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## WHITT CHARGED WITH SLAYING OF HIS COUSIN

### Lee Moore Killed Sunday Near McDowell; Shot In Top of Head

#### BOTH DRUNK, REPORT

George Whitt, 21 years old, was jailed here Monday morning and was arraigned on a charge for the killing of Lee Moore, 23, on Sunday afternoon near McDowell, on Dry Creek, near McDowell, of his cousin, Lee Moore, 23.

As a result of a drunken row, Whitt is alleged, fired two bullets down into the top of his cousin's head. Neither bullet emerged. According to a statement which J. A. Cabert, county patrolman, has obtained, Whitt here from McDowell, credited to Whitt Moore was slain with his own revolver, after possession of which the two quarreled.

As he was being returned to the county jail Monday morning after having been quizzed by the grand jury, Whitt told a representative of The Times that he was "crazy-drunk" and that he had no recollection of the slaying. Moore and Whitt were walking down Dry Creek with another cousin, Ellis Moore, when it is said, the two began quarrelling. Saying that if they were going to have trouble he was going on, Ellis Moore walked on down the road, he told officers. When about 200 yards ahead of his companions he heard revolver shots. There were no witnesses to the slaying, according to authorities, Moore was brushed about the face.

The victim was a son of John Moore, of Stonecreek, near Garrett. His alleged slayer is a son of John Morgan Whitt, and also resided on Stonecreek. Both were farmers. Body of Moore was taken to Stonecreek Sunday night and burial was made there Monday. He is survived by his widow and one child.

Whitt was arrested by Deputy Sheriff Lee Stumbo.

## MOTHER OF LACKY WOMAN SUCCEUMS

Mrs. T. J. Spencer, 75 years old, mother of Mrs. W. T. Hatcher, of Lacky, this county, died at her home in Louisa Saturday night after a three-week illness, from pneumonia. Mrs. Spencer was a member of the Baptist Church for a number of years and was one of Louisa's best women. She was a daughter of the late Thomas and Rebecca Spencer, and was a native of Charley, Lawrence county. The body was taken Monday to Paintsville, where funeral services were conducted Monday morning at 10 o'clock from the Baptist Church, the Rev. Guy Preston officiating. Burial was made in the Preston cemetery, five miles from Paintsville.

Beside her husband, Mrs. Spencer is survived by five daughters and two sons: Mrs. Hatcher, of Lacky; Mrs. Liza Hays, of Charley; Mrs. R. C. Cabert, of Louisa; Mrs. H. H. Spencer, of Madras; Miss Mrs. T. J. Preston, of Washington, D. C.; H. H. and J. H. Spencer, of Louisa.

## Floyd Woman Mothers 'Brood' Of Fourteen; Is Postmistress And Also Manager Of Store At Dwale



(Pictures courtesy of Ashland Daily Independent, Ashland, Ky.) Above are the fourteen children of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Clifton, of Dwale, Floyd county, and lower are Mr. and Mrs. Clifton.

The children are: Front row, Tom, Ray, Elmer, Roy and Thelma, ages, respectively, 14, 13, 12, 11, and 10; second row, left to right, William, 10, 9, 8, 7, 6, 5, 4, 3, 2, and 1; back row, left to right, Mrs. Clifton, 45; Mr. Clifton, 45; and Mrs. Clifton, 45.



Those housewives and mothers of one, two or three children who complain of hard work and never a minute to rest should consider the case of Mrs. W. H. Clifton, of Dwale, this county.

Mrs. Clifton is the mother of 14 children, 14 of whom are alive—and of whom there are one set of triplets and two pairs of twins! And in addition to the job of mothering her large family, she is postmistress at Dwale and manager of the general store there.

## CLUB LEADERS IN CONFERENCE

Floyd county 4-H club leaders, and club members met Tuesday evening at the county agent's office here with J. M. Felner, assistant state club leader, and County Agent S. L. Ingham in a leaders' conference.

Leaders from Martin, Maytown, Berry Layne and Banner were present and means of improving club work already undertaken in the county were discussed. A county-wide organization for the promotion of farm club work was formed, with Carmel Marra, of Maytown, president; Orpha Horner, Maytown, secretary; and Elva Allen, Maytown, and Prof. Jesse Elliott, Berry Layne, leaders.

Those who attended the conference were: Emily Taylor, Nell Howard and Madeline Vincent, leaders, Martin; Elva Allen, leader, Orpha Horner, Carmel Marra, clubmembers, Maytown; Prof. Jesse Elliott and Edna Gearhart, leaders, Astor Allen, County Agent, Andrew Allen and Glenn Hatcher, clubmembers, Berry Layne; and Orpha Rice, leader, Edna Hill and Opie Crum, clubmembers, Banner.

Tuesday evening Mr. Felner and Mr. Ingham met with the Maytown club at its regular meeting in the auditorium of Maytown high school. Clubmembers and students of the school were addressed both by Mr. Felner and the county agent at this chapel service.

## SEEK FLOYD KIN OF AGED VICTIM

### Dink Hodges Dies in Lawrence Jail From Auto Injuries

Monday

Lawrence county officials Monday afternoon were attempting to locate in this county the last surviving relative, a daughter, of Dink Hodges, an aged man who died in the Lawrence county jail at noon Monday from injuries sustained when struck by an automobile near Fort Gay, W. Va., Sunday.

