed into a coma that was at first believed to be sleep, and he died as lay with his head in his arms.

Burnette's death came with startling suddenness. Immediately after his illness was reported, Jailer Sturgill called Dr. Dotson who administered treatment. The prisoner's pulse and temperature were normal and it was believed that his condition was not serious. The physician returned to his office and before he could return to the jail after his condition was reported as growing more serious, Burnette was dead.

Burnette was jailed June 13 after he had shot Robert Pinson, 45, as the result of a dispute arising in the Betsy Layne local, United Mine

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CONNOLLY QUILTS CONGRESS RACE

ILLNESS WHICH CONFINES HIM TO BED HALTS CAMPAIGN

Dear Friends:

Shortly after I filed as a candidate for Congress I became suddenly ill. Basing the response to treatment on former illnesses I have experienced of this same nature, I had hopes that my condition would clear up to such an extent that I would be able to make an aggressive campaign. However, I am still confined to bed more than three weeks.

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DETERMINATION

To think we are able is almost to be so; to determine upon attainment is frequently attainment itself. Thus earnest resolution has often seemed to have about it almost a savor of omnipotence.—Samuel Smiles.

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BRISBANE THIS WEEK

In Ancient Nile Mud England Keeps Ready Let the Dead Sleep Murder Starts Early

Paris.—Reclining on her side, her body covered with gold, gold necklaces on her neck and on the ground nearby, archaeologists discover the well-preserved body of an Egyptian princess whose father, the Pharaoh Chephren, built the second biggest pyramid; it was his brother, Cheops, who built the largest.

Arthur Brisbane

Those pyramids were tombs for kings, and searchers found the princess in one of them. The Nile mud seeping into the tomb had helped to preserve her.

That princess, living 5,000 years ago, could tell an interesting story for the movies. She "built herself a small pyramid with stones given to her by her many lovers." Where do you suppose she is now? In some strange Egyptian heaven, perhaps, with all those admirers around her.

England, alarmed by European war threats, issues an official "white paper" explaining why—"The relation of our own armed forces to those of other great powers should be maintained at a figure high enough to enable us to exercise our influence and authority in international affairs."

Unfortunately for all plans, the airplane in the hands of a desperate nation might upset all national "authority," just as a pistol in the hands of a desperate man upsets individual and police authority.

One bullet will stretch individual authority in the dust; 1,000 airplanes, attacking the heart of a great city, might cause national "authority" to end in demoralization.

England's new defense increase will be largely in her air force; that wise nation knows that the real "ocean" in future wars will be the ocean of the air.

In a desert of southeastern Utah, men and women, belonging to the cult of "truth seekers," were gathered around the body of Mrs. Edith

Dakhil, who died more than a year ago. You read about it, perhaps.

Mrs. Ogden, leader of the "truth seekers," prayed over the body, which appeared marvelously preserved. The "truth seekers" believe they will bring the woman back to life, but the pathetic fact is that it would not in the least matter if they did.

The important thing is to improve the condition of 1,800,000,000 actually living on the earth. For one safely out of it to be brought back would be unimportant, in these days, and perhaps cruel.

America holds the world's "murder championship" for all kinds of murder, at all ages—quantity, quality, variety, volume.

A New Jersey boy, 16 years old, was sentenced to death.

In Wisconsin, a coroner reports that little David Holl, two months old, was killed by two boys four and three years of age.

They each held one hand of the younger one, and dropped it on the floor. It cried and would not stop. Then, one of the small boys explained, "We pounded him." These youngest "killers" puzzle the law. You can't "try" a four-year-old child.

Railroads tell the interstate commerce commission they would like fares reduced to two and a half cents a mile, instead of two cents. The railroads should have all possible consideration, for they have

What Irvin S. Cobb Thinks about

Haile's Private Treasury SANTA MONICA, CALIF.—

Had it not been a foreign dispatch, a fellow might have thought it referred to one of our own investment councillors, specializing in looking after widows' and orphans' funds, and having a neat line of European securities to dispose of, and prominent in welfare work and uplift movements in his home community—in short, a typical specimen of a subvariety that seemed to sort of peter out in the years immediately following 1929, some quitting by request, some by indictment and some just vanishing into space, taking with them the clients' remaining cash assets, if any.

Irvin S. Cobb

But this happened to be a cablegram from Geneva stating that, when Emperor Haile and Farewell Selassie hurriedly departed from his capital, he so thoroughly cleaned out the bank of Ethiopia that all the invading Italians found in the vaults was a large throbbing vacuum.

Let's admit that southerners of the Col. Carter of Cartersville type were mainly the far-fetched creations of overly-sentimental fictionists. Let's admit the business of painting a largely imaginary afaah-de-wah south was for many years crowded.

But why, in the revolt to debunk this sugary romance, should the land so generously spawn a crop of alleged realists who'd have the rest of the world believe the only part of the south worthy of being written about is almost exclusively peopled by loathsome degenerates of the "Tobacco Road" variety?

If one of these literary garbage collectors will but look about him, he'll find southerners who might make interesting copy and yet, excusing that they leave the sugar out of the corn bread and the lower case "r" out of the language, are pretty much like the run of their fellow Americans elsewhere.

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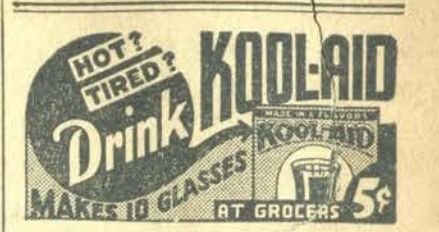
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ADDRESS OF WEST LIBERTY
13—Dr. Chas. J. Turck, for the address, at the corner of the Cannelton high school Saturday, July 18, at 1 p. m.
Dr. Turck was formerly president of Centre College and is now connected with the reorganization of the state government at Frankfort.
Several thousand people are expected to attend the ceremonies which will be participated in by the school children on parade and led by the Morehead State Teachers' College band. Many outstanding educators have been invited to attend.
The building is one of the new high schools being erected in Morgan county under W.P.A. and will cost approximately \$75,000.

BEAVER VALLEY HOSPITAL NOTES

Patients Entered:
Dan Paterno, Mrs. E. R. May, W. R. Damron, Della Waddles, Otto Hall, Jim Pars, David McDaniel, Mrs. Herman Wright, Master Murray, Mrs. Ballard Castle, Fred Buchanan, T. J. Hagans, Mrs. T. J. Hagans, Mary Jarrell, Lula Craft, Elizabeth Craft, Joe Martin, Anna Lee Blair, Elizabeth Kidd.

MRS. HAGANS RECOVERING
Mrs. T. J. Hagans, who was seriously injured in a car wreck, is improving nicely.

Dr. Paul Gronnerud, Dr. and Mrs. B. B. Rader visited friends at Amanta, Va., Sunday.

Nornella Cooksey, who has spent the last two weeks with friends and relatives at Morehead, Ky., is now back at the hospital, in her regular duties.

To Whom It May Concern:
July 3, 1936
You are hereby notified to move all steel, etc., from Winchester mine and give up possession within 30 days from above date.
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Emma, Ky.

Finding Of Indian Burial Ground In State Announced

A total of 16 skeletons, comprising 12 single and two double burials, was found in an old Indian mound on land owned by W. L. Ricketts, Montgomery county, Ky., during the summer of 1934. It has just been announced in a publication by the University of Kentucky Department of Archeology and Anthropology entitled "The Ricketts Site."
The work of excavation and examination was in charge of Dr. W. D. Funkhouser, dean of the Graduate School and professor of Anthropology at the University of Kentucky.
An unique feature of the Ricketts Site was the nature of the burials, each skeleton resting on, and being covered by a layer of baked clay which was pressed together at the edges, much in the manner of a pie crust, thus forming a very strong and substantial grave. Occasionally these graves were on a clay platform elevated a foot or more above the floor of the mound.
Very few artifacts were found in the Ricketts mound, those discovered being entirely in the graves. Not a single specimen of pottery fragment was found at the site, leading to the conclusion that the mound was some distance from a prehistoric village site.
With one skeleton was found some bracelets and rings, and with others were specimens of gorgets, celts, awls, arrowpoints, handles, and worked bone. The copper artifacts, together with the stone gorgets and the clay graves strongly suggest a northern influence if not actually representing a Hopewell or an Adena culture. This is the only mound of its type which has thus far been found in Kentucky.
Archaeologically, Montgomery county is one of the richest in the state, 28 sites having been listed from this county in previous publication. Copies of "The Ricketts Site" may be obtained by addressing the University of Kentucky, Lexington.

