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## INLAND GAS CORP., KENTUCKY FUEL IN RECEIVER'S HANDS

Liabilities Aggregate \$12-500,000, Creditors Alleged in Action Tuesday

### OPERATIONS CONTINUE

With liabilities aggregating more than \$12,500,000, the Inland Gas Corporation and the Kentucky Fuel Gas Corporation, affiliated companies having extensive holdings in Floyd and other Kentucky counties, were placed in receivership on Tuesday of this week.

The two companies are in receivership as the result of actions instituted by creditors represented by Brownell & Bond, of Ashland, W. Va. Lookout, former president of both companies, was named receiver for both companies, with Caldwell & Gray, of Ashland, his attorney.

These corporations, which are affiliated and have operated under identical management since the Ashland, Ky. National Bank building have extensive gas properties in twelve counties of Eastern Kentucky, particularly in the Big Sandy valley, and in Inland, Carter and Greenup counties and are supplying gas to cities and through subsidiaries, the largest industrial plants in the Tri State area, including the plants of the American Rolling Mills, Ashland, W. Va. The companies and Peoples Natural Company in Ashland, the General Refractories Company and Harrison Walker Company in Olive Hill, the Jeffco Development Co. at Kenova, and the International Nickel Co. and various other industries at Inman and Inman, in the Kentucky Fuel Gas Corporation's principal production is in Floyd and Carter counties, on gas properties previously purchased from the American Rolling Mills Company with the Inland process development. The Inland and Carter counties from which a large pipe line was constructed to Ashland two years ago.

From the receipt of the application for receivership and previous financial statements, which is an intricate task, the receiver has been able to identify the various properties, and heavy investment charges and sinking fund requirements to carry this funded debt in addition to current operating expenses. This company has a long history of business depression which has existed for the past year, and which reduced the industrial gas markets to approximately one-third of the normal consumption to the Inland area. This year's operations were curtailed by a financial crisis in which they were unable to meet their current obligations.

As stated in the application, the Kentucky Gas Corporation has outstanding a first mortgage bond issue of approximately \$3,000,000, and \$847,000 of debentures, in addition to a purchase money liability of \$10,000,000 owing to the American Rolling Mills Company. An installment of principal on the first mortgage, which fell due December 1 and was defaulted, is reported to have precipitated the receivership proceedings.

It is alleged that the Inland Gas Corporation has outstanding first mortgage bonds aggregating approximately \$4,307,000, and a second mortgage bonds \$1,438,500 of debentures and an additional \$400,000 of short term notes, making the total funded debts of the Inland aggregate approximately \$6,145,500, while the total funded debt of the Kentucky Fuel Gas Company is alleged to aggregate \$4,870,100, in addition to which current unfunded obligations of Inland are listed at approximately \$1,132,212.39, and the unfunded obligations of the Kentucky Fuel Gas Corporation listed at approximately \$332,627.53. The total obligations of the combined companies, thus aggregating over \$12,500,000, according to the allegations of the application. It is alleged that the book value of these corporations as carried on their balance sheet, exceeds their total liabilities, but that both corporations are insolvent.

## JOHN CRAFT FOUND MYSTERIOUSLY KILLED

Last Thursday night John Craft, son of Cecil Craft, was, so far as is now known, mysteriously shot and killed on the bank of Stanger branch of Backstone, the Friday morning following. John was, at the time, on the night boat to town and reported that on the night before his brother and himself had gone to the bank of the branch and intended to go into the woods on a "possum hunt"; that he left his brother near an old house and went to a home nearby for some purpose, expecting to return soon, and that he intended to go to the place where he left his brother, called about for him, but he supposed he had grown tired of waiting and left. He then, according to his story, returned to the bank house, and stayed all night. The next morning, he found his brother lying on the ground near where he had left him the night before, dead, and shot in a number of places. He gave the alarm and a number of persons gathered to see the shooting and to bring the body to the coroner's office. The coroner's jury decided that the man had come in from a house or other building, and had shot himself. The coroner's jury also decided that the man had come from a house or other building, and had shot himself. The coroner's jury also decided that the man had come from a house or other building, and had shot himself.

## CLUB MEETING HELD MONDAY

The Business and Professional Club held its regular business meeting Monday evening, December 1, at the Hotel Elizabeth, Mrs. Winnie F. Johns, president presiding.

This was a very interesting meeting, quite a bit of business being transacted. The annual New Year's dance sponsored by the club was discussed and committees were appointed by the president to begin making their plans. The dry court club was also discussed. As it was impossible for the chairman to have a troop meeting before Christmas, it was necessary to elect a vice-chairman. Miss Virgie Mcintosh was elected vice-chairman and called a meeting of the troop committee for Tuesday evening, December 2.

The Business and Professional Woman's Club is sponsoring the presentation of the Future Timbers tree, December 8. The proceeds of this picture will go to help provide Christmas baskets for the poor of the community. This is a most worthy cause and it is hoped everyone will help by contributing to the drive.

The picture to be shown is "Romance," starring Greta Garbo. Mrs. M. J. Loebe is chairman of the ticket sale committee.

## CARRETT STORE FILES BANKRUPTCY PETITION

Mrs. Anna Case, owner of a Carrrett store, filed a petition in bankruptcy November 27 in the office of the federal clerk at Chattanooga through her attorney, John W. Caudill, of this place.

Mrs. Case listed liabilities at \$2,280.34 and assets at \$1,494.57. She says she is not for sale.

## MAYO TRAIL TO BE OPENED ON DEC. 12

The Mayo Trail between Prestonsburg and Fairsville will be opened to traffic on Friday, December 12, it was announced this week.

This section of the trail has been closed for the past several weeks by the concrete surfacing work being made at Prestonsburg. However, almost immediately after this time matter has been covered over two days, one via Aukler, the other via Middle Creek, both of which are dirt roads, although impassable during wet weather.

## Officer's Bullet Hits Horse as Arrest Suspect

Wayland, Ky., Dec. 1 (Sp.)—An incident which had a flavor of the fantastic, almost unbelievable in nature, when the town marshal here attempted to arrest Otto Gibson, who it was believed, was intoxicated. Thinking that Gibson was drawing a gun, the officer drew, and as Gibson seized his horse, the marshal's revolver was, accidentally discharged. The bullet struck the horse, in the neck inflicting a slight wound.

## Knott Countians Taken On Shooting Charge

John Moore, a resident of Knott county, was arrested near New Lee, Knott county, Saturday, and charged with the shooting and slaying of Frank Fairdon, a 21-year-old Knott county boy, at Whitesburg, who is a pending investigation.

## PLANS AD PROGRAM

Mr. Bell, advertising manager of the Midland Stores, was here Saturday, working with the local Midland Store and planning the store's Christmas advertising program.

## NAME WITHHELD

A small-sized menagerie has been started in the Francis Cook Store with a rabbit and three snakes plus attracting attention. Name of the caretaker is being withheld upon his threats.