The victim was found sitting beside the Mayo Trail, three miles above Louisa, Sunday night and was taken to Louisa, where he was given lodging in the county jail. He was a bundle on his back, apparently was not badly hurt, when he was a heavy sleeper Sunday night. Monday morning, however, he was in a stupor and died within a few hours. He was buried in the Lawrence county cemetery Sunday night.

The aged man told the Lawrence county jailer that all his relatives were dead, save one daughter, who he said he had never seen since she was a child. He was a native of Lawrence county, health director said.

## LOAN APPLICATIONS REACH TOTAL OF 100

With April 15 closing date for filing of applications for the second federal farm loan drawing now open, the county agent here has received 100 applications for the second drawing. The county agent here has received 100 applications for the second drawing. The county agent here has received 100 applications for the second drawing.

## EXPECT 600 BLUE RIBBON CHILDREN TO GATHER HERE

### Blue Ribbon Day To Be Observed April 29 by Three Schools

#### FREE SHOW

Approximately 600 pupils of three Floyd county schools, will gather here Friday, April 29, in observance of Blue Ribbon Day, the annual health demonstration which is sponsored in 18 states, of the Union each year and in which thousands of the nation's healthiest youngsters take part.

Though the business depression has made it inadvisable to have all the Blue Ribbon children of the county come here for the day, representatives of the three schools, Berry Layne, Maytown and Prestonsburg, will unite to render an impressive health demonstration. Martin, Garrett, Lacky and Wayland high schools have already held Blue Ribbon exercises on their own campuses, and the percentage of Blue Ribbon pupils in each of these is high.

Betty Layne and Maytown schools will send their health representatives here in automobile, and trucks, and the day will be devoted to a get-together of pupils and parents. Principals of the three schools will draw lots for position, in the parade which will pass through the streets of Prestonsburg Friday morning, after which an appropriate program will be presented on the campus of the graded school here. A picnic lunch will be enjoyed at noon, and in the afternoon the Blue Ribbon boys and girls will enjoy a free picture show at the Unique Theater here.

Another feature of the day will be the music festival to be given under the sponsorship of Mrs. Dan Thurgerton, Miss Ann Mae Hatcher, J. W. Henley and Jesse Elliott. This is the first movement of its kind to be undertaken in Floyd county, and besides furnishing entertainment to the boys and girls and their parents, will go far toward promoting interest in music in the schools.

The Floyd county health department, which is sponsoring the Blue Ribbon Day exercises, is aware of the financial difficulty which confronts many here, and has arranged to dress their children as if they were going to school and not to go to any extra expense. Every effort is being made to preclude the necessity of financial anxiety, and for this reason so carefully will be conducted and so prizes will be awarded.

Date of Blue Ribbon Day concurs with May Day, which is May 1, but that day falls on Sunday this year, and for this reason the Blue Ribbon exercises are being moved ahead to Friday, April 29.

## LEAGUE-OPENER SET FOR MAY 8

### Organization of Big Sandy Baseball Perfected Here in Meeting Sunday

Organization of the Big Sandy Baseball League was perfected at a meeting here of Big Sandy baseball men Sunday, and member teams began practice this week in anticipation of the season-opening Sunday, May 8. Five teams, Prestonsburg, Wayland, Pikeville, Louisa and Maysville, have already entered the league. Entry of Paintsville, the sixth and last town to be represented, is doubtful, but at least two other towns are eager to join if no team is formed in Paintsville. It was said this week.

The first half of the season ends July 4, and at the close of the second half winners of the two halves will play a series, for the League title. It is probable also that champions of the Big Sandy League will play the Eastern Kentucky league title, for the Eastern Kentucky championship in the back row are Ruby, 15; Artie, 15; Mable, 15; Vernie, 15; Patrick, Mabel and Bernice.

## WELL-KNOWN BUFFALO MAN DROOPY VICTIM

Duke Seter, 75 years old, one of this county's best citizens, died Thursday of last week at his home on Buffalo Creek, near Endicott. Death resulted from droopy, from which he had suffered for the past four months.

Mr. Seter was a farmer, and had been a devoted member of the Christian Church for many years. Besides his widow, Mrs. Elizabeth Woods Seter, he is survived by one son and three daughters: John Seter, Mrs. James Campbell, Mrs. Anna May Searl, Mrs. Julia Maynard, all of Endicott.

Funeral services were conducted Friday by the Rev. Isaac Stratton of the Baptist Church, and burial was made in the family cemetery on Buffalo.

## FLOYD BOY HURT HOPPING FREIGHT

### William Betchel, of Maysville, Injured at Collettsburg; Foot Amputated

William Betchel, 11 years old of Maysville, this county, was seriously injured Sunday afternoon when caught beneath the wheels of a Chesapeake & Ohio freight train which he was attempting to board as it was moving eastward at Collettsburg. It was learned here Monday.

The youth, a son of Mr. and Mrs. James Betchel, of Maysville, suffered dislocation of his right hip, a cracked right foot and numerous cuts and bruises. At the Maysville hospital, Collettsburg, where the injured boy now is, it is expected that he will recover.

