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## BABY LINDBERGH IS FOUND DEAD NEAR HOPEWELL

### Startling Discovery Ends Long Search for 'Kid' Killed by Abductors

#### ARRESTS EXPECTED

Twenty-one days after baby Charles A. Lindbergh, Jr., son of the famous flyer, was kidnapped from the Lindbergh home in Hopewell, N. J., the boy was found Thursday.

By the end of the long and fruitless search for the child does not mark the fulfillment of the parents' despairing hope of a happy reunion with their baby. The child was dead—has been dead for approximately two months.

The victim of the fiends who stole the baby, a statement issued following an autopsy.

The baby's skeleton was found not far from Hopewell Thursday afternoon. It consisted of a skull, ribs, and a few vertebrae. The body was found in a shallow depression, lying face down, hidden from the closest scrutiny of searchers who have worked frantically, hoping against hope with the strictest precautions for more than two months now that the child would be restored to Col. and Mrs. Lindbergh.

News of this last discovery of the work of the fiends who stole the boy has created a wave of horror even greater than that which swept over the country when it was learned that the babe was stolen.

Immediately following discovery of the body and its identification by bits of clothing, authorities prepared to make arrests in the case.

During the ordeal of awaiting the return of their child, Col. and Mrs. Lindbergh were reported as nearing collapse. The delicate condition of Mrs. Lindbergh, who is soon to become a mother, and the effect this in a very way will have upon her remains a topic of great interest.

## PROBACO TRIAL IS SET FOR MAY 18

### Defendant in Adams Murder Case To Face Arraignment Here

Trial of John Probaco, one of the four defendants in the Adams murder case, is set for May 18 in the Floyd county court. This leaves Joseph Schuster, superintendent at the "Monkey Wrench" mine, Auxler, at the time the murder is said to have been committed, Steve Tarkany and Jack Emdoy to be given trial at a later date.

This will be Probaco's second trial, the first resulting in life sentences for all four of the defendants. The court of appeals, however, reversed the verdict, saying that it was made upon circumstantial evidence.

The Schuster case, as the affair is known locally, probably attracted more interest than any since to go to trial in circuit court here, since the trial was held in mystery from the time Sid Adams disappeared till the baby was found in a shallow grave near Auxler, and so on till this time.

F. L. Heize and J. P. Salisbury were in Huntington Tuesday on business.

## ALLEGED HORSE THIEF TAKEN IN WEST VIRGINIA

Deputy Sheriff M. T. Stumbo returned Lindsay Mouton to the county jail here Monday from Williamson, W. Va., where he had been arrested and held for Floyd county authorities who have been seeking him on a charge of horsestealing.

Mouton is alleged to have stolen two ponies at Wheelwright several months ago one from Harry Ratliff, and one from a man named Oliver. One of the ponies he sold to Oscar Langley on Middle Creek before making his way out of the state. He is expected to be given trial during the present term of circuit court.

## MINE OWNER'S HOME BURNED

### Hays Residence at Clear Creek Razed Saturday Night; Gas Explodes

An explosion of gas in the bathroom to the home of W. P. Hays, well-known mine operator at Fed, destroyed the residence and all its contents Saturday night at 9 o'clock. Loss is estimated at \$7,000, and is only partially covered by insurance.

The house, one of the best residences on Left Beaver Creek, was deserted at the time except for the presence of two small boys, other members of the family being at church a short distance away. One of the boys barely escaped from the burning structure. Mr. Hays and others arrived at the scene too late to stop the blaze or to save any household effects so rapidly did the flames spread following the explosion, which was plainly audible at the church.

Along with the household effects which were destroyed was the telephone exchange in the residence which was operated by Mr. Hays' daughter, Miss Opal Hays, and which controlled all lines into Left Beaver Creek above Fed.

## TAKEN TO HARLAN ON CONTEMPT CHARGE

Wilson Stewart, Utilities, Eikhorn Coal Company foreman, was arrested at Betsy Layne Sunday night by Sheriff B. L. Sturgill and was returned Monday by Deputy Sheriff Grover Allen to Harlan county, where he was held in contempt of court for failure to pay alimony.

Alimony was granted his divorced wife by the Harlan circuit court. It is claimed contingent upon the wife's ceasing to cohabit with the husband, but it is also claimed that the child has been in the custody of Mr. Stewart, who is highly esteemed by those who knew him in this county.

## LETCHER CHILD WEIGHS 1 LB.

A daughter born to Mrs. Myrtle Tate, of King's Creek, in Letcher county, weighs only one pound. Dr. T. R. Collier, of Whitesburg, says the child is perfectly formed and normal.

## PRINCE IS A NAZI



Prince of the...

## Mr. Coolidge Hooks a Silver Beauty



Ex-President Coolidge tried the trout fishing in the private preserve of former Senator George McLean of Connecticut the other day, and news photographers were permitted to make pictures of him there. Above he is seen capturing a fine fish.