PHOTOSTATIC COPY OF RECORDS O.K'D

Method Is More Accurate and Reliable Than Transcribing, Herdman Says

Frankfort, Ky., July 14.—Photostatic machines are permissible with in the state for the recording of records and public papers, it was said today in an opinion by Guy H. Herdman, Assistant Attorney General.

Mr. Herdman gave his opinion to J. J. Johnson, Assistant State Auditor, in regard to a request of Sam Furste, Kenton county court clerk, for permission to purchase a machine to record documents in that manner.

"We have heretofore held that photostatic copies of records are permissible in this state, as the courts have held in other states that that photostatic copies are copies within the meaning of the law, as much so as transcribing, and are much more accurate and reliable.

"Following this authority and what we regarded also as common sense, we have held that such a machine is allowed under our statute," Mr. Herdman wrote.

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Entrance to Streets of the World



One of the most popular areas in the Great Lakes Exposition, Cleveland, is the picturesque Streets of the World, the international village, where are to be found 196 separate structures housing 36 different nationalities. Here the visitors find the food, costumes and colorful activity associated with life in foreign lands. The Exposition will show 100 days ending on October 4.

11-YEAR-OLD GIRL IS APPENDICITIS VICTIM

Nannie, 11-year-old daughter of Farmer and Mrs. Belle Stratton Howell, of Mossy Bottom, died Saturday at the Beaver Valley hospital, Martin, following an appendicitis operation.

The Howell family formerly resided at Betsy Layne, where the youthful victim was reared. Besides the bereaved parents, the victim is survived by four brothers and four sisters: Halsey, of Betsy Layne; Charles, of Prestonsburg; Miss Tempa Howell, head nurse of the Paintsville hospital; Walter, Ballard, Margie, Laura and Flora Flora Howell, all at home. The body was prepared for burial by G. D. Ryan, and funeral rites were conducted from the Howell home Sunday afternoon, the Rev. Isaac Stratton, assisted by the Rev. Ed. Williamson, the Rev. D. Ratliff and the Rev. D. Hamilton, officiating. Burial was made in the R. P. Stratton cemetery at Betsy Layne.

Oil and gas leases for sale at The Times office.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE

Notice is hereby given to all persons indebted to the estate of Brack Howard, deceased, to settle with the undersigned administrator at his home at Hueysville, Ky., on or before August 1, 1936, and all persons having claims against said estate are notified to file such claims, prop-

erly proven, on or before said date.

JACK HOWARD, Adm.

Estate, Brack Howard, Deceased, 7-17-36

K. W. Moffett, church organist of Salem, Mass., was slightly embarrassed, but not injured when a live wire dropped on him and burned off nearly all his clothing.

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REPORT OF CONDITION OF THE BANK JOSEPHINE

of Prestonsburg, in the State of Kentucky, at the close of business on June 30, 1936.

Assets

Table with 2 columns: Asset description and amount. Includes Cash balances, Government obligations, State and municipal obligations, Loans and discounts, and Banking house owned.

Liabilities and Capital

Table with 2 columns: Liability/Capital description and amount. Includes Deposits of individuals, State and municipal deposits, Deposits of other banks, and Capital account.

Memoranda

35. Pledged assets (except real estate) discounts and securities loaned. Includes U. S. Government obligations, State deposits, and a total amount of \$295,418.75.

GEORGE P. ARCHER, CASHIER; H. D. FITZPATRICK, W. W. RICHMOND, WALTER S. HARKINS, JR., Directors

STATE OF KENTUCKY, County of Floyd. Sworn to and subscribed before me this 6th day of July, 1936, and there by certify that I am not an officer or director of this bank.

DRIFT BEGINS SECOND HALF WITH 9-1 WIN

The Turner-Elkhorn baseball team got off to a flying start in the second half of the Big Sandy league and G. Stumbo's double scored answer by humbling the strong Virgie team, 4-1, at Drift Sunday.

B. Martin, Drift twirler, turned in a masterful performance and was executed squeeze play on Shelton's invincible in the pinches. Ray, first bunt.

Watches advertisement for Dan Hefner. Features 'Watches on easy payment plan to rural teachers' and lists prices for Elgins (\$14.75), Jewel Bulova (\$18.75), and Jewel Waltham (\$22.50).

STILL TIME TO GROW VEGETABLE AND FEED CROPS

There is still time to grow many garden vegetables, points out a statement from the Kentucky College of Agriculture. The late varieties of cabbage, such as Louisville drum-head and ballhead, may be set until Aug. 1, the all-seasons to Aug. 15, and such varieties as Copenhagen and Golden Acre after that date.

Several kinds of beans will mature in 50 days including Stringless, Green Pod, Bountiful, Valentine, and Golden Acre after that date. The famous Kentucky Wonder will mature in 65 days, as also will the Missouri Wonder, another pole bean that is gaining in favor in Kentucky. The Missouri Wonder is Ivory White and therefore favored by many people as a shell and dry bean.

Early Adams and other early varieties of sweet corn may still mature, under favorable conditions. Turnips, beets, carrots and kale may be produced in abundance. So far as feedcrops are concerned, Sudan and millet will make good hay, under favorable conditions. Soybeans might still make hay, drilled at the rate of a bushel and a half to the acre.

Sudan grass drilled at the rate of 25 pounds to the acre should yield good hay or fall pasture. Millet sown as late as Aug. 1, under favorable conditions should produce a ton of hay to the acre. German millet is the kind generally grown in the state, but Hungarian probably is better for late seeding.

TWO DIE IN JAIL

Continued from page one. Workers of America, Pinson, president of the local, was at first believed fatally wounded by Burnette's bullet which passed through his body from side to side, but ultimately recovered. Yet Burnette, for whose release had been asked \$5,000 bond agreed upon by his attorney and the commonwealth, brooded.

Because of the circumstances surrounding his death, officials, ordered an autopsy performed at the undertaking offices of E. P. Arnold, whither the body was taken. Dr. O. T. Stephens, Dr. J. G. Archer and Mrs. Ben Norris, Floyd county coroner, conducted the autopsy, and it was held that Burnette succumbed to acute pulmonary edema. There was no indication of poisoning. It was said, Burnette told attendants, during his illness, that he was smothering.

Davis is survived by his widow and five children. His body was taken to Van Lear Sunday by a Paintsville undertaking firm for burial. He is said to have been formerly in comfortable financial circumstances, but had lost heavily in several transactions within the last year. Burnette was the father of 12 children. His body was taken to Betsy Layne Tuesday afternoon. Funeral arrangements had not been completed when this was written.

ALMANAC section with illustrations and dates. Includes 'HO-HUM TIME FOR ME TO GO!', 'Love makes time pass—and time makes love pass.', and various historical events from July 16 to 22.

Average American Uses Lots of Milk and Butter

Mr. Average American uses a little over a quart of milk a day in one form or another. To be more specific, according to statistics the average American uses 55.3 gallons of milk a year. In addition to the milk, he eats 17.8 pounds of butter, 4.3 pounds of cheese, and 2.77 gallons of ice cream in the course of a year.

The great dairying countries of Europe use more milk and cheese per person than the United States, although there is little difference in butter consumption. Sweden heads the list in milk consumption, with 69.7 gallons per person for the year; Denmark, with 68.5; Switzerland, 67; and Germany with a consumption of 61 gallons per person are all ahead of the United States.

When it comes to cheese consumption, the American just isn't in it with his four pounds, for the average Swiss eats over 23 pounds, the average Frenchman or Dane 13 pounds; the German eats more than nine pounds, and the Englishman about the same.