## HAROLD MERCHANT SHOTS HIS WIFE

### Marvin Walters Jailed Here; Spouse Taken to Pikeville Hospital

Mrs. Sola Walters, 20 years old, was seriously wounded late Sunday afternoon at her home at Harold when the charge from a .410-gauge shotgun was fired into her thigh from a distance of a few feet. Her husband, Marvin Walters, 23, is alleged to have fired the shot, and he was arrested by Deputy Sheriff Basil Hamilton and Magistrate Dewey Roberts shortly after the shooting. Walters was lodged in jail here Wednesday morning.

Mrs. Roberts was taken to the Methodist hospital, Pikeville, where it is believed she will recover. She sustained heavy loss of blood. The full charge of the shotgun, including wadding, penetrated her leg. The bone was not broken, however.

According to J. J. Boyd, Harold merchant, and father of the wounded woman, Walters shot his wife when she begged him not to drink any more of the whisky upon which he had become intoxicated. After he had fired one shot into the floor and Mrs. Walters continued to plead with him, Mr. Boyd said, the man turned the weapon upon his wife.

The couple have been married about five years, and have two children. Walters is a merchant at Harold.

## 'SUSPICION' VERDICT ANNULLED BY COURT

### Ashley Collins Entitled To Directed Acquittal, Appellate Court Holds

Verdicts supported only by "suspicion" will not be upheld by the courts, the Court of Appeals ruled Tuesday in reversing the 31-year penitentiary sentence imposed on Ashley Collins by the Floyd circuit court upon his conviction of the slaying of Miss Mary Burchett at Auxier.

Upon trial, Collins was convicted of voluntary manslaughter, but the appellate court held that he was entitled to peremptory instructions, as requested on the face of the evidence presented. Miss Burchett died at Auxier, and Collins was arrested at Auxier.

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## HOG CHOLERA FEARED

Fear of an epidemic of hog cholera, the lower end of the county was freed this week by the death of two hogs at Auxier, and on Johns County Agent S. L. Ingham sent to Auxier Wednesday morning and the hogs that were sick showed signs of cholera.

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## HELM RETURNED TO LOCAL PASTORATE

### Bishop Darlington Denounces Prohibition Poll Before District Conference

Rev. J. M. Helm was returned to the pastorate of the M. E. Church South, here, by the district conference of the Ashland district of that church held in Louisa last week. This is continued the service here of Reverend Helm, whose leadership of the church has been very successful.

Rev. H. L. Clay, of Ashland, presided at the conference, which next year will be held here. Opening sermon was delivered by Dr. R. T. Webb, pastor of the Pikeville church and former president of Morris-Harvey College. Rev. G. M. Curry was elected secretary of the conference.

An outstanding feature of the conference was the address, Tuesday morning of Bishop H. V. Darlington, who spoke of conditions in foreign countries, first-hand knowledge of which was gained during his recent work in Europe. Bishop Darlington warned against the dangers of atheism and communism, which he described as spreading, then turned to the denunciation of the latory dog's prohibition poll. He alleged that it does not express the sentiments of the people and that the Bible is owned by Jews and edited by a set of 'atheists'. The poll is being manipulated by forces of prohibition. Bishop Darlington declares:

Following is a list of pastors and delegates in attendance:  
O. P. Smith, Allen; W. P. Baird, First church, Ashland; J. H. Dawson, South Ashland; T. C. Worland, Dwayne; L. D. Rae, Grassland; H. T. Bennett, Grayson; J. C. Hombach, Greenup; J. N. Lopez, Kawanago; C. B. Morris, Kennel; W. E. H. Dewart, W. L. Cantor, Paintsville; R. T. Webb, Pikeville; J. M. Helm, Prestonsburg; E. H. Burnett, Russell; Frank Hlyben, South Portsmouth; V. D. Harmon, Wayland; G. M. Curry, Wheelwright; H. E. Jewell, Louisa.

**Lay Delegates**  
John E. Bellamy, Allen; John F. Hayes, Allen; Boyd Stewart, Ashland First; Mrs. J. C. Hager, South Ashland; O. J. Griffith, South Ashland; Mrs. E. W. Beard, South Ashland; E. E. Chaffin, Grayson; Mrs. Sally Ann Grayson, Mrs. L. C. Grayson, Grayson; J. C. Wierma, Greenup; Louise Hannah, Greenup; E. B. Kirk, Kennel; W. Va.; L. Downey, Kennel; W. Va.; Miss Anna Sarrett, Louisa; Cecil Callihan, Paducah; Mrs. H. H. Sparks, Louisa; W. H. Levin, Paintsville; H. W. Warrick, Paintsville; E. C. Shupe, Pikeville; Mrs. E. E. Thomas, Pikeville; Alex. Spauldin, Prestonsburg; Charles Oppenheimer, Prestonsburg; Mrs. E. W. Smith, Russell; Mrs. J. E. Frazier, Russell; Mrs. Ella Gaudin, South Portsmouth; Mrs. V. D. Harmon, Wayland.

**Charge Lay Leaders**  
J. H. Preston, Louisa.  
**District Secretaries**  
Mrs. Frank May; Langley; J. L. Yates, Ashland; J. W. Crow, Ashland; Mrs. W. H. Plannery, Caldwell; Mrs. W. A. Dotson, Edgerton, W. Va.; W. M. Davis, Grassland; B. M. Smith, Grassland; Mrs. Mary Moore, Lockwood; E. J. Day, Pikeville; H. E. Patton, Prestonsburg; J. C. Hamer, Russell; Mrs. Minnie Glover, Fulton; Dr. L. H. Danks, Weyland.