## ALLEGED BANK ROBBER FREED

### Piercy Executes \$17,000 Bond Saturday; Held Here for Safekeeping

Lawrence Piercy, who has been in the Floyd county jail here since March 18, after having been arrested in Ashland and identified by several Galapine men as one of the trio who robbed the Peinterville National Bank in March, was returned to Paintsville Saturday when he was released under \$17,000 bond. Piercy had been in the jail here for safekeeping.

Though Jaffer W. A. Binger, has had in jail men charged with the most desperate crimes, his record is probably unexcelled in Kentucky, and at least three surrounding counties have sent prisoners to the jail here for safekeeping. At present approximately 35 prisoners are in jail here, with the following here from other counties for safekeeping:

Elisha Smith charged with murder; Knott county; Eugene Meeks; Burdick county; Johnson county; Birdie Meeks, who also was in the jail here from Johnson on the same charge; Jesse Smith, shooting with intent to kill; Johnson county; Bill McCoy and Lewis Carter, robbery; Johnson county; Dallas Hitecock, alleged house-breaker; Johnson county.

Others from this county in the jail facing serious charges are: Bill and Burl Thompson, George Whitl, Bill Hilbert, all charged with murder.

Alford Caseloff was brought to jail Tuesday on an insanity charge. During Tuesday night he became violent and it was found necessary to strap him to a cot and maintain a guard over him.

## TWO JAILED IN THOMPSON DEATH

Bill Thompson and his cousin, Earl Thompson, of Buffalo, Kentucky, are in the county jail here awaiting trial on the charge of killing the late Senator of Buffalo, the father of Bill Thompson, who died almost instantaneously after being inflicted, it is the opinion of the prisoner, with a bullet in the back of the head. The two men were arrested Thursday and are being held in the county jail here.

## WAYLAND JUMPS INTO LOOP LEAD

### Defeats Pikeville and Van Lear Teams in Two League Contests Sunday

Wayland, Ky., May 9 (Sp.)—Finding, as a result of a misunderstanding of the league schedule, both the Pikeville and the Van Lear teams here Sunday to play Wayland in the Big Sandy Baseball League opened the Wayland team agreed to play a doubleheader and defeated both of the visiting sides to jump into the league leadership from the starting point.

The game with Pikeville, which was the regularly scheduled contest, was won by Wayland, 2-1. In a pleating duel between Haney of Wayland and Johnson of Pikeville, Haney held Pikeville to four hits while the local team was stirring nine off of Johnson. Haney hit a home run for Wayland. Runbush hit in the first, and seventh won the second game for Wayland over Van Lear, with Marks able to hold the visitors in the places, though the Van Lear team was only two behind Wayland in the matter of hits, the game ending, 7 to 4. Seven doubles were hit in this game, while Harris drove out a homer and a triple.

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## TAKES AGENCY HERE FOR ARCADE FLORIST

F. D. Ward, Ashland Daily Independent representative here, has taken the agency here for the Arcade Florist, Ashland. Laska Peters, proprietor of the shop, who is located in the Arcade, has been in the city since Tuesday and while here entered into a contract with Mr. Ward.

## 3 TOTS RARELY ESCAPE FLAMES

Three children narrowly escaped death Saturday when a barn belonging to George Franker, near here, burned throughout the Big Sandy valley. The children, who were playing in the barn when the flames broke out, were rescued by the fire department. The children were rescued by the fire department. The children were rescued by the fire department.

## PRESTONSBURG SCOUT TROOP IN MEETING

The three troops of Prestonsburg Boy Scouts gathered Monday night in a Scout meeting, which was addressed by C. P. Findlay, scout executive. Mr. Findlay's talk on "Scout Camping" was very interesting.

## HUEYSVILLE BOY KILLED BY TRAIN

### Lawrence Howard, 13, Fatally Injured Saturday Night Near Garrett

Hueysville, Ky., May 9.—Citizens of this community were deeply shocked early last Saturday night when Lawrence Howard, 13-year-old son of Mrs. Dore Howard, of Low Gap Hill, near this place, was horribly mutilated when he fell beneath the rushing wheels of a coal train which he and another boy were "holing" out of Stone Coal Creek, near Garrett.

Both of young Howard's legs were cut off close to his body, one arm was badly torn and lacerated and numerous cuts and bruises were found on his body. Despite this fact, the lad lived until 5 o'clock Sunday morning, when he expired as a result of his injuries.

Surviving the youth are his mother and two brothers, Daniel and Richard Howard, of this place. Burial was made Sunday afternoon at the first cemetery, with the Rev. J. H. Hayward, of the Baptist Church, and D. M. Allen, Sr., of the Christian Church, officiating. An unusually large crowd attended the service.

## TO COMPLETE HIRING OF TEACHERS FRIDAY

The Floyd county board of education meets Friday of this week when hiring of teachers for county schools is expected to be completed. Forty-six rural schools, and two consolidated schools yet remain to be supplied with teachers.