## ARM BROKEN

Ernest Hays, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Hays, sustained a broken right arm here Tuesday morning when he fell from a tree.

## TWENTY MEN IN BRIDGE MISHAP

West Liberty, Ky., Dec. 1.—Twenty men were precipitated twenty feet into Licking River, six being seriously injured and the others slightly, following the collapse of concrete forms and a platform at the new \$40,000 bridge under construction here.

Those seriously injured and taken to the hospital of Dr. R. S. Hawks were Vernon Goelzer, 23 years old; Dewey Conrill, 35; Boyd Stutz, 30; George Johnson, 24; William Roberts, 28; and Earl Shortz, 25.

A large concrete mixer fell with the forms and platform. Before it reached the water there was 10 feet of water in the river and none of the victims was forced to swim for his life.

Those seriously injured were caught up by the other 100 men working on the project. Stretcher were hurried to carry the injured to the hospital.

The bridge is being built under the auspices of the Highway Department across the Licking river on Hartness highway No. 40.

## RELIEF PLAN OF STATE RESTS ON COUNTY JUDGES

Frankfort, Ky.—The county judge is to be the key-man in the organization of the Kentucky Relief Fund. The Relief Committee which was perfected here last week by Governor Flen D. Sampson. It will be through the supervision, direction and cooperation of the county judge that the various county units will be organized.

Governor Sampson expects the organization completed by December 1.

The committee outlined its aims as follows:

- 1. Promoting employment in private industry and business, in necessary public work and in work around or within the homes. Emphasis should be placed upon the employment of those with dependents, and placing the work among the employes, within a firm, through shorter weeks, or reduced hours, rather than to lay off some of the employes.
- 2. Assisting local authorities and other in providing public or private funds for so-called "relief" work as public undertakings, rather than "charitable" relief.
- 3. Devising locally sound means whereby character loans will be made available in case of necessity, either by employers individually, by a county-wide group, or from some special fund created for that purpose. Small loans, without collateral security will, in many cases, assist greatly in enabling workers to maintain their self-reliance through this period of adversity.
- 4. Seeing that, as far as possible, existing local relief organizations exist, and there is need for such work, seeing that some organizations are being duplicated.

## C. & O. CONDUCTOR DIES AT PIKEVILLE

R. H. Hunter, 30 years old, Chesapeake and Ohio Railway Company conductor, died November 20 at the Methodist hospital, Pikeville, after an illness of two months.

Mr. Hunter was an excellent man, and was well-known in this section. He was a member of the M. E. Church. He is survived by his mother, Mrs. J. C. Hunter, his widow, and Mrs. Maxine Hunter, one son, Foster, with a capital stock of \$23,000, and H. Hunter, brother and sister, two wells are being begun on Middle creek; M. M. Hunter and Lou Hunter, Creek, near Pyramid.

## NEW GAS CORPORATION BEGINS TWO WELLS

Organization of the Francis Day Oil & Gas Company has been effected. The company has a capital stock of \$250,000. The first well is being begun on Middle creek, near Pyramid.

## GIRL SCOUT MOVEMENT HERE VERY SUCCESSFUL

In midsummer of 1930 the idea of a Girl Scout Troop was conceived here by members of the Business and Professional Woman's Club, with the idea in mind of building and diverting the lives of local girls from 10 to 18 years of age.

The first meeting of the members of other women's clubs to lend their interest and assistance in this matter. A committee from each of the following clubs came together to form a Troop committee: The Daughters of the American Revolution, Parents Teacher Association, United Daughters of the Confederacy, Business and Professional Woman's Club, the Woman's Club. Names of individuals forming the Troop committee were: Josephine Davidson, and Miss Violet Yates. Others added to this number were: Mrs. E. J. Johns, Mrs. Chabun Leete, Mrs. E. S. Miles, Mrs. W. C. Rimmer, Mrs. Sally Humphreys, Mrs. George Alper, Mrs. Curtis May, Mrs. J. H. Hays, Mrs. J. H. Hays, Mrs. J. H. Hays.

After four months, of fun and work with the girls, the captain found it necessary to tender her resignation, which was accepted, with the hope of securing some one else who would accept this responsibility. For this reason there has been a break in the regular work of the Troop but Miss May Kinney and Miss Frances Elmer, teachers here, have consented to undertake this work together. These interested "experts" have two young women to carry the work forward in a splendid way.

## TO GO TO NEVADA

W. T. Mellon and family plan to leave within the next few days for Hatfield Run, Nevada, where they expect to make permanent residence. Mr. Mellon just week sold his residence property here to John Stephens, superintendent of Floyd county schools. At Boulder Dam Mr. Mellon will be engaged as a building contractor in the vast construction program being sponsored by the federal government.

## Morell Supply Sponsors Independent Net Team

Basketball uniforms for the net team to be sponsored here this season by the Morell Supply Company have arrived and tryouts for the team will be held soon, it is said. The team will be coached by Julian C. Harlow, allstate player, while a member of the Berea College tri who will also be a player.

## ENTERTAIN HERE TO DELIGHTFUL PARTY

Misses Margaret Olive and May Kinney, Prestonsburg high school faculty members, entertained on Saturday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Mark Runniger, on Second avenue. Games and music were enjoyable features of the evening.

Delicious refreshments were served to Misses Dorothy van Bucken, Ruth Francis, Ruby Burdett, Maude Ruppel, Grace Harter, Violet Stansbury, Louie Dugan, Edith Lee Jesse and Beulah Month, Flat Gap, Ky., and Alice Harris, Hardy, Ky.

## INGRAM STEPP CONVICTED IN DUAL KILLING

Jury's Verdict Provides Sentence of 21 Years in Pen

### TO APPEAL CASE

Approximately 20 hours after the fate of Ingram Stepp, 48 years old, prominent John Creek, farmer, was placed in its hands, a jury in the Floyd circuit court here, at 11 o'clock Wednesday morning, adjudged Stepp guilty of manslaughter and fixed his sentence at 21 years in the penitentiary for the slaying of Johnny Willie Clay, brother, on Stepp's Creek, this county, October 26.

Defense counsel started Wednesday, immediately following the jury's report, that the case would be appealed.

The convicted man is the only survivor of one of Floyd county's largest and most dramatic fire wars. After his son, Floyd Stepp, 22, and Willie Clay, 21, had shot and fatally wounded one another at the home of Jack Lattery on Stepp's Creek, Ingram Stepp a few hours later shot and instantly killed the Clay.

The commonwealth in the trial, which began on Friday of last week, offered testimony of six or seven witnesses to the effect that when Ingram Stepp entered the Lattery home, in a room of which both his son and his adversary lay wounded, he shot and killed Johnny Clay, whose body arose from the bed, his brother's head and stopped back, then, turning, fired a bullet through the brain of Willie Clay as the latter lay wounded.

