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ENGINEER KILLED AS COAL SHIFTING TRAIN RAMS EARTH SLIDE

Walter Burke Dies in Wreck Between Auxier and East Point Wednesday

FIREMAN BADLY HURT

Foggy visibility and a rock and earth slide on the Chesapeake & Ohio railroad between Auxier and East Point, caused a trainwreck about 12:35 a. m. Wednesday morning, that took the life of Walter Burke, 50, veteran engineer, and critically injured Dave Corder, fireman. Duke Sherman, 40, brakeman, escaped with a scalded arm.

Reports state that the train wrecked a coal shifter, was unable to stop before smashing into the debris which lit the train. The cause of the wreck was heavy rainfall on the hill side. The engine, with all three men in the cab was catapulted to the river's edge. Seven or eight cars followed the engine.

Engineer Burke, who lives at Paintsville, was killed almost instantly. It is said he lived only long enough to ask brakeman Duke Sherman, who was but slightly hurt, to "turn me over." Sherman, who lives in West Vev. Lear is a brother in law of Roe Layne, of Prestonsburg. He was taken to the Paintsville hospital Wednesday morning.

The fireman Dave Corder, of Paintsville, is also in the Paintsville hospital in a serious condition.

The coal shifter was used to haul coal out of the mining camps and assemble coal cars at the Paintsville yards.

The wreckage was removed Wednesday to allow delayed train service to continue.

MAINE AUTHORITIES SEEK GEORGE ELMORE WELLS FOR BERA, KY. OFFICERS

Police in Maine last week were searching for George E. Wells, of Duxbury, this county, who is wanted for questioning in the slaying of Bera Cole, Opaj Stungill.

A Bera college laundry check was found in an automobile left in a parking lot by two men in Portland, Me. Although Maine authorities expressed doubt that Wells could have gotten to Maine so quickly, they reported they find to Kentucky officials.

Sad, Humorous Mementoes To Be Revealed In 20 Yrs.

Pathos and humor are intertwined among the mementoes that will be placed in the Corner Stone Box that will be sealed at the Methodist Church, September 6, not to be opened until 1957, 20 years hence.

One little lady says she wants to write a letter to her children to go in the box as she expects to be married and the mother of a family within the next 20 years.

A mother says she is going to put a cook book in the box for the wife of her son, who is now only 16 years of age.

Among the pathetic mementoes will be pictures and letters of citizens, who will have reached their full score of years and be almost forgotten when the box is opened at the 1957 ceremony.

Methodist Pastor King, or ignator of the Corner Stone Box idea, says the box will be made of wood from the pews

HIS BROTHER'S KEEPER

Now it came to pass in the reign of the good proton Judge Akers, that in a quiet court Monday a man sat on a jury at his brother's trial, and fined his brother the sum of \$10. And as both of these brothers were nicknamed 'Shine' great was the bewilderment amongst the spectators. Yea verily, 'twas so.

And it happened in this wise: Henry (Little Shine) Hall had been haled into court for a minor offense, and prior to his trial, his brother, 'Big Shine' Hall was selected for jury service.

And lo, Little Shine did not appear at the trial. His guilt was assumed and with 'Big Shine as one of the jurors, Little Shine's fine was set at the maximum. And when the spectators at the trial were tempted to ascertain the identity of these brothers, great was the head scratching thereof.

FOUR CONTEST CASES ARE FILED AGAINST ELECTION WINNERS

Wayne Stumbo, Mell Petry, and Willie Hall Named in Suits

Four contest suits have been filed in the Floyd circuit court clerk's office as an aftermath of the recent August primary election. All contests charge the winning candidates with illegal tactics.

The nomination of Wayne Stumbo for county sheriff on the Democratic ticket, headed by R. E. (Jim) Hall and Lee P. May in two separate suits. Election returns gave Stumbo, 2845 votes; Hall, 170, and May, 1671.

Nomination of Mell Petry, Democrat, for Representative, is contested by Alex L. Martin, who received 1145 votes. Petry received 2185. The only suit filed in the magisterial election was that of R. L. Holbrook against Willie Hall, winning Democratic nomination for Dist. No. 3. Hall received 3591 votes, and Holbrook, 342.

Contest cases filed by Jonathan Fitzpatrick, defeated democratic candidate for jailer, and John S. Layne, republican candidate for circuit attorney, have been settled. Circuit Court Clerk Troy Sturgill announced Thursday.

M. E. CHURCH PREPARES FOR CLOSING OF YEAR: REV. TYLER TO PREACH

With the annual conference just two weeks ahead, the local Methodist Church is astir with activity in getting ready reports, bringing in finances, and putting things in order generally for the closing of the year's work.

Rev. H. F. King is completing his third year as pastor of the church and according to a statement made by him, this year has been the best of the three. Increased attendance at the church services has been a very important sign of growth in the congregation.

Rev. Tyler, presiding elder of the Ashland district, will preach Sunday morning. The business meeting of the church conference will be held some time during his visit. Rev. and Mrs. Tyler will arrive Friday afternoon and will remain over Sunday. They will be guests at the parsonage.

Aged Man Is Murdered As He Sleeps In Shanty

Robert D. Callihan, 65, Is Beaten To Death On Blood Spattered Bed. Officers Launch Manhunt For Killer

With the finding of the battered body of Robert D. Callihan, 65 years old in a blood spattered bed at Garrett last Friday, another crucial chapter has been added to the annals of Floyd county crime.

Callihan had apparently been struck several times with head crushing blows as he lay asleep in his bed. The coroner's jury held that he died from blows wielded with a blunt instrument by person or persons unknown.

Callihan had been dead for about 30 hours when found in the Rock Fork shanty of Bob Keffer. Garrett miner, with whom he had been making his home. Since the finding of the body, Floyd county officers have been conducting an extensive search for Keffer who was probably the last person to see Callihan alive.

Mystery, worthy of a detective story surrounds the death of the aged man. Callihan

was reported to be a friendly person who was not known to have any enemies. He had been in Garrett only a few days since leaving his home in Ashland, to seek work in the mines, despite his age.

Officers at Grayson, Sunday night, reported the arrest of a man suspected to be Bob Keffer who is wanted for questioning in the murder, but Deputy Sheriff Elson Kendrick upon his return from Grayson Monday revealed that the arrested man was not Keffer.

Deputy Sheriff S. A. Collins said that there was a report that Keffer was last seen on Salt Lick, drunk.

It is also reported that Keffer and Callihan engaged in an argument Wednesday over the Bible.

Funeral services for Callihan were conducted at his home in Ashland, Sunday afternoon.

CLINIC IS SCHEDULED FOR CRIPPLED YOUTH

Free Diagnostic Clinic Will Be Held Here Sept. 9, 10, 11

Miss Marian Williamson, director, Ky. Crippled Children Commission, has just announced that a free diagnostic clinic for crippled children will be held in the Presbyterian church, Prestonsburg, on Thursday, September 9. The counties included are Floyd, Johnson, Mago and Martin.

The clinic will be conducted by the Kentucky Crippled Children Commission, which administers a state and federal appropriation for the treatment of physically handicapped children under 18 years of age whose parents are unable to pay for such treatment.

Assistance in promoting the clinic and in locating new cases in need of attention will be given by Rotary, Kiwanis and Woman's Club and the county health department.

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SPECIAL JUDGE BACH DECIDES COURT SUIT

Judge Hears Case of Beaver Valley Against Stumbo At Hudson

Special Judge Chester A. Bach, of Jackson, Monday entered a judgment in the case of Pikeville Clinic against Dr. W. L. Stumbo and Anna Stumbo.

The court denied the claim of the Beaver Valley hospital to enjoin the Stumbo Memorial hospital from soliciting or receiving any patients not included in assigned contracts from Floyd county, and in all other respects denied the relief sought for by the plaintiffs. The Stumbos also the court did not pass on or decide the question of the breach of the contract on which question most of the testimony was introduced by the Stumbos.