Though trustee nominations of teachers for a number of these schools have been made, teachers have not been recommended for several schools, and in the event that recommendations are not made the choice of teachers will be left to the judgment of the county superintendent and the board members.

## NAMED BANKING COMMISSIONER

The State Banking Department recently appointed Glenn D. Stradling, of Weeksville, special deputy banking and securities commissioner in charge of the Beaver Valley State Bank which is now being organized in this county. Mr. Stradling is a member of the State Banking Department and has been in the county since Tuesday.

Mr. Stradling's duties will be to supervise the organization of the bank and to see that the bank is in compliance with the laws of the state. He will also be in charge of the bank's operations and will see that the bank is in compliance with the laws of the state.

## JURY GIVES BANKS 2 YEARS FOR HUFF SLAYING AT BOSCO

### Convicted Youth at Liberty Under \$5,000 Bond; New Trial Asked

## EVIDENCE DIFFERS

After deliberating approximately 35 hours, a jury in the Floyd circuit court fixed the sentence of Stewart Banks, of Garrett, at two years in the penitentiary, holding him guilty of manslaughter in the slaying of Robert Huff at Bosco a few months ago. Robert Huff was shot and instantly killed on the railroad tracks, a short distance from the church which the three youths had attended a short time before the shooting, and Bert Huff a moment later fell, shot in the back and paralyzed on the walk leading to the home of his father, Robert Huff, a few yards from the scene of the shooting. This much was definitely established.

As to the circumstances surrounding the shooting the testimony of the trial varied. The defendant claimed that he shot the victim in self-defense, while the commonwealth offered testimony to the effect that Banks, after the shooting when he was in no danger from the Huff boys, was unarmed, this testimony failed.

Commonwealth testimony followed. In brief: After the Huff boys and Banks had attended church and had taken their home, they met on the railroad near the home of Bert Huff, with Banks coming up the railroad, pistol and flashlight in his hand. A quarrel ensued with Banks standing on the sidewalk while the contest was on the main railroad line several feet away. At this time Bert Allen intervened as a peacekeeper asking Banks to go ahead, and telling him that he would go home with him if he wanted to do so. At this juncture Banks threw his pistol into shooting position and Allen ran down the tracks. Banks left the sidewalk and walked onto the main tracks above the Huff grounds, remarking that he would shoot them. Then he shot Robert Huff through or near the heart then turned his pistol upon Bert Huff who was running down the tracks. As Bert Huff turned onto the walk to the father's home, a distance of 60 or 70 feet away, one of Banks' bullets struck him in the back, paralyzing him.

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## SCHOOL CENSUS IS OVER 13,000

### Figures Now Available Show Increase Over Census of 1930

With the census enumeration of Floyd county school pupils between the ages of six and 18 completed by the expiration of three districts a total of more than 13,000 individuals of school age is expected to be reached in the county. This will be an increase of between 200 and 300 over the last school census which was taken in 1930. It is estimated that the census of school children are about 13,000. The census of school children are about 13,000. The census of school children are about 13,000.

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## Special Offer

Until May 20th, subscription rate of the Floyd County Times will be



# Olympic Park Road



An aerial view of the completed Olympic park in Los Angeles, where the tenth Olympic games will begin July 30. In the center is the great stadium for track and field events; lower left, the swimming stadium; upper left, the fine arts building; upper right, the fencing pavilion.

## PROTECT AGAINST TYPHOID FEVER

While typhoid fever may occur at any period of the year, in Kentucky it is most prevalent during the late summer months and autumn. With the approach of the summer season, which is also largely vacation time, we may naturally expect this disease to increase in frequency, unless proper precautions are taken in advance.

"Typhoid fever," said Dr. J. L. Jones, director of the Bureau of Epidemiology of the State Board of Health, in an interview given recently, "is no respecter of age or sex, of social standing or physical condition, or of wealth or poverty. In late years, there has been a marked reduction in both the incidence and the mortality of this disease in all well-regarded communities. Only a few in years ago typhoid fever was exacting an annual toll of more than 50,000 lives in the United States; today, it is responsible for the deaths of less than 10,000 each year. This improvement is due largely to improved sanitary measures, and constitutes one of the many striking examples of the value of public health work.

"Typhoid fever is a communicable disease caused by a specific germ known as the typhoid bacillus. Every germ of seed, of the disease. And from just one source: waste matter; that is, the bowel or kidney discharges of human beings, who are carriers of typhoid germs. Carriers are persons who, although not sick with the disease themselves, have typhoid germs growing in their bodies.

"When human wastes, from typhoid cases or carriers, are disposed of in an unsanitary way, they are like-

ly to get into water, milk and other food products and so become agencies for transmission of the disease to well persons. Water is usually infected by sewage or surface drainage; milk and other foods are apt to be infected by fingers or flies contaminated with the germs of the disease. If all wastes from human bodies could always be so disposed of as not to be accessible to flies, not subject to carriage on human fingers and not likely to get into sources of drinking water or milk supplies, and other foods, no person would have typhoid.