Many Giants Mentioned Through Ancient History

Stories are common among the lower civilized peoples, as well as among savage tribes, to the effect that men have lived who have measured 15 feet in height. Og, king of Bashan, is said in Deuteronomy (3:11) to have been the last of the giants. His bedstead of iron was nine cubits, or between 11 and 13 1/2 feet in length. Pliney mentions the name of an Arabian giant who measured 9 1/2 feet, and also speaks of two others who were 10 feet in stature. The following list of men whose real height is well known shows that it is possible for individuals to go far beyond the average height of the human species, which is 65 inches.

Magrath, bishop Berkeley's giant, ninety-two inches; Patrick Cotter (1761-1804), 90 inches; Charles Byrne, Irish giant, 100 inches; Topinard's Kalmuck, 100 inches; Winkelmaler, Austrian (died 1887) 103 inches; Topinard's Finlander, 112 inches.

Ancient Advertisement

"To be sold. The sloop King Solomon, Burthen about 100 Tons (more or less), with all her Guns, Tackle and Apparel, now lying at Stephen Mayard's Wharf, in New York; Also a House and a Lot of Ground in New York formerly known by the Name of the Anabaptist Meeting house; Also a Negro Woman that understands all sorts of House Work, and a Negro Boy; a Marble Chimney Piece, three Marble Tables, three Bedding Chairs and a single Horse Chaise; 16,000 two-foot stungles, 150 Elephant's Teeth; three Deaks, two Cases of Drawers, a Mahogany Book Case, six Dozen of Boston Axes, 360 Gallons of Spirits, sundry sorts; Whoever inclines to buy any of the above, may apply to Thomas Noble and Joseph Scott, in New York."—From the New York Post-Boy, May 28, 1744.

Columbus Cathedral

The Columbus cathedral, Havana, is situated in Cathedral square at the foot of Empedrado street. Columbus cathedral was the center of religious ceremonies held under the Spanish domination. It maintains as its most valuable tradition the fact that it held within its walls the remains of Christopher Columbus—removed to Seville when Spanish rule ended in Cuba. There is a contention, of course, that the real Columbus relics are buried in Santo Domingo and that those that were once interred here were the relics of Diego Columbus, brother of the great navigator.

Socrates' Poison

The poison which Socrates drank was an infusion of the leaves and stems of the hemlock which is a deadly poison even in small doses. According to his biography, he conversed with his followers almost up to the time of his death, his vital powers gradually being shown by the torpor and coldness which, commencing in his feet and limbs, spread to his entire body, the brain being affected last.

Just Enough for One

A famous wit once excused himself from walking with an elderly lady on account of the bad weather. A little later, however, she met him walking alone. "So," she said, "it cleared up pretty quickly for you, it seems?" "Just a little," he quickly replied, "just enough for one, but not quite enough for two!"

Redwood Termite-Proof

California redwood timber makes an ideal surface to paint, stain or enamel, while beautiful durable, fire-resistant roofs of shingles have been used by home owners for generations. Shrinkage is unusually low in this wood. And it is said that termites will not eat it, as they dislike the taste.

Bucharest a Gay City

Bucharest is notable as an eastern replica of Paris, elegant and gay. It is an outpost of a Latin civilization which extended far into the East, and it dates from the early Christian era, when Roman legions established a Dacian fortress there.

Revive Superstition as to Magnetism of Body

The number of psychiatrists doing a thriving business may owe their good fortune to the carelessness of modern housewives, for less than 100 years ago the following thought was in vogue:

"The earth is a magnet with magnetic currents constantly playing around it. The human body is also a magnet, and when the body is placed in certain relations to the earth these currents harmonize, when in any other position they conflict. When one position is to be maintained for some time a position should be chosen in which the magnet currents of the earth and the body will not conflict. This position, as indicated by theory, and known by experiment, is to lie with the head toward the North pole.

"Persons who sleep with their heads in the opposite direction, or lying crosswise, are liable to fall into various disorders. When they go back to the right position, these disorders, if not too deeply impressed upon the constitution, soon vanish. Sensitive persons are always more refreshed by sleep when their heads point due north."

The Deadly Black Widow Spider an Enemy of All

The female black widow, which is so much more deadly than the male that little attention is given the latter, is characterized chiefly by the glossy blackness of her shoe-button-like body which is about half an inch long; her long legs that sprawl over approximately two inches of space; and, of course, the distinguishing marking on the underside of her body. Though this is generally confined to the red hourglass figure, it sometimes varies both in color and shape. If not red the marking is yellow.

Since she has decidedly cannibalistic tendencies this spider is generally seen alone, for she early devours her mate along with the other insects upon which she feeds and her young, which burst from the egg-sac in early summer 50 to 100 strong, soon scatter to avoid being eaten by their mother. Her natural habitat is out of doors on the underside of rocks; but her coarse, sticky web is also to be found in dark corners of attics, basements and barns.

Origin of Azusa

An amusing, if not romantic, story is told by some of the origin of Azusa, at the gates of the San Gabriel canyon in Los Angeles county, writes Dorothy Marie Davis in the Los Angeles Times. It has all the appearance and rim of a Spanish-Indian name, and may hold it to be such. But the legend surrounding its beginning has a delightful ingenuity, which it would be a pity to discard. The time had come for the naming of the settlement and the citizens disputed which of their own surnames should be held thus for posterity. Each was unwilling to yield the honor to another and that plan was abandoned. Geographical position was considered as a background for a fine name. Natural features were urged. None was found satisfactory. At last a solution was presented which met with complete approval. They took the first and last letter of the alphabet and added the three letters by which their country was known. They had A-Z-U-S-A, or Azusa.

"Beware the Tick"

Ticks are of particular interest to the United States bureau of entomology because they attack both men and animals, particularly farm stock. In "Beware the Tick!" in Hygeia, the Health Magazine, Walter E. Burton points out that the most deadly of tick-carried diseases is Rocky mountain spotted fever. In the Bitterroot valley in western Montana about 75 die of every 100 persons who contract the fever. Typhemia, or rabbit fever, about which every hunter has heard, can be contracted by persons who handle rabbits. It can also be carried from wild animals to human beings, by several kinds of ticks, much as spotted fever is transmitted. Ticks also cause what is known as relapsing fever and a peculiar form of paralysis.

Charity Overdone

The Jains, a religious sect numbering, in all India, about one and a quarter million, had their origin in the Fifth century B. C. The great distinction between its members and the Hindus seems to lie in regard for animals, says Katherine Mayo in "The Face of Mother India." A poor Jain with infested clothes will carefully transfer his tenants from the cloth to better pasturage on his bare flesh, she declares.

Flies Skate on Surface

Some flies, especially certain seashore midges, have the power of skating on the surface of water without breaking the surface film, the hairy foot pads probably assisting them in the performance. So far as is known, only one fly possesses the power of swimming actively under water, a small marine midge found in the coral lagoons in Samoa.

Post and Postal Cards

The cards which are bought from a post office and which have stamps printed on them are properly called postal cards. The unstamped cards which are bought from private firms and which usually have a picture on one side are properly called postcards. This distinction is made by the Post Office department.

SEVERAL GET CERTIFICATES

Seventy-five boys and girls received certificates at the commencement program of the Prestonsburg vacation school Friday night in the high school auditorium. Thirty-six students received also both red and blue ribbons for perfect attendance and especially creditable work, and others, received either red or blue ribbons with their certificates.

The commencement program and service, bringing to a close the third annual two weeks' union school, consisted of an exhibit of handwork from the various departments, and numbers from the various groups. A. C. Wyckoff, Presbyterian Sunday School missionary, was the visiting speaker, and spoke as to the value of such schools.

Each of the several departments participated. The beginners gave a Bible verse and a song, and four-year-old Kenneth Fife, of that department, led in a blessing. Two primary students, Herbert Francis, Jr., and Jacqueline Todd, told stories, Herb giving a fable, and Jackie the Good Samaritan parable and the children of the department also sang a flag song.

Juniors under Mrs. Henry P. Wright gave the Beautitudes; and those under Mrs. J. E. Clarke gave a short playlet showing commodities coming from different nations. Elizabeth Mae Ford, of the intermediate department, related what she had learned of the correct use of alcohol; and Robert Runnels told of the incorrect use. Vivian Caudill gave findings obtained in her studies in a class for Christian teachers and leaders.