**Delegates to Annual Conference at Barboursville**  
Mrs. E. W. Smith, Howell; Mrs. Mary Moore, Buchanan; W. P. Magee, Prestonsburg; Mrs. Minnie Glover, South Portsmouth; W. B. Green, Louisa; Mrs. O. P. Smith, Allen; E. E. Hays, Ashland; E. E. Hays, Ashland.

## Personals

Mrs. Ernest Hopkins, of Auxler, is visiting her mother, Mrs. Ora Hopson.

J. J. Boyd, of Harold, was in Prestonsburg Wednesday.

E. E. Clarke spent Wednesday in Ashland on business.

**HOUSE FOR RENT**—Enquire John Hughes, city. 4/22/32

Mr. and Mrs. Forrest E. Modder, of Maytown, were visitors here Tuesday evening.

V. A. Smiley spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Smiley, at Dana.

Miss Sparlock spent Monday and Tuesday of this week in Huntington on business.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Boyd and children visited Mr. Boyd's mother, Mrs. W. C. Boyd, at Dana, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Francis and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Francis, motored in West Virginia Sunday.

Mrs. J. S. Kelly and Miss Mary Hill spent last Thursday in Huntington on business.

Miss Pauline Archer and Jack Algood, who are attending school at Richmond, spent the weekend with their parents here.

Congressman A. J. May arrived here from Washington Wednesday to attend to legal business. Mr. May returned to Washington Thursday.

Mrs. Mary B. Allen, Mrs. Lou Burnett, Mrs. Virginia McCombs and Miss Burnett spent Sunday in Hamilton, W. Va.

Misses Opal Parsley, Vivian Hatcher, Viclan Hamilton and Mary Hill, of Lexington, motored here Sunday.

Mr. J. W. Vickers, Mrs. J. W. Vickers, Jr. and Miss Lina Sowards, of Pikeville, were visitors here Monday.

Rev. and Mrs. H. B. Hewlett, of Louisa, were weekend guests here of their son, H. D. Hewlett, and Mrs. Hewlett.

The revival meeting of the Presbyterian Church, being conducted by Rev. G. D. Franklin, of Illinois, assisted by the Brown sisters, has closed.

Mrs. M. J. Leete, Mrs. O. T. Stephens, Mrs. Reuben Taylor, Mrs. B. F. Combs, Mrs. J. L. Oppenheimer, Mrs. Chas. Oppenheimer, and Rev. and Mrs. J. M. Helm attended the district conference of the M. E. Church South at Louisa last Sunday.

Merika Brown, home spending a few days on a furlough from the veterans' hospital, Dayton, O., where she has been receiving treatment for the past few weeks. He will return to Dayton for further treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Hatcher, of Lecky, were in Prestonsburg Monday, returning home from Paintsville, where they had attended the funeral and burial of Mrs. Hatcher's mother, Mrs. Spencer, of Louisa.

Rev. Isaac Stratton, of Palmer, spent Sunday in Prestonsburg, transferring the office here of Dr. A. J. Hill. Dr. Hill recently installed new dental equipment, which is of the most modern type.

**Dr. K. J. Whaley**  
Laysan, Ill.

## YOUTH STABILITY

Frank Lamb of the...  
Mrs. Lucy Stephens, of Pikeville, was guest of Mrs. George Rhorer, near here, last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Adrian Collins were guests of friends in Huntington this week.

**FOR SALE**—General Electric refrigerator. Price reasonable. Write Dr. M. P. Weems, Auxler, Ky.

Misses Louise Goble and Rhode Alice Hyden and Emory Hatcock motored to Louisa last Sunday.

Rev. J. M. Helm, pastor of the Methodist church, and Luther Shivel motored to Huntington Monday.

George P. Hereford, of Pikeville, and D. C. Stephens, spent the weekend fishing at Dix river dam, near Lexington.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Howard returned Friday from Louisville, where they had attended the State Democratic Convention.

Miss I. S. Miles, Misses Francis Jones and Anna Mae Hatcher, Jimmie Hatcher and Mrs. Luther Shivel motored to Huntington Saturday.

Mrs. N. M. White, Jr., spent part of last week in Mt. Sterling, visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Steve Bryant.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank H. Moore spent Sunday in Ashland, guests of Mrs. Moore's parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Moore.

Johnny and Ray Roberts, of Huntington, were here Sunday, visiting their uncle, Luther Shivel, and relatives.

Prof. Harry Daley and Scott Craft, teachers in the Lacey high school, were in Prestonsburg over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Blain Smith, of Wheelwright, were in Prestonsburg a weekend guests of Mrs. Anna Stephens.

S. C. Jones, crop and soil specialist, College of Agriculture, and County Agent S. L. Isbell held at meeting at Myer's last week at which 25 farmers were present.

Dr. Ansel Culbertson, pharmacist in Hatcher's drug store, was a visitor in Pikeville Sunday. He was accompanied on his return by his wife, who has been visiting her parents and relatives.

J. D. Harkins, Jr., returned Monday to Ann Arbor, Mich., where he is a law student in the University of Michigan. He spent a week's vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Harkins, and other relatives.

