

CLUB-SLAYING IS CHARGED TO TAYLOR

JACK'S CREEK MAN DENIES HE HIT WIFE'S KIN

Charged with clubbing to death Tilsman Holbrook, 25 years old, on Jack's Creek Saturday night, Clyde Taylor, 22-year-old miner-farmer, awaited in the Floyd county jail preliminary hearing before County Judge E. P. Hill today (Thursday).

His skull smashed by blows said to have been inflicted with a small sled-runner, Holbrook died 30 minutes after being felled.

Taylor was arrested and brought to jail here by Deputy Sheriff Monroe Hall and Deputy Constable Andy Little.

He claimed that he could not have committed the crime and maintained that he was unconscious from a blow on his head for three or four hours.

Bill Hall, outside whose home on the head of Jack's Creek, the slaying took place, told Commonwealth's Attorney John Allen Tuesday that the victim, though verbally abused and threatened with death "before daylight," was laughing only a few minutes before he was clubbed. He said he saw no arms in Holbrook's possession.

According to this statement, the accused man and Holbrook came to his home together, left, then returned to join a group of more than a dozen other persons. Hall said he noticed no trouble brewing inside his home, but said that after Taylor again had left and again returned, the accused man, armed with a shotgun, became truculent and kicked in the door.

Later, after Holbrook had gone outside, John Holbrook, a brother of the slain man, and Taylor began fighting. After they had ceased fighting, he added, Taylor walked from the right and slightly from the rear of Holbrook. He added that Holbrook fell, face down, at the first blow, after which Taylor swung twice again.

"But I didn't hit Tilsman," the prisoner told THE TIMES Tuesday. "He was my wife's first cousin and we were good friends. Tilsman was trying to go into the house on Jesse Breeding, and had a gun, and I was trying to hold onto the gun when it went off into the ground. Johnny Holbrook then hit me across the back and knocked the breath out of me. I fell and Tilsman fell across me. Johnny kept hitting at me."

Coroner Elliott Prater brought the murder-weapon, a 38-inch long piece of hickory, to Prestonsburg Tuesday.

Commonwealth's Attorney Allen said that a dozen or more witnesses have been summoned to appear at the examining trial here today.

Dr. J. G. Archer, who treated Taylor at the jail here, said his wound was a clean-cut gash, approximately two inches long, in the back of his head.

The victim is survived by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Marion Holbrook, of Hale. Burial was made in the family cemetery.

There is a Home for the Feeble-Minded. There is Relief. And there are individuals who have a soft spot in their hearts for the helpless.

Yet an old man who has seen more than his share of sorrow and suffering is getting nothing, we are told. And his dependents?—The picture isn't a pleasing one, but this is how it appears in a letter received last week by THE TIMES:

"Enclosed is a brief sketch of one of the most distressing cases of want and poverty I have ever met. All appeals in their behalf have resulted in nothing. A certain influential Prestonsburg citizen advised me that the only recourse he knew was to appeal to THE FLOYD COUNTY TIMES.

"I am a teacher and can vouch for the accuracy and authenticity of the following facts:

"Doc Thompson, age 64, in absolute poverty. No Property of any kind. Living in a one-room store building furnished by Henry P. Scaif, on Mare Creek. Is unable to work. Has pellagra. Has an idiotic daughter, age 28, who has a child, age 4. Child has rickets through undernourishment and has development of 18-months-old child, except it cannot talk. The daughter had another child that was rachitic but it died recently.

"Doc Thompson has had seven children to die of tuberculosis and one

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This Town-- That World

A SOMBRE PICTURE

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Mayor E. P. Arnold, speaker of the evening, lauded the work of the WPA, and pointed to improvements made locally and elsewhere in the county since WPA came into existence.

Other speakers were Dr. Marvin Ransdell, director of the Floyd county health department, who enumerated the advantages gained through WPA in health work, with emphasis being placed on office help thus afforded; I. A. Smiley, former Republican County Court Clerk, who lauded the WPA as an aid to those needing employment and as a benefit to communities needing improvement; and L. P. Jones, Louisville, general state supervisor, Professional and Service division of WPA.

Mrs. Edith Fitzpatrick James delighted the group with a vocal solo, and the music program was rounded out by a vocal duet rendered by Miss Ernestine Brown and Mr. Jones.

Aunt Sis Richmond is seriously ill at her home here. One of the county's oldest women, she has a host of friends who hope for her recovery.

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U-K. AWARDS HONORS TO MISS BALDRIDGE

An outstanding record in scholastic achievement is being made by Miss Docia Baldrige, Bonanza, Floyd county teacher, at the University of Kentucky.

Miss Baldrige this year was chosen to receive the \$10 Sullivan Award offered each year at the University. Winner of the award is selected by the dean of women in consideration of student worthiness. Miss Baldrige won the same award last year, and two years ago received a \$25 scholarship in piano, the only one of its kind offered at the University.

Miss Blanding, dean of women at the University, first became interested in Miss Baldrige, when, upon entering the University, she wrote at Miss Blanding's request an article entitled, "My Philosophy of Life."

A senior in the College of Education, Miss Baldrige has been employed since entering school as stenographer in the departments of Home Economics and Foreign Languages, assistant to the head of the order department of the library, and is now Mathematics and Physics librarian.

JAGGERS TO BE MAIN SPEAKER

AT MASS GRADUATION EXERCISES HERE FRIDAY NIGHT

Dr. R. E. Jagers, Frankfort, director of teacher training and certification of the State Department of Education, will be the principal speaker Friday night at the county-wide commencement exercises, when 310 seniors of the nine Floyd county high schools will be awarded diplomas.

The exercises will be held in the Prestonsburg gymnasium, and they are scheduled to get under way at 7:30.

For the occasion the gymnasium has been decorated in the colors of the several schools, and each school will have a reserved section for its graduates. Free transportation for the graduates and their parents will be furnished by the county board of education which has made arrangements for the operation of all the county's school buses.

County Superintendent Town Hall will preside at the exercises, and musical selections will be offered by the Floyd county high school band, the Wayland high school band, and the Floyd county Glee Club. Invocation will be pronounced by the Rev. Campbell Jeffries, pastor of the Irene Cole Memorial Baptist Church. The welcome address to the graduates and visitors will be delivered by Circuit Judge Henry Stephens, Jr., and I. H. Triplett, superintendent of the Prestonsburg city schools, will offer advice to the graduates. Superintendent Hall will present the diplomas to the graduates, who will be introduced by their principals.

WPA EMPLOYEES BANQUET

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LEAD CAP-AND-GOWN PARADE OF PRESTONSBURG HIGH



Top: Miss Betty Jean May and Robert Burdsal, co-valedictorians of Prestonsburg's senior class; bottom: Miss Lily Blackburn, salutatorian, and Russell Rice, senior class president.

These four, if no more, lend something of the unusual to the graduating class of Prestonsburg high school.

Miss May and Mr. Burdsal have exactly the same scholastic standing—92 honor points—and so both are class valedictorians.

Only one point behind them is Miss Blackburn, salutatorian.

And Mr. Rice, class president, and football star, has been president of his

FLOYD COUNTY G. O. P. MEET

SEVENTEEN DELEGATES NAMED TO DISTRICT, STATE CONVENTIONS

Floyd county Republicans, in mass convention at the courthouse here Monday afternoon, selected 17 delegates to the district and state Republican conventions being held in Paintsville and Louisville, respectively, Tuesday and Wednesday, this week.

The delegates were instructed to support Congressman J. M. Robison and Robert H. Lucas as delegates-at-large to the national convention; W. W. Barrett, Pikeville, as district chairman; Mrs. Scott Duff, Hazard, women's district chairman; Charles Trivette, Pike county, and Justus Begley, Perry county delegates from the Seventh district to the national convention, with Earl Cassidy, Martin, county, and Judge J. Brack Howard, Magoffin county, as alternates; Ex-Senator W. M. Dings, Prestonsburg, presidential elector; Dr. O. F. Hume, Richmond, for national Republican committeeman.

The meeting was harmonious. Speakers were the Rev. A. L. Allen, of Allen; Noble Hobbs, Wayland, and Atty. Edward L. Allen, Prestonsburg, Geo.

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William R. Brown, 39, Ligon, Succumbs To Cancer

William R. Brown, 39 years old, Ligon miner, succumbed at the Beaver Valley hospital, Martin, Monday, after suffering from cancer for some time.

He is survived by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Brown; his widow, Mrs. Lena Riddes Brown, and six sons, Edgar, Everett, Asa, Donald, John Y., and Lawrence Brown, all of Ligon.

Funeral rites were conducted from the home Wednesday afternoon, with the Revs. Jerry Hall and John Hamilton officiating. Burial was made in the family cemetery at Ligon, under the direction of the Ryan Funeral Home.

CATS, STATE CHAMPS IN SPORTSMHIP

Though held to a tie for the Big Sandy Football Conference title and restricted to second place in the Floyd county basketball standings, Prestonsburg high school's Blackcats are undisputed Sportsmanship champions in Kentucky net-grid circles, according to the Kentucky High School Athlete, official publication of the Kentucky High School Athletic Association.

In its May number the "Athlete" ranked the Prestonsburg team above all others in the state, in both basketball and football. The Blackcats Sportsmanship record was given on the basis of referees' reports, which listed to their credit 107 "excellents," 31 "goods," three "fairs" and one "poor."

Next to Prestonsburg was the Du Pont Manual teams of Louisville with 105 "excellents," 18 "goods" and seven "fairs."

MINER, KILLED IN SLATEFALL

WARNIE MULLINS, 48, DRIFT, IS VICTIM TUESDAY

Crushed when he was caught beneath a four-ton slatefall while he was loading coal in the Turner-Elkhorn mine at Drift Warnie Mullins, 48, Drift, received injuries at 7:30 Tuesday night which proved fatal about one hour later at the Beaver Valley hospital, Martin. Death was caused by a broken back and crushed chest.

The victim was working with Clyde Clarke at the time of the accident. The smaller side of the piece of slate struck Mullins, while the heavier portion fell across the track. In half an hour other workers had removed him from beneath the fall and he was rushed to the hospital, where he died a few minutes after he was admitted.

A native of Virginia, Mullins had worked in this section for several years.

