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REGIONAL TOURNEY HERE EASILY WON BY INEZ NET FIVE

Though Dist-Court Wonders Superiority Unchallenged, Fight of Betsy Layne Is Feature

LARGE CROWDS ATTEND

The Inez Indians, the dist-court wonders from Martin county, came to town last Thursday and remained over till Saturday night just to show the boys of seven other picked basketball teams of this section just how it is done in the best net circles.

In their three games, the regional tournament held here Thursday, Friday and Saturday, the Red between them, passed and ran all opposition into the floor. Their superiority was never in doubt, and so they open up the gate tournament at Lexington this week, worthy representative of a section of the state that is producing some mighty good basketball these days.

But it wasn't all Inez, this tournament wasn't in the Betsy Layne Robinson Floyd county was represented by the lightest crew that ever came to a match at just as they performed in the district tournament at Martin, the Bobcats never knew when they were licked. If they had known defeat when they saw it, they never would have reached the finals as they did last week and in the district tourney.

In fact, they never would have got past the first round. Viper had gotten behind Betsy Layne once. Three times she came in the excitement we probably missed a few corners of Bobcat's strategy. The Bobcats were almost out of their minds when they saw Betsy Layne's men were out on the floor. The very moment that the Bobcats realized that they were licked, it was their last turn on the steam-and won, 31 to 20.

TWO NEW STORES WILL OPEN HERE

Two new stores are in prospect for Prestonsburg. The J. G. Anderson Department Store, of Pikeville, Tuesday began moving stock into the Hotel Elizabeth building, and this week A. M. Scott, of Greenville, Tenn., leased the first floor of the Odd Fellows building for a clothing store. Anderson's store, which is expected to open within a few days, will be located in what formerly was the lobby of the Elizabeth. Mr. Scott announced that he expected to open his store here on or before April 15. It also was said that Dan Hillmer may move his jewelry store into one of the other part of the first floor of the Elizabeth hotel building.

FESTIVAL DATE POSTPONED The music and the dancing announced in The Times last week to be held in Peasantsville this month, has been postponed till April 24-25, it is announced.

Miss Imogene Palmer, of Charleston, W. Va., is the houseguest this week of her sister, Mrs. L. C. Keeling, and Mr. Keeling.

SECOND HAND COOK STOVES \$4.00 to \$20.00 QUSH HARDWARE COMPANY Prestonsburg, Ky.

\$100 IS SOUGHT FOR FLOOD RELIEF FUND

A telegram received here Wednesday night by Miss Ella Noel White, executive secretary of the Flood Relief American Red Cross headquarters in Washington, stated that 31,000 families in 13 states are homeless. The wire called upon Floyd county to raise \$100 as a disaster fund to help meet the emergency thus created. Miss White was asked if she would be available for flood duty if called.

200 ATTEND ODD FELLOWS MEET

Approximately 200 leading Odd Fellows and Bobcats attended the district association of Odd Fellows held at Odd Fellows hall here Saturday night. The meeting was presided over by the meeting was presided over by a number of interesting addresses and unmistakable evidence of a renewal of interest in the order in this section. Among the speakers were Mr. W. B. Boyd, president of the district, John W. Canfield, past noble grand of Kentucky; John Kitchin, noble grand, Garrett lodge; Mrs. Bailey F. Wootton, Harard, prominent in work of the Order of Bobcats. At the conclusion of its meeting refreshments were served by William Canfield, of Bobcats. Next district meeting will be held on the second Saturday in June, with the Garrett lodge as host.

PATRICK BUYS COAL COMPANY PROPERTY

The Big Woods Coal and Coke Company has sold its property to Patrick Creek Oil Well. The deal transfers ownership of the land on which the Abbott Heights Golf course is located. Terms of the transaction, however, were subject to the terms of the golf club's lease on the property. The coal company reserved coal, oil and gas rights.

