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WEEKSBURY GIRL, 14, ADMITS SLAYING 9-YEAR-OLD BROTHER

SEARCHERS FIND BODY OF VICTIM ON MOUNTAINSIDE

Hattie Irene Hyden, Confessed
Slayer, Granted Parole to
Children's Bureau

FATHER QUIZZED

For the murder of her nine-year-old brother whose throat she said she slashed with a butcher knife while berry-picking Thursday morning, last week, a pretty 14-year-old Weeksbury girl spent two days in jail here, then was sentenced to the reform school Monday and immediately thereafter paroled by County Judge W. L. Stumbo to the Kentucky Children's Bureau.

The girl-slaver, Hattie Irene Hyden, confessed Friday, 24 hours after the slaying, that she killed her brother, Thomas James. Body of the slain child was found Friday morning, a head nearly severed, on the mountainside on "Caleb Fork" near Weeksbury, after a search extending through Thursday afternoon and night and Friday morning.

The girl and her little brother were seen leaving the Hyden home in Weeksbury together. She at first denied knowledge of his whereabouts. Deputy Sheriff Willie Johnson was called, and an investigation was started.

Starting from the Hyden home to the spot where the boy was found by his father, F. M. Hyden, and Manuel Hall, a neighbor, Deputy Sheriff Johnson followed the trail of the brother and sister. Along the route he found where the girl had cut weeds with her knife. Back at the home, inside a bundle of clean clothes, he found the blood-stained dress of the youthful slayer.

Confronted with this incriminating evidence, the girl finally confessed to killing her brother. Through most of Friday she told conflicting stories of the slaying. At one time she told Deputy Sheriff Johnson that "Thomas James was dragging along behind and I was trying to get him to come on. It was so hot I couldn't hardly stant it. I flew into a mad fit and killed him." Later, she said the killing was an accident, that she intended to strike her brother with the flat blade of the knife.

An inquest was held by Mrs. Ben W. Norris, Martin, county coroner. It was found that the boy had almost been decapitated.

When Chief of Police Murphy and Mrs. Murphy, of Weeksbury, returned home from a visit, the girl immediately told them the story as true. "I didn't intend to kill my brother. I flew mad and didn't know what I was doing. When I saw the blood every thing turned dark."

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Mrs. R. C. Adams, of Louisville, and Mrs. B. J. Elam and daughter, Mary Jane, of Lexington, were houseguests here last week of their parents, Judge and Mrs. A. T. Patrick.

Misses Anis Mae Banks and Lee, of Hardy, Ky., are guests of friends here.

PRESTONSBURG BOY DANIEL CHARGED TAKES CADET OATH WITH 6 DEATHS

David May Enters U. S. Military Academy at West Point

Special to The Times
West Point, N. Y., July 25—David D. May, son of Mrs. Byrd May, of Graham street, Prestonsburg, Ky., who was sworn in as a cadet at the U. S. Military Academy here on July 25, has been assigned to the First company by Major General W. D. Connor, superintendent. The total strength of May's class is 514.

Young May received his appointment to West Point from Congressman A. J. May. For the next six weeks May and his classmates will receive an intensive course of instruction in various military subjects including both drills and lectures. Early in August the class will be absorbed into the Corps of Cadets and will participate in the impressive parades held daily.

In the middle of August, the new cadets will take a five-day practice march through the foothills of the Catskills, southwest of West Point. During the march they will live in shelter tents and eat from rolling kitchens.

The academy year will open September 1. Classroom work will start at 8 a. m. and will extend until 3 p. m., with an hour's intermission for lunch. Drills and compulsory intramural athletics will take up another hour in the afternoon.

COMMISSIONERS SELECT AUGUST POLL OFFICIALS

Election Board Friday Names Men for Service in Floyd's 47 Precincts

Officers for the August primary were selected Friday by the board of election commissioners, composed of Sheriff M. T. Stumbo, Frank Hatfield and Sam Nelson. Names of poll officials follow, the clerk, two judges and sheriff appearing in order in each instance: Prestonsburg, No. 1—H. Y. Martin, Carl Clark, Jim Clark, Jim Nunberry.

Prestonsburg, No. 2—Arthur Blackburn, Joe Jarrell, Martin Leete, H. F. Patton.

Depot No. 3—M. J. Meadows, Sambo Nelson, B. M. Sparlock, Henry Young.

Auxiliary No. 4—Jeff Moles, W. H. Litteral, Samp Johnson, John L. Horman.

Middle Creek No. 5—James Hale, W. M. Reiff, Graydon Howard, John Reiff.

Spurlock No. 6—W. M. Haywood, James Hale, Layne Compton, R. L. Pitts.

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Warrant Sworn Out by Miner Accuses Department Chief in Disaster

Paintsville, Ky., July 21—A warrant charging John F. Daniel, Lexington, chief of the State Department of Mines and Minerals, with the deaths of nine miners in an explosion at Van Lear last Wednesday was held here today for service upon Mr. Daniel when he returns to Johnson county for an investigation of the blast.

The warrant, signed by John E. Mollette, head of a committee of miners at Van Lear and secretary of the local union of United Mine Workers, charges Daniel failed to enforce state mine regulations regarding safety. Mollette said the state mine chief failed to order the Consolidation Coal Company to furnish sufficient fire bosses to inspect the workings, charging rules of safety required "at least five" such inspectors, and that at the time of the explosion "there was only one at the mine."

Mollette said the warrant against Daniel had been turned over to Brown Wells, constable at Van Lear, and will be served upon Daniel "when he comes back to Johnson county." He added: "We have made charges that Daniel is responsible for the loss of nine lives in the explosion, and we expect to prove them."