Surviving are his widow, Mrs. Rebecca Mullins; three daughters, Mrs. Lena Brown, Mrs. Dollie Mullins and Miss Dorcie Mullins; two sons, Ballard and Everett Mullins; seven stepchildren, Simon, Luke, Ruthie, Winfred, Alka, Edith and Bobby Tackett, all of Drift.

The body was prepared for burial by the Ryan Funeral Home and taken to the Mullins home at Drift Wednesday. Today (Thursday) it was taken to Clintwood, Va., where burial will be made beside his son, who succumbed to cancer at Drift last August.

MIDDLE CREEK MAN SLAIN

MAGOFFIN YOUTH HELD IN DEATH OF SHEPHERD

A 15-year-old boy, armed with a .22-calibre rifle, is said to have fired a single shot which almost instantly killed Henry Shepherd, 23, of Lick Fork of Middle Creek, this county, Sunday morning.

The shooting took place at the home of Mrs. William Allen on the Long Fork of Licking, a short distance across the line in Magoffin county. Mrs. Allen's son, Gaylon, surrendered Sunday afternoon to officers at Salyersville and in jail awaited preliminary hearing today (Thursday).

Dr. A. J. Davidson, Prestonsburg, called to the Shepherd home to perform an autopsy, removed the .22 long rifle bullet from the sixth dorsal vertebrae. The missile entered Shepherd's right shoulder and passed thru his right lung. He died without speaking.

"You fellers from Middle Creek had better get away from here," young Allen is quoted by relatives of his victim as having said shortly before he fired. They added that Shepherd knocked the rifle barrel up as he raised his hands in token of surrender. The youth claimed that he fired in defense of his home, it was stated.

The victim was a son of the late

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NEW LOCATION THE MAYTAG SHOP

Court Street, opposite Bank Josephine Maytags—\$39.50 up Refrigerators—\$15.00 up RADIOS—APPLIANCES EVERETT SOWARDS, Rep. Phones—Store, 36; Res. 58.

COUNTY PLANS RE-FINANCING BOND DEBT

REEVES TO CONDUCT PUBLIC HEARING ON FLOYD PLEA

Floyd county's request for permission to issue general refunding bonds in the amount of \$50,000 will be weighed by H. Clyde Reeves, state local finance officer, at a public hearing to be held at his offices in Frankfort next Tuesday.

If permitted to float the bond issue, the fund will be used to pay a \$50,000 installment due on the \$200,000 general bond issue made several years ago. The installment is due October 1, and the county's inability to meet it necessitates the refinancing of that amount.

The bond issue was planned to be retired by payment of \$50,000, plus interest, every five years. "Another \$50,000 will be due in 1945, and how it will be paid, God knows—I don't," Judge Hill said this week.

This year, the county is paying \$17,000 and interest due on the old road and bridge bond issue, also \$5,000 and interest on the \$80,000 refunding bond issue of several years ago—a total of \$22,000 on principal and \$38,000 in interest.

In a recent communication to Judge Hill Mr. Reeves stated that any interested taxpayer may express his views at the hearing.

Two Students Win Gruen Watches

Sigel Bailey, Hueysville, graduate of Garrett high school, and Miss Nelly Frances Farmer, Betsy Layne high school senior, are the two lucky graduates of Floyd county high schools to be awarded Gruen watches, it was announced Thursday morning as the clock in the Leete Jewelry Store here stopped and its hands pointed to the names of these two.

Each student received a 15-jewel Gruen wrist watch. Dial of the big clock bore the name of each high school senior who will receive a diploma at the county-wide graduation exercises here tomorrow evening.

Sigel Bailey, a cripple, and now a student at Caney Creek Junior College, recently received assistance from J. M. Morell, Sr., as a result of a description of his plight which was published in THE TIMES, and thus was enabled to enter college.

Johnson Jailed Here In Weeksbury Shooting

Andy Johnson, accused of shooting and wounding his son-in-law, Tom Johnson, at Weeksbury several weeks ago, was jailed here last week by Policeman Harve Childers, Weeksbury. Later, Johnson was placed under \$1,000 peacebond. He remains in jail.

Court House Happenings

SUITS FILED

Anna Akers Whit vs. Ralph E. Mills Co., etc.; Combs and Combs, attys. Ryan Funeral Home vs. Johnnie May; Bert and Leroy Combs, attys; Evelyn Harrison vs. Charlie Harrison; B. M. James, atty. Yellow Mfg. Accept. Corp. vs. Ernest Frasure, etc.; Joe Hobson, atty. W. L. Stumbo and Annie Stumbo vs. Sallie M. Stephens, etc.; Leroy and Bert Combs, attys. J. C. Rose vs. Mike Jones (Jury fee); Woots Gearheart vs. Gordon Allen; J. B. Clarke, atty. Kentucky Wholesale Co. vs. John Sturgill, etc.; Clarke and Francis, attys. Maggie Dotson, etc. vs. Lewis Burchett, etc.; Joe Hobson, atty. (two suits); Langley Supply Co. vs. Irvin Picklesimer; Will Stewart, atty. Charleston Finance Co. vs. Frank Jones; Clarke and Francis, attys. Lida Cottrell, et al., vs. John A. Hatcher; Joe Hobson, atty. Lida Cottrell, et al., vs. L. A. Conley, et al.; Joe Hobson, atty.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Wid Johnson and Estelle Stanley. Herman Scott and Christine Duff. Arthur Conn and Marie Conn. Riley Prater and Lillie Howard. Jimmie Hall, 23, McGuffey, O., and Flossie Patton, 18, Bonanza; marriage solemnized by the Rev. G. R. Fannin. Assemblies of God Church, West Prestonsburg, May 18. John Calvin Moore and Oma Riley. Wayne Stumbo and Eulah Storie.

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were a sort of strange fruit of the tree. It was even permissible to nail a tin can or bucket on a stake or stob, but not often did we resort to any such fancy ways of making a postoffice.

The letters themselves were works of art. Just what they said did not matter; it was the idea of getting some mail of one's very own. When the United States mail came only once or twice a week, it was a thrill that few of us smaller ones could expect. I mean the actual getting of a letter. But in our play postoffices one could get a letter a day or more. Besides, we could save the stamps of the rare letters that the grown-up members of the family received and paste these on our letters with a little white of egg or a bit of flour and water. In the absence of these, we could draw our own stamps and color them with colored crayons. Some of these stamps would now set up a collector for life.

I have tried by numerous ways to remember what the letters contained. Evidently they were regarded as very important on the day of their being received and even later, for we kept, among our possessions, these badly spelled and worse written messages. I would wager that many of them started with "I thought I would write you a few lines to let you know that I am well and hope you are the same." Or they may have had this stereotyped message: "Hello! How are you today? Well, I hope." After we got that far, it was nearly impossible to think of something else to say. We could quote a few verses from our collection of rhymes obtained from candy kisses, but the postoffice was not necessarily a love-making affair. It was ordinarily used by children who were considerably below the love-making age. Sometimes, I remember, we drew pictures to represent photographs and sent them with requests to exchange. At one time my sister had some two dozen or more such pictures that she had collected at school or at the hollow-tree postoffice that stood on the small hill between our house and that of the next neighbor.

There was no trusting to chance in bringing the mail. We wrote our letters, hurried across the field to mail them, inserted them into the box, then gave a significant yell to the other children to come and get them. They usually answered and set forth at once for the mail box. We retired modestly to our own house and waited breathlessly until the neighbors yelled for us to come to the much-used postoffice. Whether we played this for days at a stretch or had seasonal revivals of it I do not remember, but many another old-timer has told me

that he, too, got thrills out of the penciled messages and drawings that he found addressed to him in the hollow tree.

Children now would probably get bored with such play. So many of them get mail of their own once or twice a day that it is unnecessary to devise other ways of receiving mail. Besides, telephones are everywhere, and quick means of communication are just a matter of course. If a small boy now took time to write a note such as we sent and received, he might miss hearing the results of the major league games.

REPUBLICAN BROADCASTS

Frank E. Gannett, Rochester, N. Y., publisher, over the NBC Red Network Monday, May 27 from 11 to 11:30 p.m. (E.S.T.) at Portland, Oregon.

Senator Robert A. Taft, Republican, of Ohio, over the Columbia Broadcasting System Monday, June 3, from 9:30 to 10 p. m., (E.S.T.), addressing the Lincoln Club at Louisville, Ky., at Louisville.

Representative Joseph W. Martin, Jr., of Massachusetts, over the Columbia Broadcasting System Saturday, June 8, from 9:15 to 9:30 p. m., (E.S.T.)

Representative J. William Ditter, of Pennsylvania, chairman of the National Republican Congressional Committee, will discuss "National Needs" over the NBC Red Network Saturday, May 25, from 8 to 8:15 p. m., (E.S.T.)

Frank Gannett, over the Mutual Broadcasting System Tuesday, May 21 from 9:30 to 10 p. m., (E.S.T.), from Louisville, Ky.

Senator Robert A. Taft, of Ohio, over the Mutual Broadcasting System Friday, May 24, from 9:45 to 10:15 p. m., (E.S.T.), as he addresses a Republican meeting sponsored by the Hackensack, N. J., Men's Republican Club.

Thomas E. Dewey, over the Mutual Broadcasting System Monday, May 27, from 9:30 to 10 p. m. (E.S.T.), as he addresses a Republican meeting at Dallas, Texas.

REPUBLICAN NATIONAL COMMITTEE

BONANZA

Miss Flossie Patton was united in marriage to Mr. Jimmie Hall Friday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Fannin, West Prestonsburg. The bride is the attractive daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Patton of Bonanza. The wedding supper was at the home of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Marshall. The house was decorated with beautiful spring flowers. The newly-weds will make their home in Alger, O.

Miss Sarah Music, of Caney Junior College is visiting her parents, Mr.