W. R. DAVIS DIES AT PAINTSVILLE

VICTIM OF YEAR'S ILLNESS HAD BEEN COMMISSARY SUPERINTENDENT FOR 27 YEARS

W. R. Davis, 28 years old, superintendent of commissaries of the North-East Coal Company at Auxler, Theobald and Whitehouse for 27 years, and one of Johnson county's most prominent citizens, died at his home in Paintsville Wednesday night last week, following an illness of a year. Mr. Davis suffered a paralytic stroke in December, but his death was unexpected. He was the father of Mrs. Martin J. Leete, Jr., of Prestonsburg. Mr. Davis was a native of Wellston, Ohio, where he was married to Miss Nora Davis, who survives him. He was a member of the Missionary Baptist Church and the Masonic lodge, and was a citizen much respected by all who knew him. Besides his daughter, who lives here, the deceased is survived by four other daughters: Mrs. James Lloyd Gray, Miss Irene Davis and Miss Wilma Davis, all of Paintsville, and Mrs. John Turner, of Selvington. Funeral rites were conducted Sunday afternoon and burial was made in the Mayo cemetery, Paintsville.

Senator Joe P. Tackett returned Tuesday to Frankfort after spending the week-end with his family here.

Mr. and Mrs. Elm Walters and daughter, of Ashland, passed through Prestonsburg Saturday, en route to Adkins, where they were guests of the week-end of Mr. and Mrs. Milton Prater.

CONGRESSMAN MAY AWARDED CITATION

IS HONORED BY VETERANS AT FUND RAISING HELD IN NORFOLK, VA.

Congressman A. J. May and other members of the Patton steering committee who were instrumental in effecting the passage of the Adjusted Service Compensation (bonus) bill, were honored Sunday by World War veterans at the national celebration of the Adjusted Compensation victory held in Norfolk, Va. The citation awarded Congressman May follows: CITATION In recognition of the outstanding service rendered to the UNITED WORLD WAR VETERANS in assisting them to secure their well-earned Adjusted Service Compensation and for his earnest support of this worthy cause, BE IT ORDAINED THAT ANDREW J. MAY is hereby cited for conspicuous service in the adjustment of veterans' legislation, and as a worthy leader in the force of right in carrying out the provisions of the Golden Rule in America and this citation is hereby presented at the National Celebration for the Adjusted Service Compensation victory at Norfolk, Va., on the site of the first Adjusted Compensation Meeting in America. Given under my hand and seal this 15th day of March, 1938, A. D. (SIGNED) W. B. SHAFER, JR., Originator of the World War Adjusted Service Campaign.

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Prater Creek Oil Well Drilled in Wednesday is of Gusher Proportions

A well of gusher proportions was drilled in at 11 o'clock Wednesday night on the Clarinda-Boyd farm, Prater Creek, by the Virginia Oil and Gas Company. The well is said to be producing from 200 to 300 barrels of oil a day. It is the second oil well drilled on the Boyd farm within the last six months, the first producing 80 barrels a day. Production already obtained through these two wells led one oil man to say that the Prater Creek field will be drilled to the greatest oil-producing area in Kentucky.

MARE CREEK MAN KILLED BY TRAIN

ROLAND DAVIS, 28, FOUND ON RAILWAY TRACKS AT TRAM THURSDAY MORNING

Roland Davis, 28 years old, of Mare Creek, this county, was killed at 12:30 o'clock Thursday morning, last week, when struck by a coal "shifter" on the C and O. railway tracks at Tram. He died as a result of skull injuries.

Though the entire train of coal car "empties" is said to have passed over Davis' body as it lay between the rails, the body was not badly mangled. A car hand and skull injuries comprised his principal hurts. Magistrate John Scott, who conducted an inquest over the body, said it was believed that Davis was knocked from the top of the tracks into the space between the rails. The inquest jury held that Davis "died death by being struck by a westbound shifter on the C and O. Railway." The victim was a son of Tom Davis, of Mare Creek, with whom he resided. He is survived by his parents, his widow, a son, aged 7, and two sisters. Mr. Davis was employed as a miner at the mines of the Pike-Floyd Coal Company, Betsy Layne.

General rites were conducted Saturday and burial was made at Tram under the direction of E. P. Arnold.