The committee securing the

BOARD REJECTS NOMINATIONS AS BRIBERY HINTED

In District 47, Weeksbury Colored School Droppd by County Board

"Because of the apparent irregularities, too many recommendations and reports of bribery" from sub-district No. 47, the Floyd county board of education at its meeting here Wednesday voted to reject all teacher-nominations made by the trustees of this district.

District 47 is one from which an injunction suit arose as a result of last week's court of appeals decision virtually ousting the two "old" trustees and ousting their teacher recommendations. Walter Harris and Bill Goble are the first two trustees elected in that district, and Clyde Goble is the last.

The board also voted to cease operation of the colored school at Weeksbury and asked the Weeksbury independent school district to refund to the county board of education salary paid the colored teacher there during the year.

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FLOYD SCHOOL CASE RESULTS IN OUSTING OF OLD TRUSTEES

CHAUTAUQUA SPEAKER TO LECTURE AUGUST

Judge Fred G. Hale, prominent jurist and noted Chautauqua speaker, will lecture from the pulpit of the Baptist Church here at noon services Thursday evening at 8 o'clock. Judge Hale, who is sponsoring the Anti-Saloon League of Kentucky, will choose the following subjects: "The Fidler and the Fire," "What Price Truth to Youth," and "Hijacking Your Constitution." His lecture will include gripping stories from Judge Hale's actual juvenile court experience.

ONE DEAD, FIVE HURT IN WRECKS

Wayland Miner Dies Monday of Injuries Sustained Near Emma

One man's dead and five others are recovering from injuries as the result of two auto wrecks Friday and Saturday in this county.

G. M. Elder, Wayland miner, died Monday morning at the Beaver Valley hospital, Martin, as the result of a crushed skull sustained Saturday morning when the pick-up truck he was driving collided with a Ford coupe driven by Clyde Clarke, of Middle Creek. Clarke sustained severe chest injuries, but is recovering. The wreck took place near Emma, John Shell and Bill Moran, of Abbott Creek, Harry Vaughan, of Prestonsburg, and Homer Borders, of Ligon, were hurt Friday when the automobile in which they were driving crashed into a steam shovel at the roadside at the old Winchester mining camp, near here.

The wreck in which Elder was fatally hurt, according to Clarke, resulted when Elder was driving on the wrong side of the road. Clarke said he sought to avoid a collision by cutting to the left and that Elder's machine at that moment veered in the same direction. Both cars were badly wrecked.

Vaughan, one of the party in the Winchester wreck, said their car, which was owned by Mrs. Stuart, of Ligon, was wrecked when the driver, Homer Borders, sought to avoid hitting a highway truck backing across the road to be loaded by the steam shovel. Shell was badly injured, the others cut and bruised.

Body of Elder, a man of school code provided for only about 35 years, was taken one Tuesday morning by G. D. Ryan to Western Kentucky code was abandoned in same for burial near Crab Orchard.

As originally drafted, the school code provided for only one trustee in each of three as Tuesday morning by G. D. Ryan to Western Kentucky code was abandoned in same for burial near Crab Orchard.

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FIVE INJUNCTION SUITS ARE FILED, DECISION RESULT

Court of Appeals Holds Only 'New' Trustee Recommendations Valid

An action which started in the Floyd circuit court resulted last week in an opinion handed down by the Kentucky court of appeals virtually ousting 5,000 sub-district trustees from office. The court of appeals decision, made by Judge G. Thomas, and concurred in by Judge Wesley Vick Perry, held that the only trustee actually in office is the one chosen in July, 1934 and renders teacher nominations made by the two "old" trustees void.

As a result of this decision, four suits had been filed Monday afternoon, this week, by unsuccessful teacher applicants seeking to have annulled appointments of as many teachers under recommendation of the two "old" trustees.

Judge Thomas held that while the school code of 1934 provided at one place for temporary continuation of three trustees, there also were conflicting provisions in the code. "In the face of such conflicting provisions it becomes the duty of the courts to reconcile such conflict and to give a construction of the code not inharmonious with the spirit of the entire school law," Judge Thomas wrote.

"Applying this rule to this case I become, the court's duty to hold that the only trustee actually in office is the one chosen in July, 1934, under terms of the school code of 1934. The new laws spirit was to reduce the trustees from three to one."

The dispute arose in this county where two hold-over trustees elected prior to 1934 recommended Floyd Lafayette as teacher in School District No. 147. The trustee elected under the new law disagreed with the old trustees and the Board of Education named Fred Farrell as teacher.

Farrell applied to the Floyd circuit court and obtained a temporary injunction to compel his election by the board as teacher. The board applied to Judge Thomas for dissolution of the injunction. Judge Thomas ordered the injunction dissolved.

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MAYO-SPRADLIN NUPTIALS JULY 7

A marriage of much interest to the host of friends of the contracting parties in this section was that of Miss Margaret Mayo and Mr. Joseph A. Spradlin, which was beautifully solemnized on Sunday, July 7, at the home of the officiating minister, the Rev. I. J. Scudder, pastor of the M. E. Church, South, West Liberty, Ky.

The bride is the attractive daughter of Mr. J. D. Mayo, well-known Prestonsburg merchant, and is one of Prestonsburg's most popular young girls. She was graduated from Ashland high school, and continued her studies at Martha Washington College, Abingdon, Va. Mr. Spradlin, a son of Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Spradlin, of Prestonsburg, is a graduate of Prestonsburg high school, and holds a responsible position in the postoffice here. Both Mr. and Mrs. Spradlin are members of two of Floyd county's oldest and most prominent families. Since announcement was made of their marriage have been receiving the felicitations of their many friends here and elsewhere throughout Eastern Kentucky. Mr. and Mrs. Spradlin will reside here.