Defense counsel offered the testimony of the defendant, which was corroborated by that of three witnesses summoned but not used by the commonwealth. Their version of the shooting of the brothers follows: In brief:

Learning of his son being wounded, Ingram Stepp went to the Lattery home, where he asked a crowd of bystanders where was the boy who shot his son. Some only said, "He's about 200 yards out," and other Stepp, entering the room where the wounded youths lay, Stepp found Johnny Clay sitting on the side of his brother's bed. Upon the entrance of Stepp, Johnny Clay jumped up, drew his revolver and showed Ingram Stepp. The defendant then fired, killing Johnny Clay. Turning, he saw Willie Clay pushing the cover and, as Stepp believed, attempting to bring a pistol into play. There he fired the shot which killed Willie Clay.

## TWO NEW STORES TO LOCATE HERE

Prestonsburg is to have two more stores. It was announced this week, H. Wells, Pikeville merchant, and Andrew Hatfield of Hazard, will be proprietors of these new enterprises, the former to establish an exclusive men's furnishings shop in the new Anker building on First avenue. Mr. Hatfield will be located in the Harkins building on the corner of Second street and First avenue, and will conduct a "Wiggle" store.

Both stores expect to open about January 1. The Harkins building is now being re-modeled and enlarged for the occupancy of the "Wiggle" store.

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COMMISSIONER'S SALE

Commonwealth of Kentucky, FLOYD CIRCUIT COURT

Dr. W. L. Stumbo and R. L. C. May, Plaintiffs

NOTICE OF SALE

By virtue of a judgment and order of sale of the Floyd Circuit Court rendered at the November term thereof, 1929, in the above cause, for the sum of \$1853.27 which includes interest and cost to Dec. 22, 1930, until paid, and its cost herein I shall proceed to offer for sale at the court house door in the city of Prestonsburg, Kentucky, to the highest bidder, at public auction on the 22nd day of December, 1930, at one o'clock p. m., or thereabout, upon a credit of six months, the following described property, to-wit: (Purchaser may buy cash, at his option at the sale or before maturity with interest accrued to day of payment.)

The property to be sold consists of the lots out from 123 trees mentioned and referred to in the certain contract of sale entered into between James Williams and O. L. Hunter Lumber Company, bearing date September 11, 1929, a copy of which is attached to the petition in this cause and is referred to for further description. Said lots are situated on Prater Creek, a tributary of Big Sandy river, in Floyd county, Ky.

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COMMISSIONER'S SALE

Commonwealth of Kentucky, FLOYD CIRCUIT COURT

O. L. Starnard Dry Goods Company, Plaintiff

NOTICE OF SALE

By virtue of a judgment and order of sale of the Floyd Circuit Court rendered at the November term thereof, 1929, in the above cause, for the sum of \$221.95, which includes interest and cost to Dec. 22, 1930, until paid, I shall proceed to offer for sale at the court house door in the city of Prestonsburg, Kentucky, to the highest and best bidder, at public auction on the 22nd day of December, 1930, at 1 o'clock p. m., or thereabout, upon a credit of six months, the following described property, to-wit:

Let's Nos. 40 and 41 in the T. A. Bates subdivision of Wheeler, Ky., a map of which subdivision is now on file in the Floyd county clerk's office, and being the same property conveyed to J. S. Franklin and wife by T. A. Bates, deed dated December 18, 1924, recorded in deed book No. 71, page 117, Floyd county clerk's office.

COMMISSIONER'S SALE

Commonwealth of Kentucky, FLOYD CIRCUIT COURT

James Williams, Plaintiff

NOTICE OF SALE

By virtue of a judgment and order of sale of the Floyd Circuit Court rendered at the November term thereof, 1929, in the above cause, for the sum of \$76.35, which includes interest and cost to Dec. 22, 1930, until paid, I shall proceed to offer for sale at the court house door in the city of Prestonsburg, Kentucky, to the highest bidder, at public auction on the 22nd day of December, 1930, at one o'clock p. m., or thereabout, upon a credit of six months, the following described property, to-wit:

COMMISSIONER'S SALE

Commonwealth of Kentucky, FLOYD CIRCUIT COURT

J. S. Franklin & Co., Plaintiff

THE LANDS OF T. A. BATES AND WILL TAKE, OR NEAR THEREBY.

By virtue of a judgment and order of sale of the Floyd Circuit Court rendered at the November term thereof, 1929, in the above cause, for the sum of \$25.22, which includes interest and cost to Dec. 22, 1930, until paid, I shall proceed to offer for sale at the court house door in the city of Prestonsburg, Kentucky, to the highest bidder, at public auction on the 22nd day of December, 1930, at one o'clock p. m., or thereabout, upon a credit of six months, the following described property, to-wit:

A house and tract of land situated on Left Beaver Creek, Floyd county, Ky., at Melvin, Ky., joined by the lands of Lee Stewart and T. A. Bates and the Chesapeake and Ohio Railway Company.

COMMISSIONER'S SALE

Commonwealth of Kentucky, FLOYD CIRCUIT COURT

M. M. Moore & Co., Plaintiff

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Commonwealth of Kentucky, FLOYD CIRCUIT COURT

R. L. Conley, Plaintiff

NOTICE OF SALE

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Commonwealth of Kentucky, FLOYD CIRCUIT COURT

Albert Hall and Mrs. Albert Hall, Defendants

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COMMISSIONER'S SALE

Commonwealth of Kentucky, FLOYD CIRCUIT COURT

Newton Moore and Monroe Moore, Defendants

NOTICE OF SALE

By virtue of Execution No. 2518, which issued to me from the office of the clerk of the Floyd Circuit Court, on October 17, 1930, and which came to my hand on October 17, 1930, at the hour of 9 o'clock a. m., in favor of the Beaver Valley Wholesale Company against Newton Moore and Monroe Moore, I, or one of my deputies will, on Monday, December 8, 1930, at the 11 o'clock a. m. in the court house door in the city of Prestonsburg, Floyd county, Kentucky, sell by public sale, to the highest bidder, the following described property, or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy plaintiff's debt, to-wit: the highest and best bidder, on a credit of six and twelve months from day of sale, the purchaser giving bond with good and sufficient surety to pay the force and effect of a judgment which execution may issue in my favor. Said property is described as follows: Amount to be made, \$292.83.

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Witness my hand this 2 day of December, 1930. R. L. STUBBINS, Sheriff Floyd County. By W. D. MARTIN, D. S. Newspaper advertising \$15.00

WARCO

Mrs. H. G. Higgins, of Warco, arrested home last Saturday from two weeks visit with her daughter Miss W. E. Lucas, of Huntington, W. Va. Johnnie Young, of West Virginia, arrived here last week and will be employed here. Tom Maynard, of Staunton, Virginia, attended the picnic at Martinsburg Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Lucas of Huntington, W. Va. will drive home Saturday for a few days visit with Mrs. and Mr. H. G. Higgins.