STRAWBERRY CROP DRIVE IS STARTED

FLOYD FARMERS PLAN PART IN PROGRAM; ACREAGE QUOTA IS SIGHT

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Farmers who have subscribed to the strawberry program in Floyd county are: S. K. Mudd, Willie Mudd and Sam Budgett, of the Little Point community; Prof. Warren Ratliff and O. G. Conley, of Bonanza; G. W. Miller and E. L. Williamson, of Cliff; Malcolm Hubbard and Wm. Hayward, of the Dock Community; Flavetta Hopkins, McDowell; W. H. Howard, of Emma.

BIG SANDIAN DIES IN WEST

GEORGE N. AUXIER, 75, PASSES IN TULSA, OKLA.

(The Paintsville Herald) George N. Auxier, aged 75, died at the home of his nephew, M. R. Auxier, in Tulsa, Oklahoma, March 22, according to news reaching here. He had been an invalid for several years, death resulting from a sudden heart attack. Mr. Auxier was a native of the Big Sandy valley and a member of the Auxier family. He was a son of George W. Auxier and was born at Block House Bottom, near East Point, when quite young the family moved to Missouri and then to Oklahoma. Mr. Auxier took up a homestead in Indian Territory in 1885, but later purchased a farm in Arkansas which he operated until a few years ago. He was a Mason and quite wealthy.

George N. Auxier was a cousin of James W. Auxier, of Paintsville, and leaves many relatives in the Big Sandy valley.

ERNIE SLUSHER IS SERIOUSLY WOUNDED

Huesyville, Ky., March 14 (Sp.)—Ernie Slusher, 21 years old, is in the Beaver Valley hospital at Martin suffering from a shattered leg, which he sustained Friday evening on Salt Lick Creek when his horse, in a race, failed to stop and charge from a shotman into his right leg. Doctors at the hospital are reported to have said that it would be necessary to amputate the leg in order to save the young man's life. The shooting, it was reported here, was accidental.

LEASES FILLING STATION

H. B. Patrick has leased from Alex H. Spadlin his filling station on the Mayo Trail. The station, handling Pure products, is being operated by Brady Shepherd.

Mrs. C. L. Hurlstatter and daughter, Mary Katherine, of Ashland, are guests this week of Mrs. Hurlstatter's mother, Mrs. Mary D. Allen. Albert Burchette, well-known Coy Creek farmer, moved last week to his farm which he recently purchased in Gattin county, Ohio.

BETSY LAYNE MAN SHOT BY HOWARD

ARMED MAN DENIES LEWIS SLAYING

Sam Nunney, Betsy Layne neighbor, is in the Beaver Valley hospital, Martin, suffering from the effects of a revolver wound in his hip said to have been inflicted by Chester Howard at Griffith's Bar-B-Q on Abbott mountain, near here, early Sunday morning. He is recovering. It was said Tuesday at the hospital. According to the report received by The Times, Nunney and Billy Goble, of Prestonsburg, had an altercation and that Goble called Howard over to where he and Nunney were. The Betsy Layne man was struck on his head by a glass, or bottle, and officers took Nunney and Goble from the building outside. Nunney is said to have told the officers that if they would take him back inside, he would point out the man who struck him. He indicated Howard as the man who struck him and Howard gave him the lie, it is said. Nunney struck Howard a blow with his fist and as he was being taken from the dance floor Howard fired one shot, this report continues. Warrants were issued for Howard and Goble and they executed bond in the sums of \$2,000 and \$500, respectively.

RULES ON TOWN OF ALLEN CASE

OLD TRUSTEE BOARD IS GIVEN TEMPORARY AUTHORITY BY JUDGE CALDWELL

Legal affairs of the town of Allen were in a message clarified last week when Circuit Judge John W. Caldwell at Hinton ruled that Betsy Layne town trustees, should obey the orders of the "old" board of trustees in discharging corporation funds and that the "new" board be enjoined from interference with the administration of the town's affairs until a final decision is rendered in the case.

At the same hearing, which was held Wednesday, Judge Caldwell ordered the liquor store and restaurant of Joe Fannin, a "manager" of the new board, closed and deferred passing sentence on him after hearing evidence in Fannin's trial for alleged violation of an injunction order issued some time ago closing Fannin's place. It was contended by the prosecution, led by County Attorney Fred D. Short, that Fannin was "in contempt of court" inasmuch as he had reopened his place of business after the court had ordered it closed. Fannin was given 30 days in which to procure the services of an attorney, and his case may be acted upon Friday by Judge Caldwell. His story was again closed Wednesday morning, last week.