MARTIN CHILD DIES

Clara Jean, eight-months old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Guy Childers, of Martin, died Saturday morning at 10 o'clock following an illness of three weeks with pneumonia. Funeral rites were conducted at Martin Saturday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock by the Rev. O. P. Smith, of Ashland, and the body was taken to Gallup for burial Sunday in the Childers cemetery.

The little victim is survived by the bereaved parents and five brothers and sisters.

AGED 106 AT DEATH

Mrs. Patsy Bolen, believed to have been Eastern Kentucky's oldest woman, died recently at her home on Rock Fork Creek, in Knott county, at the age of 106 years.

J. P. Baldridge, of Cincinnati, was in Prestonsburg this week. He has been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Baldridge, at Bonanza. Mr. Baldridge has been in Cincinnati since 1919, and is in the jewelry business there.

27 Orphaned By Disaster At Johnson County Mine

The pall of gloom cast over a large part of Eastern Kentucky as a result of last week's mine disaster at Van Lear extended over the week and as many orphans were held for the mine victims.

Nine widows and 27 fatherless children survive.

One of the ill-fated nine, Deerwood Litz, 28 years old, was buried in this county. His body was taken to his old home at East Point for interment Saturday.

William and Charles Kretzer, brothers, were buried at Hopkins Saturday; James

Vaughan, at Ashland, Friday; Shirley Hereford at Ashland Saturday; Roy Murray, on George's Creek, Lawrence county, Friday; Virgil Clay at Van Lear Friday afternoon; Hantes Gould at Van Lear Saturday; Frank Tuzey, at Paintsville Sunday.

Tuzey, last of the men to be taken from the mine, was caught beneath tons of slate. His body and that of Gould were the last to be recovered, and were not reached until Friday. Some of the bodies were badly burned, it was said.

To the Voters of Floyd County:

My candidacy is prompted by a deep and sincere wish to serve you in the capacity in which my husband, the late Dr. A. L. Hill, served you as State Representative, in which capacity he was the author of much beneficial legislation, having secured the Free Text-Book Bill, \$12 school per cent and Mining Code.

I am not a politician, I am one of the common people, am a native Kentuckian, a mother with four children to raise, and have lived in Floyd county many years and have had the same struggles you have had.

If you nominate and elect me, I come the promise to support with my every effort every measure designed for the benefit of Floyd county and its people.

Yours very truly,

MRS. ALEX L. HILL

I am in the race to stay, as disregard any reports to the contrary. —Pol. Adv.

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MAYTOWN

Mrs. Willard Hicks returned last week from Georgetown, where she has been attending school for the past five weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Combs arrived home Thursday following a motor trip to Detroit, where they attended a reunion of Mrs. Combs' family. Mr. and Mrs. Combs were in school at the University in Lexington for the first summer term.

George Edward Allen, of Lexington, spent the past week with Mrs. Martin's parents, Mr. days with his parents Dr. and Mrs. H. F. May.

Mrs. J. H. Allen.

Mrs. E. R. May and son Ronnie returned home from Lexington last week. Mrs. May having been in school for five weeks.

Misses Opal and Lucille May and Mildred Begley were guests of Mr. and Mrs. N. L. May in Prestonsburg over the week-end, attending the dance at the country club Saturday night.

Mrs. G. R. Martin and children, of Drift, spent Sunday with Mrs. Martin's parents, Mr. days with his parents Dr. and Mrs. H. F. May.

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VOTERS!

Don't be fooled. There is but one candidate for Governor in the Democratic Primary whose public record entitles him to your support. Three of the candidates, Rhea, Huddleston and Wootton, used all their influence to pass the retail sales tax. Mr. Wallis did not oppose it. An effort was made to get him to influence his representative in Bourbon county and his State Senator against the sales tax. As far as we know, HE DID NOTHING. They both voted for the bill.

Lieutenant-Governor A. B. Chandler is the only candidate for Governor in the Democratic Primary who stood out against this law through four sessions of the Legislature. His principal opponent, Mr. Rhea, did more than any man in Kentucky—except Governor Laffoon—to pass the sales tax law.

The law was passed on the plea that it was an emergency measure for the purpose of Relief. It will expire June 30, 1936, if the Legislature does not re-enact it in January. The need for Relief will be over at its expiration if the plans of the National Administration are carried through.

There is no excuse for saddling this unfair and unjust law upon the people of this State any longer, by relieving the big property owners at the expense of the tenants, the laborers and their families.

A similar measure, the salt tax, brought on the French Revolution.

The race is between Chandler and Rhea. Which one do you want?

Chandler has always fought the sales tax. Rhea used every means at his command to pass it. Chandler secured the primary law. Rhea was for a hand-picked convention.

Chandler believes the people should dictate the Government. Rhea's actions show he believes in the government dictating to the people.

Do you want a new deal at Frankfort under Chandler?

Do you want to continue the old bi-partisan rule under Rhea?

Whoever you are for, go to the polls on August 3 and vote your choice. Don't stay at home and then kick about the kind of government you have.

Your government is just as good as you make it. If you want your state to collect from you more and more taxes each year and run farther in debt, keep the old crowd in office.

In 1932 they asked for a 1 per cent tax—in 1933 they asked for a 2 per cent tax—in 1934 they asked for, and got, a 3 per cent tax.

How do you know we won't have a 5 per cent sales tax next year?