ADVERTISEMENT OF SALE UNDER EXECUTION

SHERIFF'S SALE

By virtue of execution No. 2527, directed to me, which is, what from the clerk of the Floyd Circuit Court in favor of J. Reynolds, Erick Company and K. Moore, against Hawk Moore, J., one of my deputies will, on Monday, the 29th day of December, 1930, between the hours of 10 o'clock a. m. and 1 o'clock p. m. at the court house door in Prestonsburg, Floyd county, Ky., expose to public sale to the highest and best bidder, the following property, or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy plaintiff's debt, interest and cost, to-wit: All the right, title and interest in and to that certain tract or parcel of land lying and being in Floyd county, Kentucky, of Right Beaver Creek, on Steele's Creek, bounded and described as follows:

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Words Can't Describe Good Karnak Did Me

"I just know there is nobody in all the world happier than I about this wonderful medicine, Karnak. I have taken all kinds of medicines and treatments in the past ten years trying to get some relief from my suffering, but nothing helped me until I began Karnak. "Oh, how I suffered with stomach trouble. Why I was almost a nervous wreck from it. I had no appetite to drink my food. God just didn't have any taste to me. But even though I would only eat the highest kind of things, I would suffer just the same. "I had just lost all my strength and at times I would feel so weak I could hardly walk across the room. "I was so nervous and restless I couldn't get any sleep to amount to anything, and in the morning I could hardly get myself out of bed. It began to look mighty blue for me. I had been changed everything. It is too grand for words."

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Less than a month separates Thanksgiving from Christmas. Soon the Christmas shopping rush begins.

Everybody catches the highly-contagious, time-honored and honorable spirit of the Yuletide. If you are one of those who fail at least to remember friends and relatives with Christmas greetings, you are sadly in the minority.

**Save money and get the best in Christmas greetings by inspecting and choosing from the three Greeting Card lines carried by us.**

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**Public School Honor Roll**

Continued from page one.  
First Grade, **Hilda Mae Harris**, Teacher.  
Sarah Clay Stephens, Frances Elizabeth Higgins, Betty Jean May, Emma Jean Poyser, George William Belcher, Buster Sisco, Burdva Clark, Frances Doll, Betty, Mildred Huff, Earl Patterson, Veletha Henrietta Osorio, Arnette Sumner, Rosie Irene Jesse.

**REAL BARGAINS**

WE HAVE DECIDED TO CLOSE OUT SEVERAL ITEMS AND ARE OFFERING:

- 44 Men's and Boys' suits at actual cost, School tablets and note-book fillers..... 6 for 25c
- Boys' Overalls and Jackets, 6 to 16, suit ..... \$1.00
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- Double headed thermal pair ..... \$1.10
- Men's 16-inch lace boots ..... \$4.25 and \$4.75
- Men's Work Socks ..... 2 prs. 15c—3 prs. 25c
- Men's Work Shirts ..... 45c-55c-75c
- Children's Shoes ..... 90c-\$1.00-\$1.25

The working man's dollar has more cents here than at any other store in town. Our sale started March 1, and will continue 313 days in each year.

Come and get our prices and become a life customer of—

**DAYS ARMY & NAVY STORE**  
PRESTONSBURG, KENTUCKY



Sunnyfield  
**FLOUR**  
24 1-2 lb. sack 59c

Just Reduced  
to new low prices

- Kidney Beans bulk 2 lbs. 25c
- Reliable Shoe Peg Corn can 15c
- Prunes large meaty 3 lbs. 29c

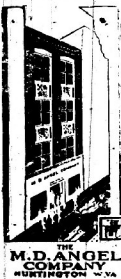
Fancy Muir Evaporated  
**Peaches** 2 lbs. 23c

- Milk White House 4 tall cans 29c
- Nutley Oleo 2 lbs. 25c

laundry soap 10 bars 35c  
**Octagon Soap** Crystal White 10 bars 35c

- Onions 50 lb. bag 89c
- Celery 2 stalks 25c
- Emperor Grapes 3 lbs. 29c
- Potatoes U. S. no. 1 peck 39c
- Cabbage solid heads lb 2c

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WRITE FOR FREE CHRISTMAS BOOKLET  
918-4th Ave.



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Second Grade, **Margaret Rose**, Teacher.  
Wanda Arlington, Susan Blackburn, Billy Burdett, Allee Gray Burke, Margerita Brambila, Kilian Combs, Edward Friend, Frank Hoines, John Huff, Alka Hopson, Lorraine Jarrell, Bill Paulby, Myrtle Jones, Jane Plares, Herbert Sallourey, Alfred Stephens, Ralph Sturill, S. C. White, Mary Woods, Patricia Rimmer.

Third Grade, **Margaret D. Collins**, Teacher.  
Mary Alice Bush, Maudie Clark, Billy Damm, Quentin Harris, Anna Louise Ingram, Mary Edna James, Homer Sparlock, Jr., Myrtle Joyce Smith, Laura Mae Stuplin, Mildred Jean Trickett.

Fourth Grade, **Edna N. Collins**, Teacher.  
Doris Dickerson, Buddy Fitzpatrick, Lorraine Osborne, Prudence Cooper, Mabel Boyd, Gladys Meehan, Foyette Sumner, William Francis, Charles, Berle Griffith.

Fifth Grade, **Jose B. Harris**, Teacher.  
Edward Coon, Eugene Holcomb, Albert Lloyd Hamilton, Nancy Craft, Harold Bramham, Dick Mow, Tom Graham Dingus, James Henry Hatcher, Dick Mayo Allen, Paul Churchill Combs, Virgil Griffith, Junior Epek, Maur Gibson, Edith Conroy, Robert Bramham, Sauria Bramham, Dixie Mae, Boney, Shirley Hager, Ruby Gay Banks, Betty Mae Tomblison, Margaret Stephens, Pauline Belcher, Mary Gibbs, Sturill.

Sixth Grade, **Anna Martin**, Teacher.  
Emma Jean Endicott, Marguerite May, Malia Hill, Mary Ball, Roland Burehett, Elder Goble, Laura Shannough, Shirlene Hager, Nellie Mae Craft, Ludie Goble, Fay Carpenter, Pauline Bedford, Sue Martha Baisdel.

Seventh Grade, **Betty Stephens**, Teacher.  
Arthur J. Archer, Woodrow Smith, Freda Alon, Hamilton, Nancy Powers, Anna Belle Woods, Doltha Wells, Edith Ester, Bess, Hamilton, Verdie Bloomer, Ethel Conley, Ethel Carter Powers, Mary Ruth Hopson, Samuel Goble.

Eighth Grade  
M. Stanley Collins, Robert Holcomb, Troy Shepherd, Ethel Mae Horn, Enlah Mae, Sumner, Ethel Mae Burke, Lavonne Patton, Lewis Harvey Mingo, Virginia Day, Francis Patton, Ruby Burke, Francis Howard, Heri Burke, John Calvin Hopwood, Jr., Jack Sallourey, Billie Morell, Agnes Harris, Meta Bramham.

