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## NAMES BODY TO PROBE KENTUCKY COURT AFFAIRS

### Economy Practiced by Court of Appeals Contrasted with Cost of Others

#### BAD ROADS LED

Chief Justice Richard Priest Dietzman, of the Kentucky Court of Appeals, and chairman of the Kentucky Judicial Council, has instructed a committee of the council to ascertain the volume of business transacted in each judicial district of the state. This action was taken following an explanation made by Judge C. B. Wheeler, of the Floyd circuit court, Judge J. F. Bailey, of the Johnson circuit court, and Judge R. H. Roberts of Hazard, that higher court costs in the mountains are caused by unusual conditions. These judges expressed the view that the dockets of their courts are more congested than are those of other districts.

A report to the Judicial Council showed that it cost the state for grand and petit jurors and commission of the trustee for the jury fund in Floyd county during the last fiscal year \$25,408.81, or \$17,147.93 more than it cost Fayette county with a court in continuous session.

Eastern Kentucky circuit judges said court costs in these counties could not be reduced materially until roads are improved in the mountains. And Judge Roberts added, "The state has to maintain order, no matter what it costs."

In contradistinction to costs of Eastern Kentucky courts named Judge Dietzman said that the Court of Appeals last year disposed of 1,100 cases at an average cost of \$10 each.

The Chief Justice said it cost the state \$110,000 during the fiscal year to maintain the Court of Appeals. He said "no court in the Union operates on so economical a basis as the Kentucky Court of Appeals."

The sum included salaries of appellate judges, commissioners, secretaries, the clerk of the court and telephone bills.

Litigation costs of the Attorney General's department in the four-year period ending in June, 1931, amounted to \$123,185.24 as against \$18,105.84 in the four-year period ending in 1927. Nat. B. Sewell, State Inspector and Examiner, reported to Governor Laffoon today.

The inspector said that "the facts brought out" in an investigation by T. M. Jones, Assistant Inspector, "are convincing that entirely too much expense was expended in the making of contracts for services that might have been rendered in part or in whole by the Attorney General's department."

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## STEPHENS AND STALLARD BEGIN PRISON SENTENCES

Sheriff B. L. Sturgis Monday took two men under sentence from the Floyd circuit court to the state reformatory at Frankfort to begin service on their terms. The convicts were Frank Stephens, convicted of murder and sentenced for 21 years, and William Stallard, sentenced for three years for the robbery of the store owned by Mrs. Henry Stephens, Jr., of this place.

## WEST PRESTONSBURG WOMAN IS VICTIM AFTER LONG ILLNESS

Mrs. Anna Montgomery, wife of Jim Montgomery, died at the age of 27 Sunday, November 13, at the Montgomery home in West Prestonsburg as the result of a complication of illness, from which she had suffered for the past two years.

The victim was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Banka Wallen, of Water Gap, and had many relatives in this county. She held the respect of all who knew her by her many fine traits of character.

Besides her husband and parents, Mrs. Montgomery is survived by two brothers and a sister, Paul, Joe and Miss Rebecca Wallen. Funeral services were conducted Tuesday afternoon in the Baptist Church in West Prestonsburg by Rev. Frank McGuire, B. W. Craft and Alex Stephens, with burial in the West Prestonsburg cemetery under the direction of R. T. Arnold.

## WEDDING OF POPULAR COUPLE SOLEMNIZED IN FRANKLIN, KY.

A marriage of much interest throughout this section was that of Miss Henrietta Sipp Meade, of Paintsville, Ky. and Mr. Joseph M. Radcliffe, of Prestonsburg, which was solemnized on Saturday, November 13, at the Methodist Episcopal Church, Franklin, Ky. the pastor, the Rev. Creng Ayliff officiating.

The bride is the attractive daughter of Dr. and Mrs. L. G. Meade, of Paintsville. She was graduated from Paintsville high school with the class of '32, and attended the Western State Normal College, Bowling Green, Ky. Mr. Radcliffe is the son of Mr. C. E. Radcliffe, of Mitchell, W. Va. At Louisa high school, from which he was graduated, Mr. Radcliffe was a star football player. Following his graduation from high school he attended Ohio State. Mr. Radcliffe, coming here about three years ago, holding a responsible position with the Indiana Gas Company. Both the bride and the groom are quite popular and have a host of friends in this section.