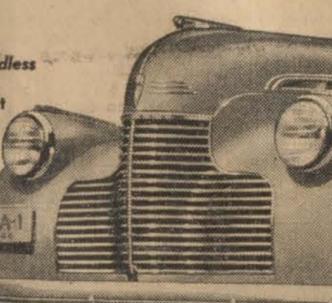
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BEAVER VALLEY LEAGUE—"A"

	At Allen	At Emma	At Muddy Branch	At Auxier	At Garrett	At Martin	At Stephens	At Elk	At Flat Gap
ALLEN	Be	5-12 7-28	5-26	6-23	6-9	7-7	4-28		6-30
EMMA	7-4 7-4	A	6-16	6-2	7-7	5-5	5-19		4-21
MUDDY BRANCH	7-14	4-28 6-30	GOOD	5-12	6-23	7-4 7-4	6-9		5-19
AUXIER	5-5	7-14	7-7	SPORT	5-19	4-21 7-21	7-28		6-16 7-4 7-4
GARRETT	4-21 7-21	5-26	5-5	6-30	SUPPORT	6-16	7-14		7-28
MARTIN	5-19	6-23	6-2 7-28	6-9	4-28	YOUR	5-12		7-14
STEPHENS ELK	6-16	7-21	4-21	5-26	6-2 7-4 7-4	6.30	HOME		5-5 7-7
FLAT GAP	6-2	6-9	7-21	4-28	5-12	5-25	6-23		TEAM

There are Double Headers scheduled the Fourth of July in the following Ball Parks: ALLEN, MARTIN, GARRETT AND FLAT GAP

BEAVER VALLEY LEAGUE—"B"

	At Drift	At Wheelwright	At Boldman	At Harold	At Melvin	At Coal Run
DRIFT	YOUR	6-16	5-26 7-28	4-28	6-2 7-7	6-9
WRIGHT	4-21 6-30	TEAM	5-5 7-7	6-23	6-9	5-26 7-28
BOLDMAN	6-23	6-2	DESERVES	6-9 7-21	5-12	5-19 7-14
HAROLD	5-19 7-4 7-4	5-12 7-14	4-21 6-30	YOUR	5-26 7-28	5-5 7-7
MELVIN	5-5 7-14	5-19 7-21	4-28 7-4 7-4	6-16	FULL	4-21 6-30
COAL RUN	5-12 7-21	4-28 7-4 7-4	6-16	6-2	6-23	SUPPORT

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NOTICE TO BIDDERS

The Floyd County Board of Education hereby calls for competitive bids on the proposed gymnasium and classrooms to be constructed at Wheelwright Junction, and the Allen graded school to be constructed at Allen, Ky. Said bids must be made pursuant to plans and specifications available at the County Superintendent's office and must be accompanied by a certified check or bidders' bond in the amount of 2 per cent of the base bid. Bids may be filed in the office of the County Superintendent of Schools up to and including 10 o'clock a. m., Eastern Standard Time, June 1, 1940. Unless otherwise directed by the Floyd County Board of Education, a fidelity surety of performance bond in the full amount of the contract must be executed by the successful bidder. The Floyd County Board of Education reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

Signed:—
TOWN HALL, Supt.,
Floyd County Schools.

To Select Junior Week Winners In 12 State Contests

Twelve district 4-H club contests are scheduled to be held in the state May 29 to June 1 to select demonstration teams and individuals to compete for state championship honors during the annual Junior Week at the University of Kentucky June 10-15.

A home economics demonstration team, an agricultural practice demonstration team and a dairy food demonstration team will be selected in each of the 12 districts. There also will be named in each district a style show girl and the best judges of foods, clothing and room improvement. The teams and individuals will meet for championship honors at Junior Week.

Other events during Junior Week include terracing and dairy production contests.

Junior Week this year is expected to attract 800 or more outstanding 4-H club boys and girls from the 120 counties of the state and a large number of local club leaders, agricultural extension workers and other persons interested in rural improvement.

Miss Murrill Honored At Shower Here

Miss Virginia Murrill, whose marriage to the Rev. Campbell Jeffries will take place in August, was honor guest at a buffet supper and personal shower on Thursday evening when Miss Geraldine Allen and Mrs. Chalmer Frazier entertained at the home of the latter on Court street.

The house was tastefully decorated for the occasion with a profusion of spring flowers. A rainbow color scheme was used in the miniature corsages and hand-painted, tally cards.

Miss Gertrude Baughard was winner of high score prize and Mrs. Burl Spurlock, second high.

The following friends of Miss Murrill, the honoree, were invited:

Misses Virgie McCombs, Anna Martin, Gertrude Baughard, Willia Howard, Minnie Grace Harris, Alice Harris, Naomi Goble, Mrs. E. D. Roberts, Mrs. Stanley Combs, Mrs. Alex H. Spradlin, Mrs. W. D. Goble, Mrs. Carl Ford, Mrs. R. W. Feiler, Mrs. W. P. Mayo, Mrs. R. V. May, Mrs. Burl Spurlock, and Mrs. W. S. Wells.

TRAVEL BULLETIN TODAY'S ROADS



Prepared By
Eastern Kentucky Automobile Club

LIKE BATS OUT OF HELL
(Courtesy—Travelers)

Riding alone over the arid wastes of New Mexico one summer evening in 1901, Jim White saw what appeared to be the smoke of a friendly campfire. As he approached the swirling column, he discovered that it was not smoke but a rising cloud of millions of bats. The bats came from an opening in the ground, and when the column disappeared into the south, Jim White ventured into the cavern.

Next morning he was awakened by the swirling millions of wings, and the column reformed its way back into the security of the cavern.

Each day, even now, this activity takes place punctually and unerringly. The bats leave the cave at sunset, fly over the Rio Grande, consume some eleven and a half tons of insects, and at dawn return to the sanctity of the now famous Carlsbad Caverns. But each dawn the returning group is smaller, for owls and preying animals exact their toll from the bat population. Eventually the species may become extinct.

Like the bats, we human beings venture forth each day, dash about our business, then turn back into the security of our homes. As with the bat population, each day a toll is exacted and the group diminishes. Each day some of the millions of drivers and pedestrians do not make the return trip home. They are killed or crippled in traffic accidents.

Unlike the lower orders, Man has always found the means of combating the destructive forces which beset him. Traffic accidents present a serious threat to this generation. How soon we succeed in solving this modern menace?

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KENTUCKY'S ROADS

US. 227—Detour on Paris-Winchester road. Additional distance approximately four miles.

US. 25-E — Pineville-Middlesboro road. Short detour at Middlesboro, north city limits, due to flood control construction.

US. 31-E and 68—Balltown-New Haven road. Under construction. Detour over 31-E.

US. 41—Bridge construction at Morton's Gap.

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All this is reflected in Ford products, whether cars, trucks or tractors. The work is honestly done. Materials are the best that can be made or procured. Less profit to the Company and more value to the customer is known throughout the motoring world as "Ford's way of doing business."

Ford Motor Company was the first to make a motor car within the means of the average family—quitting the manufacture of what was then the largest selling model in the world to do so. Its chosen field in all the 30 years since that

time has been the average American family—for which it has consistently provided car facilities which formerly only the wealthy could buy.

It is the policy of the Ford Motor Company to share the benefits of advanced methods and management with workers and public alike. Increased wages and employment over a period of many years have resulted in

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PRESTONSBURG, KENTUCKY

P.C.B.A. NEWS

At the last meeting of the Prestonsburg Co-Operative Business Association it was voted that the club sponsor, in co-operation with the State Board of Health, the dental clinic for children in rural sections who are not able to secure proper dental attention. This work will be done this summer by a dentist with laboratory who will travel over the county with his trailer-office.

The Association approved action taken at a previous called meeting at which the club obligated itself with the county to assume rent payment of \$25 per month for the Unemployment and Social Security offices, if these offices are moved here from Pikeville.

At a meeting of the Board of Directors May 10, report was made as to progress of the committee for membership and renewal of present members.

The goal is 250 members this year. If you are not a member of the PCBA, why not? Are you interested in the welfare of Prestonsburg? Do you want to see Prestonsburg go forward? Are you doing your part to help make it a better town? Do you think that the PCBA has accomplished anything? Are you interested in seeing new business and enterprise located in Prestonsburg, thus creating more jobs for the unemployed? Can you spend \$5 and a little time to any better advantage than doing a little work for your town?

If so, join the PCBA. Committees have been appointed to plan the biggest and best Fourth of July celebration ever held in the valley.

NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that W. J. Turner is applying for license to sell whisky at retail by the package in the Turner building, near the new bridge, Drift, Ky., this notice being published in accordance with state law, 5-23-21

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NOTICE IN BANKRUPTCY

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED STATES FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF KENTUCKY

In the matter of ERNEST COLLINS Bankrupt In Bankruptcy No. 26

To the creditors of Ernest Collins, of Wheelwright, Kentucky, County of Floyd, and district aforesaid, a bankrupt.

Notice is hereby given that on the 14th day of May, 1940 the said Ernest Collins was duly adjudicated bankrupt; and that the first meeting of his creditors will be held at the office of the undersigned Referee in Bankruptcy, Prestonsburg, Kentucky, in said district, on May 24th, 1940 at the hour of 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at which time the said creditors may attend, prove their claims, appoint a trustee, examine the bankrupt and transact such other business as may properly come before said meeting.

Given under my hand at Prestonsburg, Kentucky, this the 14 day of May, 1940.

JOE HOBSON, Referee in Bankruptcy. All claims must be supported by affidavit and in the official printed form required by the Bankrupt act.

FLOYD CIRCUIT COURT

E. P. Arnold Plaintiff
Vs.—NOTICE
Edward L. Allen, Adm.,
Etc. Defendants

All creditors having claims against the estate of R. S. Allen, deceased, are hereby notified that I will sit at my office in Prestonsburg, Kentucky on Wednesday, June 12, 1940, beginning at nine o'clock a. m., to receive claims, hear proof on and audit claims against the estate of R. S. Allen, and all persons, firms and corporations holding claims against said estate are notified to have same properly proved as required by law and file same with me on or before said date.

Done by order of the Court at its May term, 1940.
J. B. CLARKE, Special Commissioner, Floyd Circuit Court.

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Entered as second class matter June 18, 1927, at the postoffice at Prestonsburg, Ky., under the Act of March 3, 1879.

THE TIMES ENDORSES

1. Immediate completion of the Left Beaver, Middle Creek and Johns Creek road.
2. Consideration by officials of human needs, not the need for political influence.
3. Completion of all Farm-to-Market roads, by W. P. A. labor if possible, maintenance of these routes by the state rural road fund.
4. A trade-at-home policy followed by merchants and customers alike.
5. Full co-operation with all county and city officials, insisting that lawmakers and enforcement officers themselves obey the law to the letter.
6. Continuance of the Floyd county health department and the county agricultural agent work.

A TEST OF CIVILIZATION

As the Red Cross makes its plea for a minimum of ten million dollars for the relief of war refugees, the civilization that has been described as doomed meets a test.