Judge Bach heard most of the testimony in this case in open court, and hundreds of witnesses testified. The preparation and trial of the case has extended over a period

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THE COURIER JOURNAL

THE LOUISVILLE TIMES

Louisville, Kentucky

August 18, 1937

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Credo Hutch Harris,
Manager

Floyd County Times,
Prestonsburg Kentucky

Dear Editor:

Occasionally your excellent newspaper is quoted in our Louisville Times' MILLS POINT TO BIG SANDY.

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Thanking you, and with kind regards,

Sincerely,
CREDO HUTCH HARRIS

WINCE WALTERS, 26, SURVIVOR OF WRECK, KILLS SELF AT DRIFT

Wince Walters, Unscathed in Wreck That Killed Two, Dies at Drift

Wince Walters, 26, of Drift, sole survivor of a car wreck early in June that took the lives of his brother and friend, killed himself Saturday night in a restaurant at Drift.

Walters obtained a gun at Bill Myers' store after Myers had stepped out. He then went to a restaurant about dusk, and shot himself in the chest.

Friends said that Walters' mind must have been affected over the tragedy that took the lives of his brother, James Walters, and his friend, Sam Bellamy, when the car in which they were riding was wrecked near Betsy Layne early in June. Wince Walters escaped serious injury in the wreck.

Funeral services were conducted at Drift at 2 p. m. Saturday by the Revs. Aaron Pack of McDowell and Earl Howard of Estill. Burial by the same ministers in the Drift cemetery was in charge of the Ryan funeral home.

The deceased is survived by his wife, Lexie, two children.

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POLICE CHIEF SLAIN BY SHOTGUN BLAST FROM DRUNKEN MAN

Posse Scours Hills Sunday Night for Alleged Killer, Who Fled

REWARD FOR KILLER

A blast from a 16 gauge shotgun Sunday at 8:30 p. m. took the life of Levi Hall, 45, police chief at McDowell, this county. Officers immediately began a manhunt for Matt Jones 35, who allegedly wielded the shotgun.

Authorities claim Police Chief Hall attempted to send Jones, who was drunk, home. The last time Jones was asked to go home, he cursed Hall, witnesses report, and said that he was going home after his shotgun.

As Hall was patrolling McDowell's streets near his home, Jones drove by in his car and discharged the full contents of a 16 gauge shell into Hall's abdomen. Hall collapsed into the arms of his step-son.

Jones immediately drove off. A posse hurriedly organized, found his abandoned car, the motor still running, about four miles from McDowell. Officers then began searching the hills. As the shotgun was not found in the car, it is known that Jones is armed.

A near all night search by deputy sheriffs Elson Kendrick, W. A. Willis and Constables Epp Lafayette, Sol Warren, John E. Laferty, Ab Bryant and others whose names are unavailable, proved fruitless. Officers state that a close watch however, is being maintained to apprehend the killer.

Funeral services for Mr. Hall were conducted at Clear Creek, Tuesday at 11 a. m., by the Revs. Aaron Pack.

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M. E. CHURCH SPONSORS "DING DONG DUMB BELL" AT ABIGAIL, AUGUST 31

Sponsored by the Methodist Church, home town players are now rehearsing for a play, "Ding Dong Dumb Bell," to be presented at the Abigail theatre, Tuesday, Aug. 31.

Franklin Moore and Louise Cuberton as blackface students, assure hilarious entertainment. They will be assisted by members of the same cast that played in the recent comedy given by the church.

Special numbers will be a feature of the evening.

Merchants Make Favorable Statements For Association

Six merchants, interviewed Saturday on Thursday morning, each made a statement favoring the proposed Merchants' Association for Prestonsburg and Floyd county. At a future Kiwanis meeting, details of organization will be worked out.

Mr. Cohen of the Leader Store said, "Such an organization will allow merchants to cooperate with each other, thereby giving better values to the customers. As a civic organization, the group will endorse all movements benefiting the farmers, laboring men, and the town and county as a whole."

Beaver's roads and other improvements in Floyd county." Mr. Selb added that such an association would enable one merchant to help another.

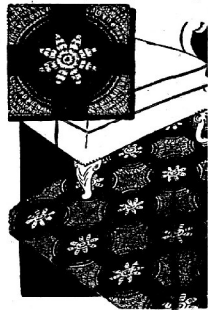
M. J. Leece, Jr., favored the proposed association with the statement "I'm for it!"

Mr. Hughes of the J. B. Dick Store said, "We've been needing such an organization to give customers better service for some time."

Mr. Bailey of Bailey's Grocery said, "Merchants will never prosper as they should until they can cooperate not only with each other, but with the customers, as well. I'm ready for the association any time."

Gordon Francis of Francis' Cash Store, said, "Such an organization will enable us to look forward to cooperative dollar days, when we can give our customers money saving bargains."

A Crocheted Rug Is a Lifetime Joy



This rug that you can so easily crochet yourself will be a lifetime joy. See if it isn't! Do the stunning medallions—separately—then join them till you've a rug of the desired size. If you like, make each flower center a different color, keeping the background uniform. Rug wool or candlewicking make for a sturdy durable rug or otherwise useless wags run to bed serve the purpose. In pattern 5855 you will find instructions for making the rug shown; an illustration of it and of all stitches used, material requirements; color suggestions; a photograph of the actual square.

Without the Power... He was one of those men, moreover, who possess almost every gift except the gift of the power to use them.—Kingsley.

HELP KIDNEYS

To Get Rid of Acid and Poisonous Waste... Your kidneys help to keep you well by constantly filtering out waste from the blood. If your kidneys are functionally deranged, you feel the symptoms of the whole system and become a victim of some kidney or bladder disturbance.

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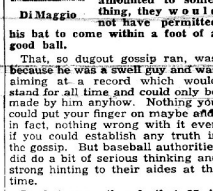
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Joe Di Maggio Will Have a Tough Time Busting Tom's Mark

I WAS just wondering: If Joe Di Maggio has anything more than a fame run to beat Babe Ruth's home record of sixty in a season? The kid's good. He's probably the best two-year-old performer in big time history. He slaps a baseball with authority. American league pitching is of inferior variety. He gets better day by day.

That's all on the credit side. The other side of the ledger is heavily red-inked with the names of Wilsons, Gehrigs, Hornsby and other broad-backed lads whose August marks and ambitions were similar to Joe's. September licked them. Ruth had seventeen home runs during that month of his eventful 1927 season. He undoubtedly was in a hitting slump when Babe was the Babe, a guy accustomed to performing magic.



Di Maggio... his hat to come within a foot of a good ball.

That, so dugout gossip ran, was because he was a swell guy and was aiming at a record which would stand for all time and could only be made by him anyhow. Nothing you could put your finger on maybe anybody, in fact, nothing wrong with it even if you could establish any truth in the gossip. But baseball authorities did do a bit of serious thinking and strong hinting to their sides at the time.

So—but even though that 17 in September has stumped all the Gehrigs, Hornsby and Wilsons since then, there's no harm in trying. The kid is as well as a regular ballplayer. Along with Ruth and a few million other fans I say "more power to him."

Dodgers on Downgrade: 1937 Prospects Poor

What is going to happen to Burleigh Grimes next season even if the present owners do continue to flout the best interests of baseball by holding out the Dodger's? While wondering, I am not trying to rap the unshaven gentleman who has managed to get himself thrown out of almost as many ball games as his team has won this season. But facts are facts.

A few of these facts are that the Dodgers are not as strong and as interesting as they were twelve months ago. The hustling and fireball spirit displayed in late July, August and September of 1936 is missing in spite of front office hoo to the contrary.

The now ailing Mungo, one or two other pitchers for whom Stengel took the blame last year, are starting them for future stardom, Manush and English, veterans with one final flash left in them, have sustained the club.