Mr. and Mrs. Radcliffe returned to Paintsville November 8, accompanied by the bride's brother, Wendell Meade Meade.

## DEMOCRATIC LEAD IN FLOYD, 4,083

Vinson and his lead. Victorious Democratic Campaign.

Floyd county voters for the Roosevelt for president for Hoover, giving a lead of 4,083.

Mr. Roosevelt's name was on the ballot in the county, and it was the case of the other party.

The Floyd county voters were divided into two main groups, the Roosevelt and the Hoover.

The Roosevelt voters were the majority in the county, and they were the ones who gave the lead.

The Hoover voters were the minority in the county, and they were the ones who were defeated.

The Roosevelt voters were the ones who were the most active in the campaign, and they were the ones who were the most successful.

The Hoover voters were the ones who were the most passive in the campaign, and they were the ones who were the most unsuccessful.

The Roosevelt voters were the ones who were the most loyal to their party, and they were the ones who were the most devoted.

## SEARCH FOR HICKS PROVES FRUITLESS

### Alleged Slayer of Howard Remains Uncaptured; Prater Quizzed by Grand Jury

Whereabouts of Troy Hicks, alleged slayer of Tax Commissioner Ellis Howard, remains this week unknown to Floyd county authorities. Intensive search through the Middle Creek section of the county and on Rock Fork of Right Beaver, where Hicks' sister, Mrs. Will Chaffin, resides, has failed to reveal trace of his hiding-place.

Ark Prater, who was arrested on the night of November 5, a short time after the slaying of Mr. Howard, was questioned by the grand jury Monday, then returned to jail. Prater was riding home with the official and Hicks, on the night of the slaying, but denies having taken any part in the killing.

John K. Pitts, who was wounded a few days ago by the charge of a shotgun claimed to have been fired by Charley Haywood on Sparlock road of Middle Creek, is in a serious condition, according to his father, "Muel" Pitts. The Pittses have not prepared a warrant for Haywood's arrest, nor have any of the family appeared to date before the grand jury. It is said.

## TRIO CELEBRATE ROBBERY, JAILED

### Discharge Stolen Firecrackers, Furnishing Class Lunch From Beisy Layne Store Found

John Alton James Ferrell and Willie Cole, Beisy Layne, decided to celebrate their success in robbing the store of Ernest Layne at Beisy Layne Monday night by shooting some of the firecrackers which they had taken from the store—and how they ate it.

The firecrackers were missing from the store somebody saw them lighting up the fireworks. Thus a definite clue to the identity of the robbers was gained.

The trio was arrested Tuesday morning by Magistrate Dewey Roberts and Deputy Sheriff Basil Hamill on Main Creek, near Tross, Tuesday morning and brought to jail here. They confessed the robbery, and a portion of the stolen items, consisting of cigarettes, cigars, chewing gum and firecrackers valued at \$35, were recovered.

Entrance to the building, which contained Mr. Layne's grocery store, restaurant and soda fountain, was effected by breaking out a glass of the front door. The burglary took place at 10 o'clock Monday night.

## Relief Committee Sends More Than 150 Men Back to Work

### County Roads Being Improved By Labor Hired By R. F. C. Funds—County Buys Coverts, To Furnish Tools for Projects

Within a few days, after sending him to office here and getting the relief committee of the Kentucky Relief Commission, disbursing agency for the Reconstruction Finance Corporation's loan to Kentucky, had employed between 150 and 275 men on public improvement work in this county. M. D. Powell, disbursing agent for the local committee said this week.

Though labor paid with these funds may be employed on the improvement of any property which is taxable and owned by the public, no work is being done only on county roads. Highway being this instance, as this is on Middle Creek, above the John Dyer, Kentucky, K. C. Smith, Cov. and Frank Powell, Linton, Pa. Co. Mr. Powell said this week that for the present the

work that can be done has already been completed.

Although it is possible to find the improvement of roads. Already the county had purchased \$4,000 worth of corrugated iron culverts for this use, and County Judge Stimpke assured the committee that teams would be furnished in connection with the work.

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## MRS. COLBERT DIES MONDAY AT AGE OF 19 AFTER WEEK'S ILLNESS

Mrs. Anna Allen Colbert, 19 years old, wife of Don Colbert, of West Prestonsburg, died Monday, November 14, at the Beaver valley hospital, Martin, following an illness of a week from complications. Mrs. Colbert was the daughter of R. T. Allen, also of West Prestonsburg.