We all know that millions of the aged—old men and women—and of the very young face the spectre of starvation, that their days and nights are filled with horror, and that these innocents are threatened by death in this war of brutality.

We know that they need food, clothing, shelter, medical care. We do not have to take propagandists' word for that.

Now, we, knowing all that, meet this call for the aid of these defenseless sufferers is a test of our civilization.

As long as we have a place in our hearts for such as these, as long as we can forget our own petty trials in the face of those immeasurably greater tribulations of others—that long is our civilization safe.

THE FLOYD COUNTY TIMES would congratulate each of the high school seniors who are to be graduated here Friday evening.

You have come a long way. You have a long way yet to go. For the one you are to be felicitated; for the other, please accept our sincere "Godspeed."

Wayland Wins Regional Hi School Baseball Tournament

Wayland, Ky., May 21 (Spl.)—In a game cut short by the injury of Jack Musick, Garrett pitcher, the Wayland high school Wildcats won, 14 to 2, from Garrett high school in the finals of the regional baseball tournament held in the Wayland ball park, Woodrow Williams was credited with the win, although James Wallace started the game for Wayland.

Ira Stephens, ace of the Wayland mound, turned in the only shut-out of the tournament by beating Auxier high school, 5-0.

Teams were eliminated from the tournament in this order:

McDowell	000	010	001-2	8	6
Wayland	400	014	43x-12	15	2
Harrington, Myers, Hall, Wolverton and McGairy; Stevens, Malone and Frady.					

Auxier	000	000	20-2	4	1
Garrett	000	000	20-1	3	3
C. Hubbard, B. Hubbard and Bickford; F. Coburn and Hitchcock.					

Maytown	001	000	100-2	2	8
Wayland	20(12)	129	12x-29	20	6
Hayes Allen, Meadows and Picklesimer, Hayes; Wallace, Frady and Frady, Moore.					

Garrett	000	202	310-8	10	0
McDowell	000	020	001-3	9	1
Caudill, Arrowood, F. Coburn and Hitchcock; Mosley, Myers, Frazier and Hall, Mosley.					

Maytown	104	00-5	5	1
Martin	050	01-6	4	1
Allen and McGairy; Hampton, Halbert and Halbert.				

Garrett	330	236	0-17	15	3
Martin	041	000	0-5	11	5
Caudill and Hitchcock; Wohlford, Spurlock, Halbert and Halbert.					

Auxier	000	000	000-0	5	2
Wayland	003	000	20x-5	8	2
Bickford, C. Hubbard and Berman, Bickford; Stevens and Frady.					

Auxier	000	223	001	0-8	10	1
Garrett	030	000	410	1-9	12	1
Hubbard and Bickford; Coburn, Caudill and Hitchcock.						

Garrett	200	000-2	2	2
Wayland	434	21x-14	16	2
Arrowood, Coburn, Goodman, Meade, Musick and Hitchcock; Wallace, Williams and Frady.				

Perry County Officers Claim Bolen

Claude Bolen, 20-year-old Knott countian, who had been held in jail here since April, was released last week to Perry county authorities for immediate trial, possibly on a charge of auto theft.

He is slated for trial here in September on housebreaking charges. Bolen was arrested April 15 when trapped in the Hatcher filling station at Estill by Deputy Sheriff J. B. Hall and Special Officer Cluett Messer.

While being returned to jail here after a preliminary hearing on the charge of breaking into the filling station, Bolen made a break for liberty but was quickly captured.

Pike County Bride Of Month Dies At Martin

Mrs. Eene Hampton, 16 years old, bride of a month of Joe Hampton, Hartley, died at the Beaver Valley hospital, Martin, Tuesday, the victim of a heart ailment.

Besides her husband, she is survived by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Columbus Johnson; two brothers, Jesse and Charles Johnson, and one sister, Mrs. Myrtle Goodin, all of Hartley.

Funeral services were held this morning (Thursday) at the home, with the Rev. Hiram Adams officiating. Burial was made in the family cemetery at Hartley, under the direction of the Ryan Funeral Home.

Month's Illness Claims Walter Rice, 41, Betsy Layne

Funeral services for Walter Rice, 41, Betsy Layne, who died at his home Friday morning following an illness of one month, were conducted from the Baptist Church at Banner Sunday afternoon, with the Revs. Isaac Stratton, Ferrell Williamson and S. G. Rice officiating.

Rice, who was the son of W. M. and Martha Justice Rice, of Prater Creek, was formerly employed as a miner. He had been an invalid since 1935, when he suffered an accident which necessitated the removal of both legs.

Surviving are his widow, Mrs. Orpha Stephens Rice; two sons, Cecil and Everett Rice, and three daughters, Mrs. Chorine Owsley and Misses Emogene and Peggy Rice, all of Betsy Layne; his father, W. M. Rice; four sisters, Mrs. Vadie Boyd, Mrs. W. N. Meade and Mrs. Louisa Jarrell, all of Banner, and Mrs. Mary Jarrell, who resides in Ohio.

Burial was made in the family cemetery on Prater Creek, with the Ryan Funeral Home in charge.

Mining Film To Be Shown At Insitute

A technicolor picture, "Mechanization and Modernizing of Coal Mines," taken in part of the Goose Creek mines near Garrett, will be the feature of the regular monthly meeting of the Big Sandy-Elkhorn Coal Mining Institute which will be held Friday evening at The Grove, three miles south of Pikeville on the Mayo Trail.

A. D. Sisk, secretary of the organization, said that the picture is being shown through the courtesy of the Joy Manufacturing Company which sponsored the film. Showing of the film was made possible by the efforts of J. T. Parker, chairman of the Institute's program committee.

In addition to the picture, Joe Harris and E. G. Middleton, representatives of the Joy Manufacturing Company, will deliver addresses to the attending members.

HERE FROM WHEELWRIGHT
Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Durham, Wheelwright, spent the week-end here with Mrs. Durham's parents, Mrs. Byrd C. May.

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P'BURG DOWNS PIKEVILLE

SIX-RUN, 8TH-INNING RALLY FEATURES 7-6 VICTORY

Coming from behind to score six runs in the eighth inning after they had pushed one across in the seventh, the much-improved Prestonsburg baseball team edged out Pikeville, 7-6, Sunday afternoon at Pikeville and went into a three-way tie for third place in the Big Sandy League standings.

With Weddle of Pikeville and Thompson of Prestonsburg pitching effective ball, neither team was able to score during the first five rounds. In the last of the sixth Pikeville got to Thompson for two runs. In the first of the seventh Prestonsburg pushed across one run, but Pikeville added three more in the last of the seventh, increasing the lead to 5-1. Castle replaced Thompson on the mound for the winners during this inning.

In the top half of the eighth the local team made six runs at the expense of Weddle, who struck out 13 Prestonsburg batters during the eight innings he was pitching for Pikeville. The losers added another run in the last of the ninth, but they were unable to knot the score.

Although they were outbid by Pikeville, 10 to 8, and half of Pikeville's base hits were for extra bases, Prestonsburg bunched their hits. R. Collins, with a single and a double, and Maynard, who collected a pair of singles, led the local team at the bat. Blankenship, Pikeville center fielder, was the hitting star of the game, making a triple and three singles in five trips to the plate. Weddle hit a four-bagger for the losers.

Next Sunday Prestonsburg will entertain Pikeville at Gasco Park here in a return game.

Box Score:

P'BURG	AB	R	H	P	O	A	E
Roark, cf.	4	1	0	2	0	0	0
Maynard, 2b.	5	1	2	3	3	0	0
Woods, lf.	5	1	1	2	0	0	0
R. Collins, c.	3	2	2	13	0	0	0
Spradlin, rf.	4	1	0	1	0	0	0
Bingham, if.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Laferty, lb.	4	1	1	6	0	0	0
A. Collins, 3b.	3	0	1	0	2	0	0
Heinze, ss.	3	0	1	0	3	1	0
Thompson, p.	2	0	0	0	0	0	0
Castle, p.	2	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	35	7	8	27	6	3	0

PIKEVILLE	AB	R	H	P	O	A	E
Johnson, rf.	4	1	1	1	1	0	0
Conley, lf.	3	1	0	0	0	0	0
England, p.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Blankenship, cf.	5	1	4	2	0	0	0
Caudill, lb.	4	1	2	4	0	0	0
Weddle, p.-rf.	3	1	1	1	1	0	0
Sullivan, c.	5	0	1	15	0	0	0
Stumbo, 3b.	5	0	1	0	0	0	0
Vanhouse, 2b.	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Ward, 2b.	3	0	0	2	0	0	0
Henderson	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Gilliam, ss.	3	1	0	2	1	1	0
Cyrus, ss.	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	37	6	10	27	3	1	0

Summary: Runs batted in—A. Collins, Woods, R. Collins, 2, Laferty, Heinze, Weddle 2, Blankenship 2, Caudill, Stumbo.

Two-base hits—R. Collins, Laferty, Sullivan, Johnson, Caudill. Three-base hit—Blankenship. Home run—Weddle. Stolen bases—Blankenship, Weddle 2, Sacrifice—Conley. Left on bases—Prestonsburg 7, Pikeville 10. Struck out—by Thompson 8, Castle 4, Weddle 13, England 1. Bases on balls—off Thompson 2, Castle 2, Weddle 4. Hits—off Thompson 8 in 6 1-3 innings; Castle 2 in 2 2-3 innings; Weddle 8 in 8; England 0 in 1. Hit by pitcher—by Weddle (R. Collins), Thompson (Johnson), England (R. Collins). Wild pitch—Weddle, Balk—Weddle, Castle. Winning pitcher—Castle. Losing pitcher—Weddle.

HERE FROM LOUISVILLE
Lawrence P. Jones, formerly of Prestonsburg, was a business visitor here this week from Louisville where he is located as general state supervisor, Professional and Service division of the Works Progress Administration.

ALLEN BOWS TO MARTIN

IN BEAVER VALLEY LEAGUE GAME SUNDAY

Flashing a 17-hit attack, the Martin entry in the Beaver Valley baseball League downed the Allen team, 13-6, Sunday afternoon in the Allen ball park.

Martin got away to a three-run lead in the first inning on four hits. Allen promptly took a 4-3 lead in the last of the first, when Moore and Jarrell walked, Rice tripled them home, Bentley reached first on an error, then Porter sent them across the plate with a double.