In addition to the congregation singing during the service, there was a special song period in which the members of the Vacation Church School demonstrated the aptitude younger boys and girls have at learning the great hymns of the church. "Holy, Holy, Holy" and " Fairest Lord Jesus" were sung.

Appreciation was expressed by Robert A. Potter, dean of the school, of the faithful work of members of the staff, and of the good conduct shown by the students, and the Christian attitude that characterized their life together during the days of the school.

VETERAN CLAIMED BY ILLNESS, RESULT OF GERMAN GAS ATTACK

Charles Patton, 35 years old, native Prestonsburg man, died July 5 at a Dayton, O., hospital, a victim of pneumonia.

A veteran of the World War, Mr. Patton had spent most of the last 12 years in the veterans' hospital, Dayton. He was gassed while serving with the American forces in France. One of the youngest men to see overseas service, he was only 18 when the armistice was signed.

The victim was a son of the late Jeff and Mrs. Jane Patton, of Prestonsburg. He was a good citizen and is well-remembered by many friends and relatives here. Surviving him are four brothers: Dave and J. W. Patton, of Prestonsburg; Tom, of Auxier, and Raymond Patton, Steubenville, O.

Funeral rites were conducted from the Presbyterian Church here July 8 by the pastor, Rev. Robert A. Potter, and Rev. H. F. King, of the M. E. Church, South, and burial was made under the direction of E. L. Arnold in the Richmond cemetery.

Members of Floyd Post, American Legion, accorded the victim military honors at the funeral and burial.

MRS. CLIFTON IS CALLED BY DEATH AT AGE OF 86

Mrs. Anna Clifton, one of Prestonsburg's oldest women, died at her home here Sunday night at the age of 86 years. She had been ill for two years with ailments attendant upon advanced age.

Mrs. Clifton had been a member of the Freewill Baptist Church for 40 years, and had many friends and relatives in this vicinity. Her husband, Aaron Clifton, died several years ago. She is survived by eight sons, Jim, George, Stewart, Thomas, John, Jasper and Frank, Prestonsburg, and Judge Clifton, Van L. Co.

Funeral rites were conducted from the graveside in the Mayfield Monday afternoon by Rev. H. F. King, of the M. E. Church, South, with singing made under the direction of E. P. Arnold.

"I am not on speaking terms with my mother-in-law. I am not on speaking terms with my mother-in-law. I am not on speaking terms with my mother-in-law."

Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Lee and Mrs. C. P. Stephens returned Saturday in Huntington, W. Va.

A. J. Davidson arrived Saturday from Bowling Green, Fla., to spend the summer here. He was met in Mt. Sterling by Mrs. E. H. Sowards and Mrs. J. W. Hensley. Mr. Davidson annually spends the winter in Florida. He returns this year to Floyd county in normal health, his many friends throughout this section will be pleased to learn.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon L. Zimmerman, of Wheelwright, spent the week-end in Prestonsburg, guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Francis.

Misses Anna Laura May, Geraldine Allen and Margaret Elizabeth May returned Friday from Richmond, where they have been attending the summer term of the Eastern Kentucky State Normal and Teachers' College. Mrs. Gwen Ford and Miss Myrtle Franklin are remaining for the second term of school.

Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Spradlin returned this week from Webster Springs, W. Va., where they have been guests of their daughter, Mrs. M. G. Nicholls, and Mr. Nicholls.

Mrs. Josie D. Harkins and Mrs. Osa F. Ligon are spending several days in French Lick Springs, Ind.

Mrs. Hey B. Browning and children returned this week to their home in Ashland upon the conclusion of a visit here with her mother, Mrs. Josie D. Harkins, and other relatives.

S. W. Allen returned Tuesday to Bledsoe, Ky., where he is stationed at a CCC camp.

Mrs. C. D. Milby has returned from a two-weeks visit in Lexington, Ky., with her nieces, Misses Lurline and Alka Elam.

O. H. Stumbo, Jr., is spending several days at Camp Daniel Boone, near Lexington.

D. C. Herndon returned Monday to Oreen, N. C., after spending several days here.

Mrs. H. L. Goble has returned home after spending the last three weeks at Lynn, W. Va., guest of her sister, Mrs. E. S. Ferrell, and Mr. Ferrell. She was accompanied home by Mrs. Ferrell. Returning to Lynn she was accompanied home by her daughter Miss Erna Lou, who has been visiting here, and by Snookie Goble.

Mrs. E. P. Hill, Jr., and children have returned from a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Doss, at Canton, Ga.

Russell Hunley was called home this week from Havre, Montana, where he has been employed in a CCC camp, by the death of his sister, Miss Opal Hunley.

Miss Jean Morrison, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert D. Morrison, of Lakewood, Ohio, and formerly of Prestonsburg, left July 5 for a tour through the Pacific Northwest and California. She will visit Yellowstone National Park, Portland, Ore., San Francisco, Los Angeles, Grand Canyon and other scenic spots, en route.

Miss Dorotha Spurlock, of Huntington, W. Va., formerly of Prestonsburg, has been the houseguest this past week of Miss Jean Morrison, of Lakewood, O. Miss Spurlock will visit the Great Lakes Exposition while in Cleveland, also other interesting places in the surrounding vicinity.

Attys. A. O. Carter, T. A. Thompson, Ira W. See and C. E. See, of Louisa, passed through Prestonsburg Wednesday, returning from Pikeville, where they attended the Eastern Kentucky bar Association meeting.

Robert Marshall of Kansas City gave away his daughter, sister-in-law and cousin at a triple wedding.

David McMurray of Los Angeles was sent to jail for stealing and selling his uncle's wig.

McCOYS ARRAIGNED IN LITTLE KILLING

FORMER FLOYD MEN CHARGED WITH SLAYING OF MAN IN PIKE COUNTY

Examining trial for John P. McCoy, 60-year-old former Floyd county man and his son, Palmer McCoy, who are charged with the slaying July 3 of Albert Little, 30, was held in the Pike county court Tuesday.

The shooting took place at or near the McCoy's home on the top of abner mountain, across the line in Pike county. It is claimed by the McCoy's that Little had beaten the elder McCoy, his step-father-in-law, following an argument over a calf, and had later returned to the McCoy home. A charge from a shotgun was fired into his side on the occasion of his second visit, and he died an hour later.

The McCoy's, who formerly resided at Melvin, were arrested at Wheelwright by Deputy Sheriff Willie Johnson, who took them to Pikeville. The victim was a son of Ben Little.

NOTICE

Up to and including July 24, the Floyd County Board of Education will receive bids for the construction of the following school houses: Two-room building, Dist. No. 38, Buffalo.

Two-room building, or one or two one-room buildings, Dist. No. 67, Branham's Creek. (Definite information on this project can be given by the Superintendent by July 20.)

Bids must be accompanied by a bidder's bond or certified check to three per cent of the amount of the bid. A satisfactory bond must be executed within five days and bidder must be prepared to complete building as soon as can reasonably be expected.

NOTICE

The undersigned will on Monday, August 3, 1936, offer for sale to satisfy storage charges the following described automobiles:

One Ford coupe, 1929 model, motor No. A235055.

One Chevrolet sedan, 1929 model, owner Arthur Tackett, Van Lear, Ky., Johnson county, Ky., license No. 445-517.

Sale will be made at Fairchild Garage, Allen, Ky.

D. D. FAIRCCHILD, Allen, Ky. 7-17-36

NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned will on Friday, July 31, at the Betsy Layne Service Station garage, Betsy Layne, Ky., between the hours of 10 and 12 a. m., sell to the highest bidder one 1929 Ford coupe, No. 18132884, serial number same as motor number. Sale to be made to satisfy repair and storage bill incurred by James Justice, owner of said automobile.

BETSY LAYNE SERVICE STATION 7-8-41 Betsy Layne, Ky.

"And to my divorced wife I leave a kiss," concluded the will of J. C. Roberts of St. Louis, which disposed of a \$250,000 estate.