Mrs. John B. Clark returned to Summersville, W. Va., last Saturday. She was accompanied to Huntington by her mother, Mrs. C. E. Ligon, Mrs. H. H. Fitzpatrick and Miss Garnet Fitzpatrick.

A. C. Carter left Monday afternoon for Cincinnati to attend a Buick sales meeting. Oldsmobile and Pontiac sales are being combined with Buick distribution, and Mr. Carter, as a result, will be agent for these two cars along with Buick and Chevrolet.

Prof. Ishmael Triplett, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Throgmorton, Mrs. Margaret O'Neil and Irene Fulton and Prof. R. S. Reese motored to Louisville the latter part of last week to attend the annual convention of the Kentucky Educational Association.

**GIVES COLLECTION OF BUTTERFLIES TO EXPERIMENT STATION**

Miss Katherine Pettit, widely known for her work in the settlement schools at Hindman and Pine Mountain, has given a collection of 100 rare and beautiful South American butterflies to the Experiment Station of the University of Kentucky. They are perfect specimens, evidently collected with great care and preserved in the proper fluid. They were given to Miss Pettit by a admirer, whom she met on her recent trip to South America. The butterflies will be mounted and added to the collection of the department of entomology at the experiment station.

# STABILITY



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## GRADUATING EXERCISES

Graduating exercises of the White Sewing Machine course, which was conducted by Mrs. M. G. Haven, of Ashland, were held at the Valley Inn April 16, at 8 p. m.

Those who graduated were members of Pikeville, Martin and Prestonsburg classes.

The program consisted of music, readings and talks. Mrs. Mary D. Allen, in her charming manner, gave an interesting reading which was much enjoyed. Interesting talks were given on the sewing course and what has been accomplished by taking the course, by Mrs. Hopkins, representing the Pikeville class; Mrs. Francis, representing the Martin class, and Mrs. H. C. Francis, representing the Prestonsburg class.

Mrs. Haven was highly commended as being a very efficient instructor for the stitching and repair-

## DISTRIBUTION OF PHEASANT EGGS

The Kentucky Game and Fish Commission will distribute through its district wardens, 14,000 pheasant eggs.

The parties, who would receive the eggs, will be selected by the district wardens. The eggs, together with the names of the birds, will be delivered to the following counties, should communicate with the district warden:

- O. T. Bates, Ashland, Ky. is the district warden for Floyd, Maudlin, Pike, Knott and Letcher.

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LEXINGTON HOSPITAL TO BE USED AS LEGION INFIRMARY

(By James D. Sorey, Department Service Officer) Louisville, Ky., April 21—(AP)—Lexingtonians and their friends will be glad to learn that the American Legion of Kentucky has finally won its fight to have provision made by the federal government for Kentucky veterans suffering with nervous and mental diseases to be cared for in the state. No provision had been made for veterans suffering with these disabilities and more than eight years ago the American Legion of Kentucky, realizing that this character of case would increase rapidly in number, began a campaign to have the federal government provide hospital facilities near their homes for these cases. Instead of these veterans being sent to state asylums or permitted to become helpless through lack of care. Every state convention since 1922 has unanimously adopted resolutions urging and insisting upon a hospital being constructed in Kentucky for this purpose.

As a result of the unanimous passage of the resolution, the administrator of veterans' affairs recently directed the evacuation of the unit of the hospital at Lexington which was originally constructed for the use of veterans suffering with mental disabilities, but which has been most suitably for general cases, and announced that as soon as this evacuation is completed this building of approximately one hundred beds, will be used for the treatment and observance of neuro-psychiatric cases. This decision by the administrator will result in the

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN

Notice is hereby given that I shall offer for sale for cash in hand at my garage, on Saturday, April 23, 1932, at 1 p. m., one Whippet roadster, model 1928, motor No. 9099906, for storage and repairs amounting to \$27.50, plus cost of this advertisement and court costs. T. E. NEELY, Lexington, Ky.



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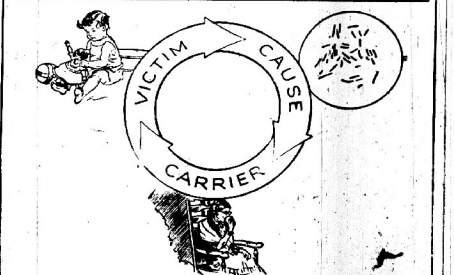
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Science Provides Methods To Save Children's Lives



The Vicious Circle. A graphic representation of how tubercle bacilli, the sole cause of tuberculosis, are spread broadcast by a person who in turn grows up and infects others, thus completing the circle.

IN the effort to discover the earliest manifestations of tuberculosis in school children, several communities have set out to examine every school child for the indications which are revealed by the tuberculin test and the X-ray in advance of outward symptoms. The tuberculin test, a harmless procedure, selects those who are infected and should be examined with the X-ray. In turn, the latter indicates whether there is danger from disease or not. The dissemination of information of public health was one of the first to begin such a widespread campaign. It was considered a measure of common as well as humanity, for the expense of caring for growing patients with active disease was found to be a thousand dollars a year for each one, even sanatorium care. But when parental funds run out from active disease could be cured, the child was sent to school. Not only did this waste needlessly drain the family, but in many instances it did deprive the child of an active case in adult members of the same family, from whom the children had been rescued. The fact which was preparing them for a similar destiny.