"It is evident, then, that prevention of typhoid fever may be largely summed up in the one word 'cleanliness.' And by 'cleanliness' is meant not only clean water, clean milk and clean foods generally, but also cleanliness of person and surroundings. Typhoid fever has always prevailed where cleanliness has been neglected and diminished where cleanliness has been intelligently observed. Prevention of typhoid fever, therefore, resolves itself into observing the following rules:

"Drink only water which has been pronounced safe by the health officials.

"If there is any doubt about the purity of the water supply, boil, all water used for drinking, bathing, for washing hands, and face and for washing uncooked foods and vegetables. Chlorination will also render water safe; ask your health officer as to the proper method of chlorination.

"Skil dishes and tableware.

"Partake only of milk products

## Baked Beans Fine Substitute For Meat on Lenten Menus



By JOSEPHINE GILSON  
Director, Home Food Institute

BECAUSE they are rich in protein, Baked Beans may take the place of meat in the menu. The food iron and other minerals in Baked Beans make them worthy of the high position they occupy in the food world. Nutritionists advise us to include more Baked Beans in the week's menus, as they recognize Baked Beans an economical source of many valuable food elements. We are urged to serve beans that have been thoroughly baked, since long slow baking makes them tender and meaty.

In the Lenten season when many meals are served without meat, recipes for preparing this valuable food in easily-made dishes are especially interesting. Here are some recipes for all homemakers planning appetizing meals without meat.

**Oven Baked Beans in Green Pepper Cases:** Wash four large green peppers, cut in half lengthwise and remove seeds. Place in boiling water and allow to stand for five minutes to remove sting from the peppers. Fill with Oven Baked Beans (1 medium can), sprinkle with buttered Rice Flakes or crumbs, place in a deep baking dish, add 1/4 cup water and bake in a moderate oven until peppers are tender and the crumbs brown. Serves 4.

**Tomato Welsh Rabbit With Kidney Beans:** Melt 4 tablespoons butter in a saucepan, remove from fire and mix with 4 tablespoons flour. Scald 2 eggs milk and stir into the butter and flour. Season with 1/2 teaspoon salt and dash of pepper. Cook in a double boiler until the mixture thickens, stirring constantly. Beat in 1 1/4 cups grated American cheese, and when the cheese melts, add 1/2 cup Tomato Ketchup and drained Oven Baked Red Kidney Beans (1 medium can) and allow to simmer for 10 minutes. Serve on slices of hot toast or biscuit. Serves 6.

**New Baked Bean With Tomato Sauce:** Wash 2 medium-size Tomatoes, remove seeds, and chop finely. Wash 1 medium-size Onion, remove seeds, and chop finely. Wash 1 medium-size Green Pepper, remove seeds, and chop finely. Wash 1 medium-size Celery stalk, remove seeds, and chop finely. Wash 1 medium-size Carrot, remove top and tail, and chop finely. Wash 1 medium-size Parsley bunch, remove roots, and chop finely. Wash 1 medium-size Dill bunch, remove roots, and chop finely. Wash 1 medium-size Chives bunch, remove roots, and chop finely. Wash 1 medium-size Scallion bunch, remove roots, and chop finely. Wash 1 medium-size Shallot bunch, remove roots, and chop finely. Wash 1 medium-size Leek bunch, remove roots, and chop finely. Wash 1 medium-size Onion bunch, remove roots, and chop finely. Wash 1 medium-size Garlic bunch, remove roots, and chop finely. Wash 1 medium-size Shallot bunch, remove roots, and chop finely. Wash 1 medium-size Leek bunch, remove roots, and chop finely. Wash 1 medium-size Onion bunch, remove roots, and chop finely. Wash 1 medium-size Garlic bunch, remove roots, and chop finely.

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"Avoid bathing and swimming in open and unprotected waters, as most of these are heavily contaminated with germs of life-borne diseases.

"Carefully observe the simple precaution of washing the hands, before eating and of keeping the fingers and other unnecessary objects away from the mouth and nose.

"In all cases where persons are unnecessarily exposed to unsanitary conditions, or where they can not be assured safe food and drink, as when traveling or where they become endangered by possible typhoid carriers, immunization is urged as a wise procedure. Typhoid vaccine, while not intended to replace sanitary measures or to substitute for improvement of water supplies and sewage disposal, or for the proper supervision of milk and other foods, has been shown to constitute an effective protection against the disease for a period of three years.

"When any member of the family has a continued fever or other symptoms of typhoid, the family physician should be called. By so doing, an early diagnosis can be made, proper medical care given and instructions preventing the spread of this disease received. Furthermore, the physician can report the case of the health department, which, in turn, will cooperate with both the family and the physician in preventing and controlling further spread of the disease."

Mrs. Charley Weddington and daughter, Miss Ruth, and Miss Oral Bingham were shopping in Palmsville Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Hopkins were visitors, in Huntington this week.