Origin of the Phrase

"Perfidious Albion"

The phrase in its French form, "Albion Perfide," is attributed to Napoleon, particularly when he found that the British intended to treat him as a prisoner rather than a guest on the Bellerophon. The expression was very old at that time, however, and is a relic of the centuries of war and rivalry between France and Britain. Thus a French writer in 1558, giving a description of Great Britain, stated: "One may say of the English that in war they are not strong and in peace they are not faithful."

Another French writer, Misson, in his "Travels," published in 1718, says: "I cannot imagine what could occasion the notion I have frequently observed in France that the English were treacherous. It is certainly great injustice to reckon treachery among the vices familiar to the English."

There is another reference to alleged English perfidy in a Latin couplet, said to have been composed by Philip of Valois on the occasion of Edward III's invasion of France in the fourteenth century. The name "Albion," of course, is the ancient name of Great Britain.

Believe Death Valley

Was Once a Lake Bed

In support of the view that Death valley in California was formerly the bed of a lake, is the discovery of traces of an ancient water-line running along the flanks of the enclosing mountains at a height of 600 feet. The bottom of the valley is 200 feet below sea-level. The winds from the Pacific cross four ranges of mountains before reaching the valley, and by that time they have been drained of their last drop of moisture.

It is said that no spot on earth surpasses Death valley in aridity or Tophet-like heat. The lake that once filled it is believed to have been fed by a river which has now also vanished. The borax deposits of Death valley are commercially important, but labor is all but impossible in a place where to be without water for a single hour in summer means death.

The Home Medicine Chest

A medicine chest in the home is indispensable. It should contain the following: Boracic lint, medicated cotton-wool, bandages of various sizes, needle and cotton, sterilized dressings for burns, antiseptic gauze, oiled silk, adhesive tape or plaster in two sizes, medicine measure and medicine glass, eye-bath, glass syringe, clinical thermometer, pair of scissors, pair of forceps or tweezers, bottle of iodine, bottle of sal-volatile, smelling-salts, a small supply of the usual aperients, ipecacuanha wine, sulphur, zinc and horsetail ointments. If poisons are to be kept, they should be locked in a separate compartment and should be suitably labelled. The medicine chest should be well away from children's reach.

First American Play in 1787

The first play written by an American to be presented professionally, "The Contrast," a comedy by Col. Royall C. Tyler, was produced by a company of English players at the John Street theater, New York, in 1787. Within three weeks after Tyler, an aide on George Washington's staff, saw his first play he wrote, rehearsed and witnessed the opening of one of his own! It could not be produced in his native Boston because there (to use his words) the theater was "the vestibule of hell."

Prague, Gay City

Prague, the capital city of the Czechoslovakian republic, has rapidly grown into a big world center. It looks back on a long history, for it was already an important township in the Middle Ages and seat of a famous university since 1348. Magnificent architecture combined with all achievements of a modern city make it most attractive for foreign travelers.

Poppies Make Samarkand Golden

When Walter Duranty visited Samarkand, Russia, all the roofs of the adobe houses were a mass of yellow poppies, and that, he surmised, was the reason the city is called Golden Samarkand. The Soviet government has carefully maintained and, where possible, restored the city's treasures of the past, he reports.

Never the Same

The collections in the Ski museum near Oslo, Norway, show that skis vary not only from one locality to another, but also from one winter to another, points out Charles M. Dudley in "60 Centuries of Skiing." The museum contains a ski about 2,500 years old, believed to be the oldest in the world.

Push-Button Gives Answers

An automatic machine is used at Charing Cross post office, England, to give information to the public. By pressing a button, inquirers may find a solution of problems concerning mails and other postal services. It is known as the "mechanical Informator."

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CHAPTER I

It was the Fourth of July, and Sleepy Cat—that sunswep little desert town bordering on the Very Bad Lands of the arid Southwest—was dusty.

Dust was not unusual in Sleepy Cat; to be dusty was its normal condition; when not dusty, Sleepy Cat was dead.

"But you needn't be scared of this kind of dust," explained Dr. Carpy, who, sitting with his feet up against the porch handrail of his Sleepy Cat Hotel, was talking to Jane Van Tambel. "It's not dirt, this dust—not like your Chicago dust. It's clean volcanic ash that drifts up from the Spanish Sinks.

"But toward sundown when the ash settles over the Superstition Range and the sun shines through it, the air shows every color of the rainbow. That snow on Music Mountain,"—Dr. Carpy pointed—"looks pink and red and purple. You'll like it out here."

Jane disagreed vigorously. "Oh, no! It's going to be awfully lonesome after city life," she declared positively.

"You'll never be lonesome in Sleepy Cat—unless you're good," observed the doctor cynically. "Otherwise you'll find things generally hum in Sleepy Cat."

"It certainly is lively today," conceded the dissatisfied city girl.

It was. Horsemen, not a few of them, clattered up and down Front street and River street, chiefly to hear their own noise. And a mob of miners and prospectors from Thief River had come up for the celebration and the horse races.

"Been out on the Fairgrounds yet?" asked the doctor, continuing his chat with Jane. "Seen any of the races?"

"I saw the Indian races this morning—such yipping and yelling! And those Texans that rode into town yesterday—they yelled louder than the Indians."

"That outfit has just delivered four thousand head of cattle to the Gunlock Agency. They checked them in yesterday. Some old-time Sleepy Cat-ers in that bunch—Henry Sawdy and John Lefever made the drive with the outfit—all the way up from the Rio Grande. Hello," exclaimed the doctor lazily, "here comes Sawdy now."

A rather tall man, well rounded out, somewhat bow-legged, strongly built and confident, if not aggressive, in manner, was coming up the wooden steps leading from the sidewalk to the hotel office. Carpy hailed him, Sawdy, poised under an overwhelming sombrero, turned and walked toward the doctor and his guest.

"Henry!" exclaimed the doctor. "You blamed old longhorn, I never looked to see you back in Sleepy Cat."

"Ain't no warrants out agin me, are there?" asked Sawdy in calm, blunt, but spirited fashion.

"There must be one or more agin you down along the Rio Grande, Henry," retorted the doctor, "or you wouldn't be so far from the tinkle of the guitar with winter coming on. Meet Miss Van Tambel—newcomer since you went south. Mr. Sawdy, Miss Jane."

Hat in hand, Sawdy stared: "Miss Van Tambel?" he echoed. "Did I get the name right?" he asked as Jane nodded to his greeting.

"You got it right," remarked Carpy dryly.

"Well," returned Sawdy, swallowing, "if you could get a few more newcomers like this, Doc, you'd have a live town. She's no relation to—"

"Gus Van Tambel?" Yes," nodded Carpy, easily anticipative. "She's his daughter—only daughter; only child, in fact."

Sawdy swallowed again. "Well, I'll say any man might be proud to claim her. I used to work for your father. Is he alive yet?"

"Alive, yes," interposed Carpy, "but a sick man. Have you had a horse race this morning, Henry?" asked Carpy in teasing fashion.

Sawdy snorted. "Hintin' at that sell yesterday, eh? No horse race at all," he went on angrily. "It was just a plain steal, Doc—beggin' your pardon, miss—a steal put up by this saloon keeper, Boland, and a crooked cowman, McCrossen, and that Thief River butcher, Clubfoot."

Jane started. McCrossen was the Van Tambel foreman at Gunlock Ranch.

"But what about this race?" persisted Carpy. "Sit down, Henry."

"Why keep roppin' at a dead corpse, Doc?" protested Sawdy. And turning to Jane: "Do you know this man?" he asked, nodding toward the doctor.

"Slightly," smiled Jane. "I hope to know him better."

"Don't get too well acquainted," advised Sawdy. "He's got a trick of diggin' into your sore spots."

"Tell us about that race," interrupted Carpy.

"Well," began the cowman reluctantly, "night before last we bedded the herd down about three miles below Thief River town. About sundown Clubfoot rode into camp on a good-lookin' bay mare. I didn't see him, I was on guard. He said he was on his way up to Sleepy Cat, John Lefever, our foreman, invited him to take supper and bunk for the night.