The truth is that the club is worse off so far as developing material for a winner next season than it was in 1936. The truth also is that the front office is more interested in applauding the rowdy behavior of its sports policemen and in hounding little boys who chase baseballs in the streets, than it is in improving for 1938.

NOT IN THE BOX SCORE:

THERE is a map of the United States in Bill Terry's Polo ground office with red pins marking each city or hamlet that has a ball club. Are Souja Henle and Frommeyer and Dickson about to be daigle in a 50-G lawsuit? And, if so, what's it all about? Keep an eye on the Polo ground office. There are those who insist she will be even better than Jacobs or Marble in another year and anyhow it will be a treat for your eyes just looking at her.

American horse owners are doing well by themselves abroad. J. E. Widener's two-year-old, Unbreakable won his third straight in the Richmond Stakes and Ralph B. Strassburger's Pirozeopore whipped the best sprinters in Great Britain at Goodwood recently. When the first international yacht race was held between Great Britain and the United States the British took one look at the America, visiting boat, and absolutely refused to bet. They may seem strange behavior for citizens who boast of their sportsmanship, but it also was wisdom. Although the home team made everything as tough as possible for the visitors, America won easily.

Jimmy Dykes knows that he will have to trade some of his pretty pitchers next winter for a catcher and outfield power to catch the Yankees in 1935. Prettiest pitcher of the lot is Monty Stratton, who throws overhand, sidearm, underhand and very well. Coach Billy Webb of the White Sox is almost as accomplished a sign-stealer as Detroit's Del Baker. You don't want sign-stealers when you play the Yankees, though. You want hitters.

Ted Broadbirt, manager of Tommy Farr, claims to have another heavyweight who some day may be considerably better than the present man. This new sensation is still an amateur but he is an Irisher and his father is a source of citizens' news. His name—Lydson—was Mrs. Tunney's maiden name. When the wealthy young Dunbar-Borwick drove his Hollywood Audrey in the Hambletonian at Goshen recently he was the second amateur ever to compete in the classic. The first was John L. Dodge of Lexington, Ky. Mid-weekly nomination for the world's fastest running sports organization.—The United States Golf association.

Yankees Helped Giants Get Bloody Ryan

The Giants freely admit that they never would have been able to get Bloody Ryan without the assistance of the Yankees. After Terry had been eliminated the deal for two weeks the Yanks bought Bloody Ryan from Milwaukee, ostensibly for their Kansas City farm, then sold him to their National league rivals. If Joe Stripp behaves himself and hustles he may be a Giant next season.

Jimmy Rippel probably will be put on the trading block this winter. Does the sudden appointment of Hammer as road secretary mean that the Dodgers really are going to be sold? Usually well-informed baseball people are saying that it does and that Business Manager John Gorman is staying at home to get the books in shape, a job which he does superlatively.

Cleo Locatelli, the welterweight, writes from his home in Italy that Di Duce is readying several more good box fighters to come over here and collect next winter. Every member of the A's, from Connie Mack down to the hot boys who have been sick or injured at one time or another this year. Wes Ferrell is planning to enter the movies in the fall. Pitcher Jimmy DeShong wants to tour the country with his own band when he's through with baseball. Even now he carries 100 records of his favorite songs so that he can entertain himself when the Washington club is on the road.

Tip from a veteran and well-informed minor leaguer—"That claim about Newark stepping into the National league and finishing in the first division is overrated. The International league is very outstay this year." Ball players say that the White Sox infield is the worst kept in the American league. The high rollers (they must call them dumb bunnies) of the U. S. G. A. should take a lesson from the lack of interest being displayed by local golfers in this year's amateur championship.

Zeke Bonura indignantly denies rumors that he eats spaghetti for breakfast each a.m. The big first baseman says he has had eggs every morning since he joined the White Sox in 1934. While the smaller clubs continue to suffer, close to 100,000 cash customers have renewed the popular prize fights at the Garden this summer. One of Joe Medwick's Jersey neighbors and pals reports Jersey Dean as definitely headed for the Giants next year. Says teammates believe all the Great Man's carryings on of the past few months are merely the build up. In other words, Branch Rickey, master manipulator of the Cards, wants to test the St. Louis fans fed up with Dizzy.

Ask Me? Another A Quiz With Answers Offering Information on Various Subjects

- 1. What is the largest liner that has gone through the Panama canal?
2. How many of our Presidents owned slaves?
3. Who first discovered the principles of magnetism?
4. What are the elevations above sea level of the Great Lakes?
5. How much space does a ton of gold occupy?
6. Roman senators were appointed for a term of what duration?
7. Are all eyes of the same size?
8. How is salt secured?

depends upon the orifice or aperture through which the eyes are seen. It is the variable diameter of this opening that creates the erroneous impression of different sizes of eyes.

Uncle Phil Says:

Leisure is a Stimulant

Efficiency whets the appetite for leisure. And the latter stimulates the former. He who borrows and never repays is too great a coward to let it's for. A query is printed in an exchange asking what is the difference between "farther" and "further." Why doesn't the querier look in the dictionary? That's what it's for. One may make a great mistake "looking on the bright side of things" in the presence of people who want to mourn. That, Too, Can Hurt Many a man is liable to think his character has been defamed, when it has only been defined. Satan finds some mischief for idle hands to do—with the ardent assistance of the owner of the idle hands. There is a kind of respectable pride in never admitting that one made a mistake in marrying.

Smiles

Credly "Madam, your confounded dog has torn my trousers!" "Name it, by Fido! I shall have him from him for a while." "I gave the referee ten bucks to see I won my big fight the other night." "But the papers say that you lost." "Yes—the referee was crooked."

Fools! A woman motorist was driving along a country road, when she spied a couple of repair men climbing telephone poles. "Huh!" she said to her companion, "they must think I never drove a car before."

USUAL STORY



"Have you any regrets?" "One. That I didn't take up golf before I acquired a stomach to interfere with the correct swing." "Oh, Him! Lady (to tramp) Now go away or I'll call my husband." "Tramp—I know him. He's the little feller who told me yesterday to go away or he'd call his wife!"

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Sunday School Lesson

GOD CONDEMNS INTEMPERANCE

International Sunday School Lesson for August 29, 1937

Golden Text:—Wine is a mocker, strong drink a brawler; and whosoever erreth thereby is not wise.—Prov. 20:1.

Some may wonder just what connection the first reference given above may have with a temperance lesson. The two verses tell of the punishment which came to the two sons of Aaron—Moses' brother, because they presumed to offer "strange fire" unto Jehovah when it had not been commanded by him. As a result of this ill advised action, both were consumed by the fire and died. Why or how their offering offended, we are not told, but from the inference in verse 9 of the same chapter, it may be assumed that they were under the influence of wine when the offering was made. If this inference is correct, then we do not wonder at the anger of God toward Naoab and Abihu, who had been that day consecrated to the priesthood. In Leviticus 10:9 Jehovah specifically commands Aaron that he and his sons shall "drink no wine nor strong drink, when ye go into the tent of the meeting." This is the first word of the Lord against the drinking of alcoholic beverages, recorded in the Bible, and is spoken directly to Aaron. Alexander MacLaren says, "Nothing has more power to blur the sharpness of moral and religious insight than a small amount of wine. God must be worshipped with clear brain and naturally beating heart. Not the fumes of wine in which there lurks almost the tendency to excess, but the being filled with the spirit supplies the only legitimate stimulus to devotion. Besides the personal reason for abstinence, there was another—namely, that only sober people the statutes of Jehovah. Lips stained from the wine cup would not be fit to speak holy words. Words spoken by such would carry no power. Our lives must witness to the eternal between good and evil; if we are to draw men to 'abhor that which is evil, and cleave unto that which is good.'"