Chandler will win easily if you do just half your duty.

MINERS BEWARE of the whispering campaign that is going on, as these men are being paid by the day to mislead you.

IF YOU DON'T, THEN GOD HELP YOU.

TAYLOR STUMBO,
Chandler Campaign Chm., Floyd County

REVIVAL

Rev. S. J. Campbell, pastor of the M. E. Church, South, is conducting a revival here, beginning last week and continuing throughout this week. Splendid crowds are attending and much interest is being shown.

BIRTH ANNOUNCED

Mr. and Mrs. Orville Horner announce the arrival of a son last week. Mother and babe are doing nicely.

TOMKE TOO MUCH FOR MODERN DRUG PLAYERS

The Modern Drug All-Stars of this place, found Tommy Tomke, Ashland softball pitcher, all he's cracked up to be in their game with the Sandy Valley Grocery at Ashland Saturday night. Tomke, who bats from Gullipolis, Ohio, had won considerable newspaper renown as a result of two no-hit performances this year, but ball players hereabouts found it hard to believe he was so invincible. Until they swung at his offerings.

Modern lost, 7 to 0, and got but two hits off Tomke's delivery. One of these single hitting the umpire and perhaps preventing an Ashland player from fielding the ball. Tomke struck out 17 men.

Scott Craft got one of the Prestonsburg hits, and Ray Craft hit the other.

"What has this vuy Tomke got on the ball?" that is an oft-asked question. Well, the Prestonsburg boys say he slings a ball that sometimes jumps just as you think you have it, targes and at other times it drops. Not so fast, this ball, they say, but with plenty of stuff on it.

Rose pitched the first five innings for the Prestonsburg team, and Collins finished up, striking out two men in the fifth inning.

Maytown Interested in Wedding Announcement

Laagley, Ky., July 23—Maytown friends and acquaintances of Miss Lassic Martin, who became the bride of Mr. Thomas Hatcher, of Lackey, on July 13 in Hindman, were interested to hear of the marriage, particulars of which are not available at this time.

Miss Martin is one of Maytown's loveliest girls and has been English and Home Economics instructor here for the past few years, being very successful in her work. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Kennel Martin, a graduate of Caney Creek Community Center, Olivet College in Michigan, and has done post-graduate work at the University of Kentucky.

Mr. Hatcher is the only son of Tax Commissioner and Mrs. W. T. Hatcher, one of the county's leading families. He holds a responsible position with the state highway department. Congratulations are being showered upon the popular young couple.

KIWANIS PICNIC

The annual Kiwanis picnic will be held Friday evening at six o'clock at the Abbott Heights Golf Course, it is announced by President Charles D. Milby.

Each member will bring as many guests as he can bring food for and will enjoy an interesting program.

TO THE VOTERS OF FLOYD COUNTY:

Though it may not occur to you at first glance that the office of Commissioner of Agriculture is of very great importance, on second thought every person who knows of the vital part agriculture has in the life of the state and nation will realize that the election of a capable, honest man to this office should be our first aim.

Mr. P. O. Minor, one of the candidates for this office, is a resident of my home town, Owenton, Ky., and I do not hesitate to vouch for him. He

is qualified by training and actual experience to best administer the duties of this office. He himself operates 1,000 or more acres of farming land and knows farm problems as few men in public life know them.

In withdrawing recently from the race for Commissioner of Agriculture, Mr. E. D. Thornbury said: "I believe the best interests of the Democratic party and the state of Kentucky could be served by the election of Mr. P. O. Minor, and I ask my friends to give him their support."

Without reservation I endorse that statement, and I shall consider it a personal favor from my friends in this county if they will assist Mr. Minor in this race.

Sincerely,
MARVIN RANSDELL, M. D.
-Pol Adv.

DR. SPRAU IS SPEAKER AT MEETING OF DENTAL SOCIETY ON JULY 20TH

The lecture, "Health Insurance and Social Security," delivered by Dr. R. L. Sprau, Louisville, Ky., secretary of the Kentucky Mountain Dental Society Saturday at Pikeville.

Dr. Sprau's lecture was preceded by a trap-shoot and by the Society's banquet, which was held at the Presbyterian Church, Pikeville. A business meeting followed, with a dance at the Pike Country Club concluding the day's program. The golf tournament, scheduled for Sunday morning, was spoiled by rain.

In the trapshoot Dr. G. M. Stafford, of Paintsville, further distinguished himself with 19 consecutive hits and a miss on the last of a string of 50. Dr. R. H. Messer, of Prestonsburg, won second honors.

Those present: Dr. and Mrs. O. W. Thompson, Dr. A. T. Ratliff, Dr. and Mrs. G. H. Hughes, Dr. John Adkins, Dr. Harold Speer, of Pikeville; Dr. and Mrs. H. G. Hazelrigg, Dr. and Mrs. G. M. Stafford, Dr. Harold Speer, of Paintsville; Dr. and Mrs.

Robert L. Sprau; Dr. J. M. and Mrs. R. H. Messer and Bentley; Dr. T. D. Vaughan, D. C. Stephens, of Prestonsburg; Dr. J. E. Skaggs, Charles Weitzel and R. of Neon; Dr. G. W. Thorn; Mr. Miller, of Lexington, of Fleming; Dr. and Next meeting of the society Mrs. W. D. Sanders, of Hel- will be held at Jenkins Senior; Dr. J. S. Kelly and Dr. tember 21, it is announced.

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FOR REPRESENTATIVE We are authorized to announce JOHN W. HAYES of Hueysville, Ky., as a candidate for Representative...

