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Ed Hoard, one of Prestonburg's less than a dozen negroes, drew the biggest laugh of the day at the Fish Fry when he addressed the keeper of the hounds and bloodily lauded, "Master, are these 'coon-dogs'?"

FARM LOBE
A fellow tried to convince me, the other day, that the pig that sucks the "hind tit" is invariably a gentleman pig.

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UTILITY PURCHASE HERE, NEAR

FLOYD-MARTIN LINE TO COST \$250,000

WARFIELD TO BEGIN WORK ON PROJECT NEXT MONTH
Preparatory to beginning the construction of a 28-mile pipe line from White Oak on Buffalo Creek, Floyd county, to Middle Fork, Martin county, the Warfield Natural Gas Company has already begun right-of-way clearance and road construction for the project which is expected to cost around \$250,000.

FIELD DAY IS HELD AT U. K. EXPERIMENT SUB-STATION AT QUICKSAND
Special to The Times
Quicksand, Ky., Aug. 16--Today is East Kentucky Field Day at the Roberson Agricultural Experiment Sub-Station.

Ligon Mine Motorman Is Electrified Last Week
Buck Bush, 19 years old, motorman for a Ligon coal company was electrified Thursday night, last week when his chin came in contact with a trolley wire which he was attempting to repair.

RADIO SALUTE TO P'BURG SCHEDULED AUGUST 30
A potential audience of 71,000 persons will be told Friday evening, August 30, at 10:30 p. m., of the assets of this community during radio by cooperation of the College with the U. S. Department of Agriculture.

WHAT FOLKS DID AT FISH FRY BESIDES EATING TOLD BY ONLOOKER
By BILL HENRY
Floyd fishermen are still talking about the big fish fry put on by the Floyd County Fish and Game Club Sunday in the Graham Porter bottom here.

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Herbert Frazier, 21, Myrtle, Succumbs To Cancer
After suffering for the past nine months from an internal cancer, Herbert Frazier, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Frazier, Myrtle, succumbed to his home late Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Fannie B. Ratliff, Of Martin, Succumbs To Complications
Mrs. Fannie Barnett Ratliff, 37 years old, wife of Henry Ratliff, died Friday at the Beaver Valley hospital, Martin. She had submitted within recent months to two operations, the last following an attack of pleurisy resulting from pneumonia.

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WATER FUND BONDS SELL AT PREMIUM
Purchase of the city of Prestonburg's \$125,000 bond issue by a syndicate composed of Granberry & Company, Ryals & Company and Dering & Company Monday made available to the town funds required for its purchase of the Prestonburg Water Company which is expected to be transferred by E. S. Mayes, Springfield, Ky., to municipal ownership on or about September 1.

COMMISSION O.K. TO BE ASKED NEXT WEEK
The issue sold at a premium of \$1,562, the town receiving \$125,562 on the 4 percent 30-year bonds. This represented the highest bid for a Floyd county bond issue. The premium paid reduces the purchasers' yield to around 3.2 percent.

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BUSINESS MEN HOLD MEETING

COUNTY-WIDE GROUP STARTS PROMOTION OF BETTER ROADS

Committees of business men, representing different sections of Floyd county, met last Friday evening at the Beaver Valley Country Club to discuss a movement to procure better roads.

W. H. Wheeler was elected temporary chairman, E. P. Arnold, Prestonburg, was elected president; E. A. Rickard, Wheelersburg, first vice-president; George Fow, Warfield, second vice-president; W. H. Wheeler, Prestonburg, secretary; Richard Spurlock, Prestonburg, treasurer.

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REA GROUP ORGANIZES

ABBOTT CREEK MAN NAMED CHAIRMAN OF DIRECTORATE

A board of directors composed of farm leaders in the movement for rural electrification in Floyd, Johnson and Pike counties was elected at the Rural Electrification Administration leaders' meeting here Saturday afternoon.

Floyd - Mill; Stanley, Bonanza; Glenn C. Burchett, Woods; Melvin Frasure, Grethel, and G. B. Spradlin, Middle Creek.