Monday, Fannin's was lodged in jail here after he had been arrested on a peace warrant sworn out by Garfield Wright, Allen policeman. He will be given a hearing this week before County Judge W. L. Stumbo. Until last week's order, two policemen had for several days been acting at Allen—Garfield Wright, under authority of the "old" trustee board, and Claude Flannery under the "new" board. Tuesday, it was said that only Wright remained in office. Fannin is said to have applied for a peace warrant for Wright.

WELL-KNOWN MAN SUCCUMBS SUNDAY

A. L. Allen, well-known Floyd county farmer, died Sunday at his home on Middle Creek, three miles from here, at the age of 74 years. He, death followed an illness of a year.

One of the county's best men, Mr. Allen embraced Christianity five or six years ago. He was born October 22, 1862 and spent his entire life on Middle Creek, where he owned extensive properties. His wife, Mrs. Elizabeth Stobbs Allen, preceded him in death 10 years ago. He leaves four sons and one daughter: John Allen, Prestonsburg; James, Russell, Edward and Albert Allen, all of Middle Creek. Funeral rites were conducted from the home by Rev. Alex Stephens, James Owen, and Hazer Owsley Monday and burial was made in the Sam Hale cemetery under the direction of E. P. Arnold.

Authorities Weld Chain of Circumstantial Evidence Pointing to Adkins as Slayer

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SPINAL MENINGITIS DANGER IN COUNTY IS NOT IMMINENT

While continued spread of spinal meningitis was reported from practically all parts of Eastern Kentucky, acute danger of the malady in this county remains remote, it was indicated Tuesday when it was learned that no other cases had developed on Prater Creek, Mud Creek and Abner Fork, the three communities of this county which have suffered from inroads of the disease. Such outbreaks come without warning, without cause, and also can retreat definitely the degree of danger that may exist.

Dr. Marvin Randall, director of the Floyd County Health Department Wednesday issued the following statement:

"The meningitis situation in this county, at present, is satisfactory. As far as I know, there is not a case in the county. The last case reported, two weeks ago, was the daughter of Noah Thacker, on Prater Creek, and she is convalescing nicely. However, due to the prevalence in adjoining counties, I feel that, if every precaution is not made, we will be due for our part of the epidemic. But I do suggest that people remain on their guard, especially into our adjoining counties and especially into communities from which cases have been reported; that parents keep their children away from picture shows and other places of amusement, and in case of sudden illness call your family physician at once.

The meningitis situation is most acute in Hyman and Bell counties in Southeastern Kentucky and in Letcher county of this immediate section. Jenkins, Metcherson and other Letcher county towns within the last week have reported several cases, and strict quarantine has been established in those localities.

In Pike county, 14 miles from Pikeville, the disease broke out last week, and in Pikeville Sunday night one death occurred. The victim was Grundy Meynard, 60-year-old carpenter, who had been ill a week. Mrs. Jim O'Brien, Pikeville, is ill with the disease, but Pike health authorities said this week further spread of the disease is not anticipated.

Van Lear's Saturday-night dance was switched to Prestonsburg because of meningitis outbreak there or nearby. One report said the town went under quarantine at 6 o'clock Saturday evening.

Public schools of Saltsville were ordered closed Monday because of a meningitis outbreak during which within the past two weeks, three of five sufferers have died. A seven-year-old child of John Carter, in the outskirts of Saltsville, is ill and 10 days ago a 12-year-old child in the same family died.

CLAY LAUDED BY MAYOR A. C. CARTER

Mayor A. C. Carter this week issued the following statement: "Now that the bad weather is over, I desire to urge the cooperation of all our citizens with those in charge of the development of the various Relief projects within our city. I think that our work will be much more speedily under these improved weather conditions.

"I desire at this time to call attention to all our citizens to the fine spirit of development and cooperation shown by Mr. Frank Clay, our district administrator in charge. Our town has certainly been fortunate in having a man like Mr. Clay sent here. At all times, he has had both the welfare of the workers at heart, as well as that of our city's development.