Martin forged into the lead in the second, 6-4, when four hits, a walk and a fielder's choice netted three runs. Allen tied the score in the third by scoring two runs on a walk, single and a double. Martin regained the lead in the fourth when Click singled, Halbert sent him home on a long double, and Dingus scored Halbert with his third straight single of the game. The winners picked up another run in the fifth, and then added four more in the eighth. Osborne, pitching for Martin, allowed Allen two hits and no runs in the final six innings.

Dingus, Martin catcher, led the winners at the plate, with four-for-five. Click collected three singles in six trips to the plate, and Rice, Allen pitcher, who made a triple and a single, was the only player of his team to hit safely more than once.

The box score:

MARTIN	AB	R	H
Brown, cf.	4	1	2
Vincent, ss.	3	3	1
Click, lf.	6	3	3
Frazier, rf.	4	2	2
Griffith, 2b.	5	1	2
Dingus, c.	5	0	4
Prater, 3b.	1	0	0
Goodin, lb.	4	1	0
Osborne, p.	2	0	1
Halbert	0	1	0
Burke	3	1	1
Alard	3	0	1
Totals	40	13	17

ALLEN	AB	R	H
Branham, 3b.	3	0	0
Stratton, lf.	5	0	0
Moore, lb.	3	2	2
Jarrell, ss.	4	2	3
Rice, p.	4	1	2
Bentley, cf.	4	1	1
Porter, rf.	4	0	1
Senters, c.	4	0	0
Dixon, 2b.	4	0	0
Totals	35	6	6

Big Sandy Baseball League

STANDINGS

Clubs	W	L	Pct.
Van Lear	5	0	1.000
Wheelwright	3	1	.750
Wayland	2	2	.500
Prestonsburg	2	2	.500
Clear Creek	2	2	.500
Pikeville	2	3	.400
Allen	1	3	.250
Elkhorn City	0	4	.000

LAST SUNDAY'S RESULTS
Prestonsburg 7, Pikeville 6.
Clear Creek 13, Allen 5.
Wheelwright 20, Wayland 13.
Van Lear 8, Elkhorn City 6.

SUNDAY'S SCHEDULE
Pikeville at Prestonsburg.
Wayland at Wheelwright.
Clear Creek at Allen.
Elkhorn City at Van Lear.

PRELIMINARY REPORT HAS POPULATION HERE AS 2,334

The population of Prestonsburg, as shown by a preliminary count of the returns of the sixteenth census, as of April 1, is 2,334, as compared with 2,107 on April 1, 1930. The 1940 figures are preliminary and subject to correction, Kash Holbrook, district supervisor of the census, said.

WAYLAND BOWS TO W'WRIGHT

"COMEDY OF ERRORS" ENDS IN 20-13 SCORE

Wayland, Ky., May 20 (Spl.)—Wayland and Wheelwright staged an error-making contest here Sunday that had the fans by turns laughing and moaning—depending upon which side the onlooker was rooting for and which team was enacting the "Comedy of Errors" role at the given moment.

Wayland won that particular contest, 7 to 5—and so Wheelwright won the ball game 20-13.

Neither starting pitcher, Stumbo for Wheelwright or Martin for Wayland lasted long. Errorless ball behind them might have made their record more impressive. Marks, J. Branham and Martin led the local attack with two hits each, with "Big" Jess Ratliff, shifting from catcher to short to second during the melee, rattling the right field fence with a long drive in three times at bat. Mann, catcher, was the big noise at bat for the visitors with four for four.

The box score:

WAYLAND	AB	R	H	E
W. Ratliff, lf.-cf.	5	1	2	0
Baird, ss.-c.	4	2	1	1
J. Branham, cf.	5	2	2	0
J. Ratliff, c.-ss-2b.	3	2	1	2
Martin, p.-lf.	5	3	2	2
Frady, 3b.	5	1	1	0
B. Moore, 2b.	3	1	1	1
Haywood, ss.	2	0	0	1
J. Ratliff, Jr., lb.	0	0	0	0

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IN FLOYD LAST WEEK, ACCORDING TO REPORT

One gas well, with a daily flow of 972,000 feet, was completed in Floyd county last week, according to the operators' weekly report.

The Kentucky West Virginia Gas Company has completed well No. 585 on the A. C. Webb land on Sanson Fork of Prater Creek at a total depth of 2903 feet in shale. The well has a gas production of 972,000 feet with R. P. 270-48 hours.

In this county the Kentucky West Virginia Gas Company is down 1840 feet in slate in well No. 586, Levi Mitchell, on Mitchell Branch of Mud Creek, and has reached the 1785 foot mark in Big Lime, in well No. 587, John Campbell, in same locality.

The same company is down 1003 feet in salt sand in well No. 592, John Wicker, and is building a rig at well No. 593, Mary and J. B. Adams, in the same area.

The Kentucky West Virginia Gas Company is building a road to well No. 595, Floyd Hall, and is down 1461 feet in salt sand in well No. 5262, W. R. Hall, on Jones Fork of Left Beaver.

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Would-Be Assassins Fire On Officer At Hindman

The bullet entered his car door, a scant few inches in front of the officer as he was locking his auto. He replied with several revolver shots. Nobody was hit.

The deputy, who also acts as policeman in Hindman, said he knew the men who attempted his assassination but did not disclose their identity. He added that he had been watching them during the night. It was said that he pursued his would-be assassins to a point near Lackey.

Thirty-One Graduate From Eighth Grade At McDowell

McDowell, Ky., May 22 (Spl.)—Thirty-one eighth grade graduates received their diplomas here tonight as seniors of McDowell high school held their commencement. The diplomas were presented by Prof. J. F. Howell. Miss Louberta Hall ranked first in the eighth-grade graduating class with a score of 107.

The graduates are: Ralph Caudill, Cleo Hall, Elmer Bentley, Esta Morgan, Birbage Howell, Elmer Jack Hall, Clinnon Brown, Myrtle Bentley, Anna Roberta McCloud, Roxie Mae Sisco, Mary Thelma Newman, Virbie B. Hall, Daniel Boone Gilson, Ruby Hall, Vivian Stewart, Ruth Ernestine Hopkins, Ruby Jane Turner, Willsa Mae Conley, Gilva Martin Charbie Johnson, Thelma Irene Hensley, Herman Newsum, Lillian Vernice Hall, Leviatha Newsome, Raymond Meade, Eugene Hamilton, Esteva Breeding, Virginia Mae Soule, Ruth Meade, Dollie Moore, Louberta Hall.

WPA Commercial School To Enroll Students Tuesday, Wednesday

Students will be accepted for enrollment in the WPA Commercial School from noon until 8 o'clock, Tuesday and Wednesday, May 28-29, it is announced by Tom Fitzpatrick, teacher.

Classes and hours for enrollment follow: shorthand class (for beginners), five to six p. m.; typewriting, three to eight p. m.; bookkeeping, accounting, commercial law and commercial arithmetic, six to eight p. m. Shorthand and typewriting books will cost \$4, and the accounting books, \$3.60. Typewriting fees will be \$1 per month.

Suitable hours can be arranged for any student interested in English and penmanship.

Pike County Native Dies At Printer Saturday

After a short illness of lobar pneumonia, Mrs. Vasti Compton, 64, of Printer, died at her home Saturday.

A native of Pike county, Mrs. Compton came to this county several years ago. She had been a member of the Regular Baptist Church for 25 years. Surviving are one son, Grady Compton, Printer, and one daughter, Mrs. June Hurst, Jenkins.

Funeral services were conducted at Yeager, Pike county, Tuesday, with the Rev. John A. Damron officiating. Burial was made in the family cemetery there, with the Ryan Funeral Home in charge.

Beaver Valley Hospital Notes

Miss June Ellis, of Prestonsburg, who is receiving treatment at the hospital, is improving.

James Harmon, Betsy Layne, underwent an appendectomy and is doing nicely.

Mrs. Joe Howell, Harold, who has been receiving medical treatment, is improving.

Dave Hall, Bevinsville, who has been receiving treatment for pneumonia following gunshot wounds, is very much improved and will soon be able to return to his home.

Mrs. Sarah Hale, Alphoretta, is now receiving treatment at the Beaver Valley hospital.

Master Hager Jordan, Carver, Ky., who is visiting James Mullins, of Alphoretta, was admitted to the hospital Saturday night for medical treatment.

Miss Mary Newman, Bypro, who received injuries in a car wreck last week, is doing nicely and will soon be able to return home.

Leo Prater, of Pyramid, is improving after a major operation.

MARTIN

Miss Naomi Childers, of Ashland, visited friends in Martin over Sunday.

Latcha Coleman, of Montgomery, W. Va., a former Martin high school student, is visiting friends here.

The baccalaureate sermon was delivered Sunday, May 19, in the high school auditorium. The Rev. W. B. Garriott, of Prestonsburg, was the speaker.

U. S. (Doc) Click is seriously ill at his home here.

Park Francis has taken a position in Jenkins.

The Martin General hospital has purchased a new ambulance.

Mrs. Joe Pendleton, of Jenkins, was a business visitor here Monday and Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Patrick have moved to Cow Creek.

Mr. and Mrs. Archie Elkins have moved to "Bralley Camps" here.

The house occupied by Mr. McCoy burned to the ground Monday afternoon. Little was saved.

Misses Esteva Ison, Golda Pratt, and Wanda Davis were week-end guests of Misses Mabel and Lenore Crisp, of Hite.

Miss Louise Frazier was the overnight guest of Misses Mabel and Lenore Crisp, Tuesday.

The juniors of Maytown high school gave a theater party Saturday night at the Martin theater for the seniors, after the junior-senior banquet at Maytown.

Clyde Crisp is ill at his home.

John Elliott is a medical patient at the Martin General hospital.

Mrs. Myrtle Osborne is an operative patient at the Beaver Valley hospital.

Class night was Tuesday, May 21.

16 Grade Teachers Are Hired Friday By City Board

Sixteen teachers for the Prestonsburg graded school were hired by the City Board of Education at its meeting Friday evening.

At the same time, Mrs. Victoria Spradlin was named assistant teacher and secretary to Superintendent Ishmael H. Triplett. She was succeeded as attendance officer by Mrs. Virginia Stephens, whose salary was fixed at \$90 per month on a 12-month basis, it was said.