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Court House Happenings

SUITS FILED
Esther Keller vs. Flen R. Keller; Dixie Bond, atty. C. P. Stephens vs. D. C. Stephens; C. P. Stephens, atty. Mosey Johnson vs. I. H. Sturgill, J. C. Burnett, atty. Ellis A. Bailey vs. Donald Van Teppens (adoption); W. P. Mayo, atty. Bertha Dutton Shepherd vs. Beuly Shepherd; Joe P. Tackett, atty. First National Bank vs. Orris Gearheart, et al.; Combs and Combs, attys. First National Bank vs. Ollie Tolliver, et al.; Combs and Combs, attys. The Craft Syndicate vs. L. E. Bowens, et al.; Edw. L. Allen, atty.

MARRIAGE LICENSES
Cecil Newcome, 22, Minnie, and Orga Gillespie, 18, Minnie; marriage solemnized by the Rev. I. A. Smiley, Baptist Church, Prestonburg, August 18. Clarence Salisbury, 19, Ada, Ohio, and Marjane Patterson, 17, Lafayette, Ohio; marriage solemnized by the Rev. I. A. Smiley, Baptist Church, Prestonburg, August 17. Roy C. Seese and Marjane Patterson, 17, Lafayette, Ohio, 19, Halo, and Virgie Bates, 24, Halo; marriage solemnized by the Rev. I. A. Smiley, Baptist Church, Prestonburg, August 19. James Alfred Hicks and Agnes Fay Taylor, Daniel Hill and Polly Layne.

GUARDIAN BONDS
Emma Sizemore, gdn. of Edmond Andros Holbrook, May Ford Hyden, gdn. of Elizabeth Ford.

ADMINISTRATORS' BONDS
B. T. Marrs, admn., estate of Frank Layne, Grover Holbrook, Jr., admn., estate of Jonathan Holbrook.



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TIDBITS OF KENTUCKY FOLKLORE

Wooden Pegs, Cut Nails, Wire Nails

As simple a thing as the means of fastening timbers together can become an index to a whole cultural epoch. Not long ago, when I was camping in the Great Smoky Mountains National Park, I spent a night by a mountain stream where there had formerly been a pretentious farmhouse. A few remnants

of the outbuildings were left, including a water mill, now largely in decay. When I went to the old shed to get some dry wood to build a camp fire I discovered that the timbers had been put together with wooden pegs. Through several generations the shed had stood strongly bound together with simple wooden pegs. I remembered the old union church in Fidelity, built long before my time, with its timbers tenoned and mortised. It took time in those days to build a house, but when it was finished, it was there to stay. The skill with a wood chisel and mallet required to fit the timbers of a home together is now almost a lost art.

Houses of another and nearer time were held together with cut nails, innocent-looking things but really very hard to drive. These nails saved a world of time for the builders, but I do not know yet whether the houses they were used in were any better than the old pre-nail ones, when wooden pegs were the rule. Cut nails lasted down into my time; there are places yet where they can be bought. I am told some of the old-timers of my childhood preferred them to the new-fangled nails made of wire.

Since modern nails have come into use, much has been accomplished in building. There is a nail for every use, and it does not require so much skill to drive one as to drive the old cut nail. Nails, too, have a way of rusting or of providing rotten spots in timbers, a thing that good old wooden pegs never did.

Very stylish cabinet workers love to hide the nail heads by covering them with a wooden peg, giving the appearance of returning to an older way of building. Thus our most up-to-date maple furniture may look as if it had been made by some blacksmith-cabinet-maker in the days of wooden pegs.

FORMER PBURG TEACHER HERE
Miss Maybelle Layne and mother, of Salt Lake City, Utah, were here Sunday, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Joe M. Davidson. Miss Layne was a former teacher in the Prestonsburg high school.

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TRAVEL BULLETIN TODAY'S ROADS



Prepared by
Eastern Kentucky Auto-
mobile Club

BUY A BETTER AUTOMOBILE

"Exceptions prove the rule," so this may not apply to the antiquated model car you're driving; it may be the "finest old car on the road."
But, generally speaking, if you are driving an automobile four years old or older, it is time you traded for a "better" car. For, it is usually false economy to continue to operate the "ark" model, even though the car may be paid for. Because the several years' use of the car have necessarily worn the parts, so that while it may "take you there and bring you back," the Democles' sword risks unseen above your chariot. When repairs are necessary, it is not uncommon for expensive replacements to be necessary, which increases the operating expense incident to the older car, the accommodations and performance of which cannot possibly be comparable to the models of the present and last two years.