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# The American Legion

**LEGION SCORES VICTORY FOR WIDOWS AND ORPHANS**

Louisville, Ky.—Bacon K. Moore, department commander of the American Legion of Kentucky, stated that the passage of the "Widows' and Orphans' bill" in the House of Representatives, by an overwhelming majority, put the organization one step farther on its way toward achieving the major objective on its legislative program, which the final enactment of this measure into law will accomplish. The bill now goes to the Senate and will be referred to the Finance Committee of that body for consideration.

The measure known as the Rankin Bill (H. R. 8578), provides an allowance of \$20.00 per month for the widow of a World War veteran. It provides in the case where a veteran leaves a widow and one child the sum of \$25.00 per month, with \$8.00 for each additional child. If the veteran leaves no widow but a child, \$20.00 per month will be paid the child and \$10.00 for each additional child. The widow may have been married to the veteran not less than five years prior to 1925. If the widow has an income of \$250.00 per year she is denied the benefits of the measure.

Commander Moore further stated that the American Legion will con-

tribute to the war dead and perform a service to those men who served their country in one of her most trying times.

Mrs. W. A. Luteneier, Frankfort, Ky., Auxiliary Deputy Commander, stated that more people had been ordered by the posts in Kentucky for the 1928 sale than ever before.

W. O. Johnson Post No. 88, American Legion, Louisville, is raising money through the sale of tickets to finance a mammoth Fourth of July celebration. A Chevrolet car and many cash will be given to the purchaser of the lucky tickets.

WAYLAND INTO LOOP LEAD	AB	E	H	P	O	A	E
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Harris, 3b.	5	2	1	1	1	1	1
Espy, rf.	4	1	1	0	0	0	0
Ratcliffe, 1b.	4	1	2	0	0	0	0
Walsh, lf.	4	0	1	2	0	0	0
Stoggs, 2b.	4	0	0	0	0	0	0
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Castle, c.	4	1	1	2	0	0	0
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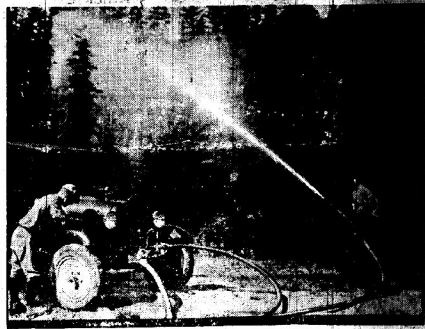
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Bringing City Methods to Forest



Modern firefighting apparatus is introduced in remote mountain regions of British Columbia to combat the fires that have proved so disastrous in the past. A number of these light trucks have been put into service in the Canadian government's parks department. The motor engine is used to operate the automatic pumps which can throw a powerful stream upon the blazing bush.

FLOYD 4-H CLUB NOTES

BANNER 4-H CLUB MEETS
The Banner 4-H club met May 9 at the school building and the meeting was called to order by the president, Miss Edith Hall.
The club stood and gave the club pledge and sang "America."
The roll was called and minutes of the previous meeting read by the secretary.

New Radio Alignment To Advertising Agency

Next Sunday (May 15) the radio alignment of the Columbia Journal and The Louisville Courier-Journal, one affiliated with the Columbia Broadcasting System, after years of friendly association with the chain of the National Broadcasting Company. The change is expected to give Kentucky increased advertising because WLAS will be the only powerful station in a 500-mile radius carrying the program of Columbia.

LEAGUE CONTEST

Defeats Salysville, 8 to 1; Pifchers' Dual Till Ninth Inning

Prestonsburg's entry into the Big Sandy Baseball League by its 8 to 1 victory over the Salysville club at Salysville served notice on other teams in the league that it is ready in the fight for the first half championship.
With Collins pitching a skillful game, limiting the slugging Salysville line to two hits for eight innings, and Prater twisting almost equally as well during the same period, the contest was a real pitcher's battle up till the ninth when Prestonsburg pushed four runs across when Collins fumbled in the ninth. Rimmer, Prestonsburg manager, sent "Yankee" Wells a lefthander, to lead off, and the Salysville rally was over. Despite the roughness of the Salysville Indians the Prestonsburg team played, generally, a ball, Gosholt and Hayward led the locals in hitting with two bags each. Crace Salysville struck out 10, McDowell 10, Prater 10, and Prater 10.