Mrs. Colbert was taken to the hospital at Martin on Friday. She was a young woman of good character, and had many friends and relatives in this vicinity.

Surviving her are her 15-month-old son, her husband and parents, and the following brothers and sisters: Nancy, Elliott and Bud, Tootsie and Ann Allen, all of West Prestonsburg. Funeral services were conducted Tuesday by Rev. B. W. Craft and A. L. Allen, with burial following in West Prestonsburg cemetery under the direction of R. T. Arnold.

## MISS MARY SPADLIN, COVINGTON TEACHER, SUCCEUMS TUESDAY

Miss Mary Spadlin, 24 years old, daughter of the late James Spadlin, former Covington postmaster, died Wednesday morning in Covington, Ky., a victim of pneumonia, relatives here have been notified.

Though she had been ill since last Saturday, her condition had been reported as showing improvement and news of her death came as a shock to her many relatives and friends here.

Miss Spadlin was a teacher in the Covington city schools and was a young woman of exceptional character and popular. Though her mother passed here when she was quite young, Miss Spadlin is well-remembered here.

Besides her mother, she is survived by two sisters, Mrs. W. H. Nicholas, of Prestonsburg, and Mrs. E. L. Miller, of Paintsville, and by a brother, J. C. Spadlin, of Bowling Green, Ky. The body was taken to Bowling Green, home of the victim's mother, where funeral services were conducted at 2 o'clock Friday afternoon, with burial taking place there.

## MRS. MINNIE MARTIN DIES IN ASHLAND, KY.

### Wife of Former Floyd Jailor Found Dead Tuesday Morning

Mrs. Minnie Harris Martin, 70 years old, wife of the late Joel C. Martin, former Floyd county jailor, was found dead in bed at her home at 1240 Central avenue, Ashland, Tuesday morning.

Mrs. Martin had been in the usual state of her advanced years, and it is believed that her death resulted from a heart ailment.

The body was removed to the county morgue and will be buried in the county cemetery.

Mrs. Martin was born in the county and was a well-known resident.

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## CHARGES AGAINST EDUCATION BOARD DROPPED MONDAY

### Misfeasance and Ineligibility Allegations Filed by Combs Dismissed, Richmond Wires

Charges preferred against the Floyd county board of education by Townsend Combs, of Maytown, have been dismissed, County Superintendent John Stephens was notified in a telegram Monday from James H. Richmond, superintendent of public instruction.

Mr. Richmond's telegram to Mr. Stephens follows: "State board of Education has dismissed charges against James A. May, member of county board of education. It has also decided not to consider charges against you and other members of the board of education, having in mind your report of Auditor Mills and other information brought to the state board."

Mr. Combs' charge against Mr. May alleged that the latter was ineligible to membership on the county board of education on the grounds that he did not possess an eighth grade education. His charge against Mr. Stephens and the board of education as a whole was that it had misappropriated funds. Against George Heile, of Woodloe, board member, it was charged that he was ineligible for the reason that he already held the office of postmaster.

The plaintiff's allegations were met by an order of the county board of education, asking a day for the hearing and individual requests for an immediate and thorough hearing.

Auditor Mills, of the state department of education, came here shortly after the complaining had been filed and made an exhaustive audit of the records in the superintendent's office. Upon the completion of this work he stated that of county board of education records, which he had examined in 117 Kentucky counties, the Floyd county records were the best. Also, with his statement went report of Mr. May's educational qualifications.

## BUSINESS WOMEN TO MEET NOVEMBER 25TH

On Friday evening, November 23, at 7:30 o'clock, the Business and Professional Women's Club will hold its social meeting at the home of Mrs. Julia B. Stephens. The joint program to be given by the education chairman, Miss Minnie Grace Harris, and the research chairman, Mrs. Julia B. Stephens, follows:

Song — by all; professional roll call; "Research Work on Health and Sanitation"—Mrs. Hedda K. Mayo; "Scholarship and Loan Funds"—Miss Mary Keeney; piano solo—Miss Maude Sparlock; "The Ten-Year Obligation"—Miss Minnie Grace Harris; "Your Library and How to Use It"—Mrs. Margaret Howe; vocal solo — Mrs. Edith James; "Professional Research"—Miss Virgie McCombe; "Does a Girl's Business Success Depend on Her Education of the Parents?"—Miss Helen Baskett.