And, from the safety standpoint, your life and the lives of the other car occupants on the roads, are in jeopardy from the possible sudden failure of the old car's brakes, lights and mechanical controls.

Buy a "better used car" or a new car from an authorized dealer, who has been in business in your locality for a number of years. In so doing, you have the assurance that a reliable firm has checked the car and made such necessary repairs as are needed, after which a fair sales price has been placed on the car. The dealer is in position to offer reasonable financing, or you can secure financing at fair rates from many private banking institutions in your community.

August and September, 1940, should be your most opportune time to trade your old car on a newer one. For, with 1941 models soon to be announced, the dealers should be offering attractive prices on their accumulated stocks of used cars, many of which are 1940, 1939 and 1938 models. All these models incorporate features of comfort, utility and greater and more economical performance.

Many of the automobile manufacturers have already ordered equipment for making the new 1941 models, so these newer cars this year may incorporate some body changes. But, in the main, they should embody the same general mechanical features of the 1940 cars. With the "Defend America" program gaining momentum, it is entirely reasonable to assume that the 1942 automobiles of most manufacturers will be very much the same as the 1941's.

YOU SHOULD SAVE MONEY—
For, we are reliably informed that the 1941 models may sell at least five per cent higher. It is perfectly reasonable to assume that the 1942 models may be much higher, reflecting the manufacturer's increased taxes, labor costs, and mounting materials costs as the demand for steel for defense purposes increases. If new cars cost more, better used cars should be worth more.

Acquire the new or "better used" car and begin to enjoy it, and the better performance and increased safety it will give you.

"SAFETY IS EVERYBODY'S BUSINESS."

KENTUCKY'S ROADS

US. 23 — South Louisa-Pointsville road. Detour over gravel road. Fair in dry weather. Caution at all times. Adds 5.8 miles.

US. 23 — Ashland-Greenvale road. Construction at east city limits of Greenvale.

US. 227—Detour on Paris-Winchester road. Additional distance approximately four miles.

US. 31—Construction south of Louisville, between Munfordville and Elizabethtown. Road closed.

US. 60—Louisville-Port Knox road. Construction. Detour; dusty in dry weather.

US. 62 — Construction between Greenvale and Central City. Detour provided.

KY. 80—London to Somerset. Construction.

US. 25—London-Corbin; 1.2 miles construction. Drive cautiously.

Notice to Sportsmen

Sportsmen in the vicinity of Martin may procure hunting and fishing license at the store of Z. C. Dingus.

8-18-40

EASTERN

Mr. and Mrs. James Osborne, of Zionville, Ind., arrived Friday to spend several weeks with relatives here.

Mrs. Walter Gillock of Shelbyville, is visiting relatives here this week.

Mrs. Lloyd Stumbo, of McDowell, spent Wednesday here, guest of Lula Martin.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Roar returned Monday to Zionville, Ind., after spending several days here, visiting relatives.

Miss Dora Mae Stephens, of Georgetown, has returned home.

Miss Lucretia Osborne is visiting her sister, Mr. Melba Dyer, in Michigan this week.

Miss Lula Martin has returned from Fort Knox, where she spent two weeks, guest of friends.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Osborne, of Boldman, were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Dave Comer Sunday.

Devard Osborne, of Shelbyville, is visiting his parents here this week.

DINWOOD

Virgil Isaac attended church at Caney Creek Sunday.

Doek Raliff was a business visitor in Huntington, W. Va., Thursday. He was accompanied by Wm. Ward.

Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Dingus and Mrs. N. O. Allen were in Huntington, Friday, visiting Mrs. Allen's sister who is very ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Riley Shepherd and family were visiting relatives on Middle Creek Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Tackett were visiting relatives in Garrett Saturday night and Sunday.

Melvin Carroll was a business visitor in Paintsville Saturday.

Mr. M. D. Isaac, who is very ill, was taken to the Beaver Valley hospital Sunday.

Miss Maxine Patton, of Langley, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Robinson.

Mr. and Mrs. Columbus Crisp visited Mrs. Crisp's parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Isaac, Sunday.

Miss Virginia Newsome is visiting relatives here. Miss Newsome is a resident of Ohio.

Mr. and Mrs. John Crisp and Mrs. Doek Raliff returned to Caney Creek Sunday to attend church.