Not only are the priests or ministers of God forbidden to drink wine, but those persons in places of authority should refrain from all intoxicating beverages. Proverbs 31:4, 5 reads as follows: "It is not for kings, O Lemuel, it is not for kings to drink wine, nor for princes to say, Where is strong drink? Lest they drink and forget the law and pervert the justice due to all that is afflicted." Surely this warning from the Word of God is clear to any who reads. Drinking on the part of those whose hands are on the reins of government might cause them to forget the law of the land and to be unjust to those who are in trouble. Alcoholic drinks becloud the mind and rob one of sane judgment. Everyone knows that his story is full of lessons which should teach nations that intemperance and debauchery eventually bring about destruction. A careful search through the annals of time will repeat at intervals the story of a many people, victorious and conquering, only to be practically destroyed in a few generations by evil habits and intemperance. A warning against just such a situation is given by the great prophet Isaiah to the people of Ephraim, who, it seemed, were exceedingly corrupt. In the first six verses of the 28th chapter of Isaiah he denounces the drunkards of Ephraim

and predicts the speedy downfall of their beautiful city of Samaria. In the next two verses, he points his arrow at the tribe of Judah and declares that they are just as corrupt, being no less conquered by wine than the people of the Northern Kingdom. In words that paint a graphic picture of conditions, sparing nothing, Isaiah warns against the destruction, which inevitably follows such abandonment to worldly pleasure, to the utter disregard of the things of God.

Our lesson closes with the words of Paul to the Romans, who were having an argument among themselves about what they could or should not do in the matter of eating meat which had been offered to idols. Paul's injunction to these people is an injunction to all Christians today in the matter of abstinence from all forms of intemperance. It said "It is not good to eat flesh nor to drink wine, nor to do anything whereby thy brother stumbleth." He lays down the great principle of abstinence for the sake of others.

H. Jonett declares, "I am not only responsible for my life, but for its influence. I am therefore to consider both my deeds and their influence. How does my life tinge when it touches my brother? In what way does the move because of the impact of my example? Toward liberty or toward license? To the swamps of holiness? These are determining questions, and I must not seek to escape or ignore them. My brother is a vital part of my life. I must never shut him out of my sight. How am I influenced by my example? If meat make my brother stumble, I will eat no meat while the world stands etc."

What a wonderful change the world would see if every man and woman, tempted to indulge in questionable pleasures would be willing to consider and accept the responsibility of his or her influence and abstain from even the appearance of evil for the sake of its probable effect upon others.

AT THE CHURCHES

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

ROBERT A. POTTER, Pastor

Sunday Services 9:45 a. m.
Morning service 11 a. m.
Young People's Meeting 6:30 p. m.
WTSU 7 p. m.
Evening service 8:00 p. m.
Prayer Service
Wednesday 7:30 p. m.
Prayer meeting
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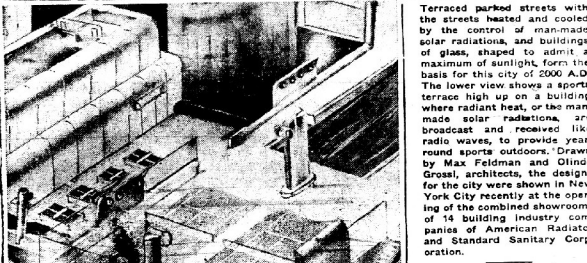
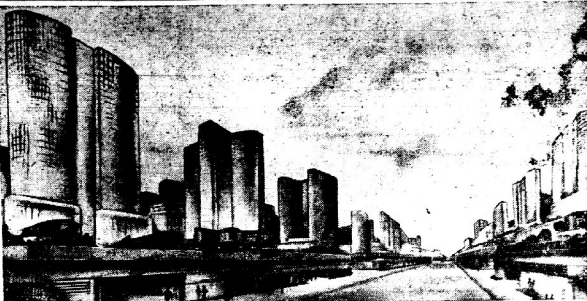
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Science Predicts a New Race of Sun Worshippers



COMPLETELY discarding former concepts of the city of the future in which taller and taller buildings predominated, a new city has just been projected in which size and intricate mechanism, maintained by a scientific application of natural and artificial sunlight to broaden the living scope. Shown in New York City recently by the Sixth Avenue Association, at the opening of the world's largest building industry showroom by 14 companies of the American Radiator and Standard Sanitary Corporation, the designs for the city are based on the application by the year 2000 of scientific facts recently discovered.

To increase the use of natural sunlight, a new glass that admits 85 per cent of the sunlight but is not transparent, is utilized in the construction of specially slanted towers that are faced into the sun. Street frontage is retained but sunlight is admitted to all streets by setting the towers back with gradual terraces that also serve to park the street, about one and a half or two stories high.

Artificial sunlight is utilized by broadcasting and receiving from plates along the street radiant heat or the heat ray, which is similar to heat given off by the sun, to warm and cool people without warming or cooling the air. Already applied in a modified form for the more advanced types of air conditioning, these rays can be transmitted through the ether as a radio wave, and on special terraces in the residential section, they are used to provide both winter and summer sports throughout the season, with skating shown in the designs on an upper level, and sunbath, swimming, basketball, and other sports below.

Health News

By Dr. Marvin Ransdell

DIPHTHERIA

Diphtheria is a dangerous, catching disease that causes the death of many children. It often comes on with only slight symptoms, such as sore throat, chilliness, a little fever or aching pains and may be mistaken for tonsillitis or laryngitis or some other less serious ailment. Yet, even when the symptoms are slight there is great danger.

Little Children in Greatest Danger

Children are most defenseless against the disease, especially those under five. The very young child is not only more likely to take diphtheria but also more apt to die of it than are older children.

A Disease No Child Need Have

No child need have diphtheria. It can be prevented by simple, harmless treatment. Take your children to your doctor or to a clinic and ask to have them protected against diphtheria with toxoid (toxin antitoxin is still used in some communities). All children, when they are six to nine months of age, should have this treatment. The doctor or nurse will advise you how often to come and what to do. The treatments, usually one to three in number, are simple and harmless and quickly given. It takes a few months for the protection to develop.

Six months after the treatment, take the child back to the doctor to find out if he has had enough treatments to make him safe. He can tell this by giving the Schick Test. Be sure to do this. Then you can be certain that your child is safe and that you need never fear diphtheria.

What to Do for Diphtheria

If before they are treated (immunized), or before protection has developed, your children show the symptoms described in this pamphlet, call the doctor at once. This is especially important if there is diphtheria in the neighborhood. The doctor will give his curing medicine—antitoxin. A delay of one day in giving this medicine may mean the difference between life and death.

Help Kidneys

To Get Rid of Acid and Poisonous Waste
Your kidneys help to keep your body healthy. If they become weak, you may feel tired, nervous, and have a headache. Doan's Pills help to get rid of acid and poisonous waste. They are gentle and safe. They are sold in all drug stores.

Business Men's Assurance

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"Why buy half a horse?" That is what you buy when you buy a life policy. I sell complete protection. PROTECT YOUR INCOME AS WELL AS YOUR LIFE AND SAVINGS.
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What to Do for Diphtheria

Diphtheria is now raging in some sections of the county, rather early for diphtheria, and it may mean a peak year for the disease. Five cases were reported from Burton in two days. Better have your child immunized against it, free, at the health office.

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Personal Mention

Returns From Ashland
Mrs. Lilly Parker has returned here after visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John H. Hatcher in Ashland.

Return From Visit
Orcutt Judge and Mrs. John W. Caudill son Claude, and daughters, returned to Prestonsburg this week from a two weeks visit with Mrs. Caudill's brother at Fayetteville, North Carolina.

Return From University
After completing summer training at the University of Kentucky, the following have returned to their homes here: Joe Wheeler, Jarrell Superintendent Ishmael Triplett, Fred Francis, and Edgar Stephens.

Here From Baltimore
T. Y. Harmon of Baltimore, Md., is seeing friends and relatives in Floyd county, while visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. Y. Harmon Sr., at their home on Bays Branch. Mr. Harmon will return to his employment in Baltimore Friday.