"Our city owes to Mr. Clay a debt of deep gratitude—one so deep that it can never actually be paid."

When a thief tried to rob Mrs. S. H. Brown in her grocery store in Cassion, Mich., she sent the thug on the run with a barrage of canned goods, a flour scoop and a sugar scoop.

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DEATHS

MRS. FREEMAN
 Mrs. Freeman, of Weaburg, and her baby died Friday at the Beaver Valley hospital. Martin, shortly after the baby's birth, she was about 30 years old. The body was prepared for burial by E. P. Arnold and taken to Coburn, Va., Mrs. Freeman's old home, for burial.

MRS. GUY ADKINS
 Mrs. Guy Adkins died here Friday, a victim of dropsy from which she had suffered for months. She was a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph. Surviving her are her husband, her parents and several brothers and sisters. Burial was made here Sunday under the direction of E. P. Arnold.

ALMA WADDLE
 Miss Alma Waddle, 18-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Waddle, of Cliff, died at her parents' home Sunday after a long illness.

14-INCH SNOWFALL IS RECORDED HERE

From gardening and looking upon every breeze and sound as a certain harbinger of spring, residents of this section turned to digging in Tuesday for what looked to be another onslaught from Winter. And Wednesday morning they rose winter, the most rigorous in years, had been broken in one particular. The heaviest snow of this or any other winter for years had fallen and lay 14 inches deep on top of 20 during the night.

IS THE DELTA FRI
 William S. Cavdill, Prestonsburg, son of Circuit Judge John W. Cavdill, has been initiated into Phi Delta Phi, legal fraternity at the University of Kentucky. J. E. Ball, Prestonsburg merchant, has been quite ill at his home here this week. Mrs. Edith Smith Tudor, of Hindman, is the houseguest this week of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Clarke.

The heaviest snow of this or any other winter for years had fallen and lay 14 inches deep on top of 20 during the night. Death of the snow is variously reported at from 10 to 14 inches. Now, residents of the lowlands are facing foodwaters. Continued mildness of the weather and overcast skies indicate rain.

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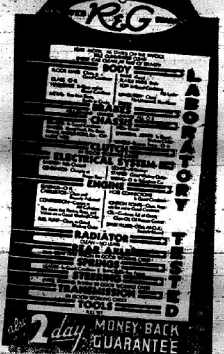
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struction in that county. Contracts have been awarded through the WPA for a gymnasium at Lacey and a three-room addition at Deft.

DR. R. J. WHALEY, Prestonsburg, Ky. Office open at all hours, and by appointment.

W. PRESTONSBURG Miss Carlos Hale, who is attending Eastern State Teachers' College, spent the weekend at home here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Hale.

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COMMISSIONER'S SALE FLOYD CIRCUIT COURT

M. M. MOORE, Doing Business as the Martin Lumber Company vs. NOTICE OF SALE T. J. FITZPATRICK, etc. JOSEPH B. HARRIS vs. T. J. FITZPATRICK, etc. JELVA CLARK vs. T. J. FITZPATRICK

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CHAPTER IX —16— Murder. In the morning Garth for the first time showed signs of being a man...

The constable was already snug under his own coat. Garth swung into the pilot cockpit. Old Tobin gave the propeller a spin for him.

Blazing clouds foretold another storm. But Garth had outraced it. Instead of striking the mountain he thrust himself to the pass, he banked and dove past the east side of the mountain on a long upland.

His hand on the foot adjusted the controls with automatic precision, leaving his attention free to center upon what he was doing.

His first glimpse into the valley showed him a column of smoke above the black belt of spruce at the far end of the lake. Much thicker and darker than ordinary camp smoke, it stood out distinct against the vivid white of the snow-belted mountains.

As the plane drove clear above the saddle between the peaks, he shoved the stick forward and cut the gun. With the roar of the engine rattled the plane swooped down at the lake like a monstrous bird of prey.

down from his cockpit with the mooring line, the poison stems smashed like eggshells on a waterworn rock, across the narrow channel from the tail of the other plane.

Before the current could float the three-seater back into deep water, Garth leaped aboard. Lillith had opened the cowl of her cockpit and was starting to climb out. Garth glanced at the constable's key.