"He said he was a prospector goin' out on the Gunlock range. He started talkin' horses and said he wanted to sell his pony—claimed he had the fastest mare along the Sinks. He blowed about that pony until John got touchy about his own little chestnut gelding, and John finally promised him a race when we got to Sleepy Cat. Nobody in our bunch not havin' seen the fellow's horse run, John waited till everybody got to sleep and takes Clubfoot's mare off her picket rope for a tryout. Shucks! She had no speed at all.

"Next day they arranged the race, and we boys put up our dough—every dollar in the outfit. What do you think of us for suckers? When the race started, that cussed prospector—beggin' your pardon, miss—run in a ringer on us—another bay mare, looked exactly like the one he rode into camp. That mare run like a streak—covered five hundred yards before John's gelding got his feet picked up. Then we got the story.

"Clubfoot turned out to be a side-swipe for this saloon keeper Boland here. So we smashed up Boland's glassware and lookin'-glass last night, proper."

"That wasn't right, Henry," expostulated Carpy with perfect gravity.

"That bird's got five hundred of our dough," continued Sawdy grimly.

"Henry, I thought you and John were too wise to get stung like that. How you going to get even? Smashing glassware won't do it."

"I don't know, Doc, I don't know."

"Henry," observed Carpy, "what you mean is you know but you won't tell."

"The races ain't all over yet. Then there's the ropin' and throwin'—"

Carpy nodded.

"—nd the trick ridin'. All I'll say is—"

Sawdy hesitated.

"Say all you want to before this young lady. She won't spill. I'll guarantee her," said Carpy.

"Well, if that's so, miss—and you certainly look up to the brag—I'll say McCrossen, that new foreman of yours, was in on that skinnin' we took—at least, we think so. That's nothin' in the world against you."

Jane spoke frankly: "Oh, I'm glad, Mr. Sawdy, you don't bring me into it, for I really don't know any more about it than a babe unborn."

"I hear McCrossen is quite a rider," observed Sawdy tentatively.

"That's what everybody says," returned Jane. "He certainly is wonderful in the saddle."

Sawdy nodded wisely, as if merely to say, "It is well."

"Sawdy," demanded Carpy, "what you got up your sleeve?"

"Nothin' at all, Doc—not a thing in the world."

"You can't fool me, you old desert rat," persisted Carpy.

"Well, Doc, since you're so smart, will you back what I've got up my sleeve for fifty dollars? Will you do it, Doc? I've just come from Jake Spotts' place. He lent me fifty—"

Carpy reached into his trousers pocket and drew out a roll of bills. "Go along, you critter!" he exclaimed indignantly. "I might have known your long-winded story would cost me

money. But I didn't look for it to be fifty dollars."

"Make it a hundred, Doc," ventured Sawdy in his rich, persuasive voice.

"Not on your life, Henry. You'll lose this, anyway."

"We get paid tomorrow—cough up for me."

"Go hang! I haven't got it to spare. Want to do some betting myself."

Jane held out her purse. "Why, here, Mr. Sawdy. There's over fifty in this that I'm sure I don't need. Take it."

Sawdy stared dumbfounded. "I couldn't do that, young miss. I couldn't."

Jane, still smiling, had opened her purse, taken from it five gold eagles, and held them out. "If you refuse to let me accommodate you, it won't be much of a compliment to me," she protested. But it was the light in her eyes and her lips parted over two even rows of white teeth that staggered Sawdy. He was groggy, but though going down he fought on.

"I know blamed well I ought not to do it," muttered the big fellow. "Doc—what shall I do?"

"Take it!" said Carpy gruffly. "You'll lose it—then you can work it out for Jane on the ranch this summer—she's running things out there while her father's sick."

Sawdy reluctantly let the trim young lady drop the gold pieces into his horny hand—she laughing, he serious, Dr. Carpy vastly amused. "If the worst comes to the worst, I could work it out," repeated Sawdy soberly.

"But if you go to work at Gunlock," remarked the doctor, "make no mistake. Keep off the grass. Don't aspire to the hand of this young princess. I've got a bid in there myself."

"Why, Doctor!" exclaimed Jane, all rosy in protest and rising to go.

"Just the same, girl, any man that bids for you has got to face a major operation at his hands. Will you be back for dinner?" he asked of Jane as she made ready to leave. "We're having watermelon today."

"I'm not going to miss that. But I must go over to Rubio's to order some supplies. By the way, I forgot to ask: What shall I do with that medicine you gave me last time?"

"Throw it out the window and ride horseback. You're coming along wonderful for six weeks out here.

"Hold on, miss, just a minute, please," begged Sawdy as the party broke up. "You'll be at the Fairgrounds this afternoon for the races?"

"Of course I'll be there," responded Jane pertly.

"You've done me a kind, good turn. I want to do you a good one. This goes for this old medicine man, too." Sawdy nodded toward the doctor.

"What is it?" asked Jane coolly. Sawdy was solemn.

"You need neither of you spill it? All right. Don't bet no money on the trick ridin' this afternoon."

By two o'clock that day the Fairgrounds were sizzling hot and tremendously crowded. Frontier Day celebration was combined with the national holiday and the county fair of a county bigger than most eastern states. A gathering of horsemen, cowmen, miners, railroad men, gamblers, prospectors, desert rats, and frontier adventurers milled about the rickety little grandstand and what, under more sophisticated circumstances, would be called the paddock.

A sprinkling of Indians from the Reservation added color to the scene—elderly bucks, dignified and taciturn; young men with their ponies; fat, swarthy squaws bright in Navajo blankets; and attractive Indian girls rigged in gaudy fashions.

On an occasion such as this, when a local celebration combined with the arrival of a goodly outfit of cowmen, there was reason to look forward to a lively round-up by proprietors of thirst parlors, gamblers, clothiers, merchants, and barbers. On this particular Fourth of July there was every reason but one for such a hope—the cow outfit had been thoroughly skinned by the advance guard of Sleepy Cat sharpers in the person of Harry Boland and Clubfoot and Company.

In consequence the Circle Dot boys, as Sawdy's outfit was known, made no especial contribution to the Fairgrounds festivities; they were present but not betting.

Sawdy, long-faced and solemn, neglected to pull at his swEEPing mustachios—a sure sign of mental depression. John Lefever, rotund and naturally jolly, Circle Dot foreman, only whistled softly.

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Gen. Sherman Was Author of Numerous Epigrams

"War is hell," isn't the only blunt thing Sherman said. Lloyd Lewis reveals the Civil war general as an indefatigable epigram-maker in his biography, "Sherman: Fighting Prophet." Some Shermanisms: "Military fame is to be killed on the field of battle and have your name wrong in the newspapers. "Of all lives on earth a banker's is the worst, and no wonder they are specially debarred all chances of heaven. "Never give reasons for what you do until you must. Maybe after a while a better reason will pop into your head. "Like in a race the end of a war is all that is remembered by the great world. "The great theory of self-government began with Old Adam and has made precious little progress since. "In human nature there is so much of the male left that suppression of a newspaper only increases its circulation. "I am not eligible for political life because I have not graduated from the penitentiary. If forced to choose between the penitentiary and the White House I would say the penitentiary, thank you. "War correspondents print their limited and talented observations as the history of events they neither see nor comprehend."

Effect of Real Love Is Revealed in Old Letter

"Dear Mame: What you asked me about did I love Charlie, well, dear, it's this way. I'm afraid if I don't take him I'll be sorry, and if I do I'll regret it, because I can't live without him any more than I expect I'll be able to live with him. It's just so exciting being miserable until I'm happy, that if I ain't in love with him I might as well find it out one way as another, and so we're going to get married if I don't change my mind, and if I do, the Lord have mercy on my soul, Mame, because he's an awful lemon if he has got a job! So that's how it is, dearie, and they tell me it's just perfectly natural, like the measles. "I'll send you an invitation, and when you see me walking down the aisle with him, for the love of Mike, Mame, don't giggle. This is too darned serious for you to act like you feel like. Minnie."