**"OLD MAN POWERS"**

Old Man Powers—that's what Blacksmith Powers was familiarly called—was a victim of our mechanized progress. We are all victims in one way or another, but Mr. Powers was a pliable discard. The automobile flushed by his door every few seconds while he patiently labored over an occasional horseshoe. It was a fange, some day, he sat in the door of his little blacksmith shop on the Norton Coal Company place, with nothing to do, and watched the endless procession of cars—cars that had relegated him to the realm of the obsolete.

Old Man Powers was a cripple, who got about with the aid of a cane. And he was too old to learn the trade of auto mechanic. He could stand on his feet, but there was too much for him. His outlook was growing darker. "I've done it many times in days gone by, but only now and then of late. This new automobile job in his little shop beside the place where the cars went for repairs was his only hope. It was the only work that he could do. He had a pony with a pony to shoe. Old Man Powers, fondled his tool, lifted the pony's hoof, began to work. He had of a sudden Old Man Powers fell over. A stroke ended what the automobile had all but finished. And Old Man Powers, the Blacksmith—a sacrifice to progress—a progress in some respects, questionable—was removed from the scene of the living. Bruce



**Xmas for Baby**  
Wool Booties ..... 25c to 50c  
Cute Sweaters ..... \$1.00 up  
Knitted Caps ..... 50c up  
Baby Blankets ..... 98c up  
Hand made Dresses ..... 75c up

**Give Her Silk Hosiery**

Hosiery for gifts must be exquisitely sheer and of the smartest style. Midland's offer the styles now in demand of fine grade and fashionable shades.

A BOX of three pairs each of different shades or two pairs of sheer chiffon and one pair of service weight would make an admirable present.

**Xmas Hose at 89c, 98c, \$1.35, \$1.65**

DON'T FORGET THE CHILDREN  
Two styles in list ribbed hosiery and 3 shades black, pongee and sand, all sizes at our special price..... 19c



**House Slippers for Xmas**  
Every member of the family can and does use slippers. That's why they make such good GIFTS. Any color, and kind—felt or leather—we have them.  
**50c and up to \$2.50**



**MEN'S SCARFS**  
Silk mufflers in the better grades of Shantung, crepe and repp are presented in square or reffer styles. Plenty of colors and combinations at  
**98c and up**

**TIES FOR MEN**  
Silk Neckwear, all hand-tailored, comes to you in one of the finest showings of the season. Mogadores, Repps, Twills in colors and patterns at  
**\$1.00**



**Gift Shirts**  
Every man wears, and every man needs—SHIRTS. These are Shirts of the finer sort, tailored to a nicety, and offered in a brilliant assortment of colors and patterns.  
Broadcloths In pastel shades with collars attached. They're special \$1.00 and up  
White Shirts In madras or oxford cloth with collars attached \$1.00 and up

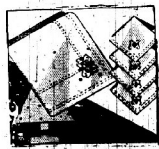
**GIFTS FOR BOYS**

High Top Boots best leather and styles the boys like \$3.50 to \$4.95  
**CAPS**  
New styles—new materials 48c—98c  
**GOLF HOSE**  
In excellent grade, colors and patterns at 25c pair  
**SWEATERS**  
Pullovers with round neck, that will turn rain, all or V-necks; in wool material. \$1.95  
**PRINT SHIRTS**  
In neat patterns. With collars attached. 79c  
**BOYS' RAINCOATS**  
new—won't leak. \$2.95 and up  
**BOYS' SHOES**  
Of guaranteed leather. Styles that will please. \$1 and up



**Handkerchiefs**

Dainty, sheer handkerchiefs in a score or more styles and handsomely boxed for holiday giving are presented in this very special offering. Plenty of whites and colors or combinations.  
3 in Box 25c  
50c  
98c PER BOX



PERSONALS

Dr. W. W. Richmond is ill at his home here.
Miss Beatrice Stumbo of Mallow...
Dr. and Mrs. J. T. Corbett and his...
Dr. W. J. Fitzpatrick, who has...
Mrs. M. G. Nichols, of Webster...
Sunday in a fall from a high...
Miss Alice Harris, who is reading...
Mrs. Violet Starnes of the Floyd...
NEW CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT PROPOSED

MORELL SUPPLY COMPANY

Offers You a Large Assortment of TOYS and GIFT ITEMS at lowest prices.

WATER COLORS for 10c 25c 50c \$1.00
TOY CORNETS 8 notes assorted colors, 50c
SPINNING TOPS In beautiful colors, 10c
PLAY BALLS for 10c 25c 50c \$1.00

CHILDREN'S WAGONS Bright red finish for 50c and \$1.00. Blue decorated for \$1.40.
TWIN DOLLS In basket. Both sleeping. for \$1.00
TOY HATCHETS Red painted for 10c

STUFFED HORSES 14 inches high. Very life-like. \$2.00
ROLLER BELL TOY 2 inch metal wheels, nicked gong. 26 inches long. Only 25c

WOODEN CANDLES Assorted colors pair, 50c
DOLL ON STORK A very attractive toy. Assorted colors. Only 50c.
ALUMINUM S.T.S OF EVERY PRICE, FOR 50c 75c \$1.00 \$1.50 \$2.00 \$2.50 \$3.00 \$4.25 \$12.50

Unbreakable Dolls Metallic head, assorted color dresses. Will CRY and SLEEP! A WONDER VALUE. \$1.00

These who favor such legislation do so because they believe...
Crime will be wiped when the people use their power to elect friends.

Makes Full Settlement On Policy of John Clay Commonwealth Life Ins. Co. Louisville, Ky.
Received through your agent H. F. Patton, \$811.92 in full settlement of death claim under policy No. 129277 on the life of my husband, John Clay.

NIGHT COUGHING QUICKLY RELIEVED FAMOUS PRESCRIPTION GIVES ALMOST INSTANT RELIEF
Night coughs or coughs caused by cold or by an irritated throat are usually due to conditions which are highly medicinal, do not reach. But the very first swallow of Thioxine, a doctor's prescription, is guaranteed to give almost instant relief.

His material this year was not equal, physically, to that of 1929. His spirit offset all physical handicaps. On a few occasions he has been severely handicapped by the failure of certain players to stick with the team, reducing the personnel of the squad.
The work of at least two members of the team has been outstanding and shared with the other players. In his work he has been a constant reminder of the old-time players. This work, done in a separate article.

the playoffs which has been presented by the...
But can it crush Southern California's gigantic line, and triumph over the handier units which they will be played by playing in an atmosphere in which they are not handicapped? If Notre Dame wins, this game will be down as the greatest of all.

One thing you can bet on: If Notre Dame and Southern California are even in the number of touchdowns, Notre Dame will win. Coaches will take care of the extra point business as usual.

DR. R. M. WILHITE, D. C., PH. C. CHIROPRACTOR
EIGHT YEARS OF PRACTICE IN PAINTSVILLE
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ACKNOWLEDGES CHECK FROM COMMONWEALTH Commonwealth Life Ins. Co., Louisville, Ky.
Received through your agent, H. F. Patton, \$1097.81 in full settlement of death claim under policy No. 129277 on the life of my husband, Tom Barrett.