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**MEMBERS BODY TO PROBE KY. BUREAU EXPENSES**  
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The 1932 session of the General Assembly, Sewell remarked, "showed its disapproval of the unscrutinized expenditures of previous years by placing the cost of suits account in the budget appropriation and shifting the expenditures to \$10,000 per year."

"The appropriation, judging by the average expenditures of the past 30 years, exceeding the last four years, is more than ample to meet the necessary and reasonable expenses that properly are chargeable to this account. Less freedom granted by the Attorney General in employing extra help and in incurring extra expenses would have saved the state a large sum of money and would have reflected much higher credit to the department in the management of its affairs."

Criticism approval of expense accounts by the former Attorney General and his assistants, the Inspector said:

"In this connection I feel that it is only fair to state that the records of the present year show that the Governor of the Commonwealth has not made a single contract for outside legal assistance, and that there have been no claims filed by the Attorney General's department for payment from the costs of suits account except for necessary court fees, and traveling expenses of regular employes of the department in connection with the state's litigation."

Expense accounts of L. F. Orr, St. Louis, employed as a rate expert by the Attorney General's department, were criticized by Sewell.

"It is observed that two railroad fares, St. Louis to Frankfort, were charged on February 6, 1931," said Sewell discussing Orr's accounts. "Who used the extra railroad ticket and why was it necessary to pay some unknown person's fare from St. Louis to Frankfort, at a cost to the state of \$15.94."

**CARD OF THANKS**

Deepest appreciation is extended to all those who offered the solace of kind words and deeds upon the death of my wife, Mrs. Anna Montgomery. I especially thank the following for the beautiful flowers:

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Moore, Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Schutte, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley White, Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Proctor, Mr. and Mrs. Newton L. May, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Holcomb, Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Weddington, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Gray, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Harter, Mr. and Mrs. C. V. Kinsburgh, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Ward, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Clark, Paul Porter, L. A. Correll and Ed Garrison.  
JEN. MONTGOMERY.

**NOTICE**

Tyrranant to call made by the State Tax Commission, there will be an examination held in my office at the courthouse in Prestonburg, Ky., on Friday, November 25, 1932, beginning at 10 a. m., for the purpose of qualifying applicants for County Tax Commissioner.

Witness my hand this 11th day of November, 1932.

JOE P. TACKETT,  
County Attorney.

**TO OPEN BOWLING ALEYS**

W. A. Stanley has installed bowling alleys at Pikeville, located in the new building on Second street. Bowling alleys will be opened Saturday. Mr. Stanley and J. Y. Goble will be in charge.

**KEEPING STEP WITH THE AMERICAN LEGION**

Louisville, Ky.—The demand, for membership upon the American Legion and need for it to stand firm in the face of attacks against benefits derived by the disabled in a decade of efforts make it imperative that the Kentucky Legion have a large membership. The early Department Membership Campaign is being conducted in Louisville by the American Legion. The membership drive will be held on Friday, November 18.

**NOTICE OF SALE**

The undersigned will sell the land for cash in hand at his place of business, at Allen, Ky., on Saturday, November 12, one Nash coupe, described as follows: Serial No. A47381, Motor No. 42860. Sale of car will be made to satisfy storage charge, of \$40, with costs.

10-28-32 (Signed) W. H. ARNOLD

**MARTIN WILLS TEAM**

Martin, Ky., Nov. 14 (AP)—The girls' basketball team of the Martin consolidated school has again developed that fine spirit of co-operation and playing skill that has characterized its play for the past three years. Since basketball has been played in

the town for many years, the girls' basketball team has been playing every year. This year the team has won the big one of the county. There will be no tournament for the girls under the Kentucky High School Athletic Association's management. The Martin team became county champion in their victory over Maytown Friday night.

the game was not decided until the last whistle. The score ended 19-16 in favor of Maytown.

Games played by girls:

Martin 16, Woodwright 4; Martin 11, Woodwright 3; Martin 24, Woodwright 12; Martin 23, Harold 25; Martin 20, Iwanda 18; Martin 16, Woodwright 10; Martin 9, Maytown 9.

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# U. K. TENNESSEE CLASSIC AT HAND

That epic of football, the annual Kentucky-Tennessee battle, scheduled for Thanksgiving day at Knoxville, is almost at hand and Kentucky's Big Blue team is already at work trying to fix up a scheme that will put another dent in the remarkable record of the Volunteers.