Riches in Old Stockings

"To my sister-in-law, I bequeath four old stockings which are under my bed to the right." So runs an item in the will of the famous old raiser, Tolan. To my nephew, Taries, two more old stockings; to Lieut. John Stone, a blue socking and my red clock; to my cousin, an old boot, and a red flannel pocket; to Hammick, my jug without a handle." According to this anybody can write a will, for the poorest of us have old stockings. In the story of Tolan, however, Hammick kicked over the jug and found it to be filled with gold pieces. The old stockings were crammed in a similar way. There is the famous clause in Shakespeare's will reading: "I give unto my wife my second best bed, with the furniture, and nothing else."

Our National Tree

The national tree of the United States is the sequoia. The only place in the world in which it grows is California, and there only in certain restricted regions. It was selected as the national tree in a popular contest held in 1935 in which 3,000,000 women and children voted. Second choice in the contest was the elm and the third choice fell to the pine. The sequoia is not only the national tree, but the largest, and probably the oldest tree in the world is of this species. This is the General Sherman thought to be between four and five thousand years old. It is 273 feet high and 36 feet in diameter at the thickest point. It stands in Sequoia National park.

Kept Macaroni a Secret

Naples was the center of macaroni manufacture for so many years that the Pompeian road leading into it was broken to bits by the continuous procession of wagons and trucks hauling in hard wheat and flour, says the European Cookbook for American Homes. The process for making macaroni was kept secret until the fourteenth century, when a Frenchman got hold of it and took it back to France with him.

Perce Rocker

The huge rock, Perce Rocker, is formed like a giant battleship moored in the Gulf of St. Lawrence, and looms up fearfully from the angry waters off the coast of Gaspe peninsula, with romantic Bonaventure island in the distance. This island was once the haunt of a privateer captain and is now a bird sanctuary, where many thousands of gulls, white gannets and cormorants find a refuge.

Success in Life

The success of life—the only success in the true sense—lies in its quality of living day by day, and not exclusively in its achievements, and still less in its acquirements of possessions. We can live in aspirations, in good will, in generosity, in love, amid the most limited, narrow, and trying circumstances.—Lillian Whiting.

How Blackbird Got Its Color Is Ancient Myth

The blackbird, that shy handsome fellow with his glossy black coat and golden beak, was once upon a time, so the French fable tells us, pure white. One day in the woods he came upon a magpie, busily engaged in hiding his stolen treasure of jewels. "Where can I get such a store?" asked the white bird. The magpie, being nervous of betrayal, told him to go to the palace of the King of Riches in the bowels of the earth, but warned him to touch nothing until he had received permission from the prince. He set out on his quest and flew through cavern after cavern, until he came to one formed entirely of gold, and gold dust lay thick on the floor. The adventurer could restrain himself no longer, but plunged his greedy bill into the gold dust, whereupon a horrible demon sprang out of the ground, spewing forth soot and smoke. Although the bird escaped with his life, he had now a jet-black plumage and a gold-stained bill. And since then, every time the blackbird hears a sudden noise in the wood, he rushes out of the bushes with cries of alarm, for who knows what terrible demon may pursue him again?

Frankincense Used in Ancient Burial Rites

A toy-size bronze bucket, hung as a necklace ornament, yielded evidence that the inhabitants of Germany in that remote time used frankincense in their funeral rites. The little bucket, complete with handle and miniature stirring rod, was found in a grave at Stargard castle near Bargensdorf. Its hardened contents, mixed with debris that had got into the grave during its long burial, were sent to a Berlin microscopist. His examination and analysis showed that the matrix material consisted of partly burned frankincense. Apparently the little bucket, which was less than an inch high, was filled with the incense at some point during the funeral ceremonies, and after this use as a censor was hung around the neck of the departed with a fine-linked chain.

Use of Nature's Gifts

There are no indications that in remote time either oil or gas was put to much practical use as modern people understand that term, but there is little doubt that priests of the fire-worshipping cult which flourished in old Persia made "good things" out of the phenomena. Not far from Beku are the ruins of a temple of the cult which is believed to have been in existence for more than 2,500 years. Tower beacons and altars are provided with channels concealed in the masonry, which demonstrate that gasfitting is not a craft of modern birth. These channels led from fissures in the earth which once furnished natural gas. To this temple came pilgrims from all parts of the East as late as the eighties of the last century. Besides the walls of the temple today stands a modern refinery, furnishing an emphatic contrast in the old and new uses of Nature's gift of oil and gas.

Mother Goose Theory Applied

The old Mother Goose method of handling stray sheep applies to stray mules, also, it would seem from an occurrence in Scranton, Pa. "Leave them alone and they'll come home, dragging their tails behind them," quoted an official of a coal company, when notified by an amateur "Buffalo Bill" that he was organizing a crowd to round up the 12 mules who had wandered from the company's yard. Sure enough, the mules came home after reaching territory unfamiliar to them, dragging their tails behind them—as predicted, and expected.

Rare Luther Bible

A Bible illustrated by pictures painted by Martin Luther, the great German reformer, and bearing many notes in his handwriting, was discovered by a Danish bookseller. He purchased a collection of books from a German family. Among them was the precious Bible. Besides notes in Luther's writing, the Bible bears notes written by other leading figures in the German Reformation movement. These include Melancthon, the reformer who was acknowledged to be the movement's leading scholar.

Mail Deliveries on Stamps

Mexico printed a curious set of stamps in 1895 which gave a series of tableaux depicting the various ways of handling mail. The one cent, for instance, showed a postman delivering mail on foot; the four cent, a postman mounted on a mule; the ten cent revealed a mail coach, while the one-peso had a picture of a mail train.

Sparrows' Eggs, but Why?

In the account rolls of Bicester priory of the time of Henry VI is a curious item for 12 pounds of sparrows' eggs for 13 pence, says F. H. Crossley in the English Abbey. Just what the eggs were used for or how extensively they were sold is unknown.

Women on Stamps

Martha Washington is the only American woman on United States stamps. Pocahontas and Queen Isabella are the only other women on American stamps.

TEACHERS NAMED

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Carlise Marie Hale
Robert J. Wallace
Leona Mae Hager
Ted Goble
Clarice W. Johnson
Claude May
Myrtle Franklin.
Maytown Consolidated School—
HIGH SCHOOL:
Osmer Turner, Principal
Wiley Jones, coach
Joe E. Dyer
Blanche Y. Martin
GRADES—
Elizabeth Baker
Harriet Allen
Charles Martin
Elizabeth Hayes
Lucretia Osborne
Amy M. Begley
Astor Osborne
Elsie J. Boughton
Norville Martin, Wilson Creek
Lacey Consolidated School—
HIGH SCHOOL:
John C. Wells, principal
Lassia M. Hatcher
Lawton Allen
Homer Jones, Coach
GRADES:
Clova Gayheart
Grayden Akers
Olive Webb
Thelma Hughes
Ella Rector
Irvin Conley
Ida Stumbo
Joe Wheeler Jarrell
Iola Crisp
Alpha Morgan
Garrett Consolidated School—
HIGH SCHOOL:
Curtis Owens, Principal
A. Drey B. Sturgill
Henry Martin
Vertie P. Conley
Alice Harris
Wm. R. Mayo, Coach
GRADES:
Archie Beverley
Lewis Campbell
Marie Sexton
Flossie M. Castle
Irene Foster
Effe Beatty
Ethel Boyd
Ruebell Pratt
Madge Mullins
Ora Lee Allen
Carl Stewart
Clem Martin
Rhoda Martin
Bertha S. Butler
Walter Preston
Martin Consolidated School—
HIGH SCHOOL:
Monroe Wicker, Principal
Mrs. P. R. Williams
James Salisbury
Dorothy Wynn, Home Ec.
GRADES:
Dorothy Osborne
Nelle Hayes
Sonia B. Greer
Mrs. Jim Francis
Emma Halbert
Elsie Mae Stephens
Oval Bingham
McDowell Consolidated School—
HIGH SCHOOL:
George L. Moore, Principal
Earl Martin
Pauline Hall
Everett Hall
GRADES:
Maude S. Hall
Milton Stumbo
Anne S. England
Ottis Vanderpool
Octavia Brown
Elmas Anderson
Ruby Stumbo
Auxier Consolidated School—
HIGH SCHOOL:
G. C. Sturgill, Principal
Hettie Triplett
Edd Leslie, Coach
Mary Coyer
GRADES:
Dorothy Bragg
Mabel Wells
Vernon Honeycutt
Wade Hall
Mary E. Clark
Donald Music
Betsy Layne Consolidated School—
HIGH SCHOOL:
Delmon Howard, Principal
Madeline Hatcher
Zula Ruby
Jessie Elliott
Hallard Wheeler, Coach
GRADES:
Loia Burke
Ruth H. Hobson
Julia G. Hall
Abel Hall
Denver Layne
Irene Merrill
Kelsie Geanheart
Mrs. Gordon George
Katherine Blackburn
Walker Jones
Jo Allya Scott
Maggie Compton
Josephine Hobson
Wheelwright Consolidated School—
HIGH SCHOOL:
Wayne Radliff, Principal
Robert Harlowe, Coach
V. C. Wilson
Mrs. V. C. Wilson
GRADES:
Berta S. Smith