Grade teachers named are: Miss Anna Martin, Mrs. Pauline Burchett, Mrs. Gladys Stepp, Mrs. Edna Collins, Mrs. Margaret Collins, Miss Jessie Fitzpatrick, Mrs. Fanny Jarrell, Miss Freda Bunting, Mrs. Kitty Sandige, Miss Anna Laura May, Miss Frances Jones, Mrs. Anna Mae Mellon, Mrs. Evelyn J. Salisbury, Mrs. Marguerite Jones, Mrs. Irene Stephens.

Mrs. Susan Thompson, Bull Creek, Dies Sunday

Mrs. Susan Thompson, 27 years old, wife of Ernel Thompson, Bull Creek, died at the Martin General hospital, Martin, Sunday after an illness of two weeks following childbirth. The child died at the time of birth.

The victim was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Polk Branham, of Bull Creek, who survives. She also leaves two small children and several brothers and sisters.

Funeral rites were conducted Monday afternoon from the home, with the Rev. Watkins, of the Methodist Church, officiating. Burial was made in the Johns cemetery under the direction of the Arnold Funeral Home.

FOR SALE—at half price, one E-flat alto Saxophone, in first-class condition. See MRS. V. A. HAYES, Langley, Ky.

Dr. Combs Is Injured In Auto Wreck

Dr. Fletcher Combs is recovering at St. Joseph's hospital, Lexington, from a partially dislocated hip and three broken ribs, injuries sustained Friday in an auto wreck at Williams-

town, Ky. His parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Combs, Prestonsburg, have been at his bedside but returned home Tuesday. They brought with them their little grandson, Phillip Gordon, son of Dr. and Mrs. Combs.

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CAPITOL COMMENTS

There are two schools of thought and one kindergarten line here in Frankfort over J. Lyter Donaldson's statement last Wednesday.

One school has it that Donaldson decided not to run for this, the short term, planning on building his machine and running two years from now for the full term.

Opponents of this line say that this is not the reason, that the people to whom Chandler refused to give jobs, and who are now "out" with him, will have forgotten about it in two years' time, and that in two more years there will be many disappointed applicants who will be "down on" Donaldson. They claim that the reason that he didn't run was because Gov. Johnson asked him not to announce, wanting harmony for his administration now.

The kindergarten line is that Donaldson had decided to run and that Farley and Chandler came down and talked to him, probably intimating that if Roosevelt ran for a third term, they would want a young conservative on the ticket as vice-president; that Chandler had a good chance to get the nomination, being popular with big business; and that a primary race for Senator might spoil his chances. Farley may have intimated that with the Presidential race this year it would be a bad time to split the party in Kentucky, and that the federal administration would be more inclined to support Donaldson two years hence than at the present time.

We believe that Donaldson had decided to run as late as last Friday, and that he changed his decision as the result of conferences held between then and Wednesday. We don't know what happened in those conferences. Only time will tell if his decision was a wise one.

Governor Johnson appointed T. C. Carroll, of Shepherdsville, to fill the place on the State Fair Board vacated by John Newcomb, who resigned to become manager of the State Fair horse show.

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PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. Dial Salisbury had as their week-end guest their daughter, Miss Shirley Salisbury, and four of her friends from E.S.T.C., in Richmond, Misses Harriet Moore, Faye Eads, Helen Allen and Mary Lou Lucy. On Sunday morning Miss Salisbury and her guests, together with her sister, Miss Helen Salisbury, motored to points of interest in Floyd county.

Mr. and Mrs. Crit Wells and daughter, Bubbles, of Wayland, spent Saturday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Cooley. Bubbles Wells spent the night with her young cousin, Master Bill Arnold Cooley.

Mrs. V. A. Hayes was the overnight guest of Mrs. W. A. Stewart Friday, and spent Saturday night with relatives in Wayland.

Mrs. Dean Amburgey returned from Detroit, Mich., Saturday after having visited her daughters there for the past 10 days.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Stewart, Malone, were guests of Mr. Stewart's parents over the week-end. Mr. Stewart, a teacher in the Cannel City high school, taught the young people's Sunday School class Sunday morning.

Little Miss Sandra Sue Patrick, small daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Patrick, has been ill the past week, but is now improving.

Misses Peggy and Harriet Allen and Ben Baker attended the matinee in Pikeville Sunday afternoon.

Ben Baker accompanied a group of his Auxier high school students on a

tour of Frankfort last Saturday, together with Mrs. Ishmael Triplett, who was also chaperone on this occasion.

Mrs. G. R. Martin, Drift, visited her niece, little Miss Libby Ree May, Saturday afternoon, after which she spent the night with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. F. May.

Miss Harriet Allen and Ben Baker were visiting friends in Richmond last week-end. Miss Allen was the guest of Miss Gradis Flannery, a student at E.S.T.C.

V. A. Hayes returned early this week from Louisville, where he had gone to receive his 31st degree in Masonry.

Mrs. Fletcher May and Mrs. Jack Ryan were shopping in Pikeville Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roger Stewart motored to Pikeville early last week.

Mrs. Byrd Cooley, Garrett, was visiting Mrs. Arnold Cooley Monday.

COMMENCEMENT ACTIVITIES

The high school play, "Don't Darken My Door," was given in the auditorium Thursday evening of last week, with Mrs. Thomas Patrick in charge. Commencement sermon was preached by the Rev. C. C. Newsome Sunday night with the Rev. Pat Williams, of Martin, opening the services with prayer.

Grade school graduation is scheduled for Wednesday night, with Chas. Martin, eighth grade teacher, in charge.

Grade school exercises were held Friday night. The colored character skit of songs and dances presented by a group of seventh grade girls stole the show once more, Marjle Ann Ferguson being the leader of this popular entertainment feature.

Senior Class night was held Thursday night. The salutatory was delivered by Willie Ratliff, the valedictory, by Miss Lois Amburgey.

JUNIOR-SENIOR BANQUET HUGE SUCCESS

The annual banquet given for the Maytown seniors by the junior class, under the direction of Miss Opal May, home economics instructor, was held in the science hall on Saturday evening and loudly proclaimed one of the outstanding events ever given here. The South Sea Island theme was carried out in elaborate detail, its motif embodied in decorations, favors, and costumes worn by the entertainers. Miss Harriet Allen's artistic talent was drafted into service for the decorations, which included a thatched straw roof over the official table, one scenic wall composed of starry sky and palm trees, with sea grasses and rocks in evidence throughout the room. The Isle of May was chosen as the destination of the party, which consisted of 65 guests, whose programs and menu cards were miniature "Anchors Aweigh." Clovis Ferguson, of the junior class, presided in his inimitable way. Rev. C. C. Newsome, P. T. A. president, opened with the invocation, and Supt. Town Hall delivered an address, "Storms at Sea." The following girls, under the leadership of Marjle Anne Ferguson, who

composed one of the songs herself, presented two delightful numbers in the costume of native dancers, wearing sarongs and hula skirts: Marjle Ferguson, Katherine Stapleton, Wanda Gibson, Gipsy Allen, Jean Horner, Virginia Allen and Mollie Stone. Sopomore girls served as waitresses, wearing sailor skirts and blouses, and caps. Miss May and members of the home economics class were assisted in preparing the bountiful dinner by Mesdames Frank May, Henry May and Ed Sutton, while Mrs. E. R. May arranged the flowers for the tables. After the banquet ended, the group attended the midnight show in Martin.

WOMAN'S CLUB MEETING POSTPONED

The May meeting of the Woman's Club was postponed, due to the continued illness of little Miss Libby Ree May, small daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. R. May, club president and hostess for this meeting, together with Mrs. John Coburn, assistant hostess.

TEABERRY

Miss Lona Newsome has returned home from Pikeville where she has been attending school. She will spend a short vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Newsome, of Teaberry. She plans to attend Betsy Layne Summer School.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Tackett, Jr., and daughters, Shirley and Vivian, and Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Newsome, all of McDowell, were the dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Newsome, of Pikeville, Saturday.

SHERIFF'S SALE

PIKE CIRCUIT COURT

First National Bank of Pikeville Plaintiff vs.—NOTICE OF SALE Ben H. Auxier Defendant

By virtue of execution No. 5, Pike Circuit Court, dated March 30, 1940, I, or one of my deputies will, on Monday, May 27, 1940, at or about 1 p. m., at the front door of the courthouse in the city of Prestonsburg, Ky., expose to public sale, to the highest and best bidder, on a credit of three months, the hereinafter described property, or so much thereof as to make the sum of \$347.45, with 6 per cent interest from the first day of July, 1939, until paid, \$11.65 court cost, and \$35.00, the probable cost of this sale, viz:

All the right, title and interest, both legal and equitable of the defendant, Ben H. Auxier, in and to a certain Cannel Coal Mine located on James Clark's land on Little Mud Creek, including the entire interest in the lease and equipment appurtenant or belonging to said Cannel Coal Mine, (Only the one-half interest in said mine belonging to Ben H. Auxier will be sold).

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SHERIFF'S SALE

Notice is hereby given that in order to satisfy two executions issued from the Floyd Circuit Court and directed to me, one in the case of the Commonwealth of Kentucky vs. Vada Hubbard, T. J. Bentley and W. L. Miller, and one in favor of the Commonwealth of Kentucky vs. T. J. Bentley and Orville Hayes, issued on replevin bonds, I or one of my deputies will, on Monday, May 27, 1940, at or about one p. m., same being the first day of the May term of the Floyd County Court, at the front door of the courthouse in Prestonsburg, Kentucky, offer at public sale, to the highest and best bidder, on a credit of three months, with bond of approved surety, the following described property, or so much thereof as to make the sum of \$86.02 (which includes cost and interest to date), and the estimated cost of this sale, amounting to \$30.00, viz:

thereof as to make the sum of \$86.02 (which includes cost and interest to date), and the estimated cost of this sale, amounting to \$30.00, viz:

All the right, title and interest, both legal and equitable of T. J. Bentley in and to that certain tract of land: Lying and being in Floyd county, Ky., on main Beaver Creek, and being the same land conveyed to T. J. Bentley and Nora Bentley by Rhoda Clarke and Wilson Clarke by deed dated March 20, 1933, and recorded in deed book at page 511; records of the Floyd county court Clerk's office, containing 1/2-acre, more or less, including all improvements placed thereon, and bounded and described as follows:

Beginning on a haw bush below the Mayo Trail, corner to Ralph Salisbury line; thence running up old county road to state highway; thence running with Mayo Trail to the beginning, so as to include all the land in said boundary. Only the undivided interest of T. J. Bentley is levied on.