The Wildcats have knocked the Vols out of the Southern Conference championship three times, in the last four years by means of the games, and have otherwise made themselves objectionable to the Terrible Vols. This year the Cats are hoping to mark up another upset.

Fully 2,000 persons are expected to follow the Wildcats to Knoxville for the game, and estimates received from Knoxville indicate that 30,000 persons will see the Cats and Vols battle. For the past four years the Volunteers have been highly favored over the Cats, but in all these years, they have been unable to score a touchdown that wasn't matched by the Cats. The scoring for the past four years, have been 6 to 6, 9 to 8, and 6 to 8.

The Tennessee game brings to a close the most difficult schedule ever attempted by a Kentucky team. The Wildcats have met in succession, V. M. L. Evans, Georgia Tech, Washington and Lee, V. P. L. Albama, Duke and Tulane—all Southern Conference members.

## WAYLAND ANNEXES 3RD STRAIGHT GAME

Wayland, Ky., Nov. 15 (Sp.)—The Wayland Wildcats have won 3 games in succession within the last few days. On Thursday, Nov. 3, the Wayland team won a decisive victory over McDowell High by a score of 29 to 11. Chester Collier and Jack Brannan were the leading scorers, Collier making 16 out of the 29 points. Saturday, Nov. 7, the Wildcats defeated Sulzer'sville high, 18-18. At the end of the game the score was 17-17. During three minutes over period a Sulzer'sville player made a free shot, placing them on point in the lead. But Collier, always on the alert

## PIKEVILLE MAN PICKS ALL-STAR BASEBALL

Carl Corbin, all-star baseball team, his choice of the Big League crop reads, the following selections from Lawrence Brannan, of Pikeville:

- FIRST TEAM**  
 J. Runyon, Pikeville, cf.  
 Collus, Prestonsburg, rf.  
 Hodges, Pikeville, cf.  
 Bus, Louisa, 2b.  
 D. Johnson, Pikeville, 3b.  
 Roberts, Pikeville, ss.  
 Miller, Prestonsburg, D.  
 Curmiste, Prestonsburg, c.  
 Fisher, Pikeville, p.

- SECOND TEAM**  
 Innes, Wayland, cf.  
 McCown, Pikeville, 2b.  
 Moseley, Prestonsburg, 3b.  
 Wobb, Pikeville, rf.

## The Road to Better Health



By Dr. William J. Spikes  
The popular belief is that patients with mental diseases are practically always incurable. We expect that their condition will gradually or rapidly grow worse, if they do apparently recover, we expect that it is only a matter of time until they suffer a relapse.

Dr. H. D. Bond, of Philadelphia, believes that the good results obtained in the treatment of mental disease, is underestimated. In an article published last August in the Journal of the American Medical Association, he gives some encouraging facts. The article gives the results of treatment of 1,554 consecutive patients admitted to the department for mental and nervous diseases of the Pennsylvania Hospital. The careers of these patients were studied over a period of from five to ten years. **SOME RECOVERED**

Twenty of the patients were lost to observation. The rest of a group of 1,534 patients whose careers could be followed over five years. Of these, 874 recovered and stayed well; 150 improved greatly; 331 died, and 200 remained stationary or grew worse. These figures indicate that a little over 20 per cent of the entire group of patients recovered, and that 14.5 per cent showed considerable improvement. Some of the patients who recovered became healthier than they ever had been before their illness.

It is pointed out that in the case of many of those who died, the mental condition was in no way related to the cause of death.

The figures given by Dr. Bond would seem to justify his belief that the good results of treatment in mental diseases are underestimated. There are diseases other than mental in which 20 per cent of the patients do not recover. It is possible that the results would be even better if more patients with mental diseases were placed in the care of the psychiatrist and given proper institutional care earlier. For there is too often an inclination to delay treatment. The psychiatrist and the hospitals devoted to the care of mental and nervous diseases are probably doing much more effective work than they generally get credit for.

## COMMONWEALTH GRANT RUSH PAYING CLAIMS

Garrett, Ky., Nov. 8.—Commonwealth Life Ins. Co., Louisville, Ky., has received through your agent \$1,000.00 on the life of your husband, William M. Puck, of Garrett, Ky. I wish to thank you for paying this claim within three days. **BARBARA PUCK, Beneficiary**

## W. F. Patton United out of this week and showed by a record of \$2,000 paid by the Commonwealth Life Insurance Company, of Louisville, of which he is agent, for a death claim in Pike county.