Unique Theater .. Prog
Offering For Week Of July 17--23
FRIDAY—"Boulder Dam"
SATURDAY—"Yellow Dust"
SUNDAY AND MONDAY—"Follow The Fleet"
TUESDAY—"Every Night At Eight"
WEDNESDAY—"Thunder in The East"
THURSDAY ONLY—"Freshman's Love"
Coming, Sun., July 26—"CONNECTICUT YANKEE"
NIGHT SHOWS START AT 7:30 P. M.
"Sound as Good as the Best"

- Mrs. Noah Hall
Margaret E. May
Dallas F. Zimmerman
Mary Shepherd
Dixie Adams Neeley
Elizabeth M. Bailey
Edgar Bingham
Emma Lou Lucas
Ethel Ratliff
Colored
W. T. Gilbert
Mamie Nelle Wilson
Sarah Moran
Weeksbury Graded School—
Carl Ford, Principal
Edith Allen
Stella Hamilton
Beuna Howell
Jerry F. Howell
Ruby Conley
Dixie Tackett
Glo Graded School—
John Warix
Eva L. Wakefield
Luraney Pitts
Ruth Oppenheimer
Bonanza School—
Ellis Hale, Principal
Dacia Baldrige
Grace Conley
Gladys Short
Dwale School—
Lottie McGuire
Artie Clifton
Harold-Laynesville Consolidated School—
A. J. Martin, Principal
Frank Jones
Tommy Salisbury
Genevieve Robinette
Mildred S. Cooley
Montana Layne Burke
Drift Consolidated School—
Clive Akers, Principal
Cecil Ward
Mary E. Vance
Georgia Salisbury
Ora Mae McGlothen
Palestine S. Vanderpool, Sizemore Branch.
Bosco Consolidated School—
Taulby Bailey, Principal
Violet Coburn
Minta Baldrige
Noreia Triplett
RURAL SCHOOLS
1A—Beatrice Caldwell
2—Albert Burchett
3—Mary Alice Wright
3A—Betty Stephens
4—Walter Price
4A—Paris Conley
5—James Greene
5A—Elsie Prater
6—Alex Derossett
7—W. T. Hammond, Franklin Hammond
8—C. E. Napier
9—Laura Sizemore
10—Claude C. Allen
10A—Lela Prater
11—Samuel Hale
12—Charles Stone
14—Elsie S. Hicks
15—Alma Beffitt, Goldia Howard
16—Minerva Holbrook
17—George W. Spradlin
17A—Oscar Richardson
18—Laferty
19—Thomas Hill, Edna Burke
20—Josephine Spradlin
23—Ralph Spradlin
24—W. L. Napier
25—Josephine Stanley
26—Mildred Hill
28—Willia Howard
29—Bill Music
30—Millie Hughes
31—Fred Derossett
32—Margaret Spradlin
33—Esta Mae Wells
34—Emma Goble
35—Norma Stepp
36—Willie E. Hunt
37—W. D. Steele
38—R. T. Hunt, Irene Wells
38A—Winnie Burchett
39—Forrest Burchett
40—Dick Burchett
41—Bradis Goble, Chester Merritt
42—J. A. Laferty
43—Hazel Damron
43A—Raymond Cooley, Josephine Rowe
44—Jerry Sanders, Darwin Hunt
46—Lucy Burchett
47—Ollie Derossett, Anna B. Garrett.
48—Opal S. May
49—L. C. Leslie, Beecher Woods
51—Reuben Allen, May H. Greene
May Burke, Goldia Porter.
52—Ellen Laferty, Elizabeth Derossett
55—Dessie Gunnell, Aaron Akers, Earl Hall
58—John Scott, Capitola Hamilton
59—Lee Roberts
60—Fred Gayheart
61—Melvina Perry, Cora Perry
61A—Lula Martin
62—Orville Jones
63—Joe Dingus
64—Gorman M. Allen, Zetta Elliott
65—Tilda Elliott
66—Georgia Hall
67—Carmel Irick
68—Verlie Bush, Tommy Hall
69—Alta M. Osborne
70—Cecil Bush
71—E. L. Osborne
72—Theo R. Peters
73—Martin Hammond, Rhoda Diagus
77—Charles Conn
78—R. E. Barnett
78—Otis D. Spurlock, Met Salisbury
79—Henry Moore, W. A. Stillbury
84—Chloe Meade
85—Foster Meade
86—Bill Laferty, Claude Martin
87—H. A. Shufflebarger
87A—Artie S. Moore
88—Flora I. Moore, Wannie Bryant, Fred Newman
89—Sylvia Stewart, Francis A. Turner, Woodrow Taylor, Wade Slone.
90—Carl Woods, Russell Johns
92—Chloe Saunders, Cordell Martin
93—Woodrow Adams, James Hammonds, Henry Beavers
94—Robert Martin, Hettie Little, Truman Darnen
95—R. L. Pitts, Clyde B. Allen, Herbert Prater, Columbus Comp
96—Grady's Flanery, Algie O
99—B. E. Laferty
100—Berderick Allen, Olivia
er, Barbara W. Allen.
101—Oliver Ratliff
102—Hargis Hicks, Berta Ric
son.
104—Gordon Allen, Prova B.
ey.
105—Minnie H. Turner
106—Dawsie Howard
108—Thomas Miller, Mrs. The
Miller, Orville Cooley, H.
Cooley.
111—Ruth Wright, Maggie Wr
112—Clabe Stephens
113—Clara Warix
114—Floyd Laferty
115—Fred Jarrell
117—Rachel Gearheart
118—Thurman Newman
119—Walter C. Hensley, Floren
son, Franklin Webster
122A—German Vance
MRS. CHARLES WARD
SUCCUMBS MONDAY
Mrs. Anna Harris Ward, 65 year
old, wife of Charles M. Ward, o
Brandy Keg, near here, and one o
Floyd county's best women, died a
the Paintsville hospital Monday af
ternoon at 5:30 o'clock followin
an illness of four months. She wa
taken to the hospital a few day
ago and her many relatives and
friends were hopeful of her recove
ry, but her condition steadily grew
worse.
The daughter of the late
Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Harris, Sr., Mrs
Ward was born and reared on Brandy
Keg. She was first married to
Joel D. Martin, and of this union
four daughters survive: Mrs. Mont
Goble, of Lancer; Mrs. Maggie Mur
shall, Prestonsburg; Mrs. W. A.
Cyphers, of Virginia, and Mrs. Earl
Cyphers, Killarney, W. Va. Follow
ing Mr. Martin's death she was
married to Charles M. Ward, who sur
vives. Of this union one daughter,
Mrs. Nick Vest, and one son, Bert,
both of Brandy Keg, survive. She
also leaves three brothers: Jeff Har
ris, of Prestonsburg; Bill Harris,
Jackson, O., and G. W. (Pet) Har
ris, of Glo.
A member of the M. Church,
South, since girlhood, Mrs. Ward
was a devout Christian
the
deep esteem of all who
Funeral rites were condu
nesday afternoon from
home, on Brandy Keg,
Robert A. Potter, of the
Church, and Henry F. K
M. E. Church, South.
Burial was made in
cemetery under the dir
P. Arnold.
Mr. and
the week-