To the Voters of the 13th Senatorial District of Kentucky: We are authorized to announce BALLARD M. JAMES as a candidate for the nomination for State Senator...

GREENVILLE R. SPRADLIN authorizes us to announce that he is a candidate for the Democratic nomination for the office of Representative from Floyd county...

FOR SENATOR We are authorized to announce J. B. WICKER of Lackey, Ky., as the present Representative from the 99th Legislative District...

FOR SENATOR This announces the candidacy of JOE P. TACKETT for the Democratic nomination for State Senator, 13th Senatorial District.

FOR REPRESENTATIVE We are authorized to announce MELL PETRY of Garrett, Ky., as a candidate for Representative...

For Representative We are authorized to announce MRS. ALEX L. HILL as a candidate for nomination for Representative from the 93rd legislative district...

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VIRGINIA TO BUILD HIGHWAY THROUGH BREAKS OF SANDY

Freeling, W. Va., July 17.—Information has been received here that \$400,000 out of the federal road allocation will be granted for the construction of the eight-mile highway through the Breaks of the Big Sandy.

Seek Lands This marks the end of a long fight to open up this scenic wonder, deemed one of the wildest and most beautiful sites for a national park east of the Rocky Mountains.

An effort is being made to purchase the lands along the crest of the Cumberland on each side of the Breaks with federal funds with the idea of turning the area over to the state for a park. In this effort Kentucky is co-operating with Virginia since the proposed park lies along the state line.

Proposals have been made for the construction of a sky-line drive along the crest of the Cumberland from the Breaks to Pound Gap, Wise county, a distance of 20 miles.

See Tourist Trade Advocates of the park in both Kentucky and Virginia are seeking to push the project to completion with the belief that its establishment would bring thousands of tourists through these two states annually.

Pike county is now restocking her streams with fish and numerous game birds are being raised to replenish the forests for the natives and tourist hunters.

Returns to Farm

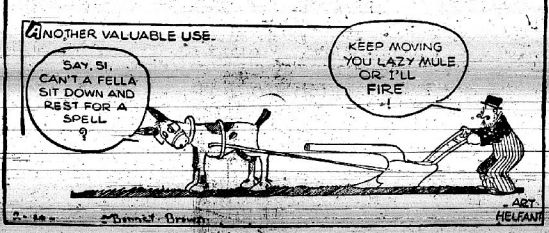
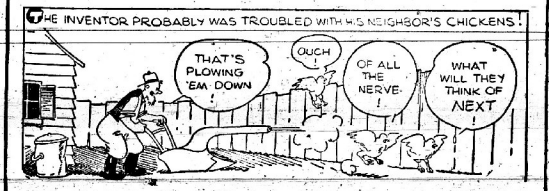
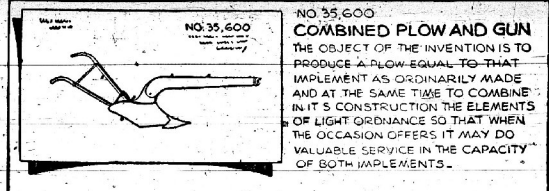
John T. Caudill, who has been at Betsy Layne for the past 10 years where he worked for the Pike-Floyd store, has returned to his old home at Stambaugh and is building a new four-room cottage which will be ready for occupancy within the next few days.

Mr. Caudill is one of the county's best citizens and his neighbors in the Tom's Creek section are happy to have him back with them.

Mr. and Mrs. Caudill and their family and Mr. Caudill's

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ODD...BUT TRUE INVENTIONS



brother, Samuel E. Caudill, relief is necessary for half of the choked streams to make school teacher, Sunday visited population of the Southern valley land available. There is Mr. and Mrs. Willie Daniel Appalachians. direct need for the co-operation at Charley, where they report. Here and there the federal of coal and timberland own. ed they enjoyed a fine dinner. government is buying hill lands in a program of taking the Caudills. Mrs. Caudill is a sister of the Caudills. for federal forests and parks. Farmers off the slopes and re- To a very limited extent some terracing the hills to timber- states—not Kentucky however prevailing. This will eventually are doing the same. The solve the problem of the moun- Kentucky State College of Ag- tains if the plan is pursued.— reforestation is promoting clearing Courier-Journal.

WHAT THE HILLS NEED

President John O. Cooss of Linton, Collier, Barbours, knows whereof he speaks when he declares the need of the Kentucky mountains is the abandonment of farming and the complete reforestation of the hills. This is the plan which the forces of the federal government—have in view through the joint operation of the Kentucky Rehabilitation Corporation, the Land Policy section of AAA and the Forestry and Park Services.

Obviously, land should be devoted to the uses for which it is best adapted. This is indisputable. The mountains are not fit for farming. The broad valleys are adapted to crops.

The farming the hillside has resulted in erosion which has filled streams and caused these valleys to become largely useless because of their flooded condition until the beginning of summer.

The hillides are being ruined by clearing and farming. After a succession of cropyears they become infertile, and the bare sandstone rock is exposed. The depletion of the timber and coal supply and the curtailed operation of the mines have left the population of the mountains dependent upon their farming activities, which are not profitable enough to feed them. Hence,

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GLO

Saturday afternoon in the north end of Glo where the high tension wire of extreme high voltage comes into our camp, two small sons of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Bailey and one son of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Conners were climbing an apple tree in search of apples when one of the Bailey boys became enmeshed in the wires among the leaves on the tree, from which entanglement he could not get loose. His cries for help brought an effort on the part of the other boys to

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release him when with supreme effort his release was effected and in the crash following all tumbled from the tree. The Conners boy sustained a broken arm, several cuts and bruises, and Bailey was so badly burned that all efforts to bring him back to consciousness failed. He was rushed to the Paintsville hospital in an effort to save his life and at this writing no favorable news has been received of his condition. The other boy escaped serious injury but was bruised and cut painfully. All these boys are about 12 years old. So far as we are advised, no blame can attach to anyone for the accident, only a boyish desire for green apples.