One such example was recently disclosed by Dr. Henry D. Chadwick, an outstanding authority on tuberculosis, who had charge of this work in Massachusetts, and now is developing a similar project in the schools of Detroit, Michigan. A ten-year-old girl was discovered with the childhood type of tuberculosis in a marked degree.



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By virtue of resolution No. 2817, directed to me, which passed from the clerk's office of the Floyd circuit court in favor of Matheson Alkali Works against Home Ice & Water Company, I, or one of my deputies, will, on Monday, the 23 day of April, 1932, between the hour of 1 o'clock p. m. and 2 o'clock, p. m. at the court house door in Prestonsburg, Floyd county, Kentucky, 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:

One house and lot and bellers, and fixtures in Prestonsburg, Floyd county, Kentucky, bounded and described as follows: On the West by Big Sandy river and C. & O. Railway (to East by Ralph Davis; South by Gilbert Crabtree and North by Ollie Davis. A more perfect description, the records of the Floyd county clerk's office are referred to and made a part hereof.

Levelled on as property of Home Ice & Water Company. TERMS: Sale will be made on a credit of three months, bond with approved security required, bearing interest at the rate of six per cent per annum from day of sale, and having the force and effect of a Republic bond.

Witness my hand this the 7 day of April, 1932. B. L. STURDILL, M. T. STUMBO, D. S. Newspaper advertising \$10.75

BONANZA

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Conley graciously entertained a group of Bonanza's younger set with a party at their home on Saturday afternoon. Among those present were Misses Anna Lou Stanley, Leona Harmon, Dora Baldridge, Pauline Conley, Thelma Baldridge, Venus Mann, Belle Stanley, Lucille Baldridge, Elsie Mann and Lucille Conley; Messrs. Sam Hill, Cecil Baldridge, Ben and James Harmon, Albert Spradlin, Billy Conley, Leo Colburn and Woodrow Frazier, Masters Leonard and Clyde Harmon, Benjie and Lawrence Conley, Leo Baldridge, Clyde and Earl Conley.

Several young people of Bonanza enjoyed a picnic at the "Government" place here Sunday. This knob is the highest in the county and is famous locally. A flag was erected at the top of the "peak" and the pledge given. A delicious dinner was enjoyed by those present, which included Misses Venus and Elsie Mann, Leona Harmon, Dora and Thelma Baldridge, Thelma and Pauline Conley, and Lucille Baldridge; Messrs. Albert Hill, Raymond Burke, Benjie and James H. Harmon, Cecil Baldridge, Bay and Ollie Conley and Billy T. Mann. In the afternoon rook and several other games were enjoyed.

M. J. Stanley returned Wednesday from the Methodist hospital, Pikeville, where he underwent an operation

Announcements were received here last week of the arrival of a son to Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Mohle, of Huntington, W. Va. The baby has been christened Walter Joseph, Jr. Mrs. Mohle was the former Miss Della Conley of this place.

Mrs. James Harmon and Mrs. S. L. Baldridge spent part of last week visiting relatives at Cliff, Raymond Burke and Rowland Jackson, of Breville, were in Bonanza Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Deane Conley and family left for Indiana Monday.

Mrs. Jerry Hookworth and little daughter, Juan Catherine, of Ironton, were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Frank Spradlin recently. Several new members have joined the A-H Club here and much interest is being manifested. A meeting was planned for Saturday night, but was postponed owing to bad weather.

Mrs. E. L. Conroy is visiting her daughter, Mrs. W. J. Mohle, of Huntington. Henry Baldridge spent part of the week in Davers. Miss Venus Mann was the Sunday night guest of Miss Mattie Spradlin. Mrs. H. Baldridge, Mrs. Edna Spradlin, Mrs. John and Deane Conley, Mrs. Irene Baldridge, Mrs. S. L. Baldridge and Mrs. James Harmon were guests of Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Stanley Sunday afternoon.

Misses Ollie Conley, Flossie and Mabel Music, and Flora and Edna Hookworth were in Bonanza Saturday evening.

Miss Josephine Spradlin spent Saturday night in Prestonsburg.

Dr. J. P. Kelsay and Miss Mary Alice May moved to Somerset last week. Mr. Walker of the Nott Bottling Corporation, Williamson, W. Va., was a business visitor here Monday. Judge A. J. Kirk, of Pineville, attended court here Monday.

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# TEXAS EDITOR SAYS HE LIKES THE 'REPRESSION'

By HENRY ANSLEY

of Amarillo (Texas) Globe-News  
I like the depression. I have had more fun since the depression started than I ever had in my life. I had forgotten how to live, what it meant to have real friends, what it was like to eat common everyday food. Face it, I was getting just a little high-hat.

### Then—And Now

Three years ago only one man of the News-Globe organization could be out of town at a time and we had to leave at the last minute and get back as soon as possible. Many times I have driven 100 miles to the installment plan. I have through three hours of bank in order to make a five minute speech, then drive the 100 miles back so as to be ready for work the next morning.

Nowadays, as many News-Globe employees, as are invited into those trips and we stay as long as we want to. The whole thing would be different.