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BIRTHS—
 Born to Mr. and Mrs.:
 Charlie Ferrell, Alphoretta, April 8, a son; Gomer Crisp, Allen, April 3, a daughter; Clyde Crisp, Hite, April 15, a daughter; Tom Conn, Martin, April 9, a daughter; Ados Patrick, Tram, April 10, a daughter; William Tackett, Beaver, April 16, a daughter; Joe Martin, Teaberry, March 13, a son; Dewey Hall, Beaver, January 1, a daughter; Ellis Tackett, Beaver, April 10, a daughter; Toy Shepherd, Goodloe, February 24, a daughter; Perry Tackett, Beaver, March 5, a daughter; Jay Lee Reynolds, Teaberry, April 9, a son; John D. Hamilton, Teaberry, April 24, a son; Snoden Keathley, Teaberry, March 5, a son; Jim Tackett, Beaver, March 15, a daughter; J. T. Hughes, Prestonsburg, April 14, a son; Lawrence Gambill, Auxier, April 14, a daughter; Ballard Gunnell, Banner, April 23, a daughter; Charles H. Justice, Northern, April 14, a son; Ira G. Francis, Garrett, April 27, a daughter; Acie Marshall, Wayland, April 27, a son; Herbert Stratton, Ivel, March 29, a son; Marvin Sullivan, Wayland, April 22, a son; Norman Rollins, Wayland, April 25, a daughter; Langley Looney, Glo, April 28, a son; Tan Hale, Allen, April 18, a son; A. D. Crisp, Martin, April 1, a daughter; Gus Yates, Alphoretta, April 25, a daughter; Noah Conn, Martin, April 22, a son; Jesse Lafferty, Craker, April 23, a son; Shelby Terry, Langley, April 18, twin sons; Elvin Lowe, Wonder, April 30, a daughter; Harvey Caudill, Hueysville, April 30, a son; Johnnie Adams, Galveston, April 18, a son; Frank Wright, Osborne, May 2, a daughter; Lee DeLong, Auxier, May 9, a son; Ireland Wells, Auxier, March 23, a daughter; Cecil Taylor, Auxier, April 27, a daughter; Estill Travis, Auxier, May 3, a son; Glenn Hyden, Auxier, April 24, a son; Carl King, Auxier, April 18, a daughter; Chester E. Whitlock, March 30, a daughter; Harmon Miller, Prestonsburg, May 10, a daughter; Goble Puckett, Bonanza, April 25, a daughter; Okie Isaacs, Grethel, May 2, a daughter; Fred Hall, Galveston, May 7, a daughter; Will Boggs, Garrett, April 14, a son; Thurman Harvel, Tram, May 3, a daughter; Bryd Castle, Hueysville, April 17, a son; J. C. Ables, Garrett, April 19, a son; Sam Preston, Lackey, March 24, a daughter; Edward Hicks, Hueysville, May 5, a son; Paul Wallen, Dwaile, May 2, a son; Ralph Wright, Garrett, May 3, a son; Soile Holbrook, Colie, May 4, a daughter; Otis Cook, Prestonsburg, May 2, a daughter; Roscoe Noble, Hueysville, May 10, a daughter; Raymond Lafferty, May 8, Garrett, a daughter.

DEATHS—
 Andy J. Hicks, April 19, Garrett 41 years old. James Wesley Burchett, Emma, April 27, 81 years. Lucy Cornelia Homer Johnstone, April 23, Bettys Layne, 79; Pearl Jones, Banner, April 28, 14 years; Anzie Newsom, March 8, Craynor, 69; Silas Dean Amburgey, Langley, May 1, 58; Elmer James Vance, Dony, May 2, 15 years; Fred Smotherman (colored), Weeksbury, May 4, 37 years; Rebecca Martin, April 28, Harold, 74 years; James B. Shipman, May 7, Hueysville, 56; George Stone, April 22, Brainard, 85 years; Edward H. Wells, April 21, Prestonsburg, 39 years.

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WARD LOSES JUDGESHIP

IS HELD GUILTY OF VIOLATING ELECTION LAW

Frankfort, Ky., May 17—Republican Sam M. Ward today lost his fight to retain the judgeship of the Thirty-third Judicial District, Perry and Leslie Counties, when the Court of Appeals declared he had violated the Corrupt Practices act in the 1939 election.

The office must be filled by gubernatorial appointment, as the court also denied the appeal of K. N. Salyer, Ward's Democratic opponent, that he be declared the winner.

Judges Henry J. Tilford and Will H. Fulton dissented from Commissioner Porter Sims' majority opinion, although they delivered no opinions. The whole court, with the exception of Judge W. H. Rees, who is ill, considered the case.

The court held Ward violated the Corrupt Practice act in "bribing" Jay Feltner and Elim Williams, and added that since "one violation of the act" was sufficient to deprive a person of office, "we will forego a discussion of the other instances referred to."

Ward who had gained the nomination after the court had sustained corruption charges against his primary opponent, J. A. Smith, received a majority of 413 votes over Salyer. Ward continued to serve as judge during this court test.

Denying Salyer's request that the Leslie county vote be thrown out, the court said, "We decline to disfranchise the voters of Leslie county on account of some irregularities in its officers, since we are confident the integrity of the ballots has been preserved."

Citing the testimony of Williams that Ward gave him 15 \$1 bills to spend in "helping" him win the election (which Ward denied), the court observed:

"We have often thought that most bribers of voters operated in an indirect manner, such as paying for the day lost at the polls, or for some fictitious services performed, or to be performed, rather than to come out boldly and buy a voter the same as he would buy a hog, a mule or a cow."

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WPA Adult Education Program Statistics Are Released

The WPA Adult Education program has proved that the classes have caused increased school attendance, according to statistics released by the department. In one community the highest percentage of attendance in the regular school system was 68, but after classes for adults had been started the attendance reached 88 within a few months.

In the United States 29,000 teachers of Adult Education are teaching 1,050,000 students. There are 1,494 nursery teachers with 44,190 children enrolled throughout the nation. Employed in the state of Kentucky are 530 WPA Adult Education teachers, instructing 1,900 classes of adults with an enrollment of 27,899. There are 42 nursery schools in the state with an enrollment of 1,178. The adult education program in Kentucky has actually provided educational opportunities for 289,205 adults and decreased illiteracy by something like 26,000. It has assisted 1,339 to jobs as results of the training received in this work. This program has also provided training in leadership; improved health of nursery school children; improved home conditions; provided health and first aid training; provided cultural and academic classes for thousands who felt a need for this type of training and made possible the training of teachers in special methods and techniques of teaching adults and nursery school children. Our own county is receiving these and many other services from the WPA Education Program.

BOLDMAN BOWS TO COAL RUN

IN BEAVER VALLEY LEAGUE GAME SUNDAY

Behind the five-hit pitching of Smith, the Coal Run baseball team shut out Boldman, 10-0, Sunday afternoon at Coal Run before a crowd of 800. Both teams are members of the Beaver Valley League.

Coal Run scored two runs in the second inning, and continued to tally all through the game.

Boldman threatened to score in the sixth inning, when Smith gave a hit and two walks to load the bases with none out. He struck out Harmon, then A. Pelfrey made a shoe-string catch of J. Caldwell's drive to right field, holding the runners to their bases. Smith then sat Etzig down on strikes, to end the frame.

The box score:

COAL RUN	A	B	R	H	E
Cecil, ss.	4	1	1	0	0
H. Hamilton, c.	4	1	2	0	0
J. Ratliff, cf.	4	1	0	0	0
A. Pelfrey, rf.	5	1	1	0	0
C. Ratliff, 2b.	5	1	1	0	0
D. Ratliff, lf.	4	1	1	0	0
How. Hamilton, 2b.	1	0	0	0	0
I. Hamilton, 3b.	4	1	1	1	0
Smith, p.	4	0	0	0	0
Totals	38	10	9	1	0

BOLDMAN	A	B	R	H	E
R. Caldwell, 2b.	4	0	1	0	0
O. Caldwell, ss.	3	0	1	2	0
Goodman, c.	3	0	0	0	0
Harman, lb.	4	0	0	2	0
J. Caldwell, rf.	4	0	1	0	0
Etzig, cf.	4	0	0	0	0
H. Mullins, lf.	4	0	1	1	0
Damron, 3b.	4	0	1	1	0
Hunt, p.	1	0	0	0	0
T. Mullins, p.	2	0	0	0	0
Totals	33	0	5	5	0

THE GARDEN

(By JOHN S. GARDNER
 Kentucky College of Agriculture)

MEXICAN BEAN BEETLE AND STRIPED CUCUMBER BEETLE

These two insects are discussed together because they have in common one characteristic, that ofadroitness. However, both are easily outwitted by the gardener who is willing to follow to the letter the control method worked out by the Experiment Station.

Several things make the bean beetle more difficult to stop than other insects. One is that all its feeding is done on the under side of the foliage, but a sprayer or a duster with an up-turned nozzle easily puts the control material where it is effective.

Another is the speed with which this insect multiplies. Few gardeners become even aware of its presence before the leaves are in great measure destroyed. So, the thing to do is to use the sign of the first egg-cluster as a signal to give the first spraying. Thus, the eggs that are there, and those that will be laid, are surrounded with poison easily accessible to the tiny larvae as soon as they hatch. One day do not wait until the leaves are hewed into lace curtain designs.

Still another difficulty, though a minor one, is that because of the tenderness of bean leaves, one is restricted to using magnesium arsenate for sprays, and calcium arsenate, for dusts.

Thus, control of the bean beetle is summed up as follows (and, see Kentucky Circulars 257 and 343):

1. Use only SAFE materials.
2. Use apparatus with UPTURNED nozzles.
3. Start when the FIRST eggs appear and repeat in TEN days, after the last eggs have been laid.

If dusting or spraying must be done after pods have formed, no arsenicals should be used, but ONLY rotenone, deadly to insects but harmless to humans.

As for the cucumber beetle, its adroitness lies in that its damage becomes apparent so long after it has been done, quite too late to remedy it. The complaint is every year statewide that cucumbers and the others of that family "die overnight." That they die is true, but the dying actually begins when the first seedlings begin breaking through. Then it is that the adult beetles lay eggs among the seedlings, hatching out pink, brown-headed larvae that begin immediately to feed. Some seedlings are destroyed outright, but others whose side roots are partly consumed manage to get along until the tops have reached the feeding limits of the remaining roots, but then die.