"She has settled down hard and fast, Miss Hamill. Better stay snug aboard until the return of the constable." The girl's reply was to scramble forward on the shoreward wing of the plane. Garth waded out in the icy water and had her hand down his rifle.

He had slipped on the third pair of snowshoes. He looked down at the machine and started off as guide. The constable followed at the same rapid gait. Lillith had an experienced snowshoe runner's swing stride with the webs. She stripped and plunged face-down into the lake.

Without any protest, Garth fell in behind. The law was now in command. A few minutes brought them to the dyke of igneous rock that walled the lower end of the placer trough.

Over the fire hung three big iron trunks. Beside it stood a small cradle for the engine and ceased. "Not so good," Garth murmured. "I'm not so sure it's a surprise."

assault to murder. Any person who interferes with my arrest will make themselves liable." "That, you cock-capped red jay, you won't do!" Hixby gazed.

A downward jumping down-thrown would have put the constable back in cover. But he was a member of the Northwest mounted police. He meant could no more be considered by him than a surrender.

Another thought that flashed into his mind was that his rifle had gone to his left. He was sitting off her snowshoes. Her right foot was drawn up to her knees, and she was rubbing hard the snow.

Ellis Island Once Gay, and Named Oyster Island In the days when New York was a Dutch possession and known as New York, the most famous island in the world was called Oyster Island.

For almost 150 years Oyster Island continued to be New Amsterdam's "hot spot" for picknick, oyster roasts, clam bakes, and fishing parties.

Latent Rabies The length of time during which the human body may remain latent in itself is very remarkable, extreme instances showing a delay of a year.

might already be circling to creep in from the rear. With his knife Garth slashed out the webs of Dillon's snowshoes.

Every few seconds that passed without the roar of a rifle behind him, meant a widened margin of safety. The pursuers must have failed to notice his broken rifle in the snow.

At sight of the limp body on Garth's shoulders, she started up, horrified. "Murdered. And you—!—you here, all this way from the plane, Hixby gone. They're coming. Get up."

He swung the body of the Constable Across His Shoulders. He had not burst. But that was no consolation. The first shot from off to the left had struck square against the middle of the breech and smashed the magazine.

Now, Scotland is Scottish. Now, the "Evangelist" is a party in the United States. In the Nova Scotia county of Lunenburg, 72 per cent of the inhabitants speak the Gaelic.

Goodness Before Wealth You are much in the wrong if you do not prefer the good qualities of the mind, before the advantages of fortune.

We also welcomed some new members. They were very exclusive. There are groups here that'll take the Book who even failed to make the Book of the Month club.

New Deal, and Blarney. THIS being the third anniversary of the New Deal, I was just thinking that, whether or not it lived through the election on November 3, its folks could never forget themselves that they'd failed to give the people the best of the best.

Hold on, I'm getting all twisted. What I'm trying to say is that one day the most interesting planet was that Douglas Fairbanks, Jr. was positively going to marry Lady Ashley, whereas but 24 hours before he was out going to marry her. There he did.

Female Bunk Nails Why can't people mind their own business? Why do they have to interfere with the lives of other people? Why do they have to interfere with the lives of other people?

Politicians Making Claims IN CONGRESS these mad March days are being much used for plain fancy claims.

Miserable with backache? WHEN kidneys function badly and you have aching back, dizziness, burning, scanty or no urine, and a general feeling of weakness, it is a sign that your kidneys are not working properly.

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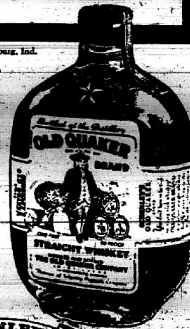
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DANIELS (BEEK FARM) DENIES KILLING
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The fact that Lewis was shot with a bullet from a .38-caliber revolver, Adkins' children crying that when arrested, Adkins would not see their father had his revolver lying on the bed before, though the officers had not side him and that one chamber, stated the cause of their visit, of which officers say had recently been

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Body of slain man was found at the roadside, approximately 400 yards up by Crest from the State Trail. Discovery of the crime was made by the victim's son, Wheeler Lewis, Betsy Layne high school student, who was following the route to the creek and across the mountain home from school. The body was found about 3:45 o'clock Friday afternoon, and it is believed the slaying took place almost two hours earlier.