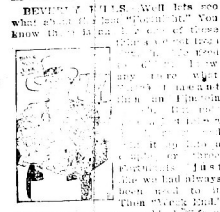
Oh what fun in Toyland
Making dreams of Christmas Eve come true.
PLAYTHINGS MUST HAVE QUALITY TO ENDURE YOUTH'S ENTHUSIASTIC USE—YOU CAN DEPEND ON THESE!
What child will not be pleased with a wagon?
The fun of riding—the benefit of exercise offered your child!
Padded seat without springs, rubber pedals, cushion rubber tires, beautifully stamped in apple green and stripes—Special price \$9.90. Others as low as \$2.50
All kinds of mechanical toys! Erector sets, steam shovels, tool box sets, grab buckets, tinker toys. Hours of pleasure for the child with these inexpensive toys.
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GIFTS TO PLEASE ANY CHILD!
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a complete line of Nunn-Bush - Florsheim SHOES AND OXFORDS
ALSO WITCH ELK BOOTS
SILVER STAMPED NUNN-BUSH OXFORDS, \$5 to \$6.98 pair. GOLD STAMPED, \$8 to \$10 pair. FLORSHEIM OXFORDS, ALL KINDS \$6.98 pair. WITCH ELK BOOTS, 16 inch tops, \$13.75 WITCH ELK BOOTS, 18 inch tops, \$15.00
We can save you money on your footwear. Every shoe in our store is guaranteed solid leather.
FRANCIS Under-STORE selling STORE
Prestonsburg, Kentucky
P. S.— WE LIVE UP TO OUR NAME.

HOT STOVE FUEL. Only the other day the Cincinnati Reds, in their announced reconstruction program, traded Evar Swanson, outfielder, to the minors.
These passes from the majors, at least temporarily, a youngster who, some day, may, and we believe will, make the Red management rue the transaction. Swanson, obviously an assets player, though he has never hit less than .300, in 1929 was, a sensational base runner and a fine defensive player. He is one of the fastest men in baseball, if not, indeed, the speediest.
A strange part of last season's play was, the failure of Swanson to steal bases as he did in 1929. What was wrong? He was as spry as ever. God knows the Red, needed everything, including stolen bases. Why, if at all, part of the Hooper system to keep Swanson anchored on base, or was Swanson held there by opposing pitchers and catchers. We believe the former reason prevailed.
It strikes me that the Reds might have done better by trading some of their baseball ancients and Rip van Wazels, and retaining Swanson.
A FIGHTING TEAM. With the old uniforms of the Prestonsburg Blackcats, sent in last week and the new mothballs necessary to their preservation came out. The season ended Thanksgiving Day quite pleasantly.
The Blackcats this year have been nobody's partridge. They were known throughout the valley as a fighting crew. Coach Harlow, in the first year of guiding the football department of a school, has done a



# WILL ROGERS



REMEMBER WILL ROGERS? Well, let me tell you what he is doing now. He is on his way to the States to see his folks and to see the folks of the States. He is on his way to the States to see his folks and to see the folks of the States.

There is a story we gathered up from our British relatives. "Will Rogers" was said to have returned to his native land after a long stay in Europe. He was said to have returned to his native land after a long stay in Europe.

We not only stole the word from the British but also the Americans in the old days. It was said that on Sunday, the same place they stayed on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday.

And when you are in a fix, you can't get any more out of the book. It is a book that is full of fun and it is a book that is full of fun.

Yea, Rogers has a remedy for all ills. He has a remedy for all ills. He has a remedy for all ills. He has a remedy for all ills.

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## Business Man Makes Strong Statement



ROBERT A. STRICK

Robert A. Strick, president of the Oklahoma and general manager of the Oklahoma Equipment Co., Oklahoma City, makes the following statement regarding the recent recovery of his health:

"I suffered for years with a bad case of stomach troubles as my man ever had. It was impossible for me to enjoy a meal without suffering. I was terribly rundown. My 'boobies' of Sargon made me feel like a new man. I have gained sixteen pounds and have as much energy and vitality as I had twenty years ago. I have never found anything to equal Sargon Soft Mass Pills. They regulated me perfectly." Medical Exam. Shop Agents.

**HIPPO**  
Mrs. Mae Dorsett, teacher here, was the successful guest of her parents, May and Mrs. Frank Dorsett, Physicians.

John G. Rollin was at Hippo Saturday.

Mrs. W. M. Hines was visiting Mrs. David Hicks Sunday.

## WHY SUFFER WITH HEMORRHOIDS (PILES)?

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Saddle and Harness Shop. All Shoes sent to my shop will be **sent back in 24 hours. I will pay postage one way.**

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**CHURCH ANNOUNCEMENT**  
Presbyterian Church  
Arnold T. Malmberg, Pastor  
Sunday Service  
Sunday School, 9:30 a. m.  
Morning worship, 10:45 a. m.  
Christian Endeavor, 6:30 p. m.  
Evening worship, 7:30 p. m.  
Prayer meeting Wednesday evening, 7:30 p. m.  
Everybody is cordially invited to attend these services.

**MILLINERY**  
Hats made or remodeled  
**HELEN DAUGHERTY**

## PYRAMID WOMAN DIES FRIDAY; ILL FEW DAYS

Hippo, Ky., Dec. 1 (Sp.)—Mrs. Winfield Castle of Pyramid, died at her home on Friday morning, Nov. 21. Mrs. Castle had been ill only three days. She is said to have succumbed to "flu." She was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John H. Reffler, of this place.

## MAD DOG BITES TWO TOTS ON COW CREEK

The Buffalo Creek section recently was the scene of considerable excitement when a mad dog ran riot in the neighborhood. After being a horse owned by Jerry Corbett and another owned by J. L. Lacey, it was pursued and shot by Mr. Lafayette Robison. The dog was a female, about 18 months old, and was very vicious. It was shot by Mr. Robison on Cow Creek.

## DAY WAGES CUT AT WEST GARRETT

Huesville, Ky., Dec. 2 (Sp.)—Wages of tippie employees of the Wells-Ellkorn Coal Company, of West Garrett, near here, were cut from \$11.52 cents to 28 cents per hour last week, the new scale going into effect Monday morning. One of the employees immediately quit. Wages of motormen and their helpers were also cut, but local helpers will receive the same pay as farmers.

## 'FRUDIN AND LARNEY' INTERESTS

Much interest is being shown in this section in "Frudin and Larney," a tract of 100 acres of Kentucky land, the title written by Curtis Evans, justice of Casey Creek and formerly a student at the Casey Creek Community Center, Elizabethtown, Ky. The Garrett consolidated school, near here, will present the play on December 11. Mr. Owens is a teacher in the Garrett school.

Mrs. Lewis Francis, of Hoffer, Ky., accompanied by her small son and W. Huff, here over the weekend. D. M. Allen, who has been a resident of Maytown for the past several months, has moved back to his home here.