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Missouri Woman, In Town of 27, Is Best U. S. Rural Correspondent

Who is the best country newspaper correspondent in the United States? The award, announced a few days ago, goes to Mrs. Mary Elizabeth Mahoney, of Oahe, Missouri. She is the only newspaper correspondent in a village of 27 inhabitants, and she writes her news for the Weekly Republican at Fayette, Missouri, which has a circulation of 875 among the farmers of the Ozark hills.

Prize Rural Writer



Mrs. Mary Elizabeth Mahoney

Mrs. Mahoney was selected out of 1581 rural correspondents nominated for a prize given by Wheeler McMillen, editor of The Country Home, a national farm magazine, published in New York. As winner, she receives a silver trophy, \$50 in cash, and a trip to New York City.

Other prizes go to Mrs. Stella Westfall, Booneville, Colorado; Mrs. W. Peterson of the El Cajon Valley News, Calif.; William Partridge, of Troy City, Indiana; Davis Tottle, Lenoir, North Carolina; Deborah Whitaker, Mason, New Hampshire; Sara Crouch, Glenn, Georgia; Mamie Brook, Roanoke, Alabama; Mrs. Eva Henning, Clermont, Ohio; Ada Mae and Frank Pattee, Butler, Mo.; Paul Overstreet, Springdale, Arkansas; Mrs. Marie Scott, Seymour, Iowa; Mrs. John Turnbull, Maple Hill, Kansas; Mrs. Edward F. Stegeman, Hope, Kansas; Mrs. O. Feigum, Sweet Home, Oregon.

She comes from Oahe, Mo., a tiny village of 27 inhabitants, and has just been awarded first prize as the best country newspaper correspondent in the country. The prize is awarded annually by The Country Home, a national farm magazine. She was considered the best of 1581 contestants for the award.

Two outstanding contributions follow:

Mrs. Maty Elizabeth Mahoney The late rains that have advanced everything so wonderfully have not exactly pleased the tobacco growers, as tobacco should be preparing itself for the knife, instead of trying to reach the sky.

Frank Snowden will have around 30,000 pounds of white butley for the Kentucky markets. We hope he receives a good price, as he has worked hard. Not a day too hot or an evening too late for Frank and his children in the crop time.

Mrs. Alice Box, so many years a resident, but sad since the loss of her husband, John Box, last winter, has moved to Crickets, Arkansas, to stay with her son, Ran, for a time. The rest of the family have moved to the Cuma Pruitt place near Ceday Valley. Chauncey Cline and his wife and his boy, Jimmy, now occupy the nice home on the Pauley place where this family lived for so long.

could not resist the longing to see his mother once more, and the old home place. But the old house was gone, burned in a grass fire some years ago.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Kenner were here last week for apples and tomatoes from their own garden. Mrs. Kenner talks of canning peaches from the orchard they put out themselves when they bought the place. Their daughter, Neva, is teaching again this year. John is at work. The other children are all in school.

Steve Cline, who lived at Ridgetale, died Friday and was buried Saturday at Omaha, Ark. He was very old and in poor health, and had been a blind pensioner for some time. He had made his home with his son, Jesse, for the past few years. Another son, Chauncey, lives near here. Other relatives from Oklahoma arrived Sunday, too late for the burial.

OLD FAMILY HORSE COMES HOME TO DIE

By Mrs. J. W. Peterson An old family horse belonging to the Marks Brothers of Lakeside, and raised by them from a colt on their ranch above El Capitan, died last week. Last year he was turned out to green pastures, and 25 years of intimate and dependable service ended. Weeks on end, the old fellow from the old fellow roamed where he pleased and was seldom seen.

Last Thursday Walter Marks saw the old horse manuevered through from California last week. He has been absent 23 years. He said he lay to him, where he was working

ing behind the house. It seemed lonesome for the human companionship it had enjoyed all its life. "Old Bill" craned his neck at the touch of Mr. Marks' stocking hand. A slight shudder then, and Old Bill sank to the ground.

GARRETT

Will Estep, of this place, suffered a broken leg last week when his leg was caught in the belting of his mill while it was running. Mr. Estep was rushed to the Beaver Valley hospital, Martin, where the broken bones were set and his condition is reported as satisfactory.

Mrs. Frank Cooley, well-known woman of this place, was taken to the Beaver Valley hospital, Martin, last week, suffering from a severe malady which doctors there seem unable to diagnose. Mrs. Cooley was in the same hospital recently and had been home only a few days when she was stricken a second time.

Work at the Elkhorn Coal Corporation's mine here is good. It is believed by both the company officials and miners that steady operation will continue through the month at least. Local representatives of the United Mine Workers will leave Saturday or Sunday for Washington, where they will join in the negotiations for a new contract between the coal operators and miners.

FREE WORSHIP IS PRESIDENT'S PLEA

Washington, July 16.—A Congressional committee urging an inquiry into religious rights in Mexico today quoted President Roosevelt as calling for "freedom of religious worship" in all nations. Representative Higgins, Democrat, Massachusetts, chairman of the unofficial congressional committee of 23 which called at the White House, gave the following statement which he said was written by Roosevelt:

The President stated that he is in entire sympathy with all people who make it clear that the American people and the Government believe in freedom of religious worship not only in the United States, but also in all other nations.