**RITES FOR BULLET VICTIM IN LOUISIA**  
 Louisa, Ky., Nov. 12.—Funeral services for Mont Pligg, 30, who was killed here Thursday night by a bullet wound alleged to have been inflicted by John Julius, will be conducted today afternoon at 2 o'clock from the Louisa M. E. Church with Rev. W. W. Shepherd of Louisa, and Rev. R. K. Lakin, of Ft. Gay, officiating. Interment will be made in the Parkersburg cemetery here.

Mr. Pligg is survived by his mother, Mrs. Fannie Pligg, of Louisa, his wife, Mrs. Mabel Kirk Pligg, and children, at home, and two children, Miss Manerette Helen Pligg and Frank Pligg, who reside with relatives in Ashland.

## MAYTOWN

Miss Estel Salisbury is at home following a visit in Winchester, Ky. Little Miss Joyce Short, of Warsaw, entertained a number of her little friends, Sunday afternoon of last week, the occasion being her birthday.

Little Miss Elizabeth Boughton, hostess to a delightful party Saturday evening in honor of her birthday.

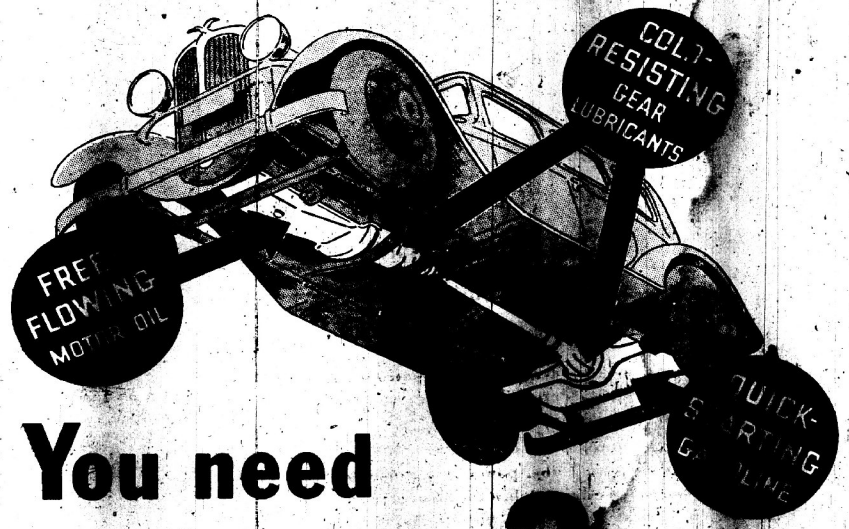
Mr. and Mrs. Earl Pradier host to a charming party for young people Monday night. Members of the Literary Society enjoyed a wanner roast on the 11th of May hill Tuesday night. The Red Cross, sewing circle, under the leadership of Mrs. B. A. Combs meets each Wednesday afternoon at the church at 2 p. m. All Maytown and Warsaw ladies are requested to come to every meeting.

## CARD OF THANKS

I wish to take this means of expressing grateful thanks for the services extended by Messrs. J. W. Wha and Hale, of the Beaver Run hospital, Martin, during the illness of my daughter, Susie Allen Corbett, and my deep appreciation of the comforting words of Rev. A. E. Allen and Rev. B. W. Crawl.