Ama Kelley, who has been spending her vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Kelley of Betsy Layne, Ky., left Sunday for Berea College to resume her position in the Sales Promotion Department of Firestone Industries.

Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Bove and children, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Thompson and children and Mr. G. H. Castle, all of Louisa, spent the week end here guests of Mr. and Mrs. Leo Nolen and family.

Little Misses Burtis and Charline Thompson of Louisa, are visiting their cousins, Misses Velma and Wanda Nolan here.

Visit in Virginia
Mrs. Felix Dudley of Langley, this county, returned last week from a brief visit with her daughter, Mrs. Mary Blevins, and Mr. Blevins of Key-stone, W. Va., and other relatives in Buchanan county, Va. She was accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Bee Wickles, Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Presley, and Clyde Dudley.

Dr. Triplett Returns
Dr. Triplett, formerly of Garrett, has recently removed his medical offices from Ashland, where he has been established to Prestonsburg. Dr. Triplett is well known to most Floyd countians. He has rented rooms of Mrs. Whaley in the former residence of R. Taylor, 142 Third street and has established a laboratory and X-Ray room there.

Shops in Louisville
Miss Bertha Walls was in Louisville this week buying fall merchandise for her shop here.

Makes Arrangements Here
Miss Vera Poole, nurse of the crippled children's Commission, was in Prestonsburg this week, making arrangements for a clinic to be held here.

Returns to Horse Cave
Mrs. T. H. Pritchard, who has been a guest for a week of Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Combs, returned to Horse Cave to visit with relatives before leaving for her home in El Paso, Texas, September 1.

Returns Home
Mrs. J. J. Thomas, of Owingsville, left last Monday for her home after a visit with her aunt Mrs. B. F. Combs, and Mr. Combs.

Returns to St. Louis
Mrs. Allie Daniel, of St. Louis, who spent the last two weeks here with her brother, A. B. Combs, and Mrs. Combs, has returned home.

Wills Conley
Marriage rites were solemnized by the Rev. John Laferty at Emma last Friday for Miss Ethel Conley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Conley of Prestonsburg, and Clayton Willis of Mr. and Mrs. James Willis, Water Gap.

Both bride and groom are graduates of the Preciousburg school and have attended colleges at Pippass and Berea.

They are now making their home with the groom's parents, preparatory to going to Charleston, where both will complete their college work.

Stars to Picnic
The Eastern Star announces a picnic to be held at Abbott Heights, August 31, at 5 p. m. All members are urged to attend.

Guests Here
Mr. and Mrs. Carl Huff and son, Carl Jr., and Mrs. Fanny White and Mrs. Theo Brown, of Hartsville, South Carolina, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Goble and Mr. and Mrs. Price Huff for several days here last week.

Woman's Club to Meet
All members of the Woman's Club are urged to be present at a meeting September 2, at 7:30 p. m. at the home of Mrs. King.

Crum Weems
Marriage rites between Susan Crum, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Crum, and Roy Weems, son of Mr. and Mrs. U. S. Weems, were solemnized at Paintsville Monday night, by the Rev. W. B. Conley.

Both bride and groom are well known in Prestonsburg. Mrs. Weems is a graduate of the Prestonsburg high school and has taught school in the county. Mr. Weems, a native of North Carolina, is a store manager.

Mrs. Combs Entertains
Mrs. B. F. Combs was recent in a charming hostess honoring her houseguests, Mrs. Alice Daniel of St. Louis, Mo., Mrs. Maude Pritchard of El Paso, Texas, and Mrs. J. J. Thomas of Owingsville, Ky.

The lovely home was beautifully decorated with a variety of summer flowers. At 8 o'clock p. m., 10 tables of bridge started play and after a most enjoyable evening of cards, a delicious supper was served, and the following received beautiful prizes: Mrs. Daniel, Mrs. Pritchard and Mrs. Thomas. Mrs. E. R. Burke won high score; Mrs. F. L. Heinze second high, and Mrs. G. L. Howard high guest. Mrs. T. B. Sturgill draw prize. At a table hour a most delectable salad course was served to the following players and tea guests:

Mesdames Alice Daniel, Maude Pritchard, J. J. Thomas, Mrs. Mary of San Diego Calif., Joe Ward and Irene Pralley of Martin, John R. Clarke of St. Albans, Va., J. F. Ribick of New York City, Grover L. Howard of Miami, Fla., Lucille Herndon of Washington, D. C., A. B. Combs, C. D. Milby, W. P. Mayo, F. L. Heinze, N. W. White, Jr., T. J. May, Stanley Combs, Eric W. Sowards, W. C. Rimmer, Sam L. Spradlin, E. P. Arnold, W. A. Rose, M. J. Lee, M. J. Lee, Jr., E. P. Hill, Claude P. Stephens, Clarkborne Stephens, E. R. Burkey, Frank Layne, R. V. May, W. Howard, E. D. Bond, W. H. Jones, C. L. Hut-sin-piller, Osa Ligon.

Misses Maude Rimmer, of Bluefield, W. Va., Lorraine Flare, Lexington, Ky., Zena Darr, Daniel, Frances Jones, Ella Noel White.

Tea guests: Mesdames Josephine Harkins, Troy B. Sturgill, Tom James, J. D. Mayo, Joe Hootson, N. M. White Sr.

MARRIAGE LICENSES
Aug. 19 to Aug. 26

Clayton Willis and Ethel Conley.
Sam Shepherd and Laura Vanderpool.
Fred Newman and Agnes O'Rourke.
Roy Weems and Susan Crum.

Where Kite-Flying Originated
According to tradition, kites were invented by Archytas of Tarentum four centuries before Christ, but they have been used by savage tribes of Asia from time immemorial, and kite flying is a national pastime of the Chinese, Japanese and other East Indians. The origin of kite flying is obscure, but it is generally ascribed to religion. The Koreans attribute its origin to a general who many centuries ago inspired his troops by sending up a kite with a lantern attached. The kite believed to be a new star and the sign of divine help.



About Shortcake
You'll find your baked shortcake much easier to split in layers if you divide the dough into 2 parts, fit one portion in the pan and brush with melted butter, then top with second layer of dough and bake.

"Saucy Eggs"
A delightful way to prepare poached eggs is to cook the eggs in hot tomato soup instead of the usual hot water. Serve the soup as a sauce.

A Time-Saver
Here's a grand way to tint curtains evenly—and easily. If the curtains are fragile, place in roomy bag or an old pillow slip and close at open end. Thoroughly dissolve the tinting agent in water in your Hotpoint electric washer. Add the curtains, which have been washed, and let them agitate for 3 to 5 minutes. Certain made of sturdier material may be placed in the machine without being placed in a bag.

For Bigger and Better Cream Puffs
When baking cream puffs or eclairs the one-step, cold oven way, made possible by the temperature and moisture controlled Hotpoint oven, drop the mixture by smaller spoonfuls than usual on the baking sheet; baked in the cold electric oven, cream puffs expand to greater size, producing not only a delicious crunchiness product, but yielding more servings than the same recipe baked the ordinary way.

BRAINARD
Many local citizens attended a memorial service at the cemetery near the home of Green Spradlin on Abbott Creek, Sunday.

Charley Hackworth was called to Ivyton the past week by the serious illness of his father, Anthony Hackworth, "Uncle Anthony", who spent most of his life here. He is 84 years old and has been in ill health for several years. His condition is only slightly improved.