## PRINTER

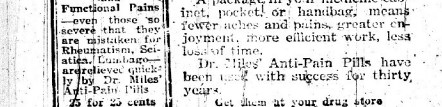
Misses Maggie Gibson and Nellie Martin were the Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Salisbury.

An enjoyable party was given at Siles Martin's Saturday night in honor of Miss Maggie Gibson. Those who attended were: Johnny Jones and Arthur Martin, J. Allen, Forrest Halbert, Lucy Martin, Willard L. King, Mr. and Mrs. Arch Barber, and others.

Misses Nellie Martin and Maggie Gibson are planning a Christmas party. They are expecting relatives from Oklahoma.

A. J. Salisbury of this place is building a new house.

E. B. Hall is now operating a saw mill.

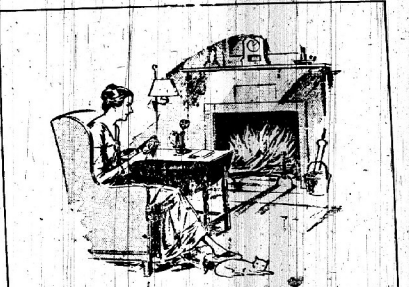


## DR. MILES' Anti-Pain Pills

When you are suffering

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Use Dr. Miles' Anti-Pain Pills for prompt relief. Muscular Pains and Functional Pains—even those so severe that they are mistaken for Rheumatism, Sciatica, Lumbago—are relieved quickly by Dr. Miles' Anti-Pain Pills.  
75 for 25 cents.

You want prompt relief. Dr. Miles' Anti-Pain Pills relieve the pains for which we recommend them. They do not upset the stomach, cause constipation, or leave unpleasant after effects. A package in your medicine cabinet, pocket or handbag, means fewer aches and pains, greater enjoyment, more efficient work, less loss of time. Dr. Miles' Anti-Pain Pills have been used with success for thirty years. Get them at your drug store.



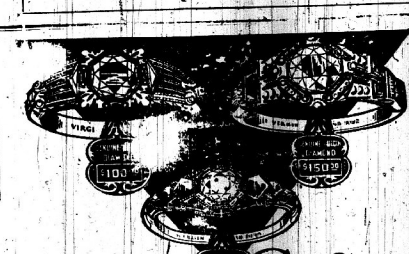
## When did she last hear from you? Don't write!.. Telephone...

Those who love you and who have you constantly in mind would like to see you. Next best they would like to hear your voice. Telephone them... wherever you may be.

Though many miles may separate you and pressing obligations make it difficult for you to write as frequently as you would like—still you can talk to them by telephone, and the cost is negligible.

You can talk a distance of 50 miles as little as 40 cents; 100 miles, 60 cents; 150 miles, 80 cents; by using Day Station to Station service. During the evening and night periods the rates are lower than during the day on all Station-to-Station calls costing more than 35 cents.

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PRESTONSBURG, KENTUCKY



HEALTH NEWS

Compiled by Dr. Marvin Ransdell, Director, Floyd County Health Dept.

IMMUNIZATION AGAINST THE INFECTIOUS DISEASES OF CHILDHOOD

The United States Public Health Service states that children should be vaccinated against smallpox, diphtheria, tetanus, typhoid fever, and cholera...

They should always be followed by a Schick test to find out whether immunity is complete or not. If not, additional injections should be given...

KONJOLA WORKS REAL WONDERS

JUST THINK OF THE HAPPINESS BROUGHT TO THIS LADY

Results are what count, and Konjola can be counted on for results, even if many medicines have been found wanting.



Mrs. C. E. SMITH is there not here and glad for all who suffer in the experience of Mrs. C. E. Smith, 206 Adams Avenue, Memphis, Tenn.

BARBER TRIMS THEM; SHEARS NOT NEEDED

Skill Makes Usual Tonsorial Tools Unnecessary.

New York.—Antonio Olivette is a barber. He makes money shearing people, and such is his secret quickly he doesn't even use the scissors...

JENKINS WINS BIG TURKEY DAY GAME

Van Lear Runs Special Train, Big Dance Follows Contest

By SWEDE JOHNSON Jenkins, Ky. Dec. 4.—(Special) The exciting game played between Van Lear and Jenkins on Thanksgiving Day...

Table with 2 columns: Name and Score. Includes Jenkins (12), Gentry (12), Johnson (12), etc.

GLO

NEW BABY (The mother of a new baby is spending some time in resting at their home this week.)

ARM BROKEN

Charles Lawton, son of an machine man, was starting an accident in the office here Saturday night when he was caught in a shaft...

MR. MURPHY

The family day observed at the Wayland Sunday school was quite a success, several families were present...

HOG KILLING

The recent hog killing put an end to the usual cooking of feeding the hogs here for many the porkers were slaughtered during the week...

THANKSGIVING

Little or no attention was paid to Thanksgiving Day in a general way here. Of course, the bank closed and the schools observed the day...

VISITS HUNTINGTON

D. C. Foshey and wife spent two days of last week in Huntington, doing some shopping while there and looking over some Christmas goods.

HERE FROM PIKEVILLE

E. J. Forsythe, who is electrical inspector for the Kentucky West Virginia people, spent two days here last week looking over electrical conditions in our plant. He reports them in "A-1" condition.

MINE INSPECTOR HERE

Wm. Burgess, of Paintsville, who is assistant state mine inspector, is here this week inspecting all mines in this section. He reports all are in safe condition.

FLAMES CLAIM LIFE OF CHILD

Hippo, Ky., Dec. 4.—Glady's, the small daughter of Buck Hale, was fatally burned Wednesday at the home of her aunt, Mrs. William Hicks, Jr., and succumbed on the following day.

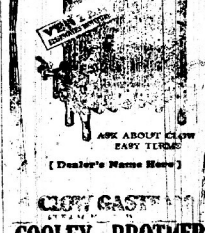
While she was standing near an open grate, her clothes caught fire and were all burned from her body, except her shoes and stockings.

PRESTONSBURG CHAPTER

E. A. M. Prestonburg, Ky. Chapter meeting Fourth Saturday of each month at 1:30 p. m. Visiting Connections welcome.

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The Whole Story

The next day the complete story was revealed to the authorities, and it is chronicled about as follows: On May 22, Mrs. Gannon was out of work. He was standing in front of the Sixth avenue employment agency waiting for a candidate...

"Would you like a job my friend?" Olivette asked. "I am looking for an even lot of white work and placing a good hand on Mr. Gannon's shoulder."

"I have you just the man," said Olivette. "I like a white man, and I have just the job for you. I have just the job for you. I have just the job for you."

Sound is Familiar

And so the three men walked to the bank. There, Gannon told the police, he was prevailed upon to draw his money out of the bank—the whole \$2,000—and when he did this the job was entrusted to him.

"Mr. Hanson," said the man in the white apron, "I think your references are all right. Here is what I have in mind. The man in the white apron is the man in the white apron."

"It is hardly necessary to say that there was no silk house at the address given, or that when Gannon returned to the southwest corner of Twenty-sixth street and Fifth avenue his benefactors had disappeared."