I like the depression. I have time to visit my friends, to make my own time. Two years ago when I went to a meeting in town, I always stayed at the hotel. Now I go home with my friends, stay all night and enjoy my cooking. I have even spent the week-end with some of the boys, who have been kind enough to invite me. My wife has been doing the housework.

### Time, Neighbors, Clothes

It's great to drop into a store and feel that you can spend an hour or two or three or half a day just visiting and not feel that you are wasting your time. I like the depression.

I am getting acquainted with my neighbors. In the last six months I have become acquainted with folks who have been living next door to me for three years. I am following the "Bible" admonition, "Love your neighbors." One of my neighbors has one of the best looking wives I have ever seen. She is a dandy. I am getting acquainted with my neighbors and learning to love them.

Three years ago, I ordered my clothes from a merchant-tailor—two and three suits at a time. All my clothes were good ones. I was always dressed up. But now, I haven't bought a suit in two years. I am mighty proud of my Sunday-evening meeting clothes. When I drop up in my dress suit, and I don't mean maybe, I like the depression.

Three years ago, I was so busy and my wife was so busy that we didn't

see much of each other. I never went home to lunch. About twice a week I went home to dinner—at 9:30 o'clock. I never had time to go anywhere with her. If I did go on a party, I could never locate her, since there was always a "blonde" or a "red-head" available. I didn't worry much about it.

My wife belonged to all the clubs in town. She even joined the young mothers' club. We don't have any children, but she was studying—and between bridge playing and going to clubs, she was never at home.

We got stuck up and bifalutina. We even took down the old family bed and bought a set of twin beds—on the installment plan. When I would come home at night, if my wife was at home, she would already be in her bed and I would crawl into mine. If she got home first, it was vice-versa.

### Beds And Clubs

We like the depression. We have come down off our pedestal and are really living at my house now. The beds are stored in the garage. A bed-faulty affair is being used. We are enjoying life. Instead of taking a two-year auto when I went to a meeting in town, I always stayed at the hotel. Now I go home with my friends, stay all night and enjoy my cooking. I have even spent the week-end with some of the boys, who have been kind enough to invite me. My wife has been doing the housework.

I haven't been out on a party in six months. I have lost my book of telephone numbers. My wife has dropped all the clubs. I believe we are falling in love all over again. I am pretty well satisfied with my wife. Think I will keep her, at least until she is forty and then if I feel like it, I may trade her for two twenties.

I am feeling better since the depression. I take more exercise. I walk to town and a lot of folks who

new question is better. I haven't seen to see a doctor in a year. I can get anything I want to.

### Food—And Food

I am getting real, honest-to-goodness food. Three years ago, we had mignon and a steak, now we have round steak with four gravy. There had roast breast of guinea hen. Now we are glad to get sor-boosom with the butter, on it.

I like the depression. My salary has been cut to where I can't afford to buy lettuce and spinach and parsley and we can't afford to have sandwiches and frozen desserts, and all that damfoolishness, which has killed more men than the World War.

I like the depression. Three years ago, I never had time to go to church. I played golf all day Sunday and besides I was so darn smart that there wasn't a preacher in West Texas who could tell me anything.

Now, I am going to church regularly, never miss a Sunday. And if this depression keeps on, I will be going to prayer meetings before long. I like the depression.

### Veteran Sunday School Worker Suffers Stroke

W. J. Vaughan, veteran Sunday School worker, and one of the best known men in Kentucky, is in a St. Louis, Mo., hospital after having suffered a stroke of apoplexy on Tuesday last week. Hope of his recovery was expressed Monday, according to a report from Morehead, where his son, W. J. Vaughan, dean of the Morehead State Normal, resides.

Mr. Vaughan, formerly a resident of Louisiana, is known throughout this section where for years he has been engaged in Sunday School work.

Gradual disappearance of the paralysis which affected Mr. Vaughan's right side gives rise to the hope that he will soon be able to return to his farm near Louisa. Though in failing health for the past four years, Mr. Vaughan has continued with the Sunday School work in which he has been engaged for 27 years with but one short interruption when he was field superintendent for Georgetown College, Georgetown, Ky.

### CHEVROLET CHOICE OF PRIZE-WINNERS

Results of the Greco clear contest, in which winners were given their choice of any one of three makes of low-priced cars, reveal that the 240 cars awarded were Chevrolet 150s, 80 were Plymouths and 15 were Fords, according to records disclosed by the American Tobacco Company, sponsors of the contest.

The contest was conducted on a national scale, with a winner selected each week according to merit of his cigar-hund essay, and he was given an optional choice of the three cars, delivered to him fully equipped.

Chevrolet scored 57 per cent of the total, Plymouth 37 per cent and Ford 6 per cent.

### CLAIMS NOT FILED, DEPOSITORS UNPAID

H. D. Fitzpatrick, special deputy banking commissioner for the Bank of Wayland, said that he was holding several thousand dollars due depositors of the bank out of the 15 percent dividend declared March 17. Mr. Fitzpatrick said that this money was ready for distribution but had not been paid out because depositors had not furnished proof of claims, and because he had been unable to reach some of the depositors by mail.

Depositors, who have not filed claims, for the amounts due them should do so at once, he said.