COLLECTOR'S SALE FOR TAXES 1934

By virtue of taxes due the city of Prestonsburg, Ky., for the year 1934, I will on Monday the 6 day of september 1937, between the hours of 10 o'clock a. m. and 4 o'clock p. m. at the front door of the City Hall, Prestonsburg, Floyd County, Ky., expose to public sale to the highest bidder, for cash in hand the following described piece of property, or so much thereof as may be necessary to settle the amount of taxes due on each of the said pieces or parcels. Same as described as follows, to-wit:

Caudill, John	.....	\$30.38
Craft, Florence	.....	2.48
Oalhoum, Green	.....	5.63
Fitzpatrick, W. J.	.....	14.44
Howard, Maude, Mrs.	.....	5.78
Herald, H. C.	.....	5.22
Hensley, L. A.	.....	4.13
Hall, Will	.....	2.33
Hunt, Rosie	.....	2.48
Harmon, Taulbee	.....	9.75
Harris, Florence	.....	5.78
Horn, Guy	.....	5.63
Hyden, Bell, Mrs.	.....	4.45
Hyden, Joe	.....	4.80
Hicks, Willard	.....	3.57
Laferty, Dump (part)	.....	1.30
Mellon, Ella	.....	7.43
Oppenheimer, Chas.	.....	13.88
Sizmore, Flora	.....	3.30
Smith, Ike	.....	3.98
Smith, Ben, Mrs.	.....	3.30
Vaughan, Jim	.....	3.27
Whitaker, Men/fee	.....	3.56
Young's Shoe Shop	.....	4.13

J. M. WEDDINGTON, Collector

Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Williams were visiting relatives at Ivyton Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bescher Holbrook, Cecil Holbrook and Charles Williams have gone to Claypool, Ind. They expect to be there until the Indiana harvest season is over.

Clyde Crater and Monroe Adams recently returned from Michigan to visit their parents. Both boys are railroad employes at Springfield, Mich. They now have returned to their work. Levi Frater, brother of Clyde, has gone with them to look for employment.

Thomas B. Stone has been rather ill with flu, but is now recovering. Not many cases of summer flu have been reported here but those who have had it say that it is worse than the winter variety.

The canning season continues with feverish activity. No leaf is left unturned to find a cucumber or ripe tomato, peach trees are stripped and apples are threatened.

Reminds us of the matter of fact farmers who said "We eat what we can and what we can't eat we can."

The Snack Has Come Back

By BEULAH V. GILLASPIE
Director, Sealtest Laboratory Kitchen



THESE long hot days invite one to lapse away the hours—and a refreshing cooling "party snack" (such as is shown here) adds so much to the luxury of "dining." The little snack boards are popular and modern note.

PARTY SNACK
Coconut Cottage Cheese and Water-cress Sandwiches
Stuffed Celery Olives
Cafe Creme Glace

COCONUT COTTAGE CHEESE SANDWICHES
1/2 cup cottage 2 tablespoons shredded coconut
1/2 cup cottage 1/2 tablespoon salt
1/2 cup cottage 1/2 tablespoon butter

Combine cottage cheese, apple and coconut, and add salt to taste. Spread between thin slices of buttered whole wheat bread. Cut in strips. This makes about 12 small sandwiches.

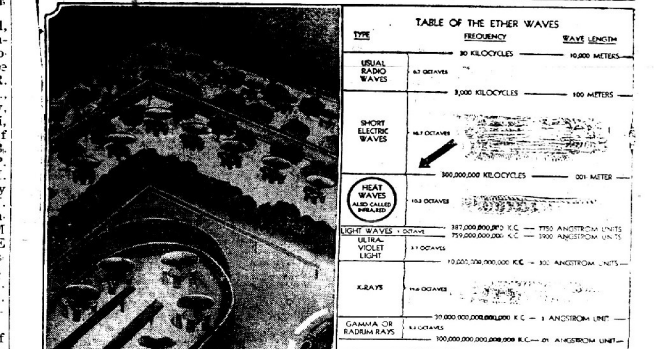
STUFFED CELERY
1/2 cup cottage 1/2 tablespoon cheese prepared
2 tablespoons horseradish chopped
Salt
Small celery stalks

Combine the cottage cheese, celery leaves and horseradish and a salt to taste. Select deeply grooved celery stalks and fill with cottage cheese mixture.

CAFE CREME GLACE
1/2 cup sugar 3 cups milk
3 cups hot Whipped cream
strong coffee.

Mix the sugar in a saucepan over low heat and allow to heat until light brown in color. Add to hot coffee, stir until dissolved, add scalded milk and chill. Pour into tall glasses and serve with whipped cream to which a little sugar and vanilla have been added. Serves six.

Science Speculates On A Weatherless City



An outdoor theatre (left) and parked dining terraces just above the street level, which will be warmed in winter and cooled in summer by the control of radiant heat or radiating heat rays... the other, were included in the plans for a city of 2000 A. D. shown in New York City recently by the Sixth Avenue Association in connection with the opening of combined showrooms for building industry companies of the American Radiator and Standard Sanitary Corporation.

Table in upper right shows science's most recent evaluation of the ether waves emanating from the sun and the position in these waves of the recently re-discovered heat rays which can be reproduced artificially and used to warm or cool people without warming or cooling the air.

are radio waves, and huge plates broadcast and receive it along the streets and in the open air theaters where the seals are built to catch the rays and turn them to the individuals.

Streets are parked without loss of street frontage by placing graded terraces above the first floor on a setback that also serves to let sunlight down to the street. On these terraces are cafes that are warmed and cooled by broadeners and receivers of the heat ray above each table.

Openings of the world's largest building industry showrooms by fourteen companies of the American Radiator and Standard Sanitary Corporation.

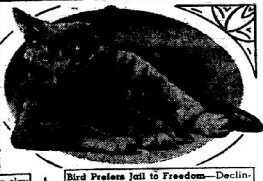
Breathing completely with former conceptions of cities with taller and taller skyscrapers, these designs speculate on how known scientific facts may be applied by the year 2000 to broaden and improve the life of the individual by bringing him more out into the open.

The heat ray or radiant heat, which is now beginning to be used in the latest air conditioning, is used to warm and cool people on the streets without warming or cooling the air. Similar to light and radio waves, this ray can be transmitted through the ether as

THE TIMES SNAPSHOTS



Davidson, distinguished American sculptor, completing the clay model of the bust of Will Rogers. It will be cast in bronze and placed in the Will Rogers Station at the Sun on Cheyenne mountain at Colorado Springs before September 6, when the shrine will be dedicated.



Bird Pretext Jail to Freedom—Declining its freedom, Tully preferred to stay with its fellow chum, Blue, when prisoners of one of the country's jails offered to release them.



To solve the problem of launching their racing glider, the University of Detroit glider club secured this Series '30 Graham with its exclusive combination of supercharger and over-drive. Running in second gear (overdrive) the Graham averaged 100 m.p.h. over that of conventional cars.



Collegiate Garb A Summer Fashion—Best seems to be greatly in fashion these days, not only on its own account as a moderate and healthful beverage, but in its use as a laucher of fashion. Latest fashion pet is the Beer Jacket, a style which started at Princeton and other college campuses and is rapidly spreading to use by the smart younger set for all forms of beach and country wear this summer.



Water Carnival Queen Rules—Miss Virginia Coe, of Hollywood, Calif., chosen queen of the International Festival and Water Carnival at Long Beach, Calif.

U. OF KY. WILDCATS MISS FRANCIS' LETTER TELLS OF EXPERIENCES IN CHINA

Blue and White Footballers To Open Against Powerful Vanderbilt

From the Big Sandy to the Mississippi and from the Ohio to the Tennessee line, all sections of Kentucky will be well represented on the University of Kentucky football squad that will report to Coach Chet Wynne Sept. 1 on Stoll field to prepare for the hardest Wildcat gridiron schedule in many years. Coach Wynne has written to all the candidates advising them to be in first class physical condition when they report for practice for there will be no time for conditioning if the Kentucky team is to be made ready for its opening game Sept. 25, with Vanderbilt University Commodores.

(Editor's note: The following letter was written by Miss Lydia Mae Francis secretary to the American Consul in Shanghai, China, who, since the outbreak of the Chinese-Japanese war is an American refugee in the Philippine Islands. The letter was written to her parents here, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Francis.)

also three old Chinese ladies in the procession.