NEARLY LOST

Martin High Classes Wednesday Night; Other Terms End Soon

These days are full of busy hours for several hundred school boys and girls of this county, who will be occupied by the summer vacation to occupy their minds during the little time left them in which they are just "on" for final exams, rehearsals for class plays, or planning entertainments. For this month sees the end of every school term in the county.
Of the high schools, Martin was the first to close the first session, commencing the first day of the week with Attorney John Condit of this place, as the commencement speaker. Two boys and eight girls were graduated, and the school closed with the best record. It is said of any school here to date.
The commencement address was given on the 23rd night by R. H. Hollinger, of the commencement speaker. Mr. Layne on May 20. Matrons on May 21 and Prestonsburg May 20 or 21.
Of these, the complete commencement week program is available for only two days, Layne and Garrett.
The second night, May 18, at 8 o'clock, by Rev. J. F. Record, president of the college.
Wednesday night, May 18, at 8 o'clock, sermon by Dr. Webb, pastor of M. E. Church, South, Pikeville, Ky.
Class Night, May 18, at 8 o'clock, at the commencement.
Friday, May 20, 8 o'clock, J. J. McBrayer the commencement speaker.
Saturday, May 21, 8 o'clock, Rev. J. F. Record, president of the college.
Sunday, May 22, 8 o'clock, Rev. J. F. Record, president of the college.
Monday, May 23, 8 o'clock, Rev. J. F. Record, president of the college.

Table with columns AB, E, H, W, P, G, L, S, T, U, V, W, X, Y, Z, Total. Lists names and statistics for a baseball league.

REYNOLDS-VINCENT WEDDINGS ARE HELD
Marriage of Mrs. Ann Reynolds and Mr. Haskell H. Vincent was solemnized here on Thursday, May 12, at 9:30 o'clock by the Rev. J. M. Helm, pastor of the M. E. Church, South, of this place.
New of the union of the couple, which will be of interest to the many friends throughout this section.
Mrs. Vincent, the charming daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Reynolds of Martin, Ky., is a graduate of Bowling Green University, and is now present the postmistress at Martin.

Big Sandy Baseball League Standings

Table with columns Team, W, L, P, G, L, S, T, U, V, W, X, Y, Z, Total. Lists team names and their win/loss records.

2,000 FAMILIES RECEIVE FLOUR

Red Cross Establishes Distributing Points; Friends' Work Ends May 28
Approximately 2,000 families, have received flour in this county from the American Red Cross April 25th by collecting groceries from the same sources. It was the first time since the war that flour has been distributed in this section.
At the same time the American Friends Service Committee is distributing free hot lunches to neglected children and dependent mothers at the various schools of the county. Cost of this work is approximately \$250 daily. It is estimated that Red Cross flour will reach nearly 200.

Program of the Lower Jig Creek 4-H club which was resumed a few days ago follows:
Opening song—"If You Love Your Mother"; meeting called to order by club president, Janice Spradlin; roll call by the secretary, Lois Clark; "The Story of Mother's Day," Mrs. Elmon Clark, leader; recitation, "Dear Mother's Love," Ethel Moore; song by club—"Mother and Home"; recitation by Mary Smith—"She Made Home Happy"; reading by Lois Clark, "A Mother's Love"; recitation by Nora Moore—"My Mother"; recitation by Janice Spradlin—"My Mother"; song—"Tell Mother I'll Meet Her."

STEPHENS TO HANDLE WAYLAND BANK AFFAIRS
Henry Stephens, Jr., member of the First National Bank here, was appointed May 3, as special deputy banking and securities commissioner in the matter of the Bank of Wayland, which closed its doors several months ago.
All matters pertaining to deposits and notes with the bank will be handled through Mr. Stephens' office. It is believed that the bank will be able to pay deposits and value of their deposits.

MCDOWELL 4-H CLUB PROGRAM
Meeting called to order by Astor Akers; pledge by all; minutes and roll call—Mary Mae Blackburn; Mrs. Wood—discussion of carrying on a meeting during absence; preparation for July 4th; demonstration week: "Shade," Genevieve Robinson; "Things Made From Wood," Inez Balden; "Trees," Glenn Blackburn; "How a Woolly Plant Grows," Cecil Bush; "Setting Out Trees," Mr. Ishell; "The Heart of a Tree," Mary Mae Blackburn; "Arbor Day Tree," Genevieve Steed; prayer by Mr. Elliott.

Paris Has a Marvelous New Clock
This marvelous clock, recently completed for the Paris observatory, will tell the time whenever a telephone call is made on the observatory; a robot voice making the announcement. It gives the exact time every ten seconds. The building of the clock took many months.

Advertisement for 'New Permanent Wave Shop' featuring a woman's portrait and text: 'The Harlowe Building, On Front Street, Prestonsburg, Ky.' Includes 'All Work Guaranteed' and 'SPECIAL' offers.

SAM HALBERT INJURED NEAR ARKANSAS SUNDAY WHEN STRUCK BY CAR
Mrs. Kate Napier, 50 years old, wife of Amos (Sonny) Napier, well-known farmer, died at the Golden Rule hospital, Prestonsburg, Monday evening at 8 o'clock after an illness of eight days with pneumonia.
Mrs. Napier was before marriage Miss Kate Shorb and was a member of a large Floyd county family. She was a devout member of the United Baptist Church for several years, and was highly respected.
Surviving her are her husband and three children: Mrs. Pearl Conyer, Mrs. Anas Carroto, Settle, Lydia and Fanny; also Mrs. Myrtle C. B. Napier and Walter Napier of Martin. Three brothers, Mr. J. J. Napier, Mr. Frank Short, of Clark county, and one sister, Mrs. L. M. Napier, of Boone county, Okla., also survive.
The body was returned to the Napier home where funeral services were conducted Monday afternoon. Burial will be held here on Tuesday morning.