Believed on Ground When Shot
Officers expressed the belief that Lewis was shot while lying on the ground, since a .38-caliber bullet was found lying on the blood-soaked ground beneath his head.

An inquest considered the motive for the crime from two angles—one from the slain man's family, the Lewis family, that the victim had \$42 on his person when he left home and that he had no money in his pockets when found; the other from the former trouble the Lewis and Adkins families, nearly neighbors, had had. Adkins, a few years ago, was jailed here on a charge of shooting and wounding a young man named Lewis. Officers were not certain if this youth was a son of George Lewis. Adkins had served a penitentiary term.

The victim is survived by his widow and several children. Funeral rites were conducted Sunday and burial was made on Daniels Creek.

WAYLAND CHIEF OF POLICE RECOVERING

Wayland, Ky., March 28—Ben Whitaker, who suffered a serious gunshot wound in the leg here several weeks ago the day after he entered office as Wayland's chief of police, is back at home after a long stay at the Paintsville hospital and is doing nicely.

Millard Salisbury, formerly of Garrett, is acting chief until such time as Whitaker will be able to resume his duties. Salisbury is assisted by Bob Whitten, and the two men are waging a fierce battle against vice and lawlessness in this community.

MR. EASTERLING DIES
A death which brought much sadness to all of Wayland's people was that of "uncle" BEN Easterling, about 79 years old, who died here last Friday following an illness of two weeks' duration. A lifetime attendant upon the hardships of advanced age are said to have caused Mr. Easterling's death.

The victim is survived by his widow and seven children, most of whom reside in this section. The body was taken to Canal City, Ky., for burial in the family cemetery.

Mrs. Odie Bussey, of this place, left a few days ago for the Paintsville hospital, where she will be a medical patient for a time.

Elizabeth and Paul Curry, students at Coney Junior College, Hopkins, Ky., visited homefolks here over the last weekend.

Thirty-day students from Wayland consolidated school will make the excursion trip to Washington, D. C., April 3, to attend the Cherry Blossom Festival.

BEAVER

(Last week's correspondence)
CANDY PARTY GIVEN

A candy party was given by Misses Zettie and Maxine Henson last Saturday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Reynolds, of Beaver. Delicious candies were served. Those who attended were Woodrow Taylor, Walter Napier, Joe Layne, Vaght Worris, Effort Reynolds, Veeq Foy, Tommy Newson, David Jones, Ernest Vance, Marcus Reynolds, Tabbie Hamilton, Misses Bethel Martin, Zettie Elliott, Maxine Henson, Dorcie Tackett, Verl and Virgie Walker, Hannah Smith and Gladly Matthews.

Zebulon Lodge, No. 278, F & A. M., meets 1st and 3rd Mondays in each month. Members of sister lodges are fraternally invited to attend. Permanent quarters in out town Temple on Court street.
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TUESDAY

"Carnival"
starring Lee Tracy, Sally Eilers and Jimmy Durante. Selected shorts.

WEDNESDAY

"Grand Exit"
with Ann Sothern, Edmund Lowe. Also comedy.

THURSDAY

"Accent On Youth"
starring Sylvia Sydney and Herbert Marshall.

Coming Sunday, March 29, "Little Rebel," with Shirley Temple.

"PISTOL JOE" HALL HIT BY CHARGE OF SHOOTING

"Pistol Joe" Hall was apprehended with the charge of a shotgun said to have been fired Sunday by Curtis Moore as the result of an altercation taking place at Drift. Hall was not seriously hurt.

The wounded man was given a penitentiary sentence, several months ago, for the slaying of BERT Little at Wheelwright. Little's father, Wilfred Little, was killed at the same time and by Hall's bullet, it is said.
Jerry, small son of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Hager, is recovering at the home of his parents from a recent attack of scarlet fever.
Mrs. H. F. King Monday entered St. Mary's hospital for a major operation. Mrs. King is the wife of the pastor of the W. E. Church, South here, and her many friends are hopeful of her early recovery.

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