Down on the beach about 20 small trenches had been dug and in them was placed paper money (it looks like tin foil in the shape of half an egg) and then burned with incense sticks. The old ladies stood with their hands in a prayer-like position while the monks threw firecrackers up in the air. We heard that the husbands of the ladies had died and that they had traveled to the island to get the monks to perform this ceremony. Their husbands' souls would not be at rest until they got into the great beyond.

Dear Folks: This past weekend was a most enjoyable one for me. I went aboard the Chinese boat, Ning Shin, with about 22 others. We left Shanghai Saturday afternoon and got back this morning, after visiting the island of Pootoo and Ningpo, a large Chinese city south of Shanghai. The island of Pootoo is very picturesque and is the home of several thousand Buddhist monks. There are several hundreds of temples on the island. No animals are killed there no meat is eaten.

We ate with the marines after the ceremony. Had just the most excellent baked beans I ever tasted. (I heard the cook wanted some sugar to put in them and couldn't find any, so he took some raspberry jam instead. I mean to tell you those were the best beans I ever tasted.)

A group of 40 U. S. marines had gone down about a week before we did, and they had pitched their tents on a bluff overlooking a large sandy beach.

They had long wadded tables for us to eat on, and while we ate hundreds of monks and Chinese coolies would come and stand nearby watching us. They got a little too close once and one of the marines (he was a cook, barefoot, and such a scream!) took a long stick of wood and came out and began waving it like he was going to tear them apart. The onlookers fell back. We all laughed until our sides were sore.

Sunday afternoon the monks put on quite a show for us down on the beach. A whole string of them in bright red robes and headgear came marching down the hill, followed by a troop in brown and black robes. There were

LYDA

Wildcat followers this season will have the opportunity of playing five games in Lexington, all against worthy opponents. The first home game will be played Oct. 9 against the respected Georgia Tech eleven, Washington and Lee, a traditional foe, will appear in Lexington the following Saturday, and Manhattan College will be the Kentucky foe October 23. Two weeks later the Wildcats will be host to South Carolina, and, as usual, Tennessee will be the Thanks giving opponent.

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See or write Charles Perry, McDowell, Ky. 8 27 3t

Notice to WPA Men Awaiting Assignment: There are 494 men waiting assignment in Floyd county who do not have Social Security account numbers. In a short time the WPA will not assign any one who does not have this number.

I have the blanks at my office. Any one not having these numbers may obtain the blanks from me.

There are also 180 N Y A students in the county that do not have numbers. The same will apply to them.

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QUESTION: How may one remove the sand from spinach prepared for cooking?

ANSWER: By cutting off the stem (which contain little food value), before washing, a great deal of the sand and grit will be eliminated. Then wash by lifting the spinach up and down in a large pan of lukewarm water, renewing the water until there is no sand in the bottom of the pan. After cooking the spinach lift it from the pan. In so doing, any sand which escaped the washing will remain in the liquid.

QUESTION: When cake recipe specify pastry flour, is there any way one can substitute general purpose flour and get good results?

ANSWER: While pastry flour makes lighter, more finely-textured cakes, general purpose flour can be used to produce a comparatively good product. However, since general purpose flour is "heartier" than pastry flour, it takes longer to bake, and it takes longer to rise. After sifting, from each cup of general purpose flour to be comparable to each cup of pastry flour called for in the original recipe.

QUESTION: How is it possible to cook brown sugar and milk into low heat and stirring the mixture constantly during the process, curdling may generally be prevented. The electric Caled unit is especially adapted to slow cooking because its heat is controllable from a very high to a very low degree.

Tidbits of Kentucky Folklore

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BOWLING GREEN, KY.

A CHAPTER ON BOOTS AND SHOES

Where are they, the valiant boots that used to be the mark of the young man all dressed up? Where are the brass-toed boots with red tops that the little ones wore? Where are the brass-toed shoes and brogans? Nearly all of these lasted down into old time, but only brogans can claim to be alive in any ordinary sense of the term. The last boy in our neighborhood to wear boots went by that name as long as he lived. I think he rather enjoyed the distinction, too, for he could lope like a horse and clutter the aisles at school, making enough noise to be the envy and despair of the rest of us. The last pair of genuine cavalry boots I ever saw on a civilian were as classy as any of those treasured as keepsakes of some distinguished ancestor who had fought in the Civil War.

Brass-toed shoes were great things, too. They were sturdy things made with wooden pegs, and as hard as planks. The brass across the toe helped one kick a grate off its hinges without ill effects to the toe. My last pair lay around in the pile of old shoes for a long time. Then my older sister threw them out the door toward a pile of rubbish to be destroyed. By chance they landed in a tree and hung there until the tree died and fell down. They had been so strongly built that not all the weather could harm them. When the tree fell, I then nearly worn, he nailed them up against the side of the smokehouse, where they hung for a decade or two, getting lost when an other building had to be erected. I wish I knew what became of those tough little wooden pegged shoes that could last so long.

One generation is too soft footed. Some of these dainty shoes and women ought to know the exquisite torture of putting on a pair of brogan shoes some cold winter morn-

ing. Some stones are harder than these brogans but not all shoes are. A piece of paper inserted into each shoe and turned, can help a little; but one had better, except the hard leather as one of the hills that flesh is heir to and ram the feet into the prison that feet were long ago condemned to.

Two of my great uncles were shoemakers, but they died long ago and were saved the humiliation of seeing the half soles I used to put on my own shoes. We had a set of lasts and could do simple repairs, if the brogans were in capable of bending before the original soles were thin, they certainly were not any less adamant after the clumsy half-soleing. I did not use wooden pegs, however, for they were going out of style.

When shoes got old, they were discarded but not actually destroyed, for there were many other uses that shoes had besides wearing them on feet. The uppers could supply leather for all sorts of farm needs. The old shoes themselves, brogans especially, could be nailed to the wagon brakes, heel up, and thus help check the wag for its speed as we went down the hills. Long before brake lining for automobiles was heard of, we used this simple device for the same purpose.

Then as now old shoes came in handy at weddings. One raw winter day one of my neighbor boys came by on his horse, to water his horse; at the spring near the church. He had just heard that one of the boys we had gone to school with was to be married in front of the church. We gathered up some old shoes and celebrated in true fashion, sitting astride and bare back on our mules. There the old shoes lay until the next spring, when they greeted the people who had come to organize the Sunday School, putting on a pair of brogan shoes some cold winter morn-

ALL SET FOR GOLD CUP RACE

Count Theo Rossi, Europe's fastest motor boat driver, who hopes to set a record in our Gold Cup race.

Ardea, the powered boat in which Count Rossi won the world's longest speed record, is 100 miles from Plover to Venice.

The American Gold Cup (12 liter) boats in action.

America's Greatest Motor Boat Event Will See World Record Craft in Action

WHILE 90 percent of all motor boat racing in the world is conducted in the United States, it is strange that in the development of our 12 liter Gold Cup boat, our oldest and proudest class, the sportsmen of Italy and France seem to have a secret concerning speed which we don't seem to possess.

The fastest one-mile speed established in this country with a super-charged 500-hp. Gold Cup boat is 74.85 miles a hour by Notre Dame, owned by Herbert Mendelsohn, of Detroit. Until a few weeks ago the world's record was held by Guido Cattaneo, of Italy, at 65.51 miles an hour. Then along came Maurice F. J. and now, on August 4, Count Theo Rossi, of Italy, in a boat of his own design, has boosted it to 90.87—more than 14 miles an hour better than our best!

This has not been at all the fault of American designers, owners or drivers. Since 1929 the rules of America's oldest and most glamorous motor boat contest have imposed upon our sportsmen a host of restrictions of weight and power which have made it impossible for us to match the speeds of the European craft built with only one limitation—an engine not over 12 cubic inches over-cylinder capacity.