EMMA

A Thanksgiving party was given at the home of Mrs. Rhoda Herald Thursday night. Among those who attended were John N. Burdett, Walter Madison, Walter Dyer, Jimmie P. Harris, George Leslie, William Leslie, Hattie Goble, and James Goble.

Bill Buck Sherman has returned from the Pikeville hospital, where he was operated on for pneumonia, but is recovering nicely.

Miss Margaret Cross is planning on going to Casey Creek school the first of the year.

It's a Wise Paint That knows its own Formula!

What's in many a paint is the maker's secret—and the user's sorrow.

Not so with Hanna's GREEN SEAL! The exact formula, even as it is varied for various colors, is printed plainly upon the can.



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COME, SEE!

## N. B. MARTIN

### WOODS

"Fudge" from Burchett of this place, has been very ill for the past few days, but is some better at present.

Isaac Goble, Sr., has been very sick at the home of his son, John Goble, of town creek for the past two weeks. He is reported as being some better.

Isaac Goble, Jr., and wife were visiting relatives on Buffalo for the weekend.

Calvin Hunt and wife were calling on Tivis Goble and wife Sunday.

Tivis Goble, Jr., recently moved from the Hawk Hunter farm to that of his father, Elig, Goble, near town.

Harry Hunt lost a fine cow last week.

Dick Burbeck of this place is building a chicken house, preparing for chicken-raising next spring.

Marion Sherman, one of the local neighbors, has been in town this place to town.

Woodrow and Ollie Crum, of Hunter, were visiting Lack Hunter Sunday, searching for a new dog, which has been gone for three weeks, color red, black, brown, etc.

Miss Dix Kendrick, who has been staying at Prestonsburg for the past few months, was visiting home folks last week.

Alvin Brasher, of Woods branch, is building a house at Hickory, near Woods.

Fred Blankenship passed through Woods Tuesday, en route to town.

INLAND GAS CORP. AND KENTUCKY FUEL CO. IN HANDS OF RECEIVER

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tions are without funds to carry on their business and to meet current debt liabilities, and other operating expenses and that the receivership is necessary to avoid immediate bankruptcy.

The order appointing the receiver provides for the continued operation by both companies of their present business pending the further order of the court. No information could be obtained this week as to details of the plan for the disposal of the assets of the companies, and it is understood that for this purpose, the present organization, which includes a large number of employees in this section, will remain practically intact.



## THE NEW CHEVROLET SIX

### Scintillatingly beautiful, fleet and smart -- a masterpiece of Fisher styling



Never has the superiority of Body by Fisher been more strikingly exemplified than in the Bigger and Better Chevrolet Six.

With the added advantage of a lengthened wheelbase, Fisher designers have achieved in the new Chevrolet an impressive degree of smartness, comfort and luxury.

Inside and out, scores of refinements stamp this car as a masterpiece of modern coachwork. Radiator, headlamps and tie-bar form an unusually attractive and distinctive ensemble. Mouldings everywhere in an unbroken line blend with the smart new body contours. And new color combinations lend a new individual-

ity. Interiors, too, are exceptional. The new mohair and broadcloth upholstery is smartly tailored. Seats are wider and more luxuriously cushioned. A deeper windshield and wider windows give better vision. And beautiful new modern fittings lend a final note of charm!

Many mechanical improvements are also evident in this Bigger and Better Six. Among these are a stronger frame, easier steering; a more durable clutch; a quieter, smoother transmission; and important engine refinements.

The Bigger and Better Chevrolet Six is now on display. See it today -- drive it! It is the Great American Value!

### AT NEW LOW PRICES

THE PHAETON	\$510	THE COACH	\$545	SPORT COUPE with rumble seat	\$575
THE ROADSTER	\$475	STANDARD COUPE	\$535	STANDARD SEDAN	\$635
SPORT ROADSTER with rumble seat	\$495	STANDARD FIVE-WINDOW COUPE	\$545	SPECIAL SEDAN	\$650

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### Bladder Weakness

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### THE METHODIST CHURCH

Rev. J. W. Hahn, Pastor. Sunday, December 7, 1930. Sunday School, 9:45 a. m., Chas. Oppenheimer, Supp. Mrs. O. T. Stephens, denominary sup. Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. Young people's meeting at 6 p. m. Prayer and fellowship service every Wednesday at 7 p. m. The church with a "Warm Welcome." Come and worship with us.

### TRACHOMA CLINIC HERE DECEMBER 9

Dr. Robert S. G. G. of the United States Trachoma Hospital, Richmond, Ky., will conduct a diagnostic trachoma clinic here Tuesday, December 9, under the auspices of the United States public health service. The first course in this department was announced this week. The clinic will be held for the benefit of every person, child or adult, who suffers from sore eyes or eyes that sting or burn. It is one of the nation-wide fight being waged against eye afflictions, and the blindness, blindness and physical distress of this county are being

asked to locate and direct to the clinic all sufferers from trachoma. Workers are especially anxious to have those who have had previous treatment at any of the United States Trachoma hospitals at the clinic for examination and treatment.

### CHURCH ANNOUNCEMENT

Prestonsburg Presbyterian Church. Arnold T. Malenberg, Pastor. Sunday Services: Sunday School, 9:30 a. m. Morning worship, 10:45 a. m. Christian Endeavor, 8:30 p. m. Evening worship, 7:30 p. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening, 7:30 p. m.

### PILES YIELD TO CHINESE HERB

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## If you don't object to SAVINGS-- Read this Advertisement!

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- I am selling wrist and strap watches at one half the nationally advertised price. You can now buy a wrist watch in either make for \$2.65.
- For example, 17-jewels Illinois always sell other places for \$45.00--My price is \$22.50.
- I am offering twenty percent off the regular price of china. Tea sets as low as \$2.80, sale price.
- Buy a Parker pen at the regular price and you get a \$3.50 pencil to match free.
- Many more bargains too numerous to list. Come early and get the best of everything.
- I am selling Ingersol and Tip Top watches at one fourth off the regular price.
- A SMALL DEPOSIT WILL HOLD ANY SELECTION TILL WANTED.

## DAN HEFNER

Prestonsburg, Kentucky

## MOVIES--PROGRAM

FRIDAY-- <b>Dancing Sweeties</b> with two Hollywood favorites. SUE CAROL and GRANT WITHERS.	SATURDAY-- <b>'Strictly Modern'</b> A sophisticated story, with Dorothy Macmillan giving a splendid performance.
SUNDAY-- <b>"THREE FACES EAST"</b> from the famous stage play of the same name.	MONDAY-- <b>"Romance"</b> Starring GRETA GARBO. Critics accord this picture first rank. See it.
TUESDAY-- <b>A Bob Steele Western</b>	WEDNESDAY AND THURSDAY-- <b>"SONG OF THE FLAME"</b> with BERNICE CLAIRE and WALLACE BEERY. A beautiful and worthwhile technicolor production.

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