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**Headquarters. Thanks Workers for Services**  
The following communications from state Democratic leaders to the heads of the recent Democratic campaign in this county are self-explanatory:  
Louisville, Ky., November 11, 1936  
Dr. W. L. Stumbo, Martin, Kentucky:  
My dear Dr. Stumbo:  
I wish to thank you for the fine work you and your organization did helping to bring about the magnificent Democratic majority in Kentucky, and for the full co-operation that you and your workers always extended to the state campaign headquarters. I am very grateful to you. It has been a pleasure to work with you in our mutual effort to bring about a great Democratic victory.  
Seasons of economy, which you can appreciate fully, prompted me to reduce our overhead at headquarters to the minimum (this week). Our present restricted clerical force is too small to permit me, as I would like to, to get a letter to our 16,000 loyal workers, so I am requesting you to convey to them my sincere appreciation for their very fine work.  
May I make this additional request to you: to publish this letter in your local paper, and in that way our present working may get my message of thanks and appreciation.  
Cordially yours,  
**JAMES H. RICHMOND,**  
Campaign Chairman  
Louisville, Ky., November 8, 1936  
Dear Dr. Collins, Kentucky:  
Dear County Chairman:  
My pleasure, and that of the thousands of state Democratic headquarters, as well as of the Democratic party, to express to you and your precinct workers our very great appreciation for your able assistance in securing a great Democratic victory in the recent campaign.  
Our faith in "the womanhood of Kentucky has been entirely justified. That "willing hands make light work" has been proven quite true during the last few weeks. Without your cooperation it would have been impossible to swing the pendulum back to peace and prosperity for our nation.  
With high hopes for a period of security and happiness, I may say, "Thank you, Gracefully Yours,"  
**MRS. CURTIS MARSHALL MCGHEE,**  
Chairman, Women's Democratic Campaign Committee.  
P. S. Will you ask your local newspaper to print the above letter, that it may give us the opportunity to thank the great army of precinct workers who labored so faithfully during the campaign.  
**SLIP PICKIN'S**  
By **W. H. HARMON**  
Annapolis to East Georgia.  
Duke-North Carolina. Duke by a nose.  
Georgia to Florida.  
Maryland to Virginia. The same old story for the old days.  
Mississippi to western. Old Mississippi too strong.  
South Carolina to the Gulf. The Gulf locks about it.  
Michigan to Missouri.  
Should keep the Little Brown. The Vandenberg to Ark. Arkansas. Century-Georgetown. Century last above.  
Western to heavy favorite.

**Unique Theater--Program**

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**NOV. 18 TO 24**

**Unique Theater**  
Prestonsburg  
Kentucky

Matinee starting at 2:30 p. m. two shows daily.  
Night, two shows, starting at 7 o'clock.

**"Sound as Good as the Best"**

**FRIDAY—**  
**"MADISON SQUARE GARDEN"**  
starring JACK OAKIE and MARION NIXON. Every player a star—every moment a thrill!

**SATURDAY—**  
**"CORNERED"**  
with TIM MCCOY

**SUNDAY and MONDAY—**  
**"Love Me Tonight"**  
MAURICE CHEVALIER and JEANETTE MACDONALD. The greatest romantic comedy of the year. Ernst Lubitch's supreme effort.

**TUESDAY and WEDNESDAY—**  
**"Night Club Lady"**  
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**THURSDAY—THANKSGIVING—**show will start at 1 p. m., and run continuously, showing one of the truly great dramas of the screen—

**"AMERICAN MADNESS"**  
starring Walter Huston, Constance Cummings and Kay Johnson.  
(REGISTER FOR BIRTHDAY)

University of Louisville. That fair! Miss Dime will ramble over the Mary Smith.  
Army-West Virginia Westman. You know.  
Ohio State to East Illinois.  
Northwestern to get back in the west column in the game with Iowa.  
Wisconsin's a winner over Chicago.  
Michigan State should defeat Detroit.  
W. and J., the winner over Mississippi.  
The Ashland Topcat, to capture the Mary Express by four touchdowns.

**DEMOCRATIC LEAD IN FLORIDA**  
(Continued from page one)  
1936 to 4,829 for his opponent. Smith's vote in Floyd county was 2,128 to 2,697 for Willis.  
The Congressional vote in this county:  
Democratic:  
Fred H. Thorne, 2228; A. J. May, 2000; Vigil Chapman, 2044; W. Y. Jones, 2075; Glover H. Clark, 2,170; James French, 2,280; C. B. Cochran, 2287; John Young Brown, 2287; Phil H. Hamilton, 2321.  
Republicans:  
W. H. Speight, 2326; Robert H. ...

**Watch Repair Shop**  
I have cut the price of my repair work on the average of 60 pct. in the last two years. See me before you have that watch repaired.

**DAN HEFNER**  
Prestonsburg.  
Data, 3207; William Lewis, 3226; presented line-up in match. Hillard H. Smith, 3403; George P. Wilson, 3318; B. T. Bondstreet, 3324; D. E. McClure, 3236; Hugh H. Asher, 3202; Frank B. Russell, 3204.  
**MAYTOWN LOSERS AT MERRY LAINE**  
(Continued from page one)  
local tennis ave. 9 to 9. Both teams



**He Can't Seem to Make Up His Mind**