The thirty-fourth Gold Cup race in Detroit on Labor Day, September 4, may tell a different story but the odds are against it. Count Rossi, Cattaneo, Vassier and several other top-notch European drivers will be there with their new world record boats and it is extremely doubtful if our five or six 12 liter Gold Cup craft can outstrip them ten or fifteen miles an hour to state off the foreign invasion.

Count Rossi, Europe's most experienced motor boat enthusiast, is the most likely winner if his two new boats, Amagi and Ardram, named for two mountains he helped capture in Ethiopia, can hold together for 90 grueling miles.

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'The Shadow Strikes'
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SUNDAY and MONDAY

I Met Him in Paris
with Claudette Colbert and Melvin Douglas. News and Comedy.

TUESDAY—

'Love Takes Flight'
with Bruce Cabot and Beatrice Roberts

WEDNESDAY—

'Special Feature'

THURSDAY—

'Midnight Madonna'
with Warren William and Mady Carroll. Selected shorts.

Coming Sunday and Monday.
September 5-6

'Toast of New York'

with Edward Arnold and Frances Farmer.

NOTICE
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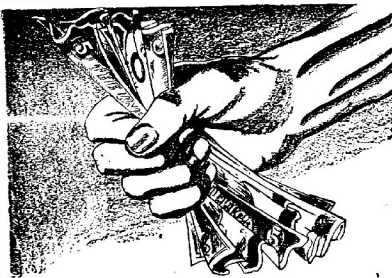
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TRAFFIC GOAT-GETTERS



In Cincinnati
Mr. Fife of Anderson's Department Store, was in Cincinnati this week on business.

George Washington, Farmer.
Washington was a mighty farmer in his day and some idea of the extent of his farming operations may be formed from the following facts: In 1782, he had 600 acres in grass, sowed 600 bushels of wheat, 600 acres with oats, and prepared as much with barley, corn, potatoes, beans and peas. His stock consisted of 140 horses, 112 cows, 285 working oxen, heifers and steers and 400 sheep. He constantly employed 250 hands, and kept twenty-four plows going during the whole year, when earth and weather would permit.

POLICE CHIEF SLAIN BY SHOTGUN BLAST
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Earl Howard and J. J. Moseby. Burial was made in the Clear Creek cemetery under the direction of the Ryan funeral home of Martin. The deceased is survived by his wife and four children: Estill Hall, Dony, Ky., and Bonnie, Ray, and Cuba, all of McDowell.

FOOTBALL WARRIORS BEGIN TRAINING HERE FOR BELFRY OPENER

Lettermen Are Available For Every Post Except One In Backfield

With their opening game against Belfry approximately a month away, the 1937 edition of Coach Messer's Prestonsburg Blackcats began practice for the approaching football season at Gasco park, this week.

Although the Blackcats will miss the services of such graduated warriors as Jones, Meadors Archer and others, this year's squad includes let termen for every position on the team except one backfield post.

Among those returning let termen are three, Allen-Holcomb and Mayo, who were chosen last year for the mythical All Conference team. Two others, Craft and Sturgill will report, who were chosen for the second conference team.

The total group of lettermen to report for practice is: Ends, Allen, 141, and Goodman, 159. Tackles: Dotson, 197, who last year won honorable mention on several all-state selections, and Burchett, 190. Guards: Fitzpatrick, 161, and Sturgill, 164. Quarterbacks: Craft, 152. Center, 162.

Three lettermen have not yet been released but it is expected that the 'Cats will face Belfry here in the opener and then tackle St. Xavier's mighty team in Louisville for their next game. Other teams the Blackcats are expected to meet are Hazard, Barbourville, Van Lear, Russell, Pikeville, and Paintsville, to round out one of the toughest schedules ever attempted by a Blackcat eleven.

CARD OF THANKS

I want to thank my many friends and neighbors for their aid and kindness in respect of my mother's death, and while she was sick. I am standing ready at all times to help my friends.
Your friend as ever,
FEELE PATTON,
Hueysville, Ky.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Belcher of Garrett, were business visitors here Thursday.

SPECIAL JUDGE BACH DECIDES COURT SUIT

Continued from page one of several months. It is understood that both sides will prosecute an appeal to the court of appeals of Kentucky. According to reports of the attorneys in the case, Judge Bach had enjoined the Stumbo Memorial hospital at Lackey from receiving as patients any of the persons covered by a large number of contracts assigned by W. L. Stumbo and Anna Stumbo to the Beaver Valley hospital at the time of his sale at Martin. However, most of these assigned contracts were with coal companies, and the contracts for hospital services are required to be entered into direct with the employes and also a majority of the number of contracts are not in force for the reason that the companies with whom they were made have long since gone out of business.

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'Vanishing Rider'
Bill Cody. Serial and comedy.

Saturday Night at 10 o'clock

'White Bondage'
Jean Muir and Gordon Oliver. Comedy.

SUNDAY AND MONDAY—

'The Prince and the Pauper'
Errol Flynn and The Mauch Twins. News and comedy.

TUES. and WED.

'Another Dawn'
Kay Francis and Errol Flynn. Comedy.

THURSDAY ONLY—

'Wings Over Honolulu'
Wendie Barry and Ray Milland. Comedy.

Coming, Sunday and Monday, Sept. 5-6:

'This Is My Affair'
Barbara Stanwyck and Robert Taylor.

WALTERS SLAYS SELF
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Sarah Ellen and Buddy: by six parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Walters, by three brothers, Fred Junior and Ray, by three sisters, Mrs. Fred Rowe, Salisbury, Mrs. T. Mitchell, Minnie, and Miss Ida Walters. Drift.

FOR SALE
Plymouth 4 door sedan, serial No. 2278717, motor No. RE100659. Will be sold for storage and wrecker service September 11, by F. C. SLADE'S GARAGE, 8 27 St. Martin, Ky.

CLINIC IS SCHEDULED FOR CRIPPLED YOUTH

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All cases in each of the above counties who have been previously treated by the Commission are urged to attend the clinic in Prestonsburg on Thursday, September 9, in order that the doctor and nurses may check up on their present physical condition and insure their obtaining the best possible correction of their deformities. Such cases are to communicate with one of the county chairmen whose names are given as follows:
Floyd county—Miss Ella Noel C. White.
Johnson county—Mr. H. K. Bailey, chairman.
Magoffin county—Dr. H. K. Bailey, chairman.
Martin county—Dr. William Keith, chairman.
Examinations and recommendations for treatment will be made by Dr. M. L. Jarred assisted by the nurses on the staff of the Crippled Children Commission and members of the volunteer local committees. The clinic will begin at 8:30 a. m. on Thursday, September 9, and cases will be examined in order of their arrival.

SUITS FILED

Aug. 19 to Aug. 26

- Ryan Funeral Home vs. W. S. Johnson.
- Sawie Humphreys vs. Chas. J. Humphreys.
- J. B. (Jim) Hall vs. Wayne Stumbo.
- Charlie and Rebecca Osborne vs. Floyd county.
- Lee May vs. Wayne Stumbo.
- R. L. Hobbrook vs. Willie Hall.
- Edith Cobb vs. Hopley Cobb.
- William L. Hamilton vs. Nancy Hamilton.
- Myrtle Crisp vs. Joe D. Crisp.
- Minerva Friend Johnson vs. Robert C. Johnson.
- Margaret Cook Johnson vs. Leo Nolan expects to move his family to Charleston, W. Va., soon where he is employed in the gas field.
- J. D. Bond, Commissioner vs. Dewey Akers.
- Dessie Rowe vs. Ben Martin.
- Beverly Burchett vs. Bill Jones, Jr.
- Kitchen Whitt and Co. vs. Z. C. Dingus.
- Jeff Newberry vs. Z. C. Dingus.
- Ernest Akers vs. Ted Akers.
- Sol Wadkins vs. Claude Stephens.
- Gladys Reed vs. Victor Reed.
- Olive Whitten vs. Jay Whitten.

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