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Local Happenings

Mrs. Cora McHone and son, Bill, Mrs. G. L. Howard and son, Grover, and Mr. G. S. Kolfrage spent last week-end at Cumberland Falls.

Mrs. John R. Clarke and children, Yancey and Sallye Gate, left Sunday for Madison, W. Va., where they have gone to join Mr. Clarke, who has been transferred there.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Herford spent the past week-end in Louisville with Mrs. Herford's mother, Mrs. Anna Richmond, who is in the hospital there. They were accompanied in Louisville by Mrs. A. J. Davidson, who will visit relatives while there.

Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Fitzpatrick and son, H. D., Jr., Lewis Harley Mayo and Jack Allen left Monday, going to Richmond, where they will spend several days.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Francis and son, Fred, left Friday on a motor trip to North Carolina. They expect to spend several days there and in other Southern states before returning to Prestonsburg.

Mrs. Mate Martin returned Friday to Huntington after a visit of several weeks here with relatives.

Miss May Allen, of Huesville, spent Monday in Prestonsburg with relatives.

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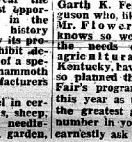
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Your county might excel in certain types of cattle, horses, sheep, hogs, poultry, antiques, needlework, products of the garden, dairy, orchard, or in some other way. Or, you might have a beautiful girl to represent it in the Fair's State-wide Beauty Contest, or a Band or Drum and Trumpet Corps, an athletic team or a boys and girls club. Whatever it may be, get into touch with the Kentucky State Fair at once. Ask it in your Fair—



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Mrs. W. S. Hurkins, J.F., left last week for Danville, and Lexington to visit relatives.

Mrs. W. P. Mayo, Mrs. H. D. Fitzpatrick and Mrs. Joseph A. Spradlin spent Friday shopping in Huntington.

Charles Calvert, a Lewis county farmer, has approximately 950 White Leghorn Giant chickens eight weeks old. He is checking the cockerels and plans to sell them at an eastern market at Christmas time.

DR. HARLOWE OPENS OFFICE THIS WEEK

Dr. Julian C. Harlowe has opened a dental office in the Midland Store building on First avenue. It was announced this week Dr. Harlowe is a son of Rev. and Mrs. A. C. Harlowe, of Prestonsburg, and formerly was a teacher here and at Betsy Layne.

Oil and gas leases for sale at the Times office.

FIVE WOUNDED IN KNOTT FIGHT

Moore and Waris in Hospital; 100 Shots Fired in Two Battles

Pharis Moore, 20 years old, and Clyde Waris, 18, of Hand-shoe, Knott county, were in the Beaver Valley hospital, Martin, Monday receiving treatment for gunshot wounds they received in gun battle Saturday night and Sunday morning in Knott county, near the Floyd-Knott line on Salt Lick Creek.

Moore, a son of Jasper Moore and a nephew of County Judge E. M. Moore, of Knott county, was twice shot high in his left chest with bullets from a .38-calibre revolver. Both bullets ranged back and down and neither emerged. His condition is not serious however.

Waris was struck in his neck by shotgun pellets. He remained at his home a few miles from the scene of the shooting until Sunday night when he was taken to the hospital.

Three others are said to have been slightly wounded in two pitched battles, one of whom was Ep Coburn. The first fight, it is reported, took place after Clyde Waris is alleged to have fired into Jasper Moore's home. The fight took place Saturday night. Sunday morning, hostilities were resumed, and in all about 100 shots were fired. The second battle was staged at or near the home of the late Red Joe Coburn, near the Moore residence.

MUD CREEK ROAD PROJECT O.K.'D

Is First Floyd Job To Get Approval For Work under WPA

First of Floyd county projects to be approved for work under the new relief set-up now in formation is the Harold to Branham's Creek road. It was learned here last week.

Specifications of the project provide for a 16-foot roadway surfaced with six inches of native sandstone over which two inches of lime-top chips will be spread. The project, it is estimated, will cost \$42,000, and 175 men a month may find labor on the job.

Applications have been filed with relief headquarters for approval of the following projects:

Highland, Maple, Second and Riverside streets here, paving 20 feet wide with three-foot curb and gutter; six miles of highway construction on Abbott's Creek; four miles of road on Salt Lick Creek, two miles on the East Point-Auxler road, improvement of the Martin and Wayland school grounds.

Mr. Clay, engineer connected with the local relief office, has prepared specifications for all projects other than those here, and has assisted Waits Gray, city engineer, in preparing necessary information to make proper application for work in Prestonsburg.

FOUR FLOYD MEN NABBED IN THEFT

Four men—John Clevenger, Charles Clevenger, Lige Akers and M. L. Hall—all of Allen, were arrested in Ashland Thursday morning by Detectives C. D. Hays and John Hall, and released Friday morning to officers from Allen, who asked that they be apprehended.

It is alleged that a truck load of iron, said to weigh about 1,000 pounds, was stolen from Allen by the McClonkin Supply Company.

Detective Hays said that when the men were taken into custody they were trying to sell the iron to a local junk dealer.

Hays said that Akers confessed to the theft of the iron and implicated Charles Clevenger and another man named Hall, but not M. L. Hall. He also absolved John Clevenger, the officer said.

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BOARD REJECTS NOMINATIONS

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ing the school year 1933-34. This action was taken, County Superintendent Ballard Hunter explained, because the independent school district does not benefit from state per capita funds.

The state per capita this year is \$10.95, as compared with \$11.60 for last year. Superintendent Hunter was authorized by the board to accept newly constructed school buildings and to issue warrants in payment for their construction.