### Laffoon Wires Dealer More Congratulations

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GOV. BERRY LAFLOON

# Unique Theater-Program

OFFERING FOR WEEK OF APRIL 22-28

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FRIDAY—Last day of that strange and sensational production—

## "FREAKS"

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SUNDAY AND MONDAY — the picture that has smashed box-office records all over the country—  
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## "EMMA"

TUESDAY AND WEDNESDAY—Two of the screen's most popular players, SALLY EILERS and SPENCER TRACY, in—

## "Disorderly Conduct"

THURSDAY—Intrigue and mystery with

## "Charlie Chan"

starring WARNER OLAND

### Lawrence Circuit Court

A. E. SHANKLIN vs. E. F. McINTYRE & H. C. HARRIS. Defs.

Under and by virtue of a judgement and order of sale of the Lawrence Circuit Court, rendered at 10, October Term 1931, in the above styled case, I shall proceed to offer for sale on the premises of the Big Sandy Oil and Gas Company, lease on the Spurlock Fork of Left Beaver creek, Floyd county, Kentucky, to the highest and best bidder, on Saturday, May 7, 1932, about the hour of 1 o'clock p. m., on a credit of THREE months, the following described property to satisfy plaintiff's debt hereto of \$850 with interest thereon at the rate of 6 per cent from June 10, 1931, until paid and the cost of this sale and sale.

It further appearing to the court that H. C. Harris is claiming a lien on said property secondary to lien of plaintiff J. E. Shanklin; by virtue of an attachment issued from the Floyd Circuit Court in case of H. C. Francis vs. E. F. McIntyre et al, case pending, for the sum of \$300.00 and cost of that proceeding; it is therefore adjudged that the mortgage lien of the plaintiff J. E. Shanklin is a prior and superior lien on the said property and that it may be enforced as in this order set out, but is further offered and advertised that if a sale of said property be made for a sum in excess of the amount necessary to satisfy the judgment of the plaintiff J. E. Shanklin, then the Commissioner shall take bond for the entire amount not to exceed an amount sufficient to cover the claim of H. C. Harris, subject to the order of the Floyd Circuit Court.

Said personal property is described as follows, to-wit:

One No. 2 National drilling machine complete with tools as follows: Three staves; four sets of bits; two sets of tool wrenches; one jack and clevis complete; casing tools; two sets of blocks; one steering elevator; one set 8 inch elevators; one 10 inch

batter; 1 8-in. batter; 1 6-in. batter; 1 5-in. batter; one crane complete with chain hoist; one farmer and tractor roller with Ajax engine; one water pump with engine and pump and all other tools and appliances, used on or in connection with said drilling outfit, now located on George Hamilton farm in Floyd county, Kentucky.

For the purchase price the purchaser will give bond with approved security, bearing the legal rate of interest from the day of sale until paid and having the force and effect of a judgement. A lien shall exist and be retained by the Commissioner on the property so sold under this order, security for the purchase money.

BILLIE BIRFFE  
Master Commissioner,  
Lawrence Circuit Court

### MRS KELLY, HONOREE AT LOVELY SHOWER

Mrs. E. E. Clarke, Miss Julia G. Porter and Miss Mary Hill were hostesses to a lovely shower given at the home of Mrs. Clarke on Highland avenue here Saturday evening, April 16, honoring Mrs. J. S. Kelly, nee Miss Mariel Hopson.

The home, a new and attractive addition to Prestonsburg's residences, was beautifully decorated in pink and white. During the evening the following program was rendered: piano solo by Miss Oval Bingham; reading by Miss Beth Oppenheimer; piano solo by Mrs. E. E. Clarke and Miss Mariel Hopson.

The honoree was the recipient of many handsome and useful presents from her many friends. After Mrs. Kelly had opened and admired the gifts in her most charming manner, refreshments were served the following guests:

Misses: J. C. Hopkins, J. J. Freyher, R. L. Estess, W. C. Rimmer, Clara Shannon, E. B. Burke, E. E. Patton, George Allen, Ray Ogilvie, C. Hartman, Bessie Clark, Gladys Friend, Lily Brown, W. H. Jones, Byrd May, Charles Hughes, E. L. Hopson, William Hagan, Cal Clarke, Curtis, Charles, B. M. James, H. C. Francis, F. Francis, Jean Harris, Mank, Ooster, Richard Spurlock, A.

## STATE RESTS IN BURCHETT CASE

Mrs. Burchett Claims She Killed Mother in Self-Defense

The Commonwealth rested its case Wednesday afternoon in the second trial of Larry and Burcha Burchett, husband and wife, charged with the murder of Mrs. Burchett's mother, Mrs. Belle Thompson, and defense testimony was being heard Thursday morning.

Mrs. Burchett persists in the statement that she shot and killed her mother in self-defense, exonerating her husband of all blame.

The case, which has attracted wide attention, is expected to be closed Friday. Hearing of testimony began Wednesday morning. A resume of the evidence, together with the jurys verdict will be given next week.

## Floyd Woman Mother Of Seventeen Children

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but she has backed to the task with a vim, and has succeeded. "My oldest children help a lot; but it's not such a task after all to care for a big family and run a store and postoffice." Mrs. Clifton says. "If all the children are only wags we can get along."

The Cliftens plan to "educate all their children. "With business occupations as they are and the help of my husband had to see the future isn't so bright," she adds. "But I hope to give all the children good education. Anyway, we'll do our best for them."

### FOR SALE

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