Now, inasmuch as the danger time is when the seedlings are beginning to come up, that is the time control should be begun, too. This is to dust the middles of the hills when first the soil begins to heave, and at least five time more, three days apart. The dust is made of gypsum ("Fibre Plaster" at building material dealers) and calcium arsenate, 16 parts to 1. The "fibre" need not be screened out, for the dust is applied not through a dust gun but sifted on through a sack of tobacco canvas or other loose material. Up to 20 dustings, all three days apart, have been found to pay.

More detailed information as to cucumber beetle control is found in Kentucky Circulars 262 and 343, obtainable from the county agent, or direct from the College of Agriculture, Lexington. All circulars are free for the asking.



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BEVINSVILLE

Leonard Little and Charles Bates spent Monday in Clear Creek on business.

Mrs. Robert Hopkins and daughter, Carolyn Sue, spent Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. Hargus Hall, Salisbury.

Earl and Gladys Hall had a minor automobile accident at Clear Creek Tuesday night, due to a "blow-out."

Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Hall spent the week-end in Knott county, guests of Mrs. Hall's relatives.

Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Osborne were Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Osborne, Miss Frances Osborne, Mr. and Mrs. I. B. Johnson and son, Billie.

Marion Hall, Mrs. Melvin Hall, and Mrs. Charles E. Rice and son, Charles Jerry, spent Saturday in Prestonsburg.

Mrs. Wesley Hall and children, Martin, were Sunday morning guests of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Hall.

Mr. and Mrs. Graden Hall and family spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Hall, of Caney.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Osborne spent the week-end with Mrs. Osborne's parents at Wheelwright.

Seven northern counties were represented among 95 young men and women attending a district Utopia Club conference at Warsaw. The 1940 program was discussed and a banquet was given by the Parent-Teachers' Association at the conclusion of the meeting.

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BROADWAY THEATRE IN PRESTONSBURG

FRIDAY AND SATURDAY—
DOUBLE FEATURE—
"Big Town Czar"
Barton MacLane, Tom Brown.

"Texas Stage Coach"
Charles Starrett.

SERIAL—
"The Shadow"

SATURDAY 10 P. M. and SUNDAY and MONDAY—
"That Certain Age"
Deanna Durbin, Melvyn Douglas, Jackie Cooper.

TUESDAY—
"The Long Shot"
Gordon Jones, Marsha Hunt. (All-Star Comedy).
Play LUCKY

WEDNESDAY-THURSDAY—
"Irish Luck"
Frankie Darrow, Lillian Elliott, Dick Purcell.

COMING JUNE 2—
"Doctor Takes a Wife"
Loretta Young, Ray Milland.

Construction to Start

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floor will have a concrete subfloor. Toilets, showers and dressing rooms will be contained in the new structure, which is to be built near the present Wheelwright high school building.

The old graded school building at Allen, which was recently condemned as being unsafe and insanitary, has been razed by NYA labor and it will be replaced by a modern, two-story brick and tile structure. It will contain eight classrooms and an auditorium, which will seat 450. It will also have a study hall, so that departmental work can be employed. In this type of instruction the teachers handle certain subjects in several grades rather than all the subjects in a fewer number of grades.

A forced warm air heating system will be installed and there will be toilets on both floors.

Both buildings will be ready for occupancy by next September, Superintendent Hall said.

Middle Creek Man Slain

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Jack Shepherd. He is survived by his mother, Mrs. Molly Shepherd, and two brothers, Darb and Rufus Shepherd. Names of other brothers and sisters are unavailable.

Coroner Elliott Prater accompanied Dr. Davidson to Middle Creek for the autopsy.

TOWN-WORLD

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was the victim of a recent homicide. Wife died suddenly a few years ago. Three of his family have been slain—one son and two sons-in-laws. One son-in-law was killed in an auto wreck. Has, therefore, had 12 deaths in the family, four being violent.

"The idiotic daughter with him now is the prey of every vicious man who desires her. She goes away when her father is working or away and leaves her child alone and unfed for the greater part of a day, locked in the house.

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Heard at the baseball game: "This guy's a slugger—he really can hit—watch 'im! Throw it and duck, mister . . . Aw, the big bum—couldn't hit a baseball with a mattress! . . . Had chicken for dinner? That's why you're founin' 'em, huh? . . . 'Git him a basket! . . . Ditto 'A boss and a mask' . . . 'Boys, give that outfielder a drink to sober up on!' 'Wonder if I could sell some current Sunday School lessons to that bunch of Epworth Leaguers?' 'You're wound up—start runnin' down, you eight-day clock' . . . *?!*?!"

Talk about freedom of speech!

SMILE, PODNER, WHEN YOU SAY THAT!
Well, we've heard as much mountain lingo as the next one, have heard fellows cuss and rant till the atmosphere was blue, but never till we read the statement of a witness in the Tilsman Holbrook club-slaying on Jack's Creek had we heard anybody called what Clyde Taylor is accused of calling Holbrook and others present. Why, according to the witness, Taylor called them—"big-joint frogs!"

Floyd G. O. P. Meet

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T. Roberts, county chairman, convened the meeting, after which S. C. Ferguson was named temporary chairman and Noble Hobbs was elected temporary secretary.

Delegates selected to represent the party in this county at the district and state conventions are:

George T. Roberts, Prestonsburg; Sheriff Dial Salisbury, Langley; R. D. Spurlock, Printer; Lackey Salisbury, Garth; T. H. Dingus, W. B. Boyd and S. C. Ferguson, all of Prestonsburg; Noble Hobbs, Wayland; E. M. Parrish, Weeksbury; J. H. Nunnery, Wm. Dingus, Magistrate W. A. Willis, all of Prestonsburg; W. A. Stewart, Langley; Magistrate Joe Prater, Hueysville; Curtis Clarke, E. L. Allen and H. R. Burke, of Prestonsburg. The Rev. A. L. Allen, originally named as a delegate, was unable to attend the district and state conventions.

ABIGAIL THEATRE PRESTONSBURG, KY.

THURSDAY-FRIDAY—
"Waterloo Bridge"
Vivian Leigh, Robert Taylor.

SATURDAY—
"Bullet Code"
George O'Brien.

SATURDAY, 3 and 10 P. M.—
"Invisible Stripes"
Geo. Raft, Fay Holden, May Robson.

SUNDAY AND MONDAY—
"Virginia City"
Errol Flynn, Miriam Hopkins, Randolph Scott.

TUESDAY AND WEDNESDAY—
"Doctor Cyclops"
In Technicolor.

THURSDAY-FRIDAY,
"Edison, The Man"
Spencer Tracy, Rita Johnson.

PATTY THEATRE (Next Door to Abigail)

THURSDAY AND FRIDAY,
DOUBLE FEATURE—
"Little Orphan Annie"
—AND—
"Tear Gas Squad"

SATURDAY—
"Lure of the Wastelands"

SUNDAY-MONDAY—
"Over the Moon"
Merle Oberon (in Technicolor)

TUESDAY-WEDNESDAY—
DOUBLE FEATURE—
"Ride a Crooked Mile"
—AND—
"Half a Sinner"

NOTICE

Gus Carlos is making application for license to sell whisky at retail by the package at his place of business, located in the Hall building, Allen, Ky., and publishes this notice in accordance with state law. 5-23-2t

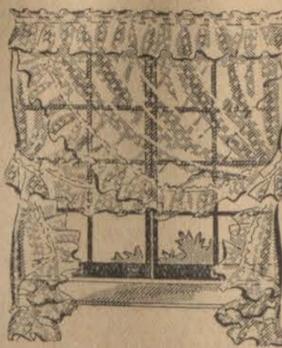
JEWELRY SHOP IS MOVED TO NEW LOCATION

The Leete Jewelry Shop is this week being moved from its old location in the basement of the Bank Josephine building to the building formerly occupied by the Mary Rose Shop on Court street. A flower department also will be operated in conjunction with the jewelry shop in its new location.

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Eight Kentuckians, two of whom are Floyd countians, are among the 156 midshipmen composing one of the largest senior classes in the history of the Naval Academy who are candidates for graduation June 6.

Members of the senior or first class will not know whether they are successful in their quest for diplomas until early in June. Final examinations begin May 19 and May 25.

Kentuckians seeking diplomas are: Louis Harkney Mayo, Prestonsburg; Carthel Hill Smith, Jr., Prestonsburg; Alonzo Holbrook Wellman, Jr., Pikeville; John Henry Claggett, Bowling Green; Norman Ingvar Lee, Jr., Maysville; Allen Percy Cook, Jr., Mayfield; Charles Mills Wood, Jr., Princeton; Manley Conroy Osborne, Williams-town.

Fiscal Court Imposes Fees On Retailers Of Liquor, Beer

License fees on beer and whisky retailers were imposed by the Floyd fiscal court at its meeting here Tuesday morning, and at the same time the county cancelled its purchase of two trucks for use in highway work.

The whisky license fee was set at \$100 per year; the beer license, at \$20. Annual licenses are to extend from July 1 to June 30. Licenses procured for a period less than a year are to be paid on the basis of the number of months remaining in the fiscal

year. Purchase of two heavy-duty Federal trucks was voided by the court on the stated grounds that they did not meet the requirements and specifications as set out and filed in the bid submitted to the court.

COON DOG FIELD TRIAL SCHEDULED AT ALLEN

The Floyd County Fish and Game Protective Association will sponsor a coon dog field trial at the Beaver Valley Golf Course at Allen Sunday afternoon at one o'clock.

There will be a \$1 entry fee for each dog entered in the trial and prizes to be awarded include \$25 first tree, and \$15, first line.

MARTIN THEATRE "Where the Crowds Go" TUESDAY, MAY 28

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SUNDAY-MONDAY—
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—with—
Merle Oberon, George Brent, Pat O'Brien.

TUESDAY—
"Dr. Cyclops"
—with—
Albert Dekker, Janice Logan. 10 CENTS

WEDNESDAY—
"Congo Maisie"
—with—
Ann Sothern, John Carroll.

THURSDAY—
"21 Days Together"
—with—
Vivian (Scarlet O'Hara) Leigh, Laurence Olivier.

FRIDAY—
"The Honeymoon Is Over"
—with—
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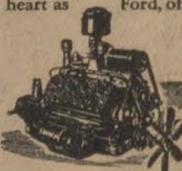
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