Lackey Woman Passes, Victim of Pneumonia
Mrs. Georgia Perry Battif, 67 years old, died Wednesday of pneumonia. Burial was made Friday near the home.
Mrs. Battif was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Perry of Lackey, and had many friends in this section where she had spent the past several years. Besides her parents she is survived by her husband, James Battif, and three children.
Funeral services were conducted by the Berean Compton.
Miss Lucy Stephens has returned in her home here after spending the past two months with relatives at Wheeling.

Large advertisement for 'PAIN' relief, listing 'HEADACHES, NEURITIS, NEURALGIA, COLDS...' and featuring an illustration of a person's head with a hand on their forehead.

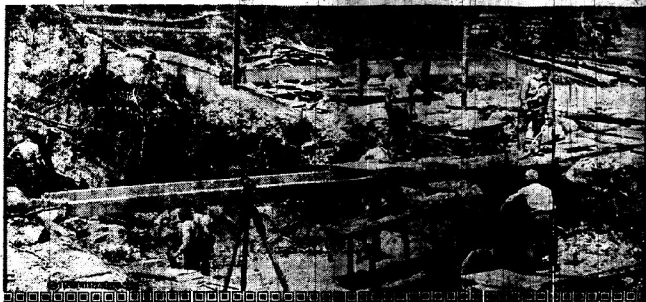
Paris Has a Marvelous New Clock (Continued)
Work of the Friends' Service Commission ends in the various communities as schools close and will be concluded in the county May 28. The closing of the line on June 28, by the Red Cross, will be the end of the work of the Friends' Service Commission in this section.







Restoring First President's Distillery



Liquors, whisky and brandy were made for home consumption at George Washington's still house near his mansion at Mt. Vernon. Workmen are shown repairing the historic structure as well as the old mill, some of the timbers of which have been unscathed and can be seen quite plainly.

UTILITY IS TARGET OF RECEIVERSHIP

Wilmington, Del., May 10.—(Special) The Federal Public Service Corporation which provides electric utilities in 17 Middle Western and Southern states with electric gas and telephone service was asked today by a federal court to be placed in receivership. The complaint filed in chancery court stated that the corporation was insolvent.

The corporation will be unable to meet this maturity and that a committee of the company's bankers has been formed which requested the receiver to set a six-year extension of maturity on agreement of the company to pay interest at 6 per cent on new notes.

Deborah Underhill—Mrs. Cecil Kendrick; Walter Bill Underhill—Miss Louise Dancy; Miss Louisa Loving Custard—Miss Ruth Nichols; Isabel Sampson—Miss May Hatcher; Gloria Perkins—Miss Irene Patton; Susie Plindle—Margaret Stephens; John Underhill—Cecil Kendrick; Charley Underhill—Forrest Short; Brother Jonah Quakenbush—Oscar Bond; Jeremiah Triplett—Dan Thompson; Joseph Hoge—Charles Spradlin; Queens Todd—John Canfield.

THE GARDEN

(By John S. Gardner, Kentucky) College of Agriculture There is probably not a garden in Kentucky in which greens have not already played an important part. In fact, the season for harvesting spring greens is almost over. Greens would be a welcome addition to the diet of the summer through if only to provide variety, to say nothing of their value otherwise but quite too many of us associate "greens" only with spring. There are two hot-weather greens, Swiss Chard and New Zealand spinach. They are both easy to grow, but to have them, arrangements must have been made in time. That they are new.

REBEKAH'S PLAY HERE A SUCCESS

"An Old-Fashioned Mother" the play sponsored here by Miriam Lodge, Order of Hobokans, who presented in the auditorium of the graded school building May 5, and, aside from the intrinsic interest of the play, its handling redounded much credit to the hands of the public preferred the cast, which was composed of local stock with a net value of \$124,000 and funded debts of \$18,887,900, of which was directed by Miss Anna Martin.

Design for Olympic Games Diplomas



Bearing figures copied from Greek vases of about 400 B. C., the design for diplomas to be awarded winning athletes in the coming Olympic games was completed by Harry Muir Kirtzworth, arts curator of the Los Angeles Museum. The diploma, to be finished in black and terra cotta, will include figures of ancient Greek athletes, warriors and judges; one of Athena, goddess of the games, representing ancient Olympians; one of Columbia, representative of modern games, and other decorations.

Unique Theater-Program

OFFERING FOR WEEK OF MAY 13 TO MAY 19

Unique Theater Prestonsburg, Kentucky

Starting Time—MATINEE . . . . . 2 P. M. NIGHT . . . . . 7 P. M.