Teachers hired at Wednesday's session follow: District 4—Dustin; 4A—Ralph Spradlin; 7—Minerva Holbrook; 17A—Simon Allen; 23—C. B. Napier; 65—Tilda Elliott; 30—Jerry Sanders; 47—Bradis Goble; Mrs. Alice Wright; 44—Forrest Burchett; 48—Georgia; 54—Sallybury; 102—Berderrick Al-Halbert; 102—Octavia Brown; 86—Claud Martin; 87A—Artie Sizemore; 90—Edna Burke.

District 94—Winnie Burchett; John A. Osborne, Chas. Johnson; 94A—John S. Osborne; 96—John Stephens, Grady Flanery; 99—Emma Halbert; 102—Berderrick Al-Halbert; 115—Elizabeth Deross; 31—Emma Goble; 112—Lottie McGuire; 64—Vergil Warren; A. J. Martil; Zetta Elliott.

Bonanza—Wayne Rath, Mrs. Wayne Rath, Towne Hall, Pearl Laferty. Allen—Ruben Allen, Mae Burke, Mae Hatcher, Golda Parker. Dwale—McKinley Hunter, Opal Laferty, Lady Mae Laven. Gillo—Marie Sexton, Delton Sturgill, Elizabeth Hayes. Drift—Estill Martin, Mary Vance, Palestine Stumbo, Dorothy T. Martin, Otho Vander Harold—Delmon Howard,

pool. Irvin Stumbo, Russell Johns, Cora Perry, Mildred S. Cooley.

GIRL ADMITS SLAYING

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Chief of Police Murphy said a depression in the soil of the mountainside near where the body was found indicated that the girl had fainted following the tragedy.

"I was afraid to tell them I killed my brother," the girl told Chief of Police Murphy. "I was afraid they would kill me." Hattie Irene trusted Mr. and Mrs. Murphy, who had frequently befriended her and at whose home she had stayed for a time while attending school.

Interviewed by The Times here Tuesday, the youthful slayer seemed bewildered and unable definitely to explain the tragedy. "When I got mad I don't know what I'm doing," she said, nervously, dark brown eyes brimming with tears. "My schoolmates will tell you that. I didn't mean to kill him."

Miss Julia Ford, field secretary of the Kentucky Children's Bureau, was pointed out the case and came to Prestonsburg Tuesday morning to assist the child. Originally, the hearing for Hattie Irene had been set for Thursday in juvenile court, but officials decided to hear the case Tuesday.

The girl confessed to the slaying, and County Judge W. L. Stumbo sentenced her to the reform school at Greensdale until she will have attained the age of 21. Then he paroled her to the Kentucky Children's Bureau.

Miss Ford said the Bureau would take the girl, place her in a private home if possible and remove her from the environment in which she had lived and committed the crime.

Hattie Irene's mother deserted the family, she said, when her brother who was slain was

only seven months old. She said she was in the seventh grade last year and was promoted to the eighth grade for this year. Mr. and Mrs. Murphy said she was a good student and official here were impressed with her intelligence and personal character.

The girl said she had cared for her brother most of the time since her mother left home and that she was obliged to do the family washing. She has an older sister who lives in Ohio and one older brother, of Weeksbury.

Miss Ford explained to officials that there was nothing to be gained by committing the girl to the reform school, and promised proper care of the child and a change in environment. For the first time since she was brought here Saturday by Deputy Sheriff Johnson, Hattie Irene smiled Tuesday afternoon when she learned that she was spared confinement in the reform school.

Of below average size for her age, the girl is a petite, dark-eyed youngster. While here for the hearing of his daughter's case, the father was arrested and lodged in jail when neighbors of the family stated they suspected him of killing the boy. He was given examining trial Tuesday afternoon and released on bond when there was no evidence produced against him.

During Friday, considerable feeling against the father was expressed in Weeksbury and Deputy Sheriff Johnson afforded him protection against the violence. Funeral rites for the little victim of this, one of Floyd county's strangest tragedies, were held Saturday morning and burial was made at Weeksbury.

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FLOYD SCHOOL CASE

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particulars—one section providing for three trustees and another section still referring to one trustee. In view of the conflict, Judge Thomas held the courts would have to give the act such a construction as not to defeat its purpose.

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did not know where it would be served upon Daniel, or when. Mr. Daniel, before leaving his home in Lexington this afternoon for Hazard and Van Lear in connection with the investigation, was informed of the charges in the warrant. He said the state laws have been complied with in safety practices at the place.

Temporary injunctions asked in the following suits filed in the Floyd circuit court by teacher-applicants: Estta Mae Wells vs. Emma Goble, teacher in District 31; Chester Merritt and Mary Alice Wright, teachers in District 37; Paris Conley vs. Ralph Spradlin, teacher in District 4A; Ruby Conley vs. Dixie Neely, teacher in District 26.

Hearing on these cases has been set for Saturday, before Circuit Judge John W. Caudill. His statement follows: "While the investigation as to the cause of the explosion will not be completed for at least two weeks, yet the investigation has proceeded far enough to classify the explosion as a freak one. The section of the mine where the explosion occurred had never been known to give off explosive gas and a crew of workmen had been working all over the section on Tuesday, the day preceding the explosion, yet enough gas had accumulated overnight to cause the explosion the next morning.

C. F. Pace, Paintsville, attorney for the Consolidation Coal Company, said he had not heard of the charges in the warrant and had no comment to make. Sheriff Fred Adams, of Johnson county, living at Paintsville, said the warrant had not been turned over to him, but that it could be served by any peace officer of the county.

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