The theater is modern, cool, clean and comfortable, and only the highest grade pictures are shown.

"Sound as Good as the Best"

FRIDAY—Last day of 'The Hatchet Man' starring EDWARD G. ROBINSON and LORETTA YOUNG.

SATURDAY—a WESTERN thriller—"PARTNERS" starring TOM KEENE. Also two comedies.

SUNDAY and MONDAY—GRETA GARBO in her greatest picture—"Mata Hari"

with RAMON NOVARRO. The story of a beauty who lured men to the dishonor of betraying their country. An unforgettable production!

TUESDAY and WEDNESDAY—"Makers of Men" with JACK HOLT and JOHN WAYNE. For powerful drama, see this one.

THURSDAY ONLY—NORMAN FOSTER and MAE CLARK in "Reckless Living" A reckless, riotous comedy.

GARRETT HIGH SENIORS IN PLAY REHEARSALS

Garrett, Ky., May 10 (Sp.)—Seniors of Garrett high school announce the presentation of "Out of Bounds" Wednesday, May 16, 7:30 p. m. For four weeks, already they have been practicing themselves, that it will be a production extraordinary, and now that they are entering the fifth week of rehearsal, they whisper that they are about ready to promise as much to the public.

REVIVAL MEETING ENDS AT WEEKSBURY

A revival meeting, which many insist had been the greatest ever conducted at Left Beaver Creek, closed at Weeksbury Wednesday night. Rev. G. D. Franklin, who recently conducted similar meetings in Prestonsburg, was the speaker. Scores of persons, young and old, from all walks of life were converted, and the entire community was remarkably affected.

CASE AGAINST SLAYER OF FATHER DISMISSED

The murder charge against Miss Mattie Jones, Left Beaver Creek woman charged with the murder of her father, Frank Jones, was dismissed in circuit court here Tuesday. The defendant was given a 15-year penitentiary sentence at her trial here last year, but the verdict was reversed by the court of appeals which held that evidence was insufficient to convict. For this reason the case was dismissed.

Floyd Woman Planting Beans Destroys 'Stiff'

When Mrs. Frank Gearhart went to plant beans, on the hillside near her home on Salt Lick Creek, three miles from Huggsville, this county, last week, she did some extra work that she had not planned when she left home. She found a moonshiner still, and promptly cut it to pieces. The still of approximately 50 gallons capacity was wrapped in "coffee sacks" cotton in preparation for moving or setting up for business. Mrs. Gearhart's hoe made the latter the remotest sort of possibility.

HOST TO STUDENTS, TEACHERS AT CAMP

University of Kentucky students and faculty members of that institution and of the University of Cincinnati, while in this county last week on an inspection tour of the Floyd county gas field, spent the night as guests of Attorney J. D. Harkins at his summer camp on the Big Sandy river, near Bunney. Harkins' camp, which was recently completed, is located in one of Floyd county's best spots, along a beautiful stretch of river, within a short distance of a swimming pool and good fishing, and is comfortable and furnished as to give the greatest enjoyment in camping.

Lesley Man Newsom, Tax Commissioner, and To Begin Work on the Over E. Hays, Democrat, in this county, received the approval of the county court.

Radio Service Talks

If you were not getting 100 per cent results from your automobile, you'd drive right into a garage and get the trouble fixed. When your radio is not doing just what it should—call a service man!—some one who knows how and can quickly fix it—and some one who has reasonable charges and guarantees his work. Give radio service anywhere in Floyd county. Just phone, send a card or letter.

A NEW SERVICE TO OUR CUSTOMERS

Advertisement for Excella Patterns featuring illustrations of women in various styles of dresses and a list of pattern numbers and prices. Text includes: 'We are pleased to announce the opening of a new Pattern Department where you can obtain patterns featuring the latest Paris fashions at minimum cost. EXCELLA PATTERNS 25c to 75c. They are guaranteed to be perfect in style and fit. Money refunded for pattern not used if any loss results due to a distant fit pattern. THE EXCELLA PATTERN QUARTERLY. To make a copy features the latest styles in Excella patterns. Each pattern is guaranteed to be perfect in style and fit. Money refunded for pattern not used if any loss results due to a distant fit pattern.'

Advertisement for The Sinton-St. Nicholas hotel. Text includes: 'When American Aristocracy Travels. The Great of America and Europe make The Sinton-St. Nicholas their home in Cincinnati. The service which has made this hotel world-famous is yours to command. Every hotel luxury plus a distinctive address at reasonable cost. 750 Rooms with bath, shower and servitor from \$2. Single Rooms at \$4.-16. Five dining rooms, finest quality food at moderate prices. CHICAGO OFFICE: 520 N. MICHIGAN AVE. SUITE 422. PHONE SUPERIOR 446. The Sinton-St. Nicholas. The hotel of choice in every city. JOHN L. MORGAN, General Manager.'