Misses Eva Osborne and Marguerite Wohlford, of Martin, were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Ward Wednesday.

George Hamilton, of Betsy Layne, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. John Frasure.

Elzie Tackett has returned to his home here after spending some time with his brother in Ohio.

G. P. Smith has returned to his home at Salinesville, Ohio, for a brief visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Compton, Dan Collins and Gypse Compton visited James Compton at Russell Saturday.

Wm. Ward and Clinton Gregory were business visitors in Ashland, Saturday.

Alex Stephens and Miss Delphia Robinson, of Martin, were visiting Miss Joanna Smith Sunday.

Master Gene Frasure, son of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Frasure, is a victim of pneumonia. He is reported very ill.

AUXIER YOUTH ENLISTS IN REGULAR ARMY

Fort Knox, Ky., August 9—Charles Wells, son of Mrs. Beale Wells, Auxier, recently was accepted for service in the regular army and assigned to Company "B" first armored regiment (L) Fort Knox.

Recruit Wells is being taught the fundamentals of the manipulation of a machine gun, the use of small firearms and how to operate and maintain the latest type combat cars, trucks and motorcycles. He also may take up radio operation, clerical work, typing, mechanics or other useful subjects.

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By GAY

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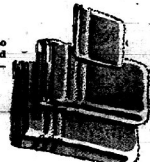
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COMPLETIONS OF GAS WELLS

IN EASTERN KENTUCKY ARE LISTED BY OPERATORS

Several gas well completions in the Eastern Kentucky field last week were included in the operators' report, as a slight pick-up in drilling activities in this section is noted.

United Carbon reports the daily production of 179,000 feet of gas in well No. 1 on the 2d Bull land on the Left Fork of Beaver Creek in Floyd county. The well reached a total depth of 2464 feet in shale and was acidized in Big Lime with no results.

The Inland Gas Corporation reports the completion of well No. 214 on the Lindsey Amburgey tract on Mill Creek in Knott county at a total depth of 2283 feet in slate. Fourteen hours after the shot the total production of gas was 371,000 feet. The same corporation has completed well No. 213 on the W. R. Smith, et al land on the Right Fork of Troublesome Creek at a total depth of 3125 feet in slate. Nine hours after the shot the well had a total gas production of 601,000.

United Carbon has also completed well No. 828 on the James Hamilton, N. I. tract on Levisa Fork in Pike county at a total depth of 2478 feet in shale. The well is producing 1,750,000 feet of gas.

United Carbon gives the completed log in well No. 827 on the Republic Steel tract No. 6 on Greasy Creek in Pike county as 539,000 feet of gas daily at a total depth of 3972 feet in shale.

Columbian Fuel has completed well No. 833 on the Terney Land Company tract on Stratton Fork in Pike county at a total depth of 2106 in Maxon with a daily flow of 292,000 feet of gas.

In Floyd county the Kentucky West Virginia Gas Company has reached the 3006 foot mark in well No. 563, Mary and J. B. Adams and is down 600 feet in sand in well No. 594, Robert Mitchell, on Mitchell Branch of Mud Creek.

The same company is rigging up at well No. 598, S. P. Davidson, on Calf Branch and is moving to location of well No. 5271, William C. Elliott, on Pike Fork of Toler Creek.

The Kentucky West Virginia Gas Company is setting machine in well No. 5275, Henderson Roberts, on Big Branch of Little Mud Creek.

Jones and Lindsey are rigging up at well No. 1, Howell Land Company, on Levisa Fork.

In Knott county, the Kentucky West Virginia Gas Company is down 1233 feet in shale in well No. 584, Ira G. Spertman, on King Creek and is drilling at the 285 foot level in well No. 5272, Benjamin Smith, on Four Mile Branch of Jones Fork. The same concern has reached the 1333 foot level in slate and shells in well No. 597, Lindsey Martin, and is still idle at well No. 5273, W. J. Stone, on Casey Creek.

Kentucky West Virginia Gas Company has reached the 900 foot level in sand in well No. 520, Willie D. Hall, on Right Beaver Creek.

Warfield Gas Company is drilling at the 1300 foot level in well No. 4861, M. S. Crain No. 1 on the 2d Amburgey and is down 1710 feet in well No. 4862, R. H. Amburgey, on Hollybush Creek.

Hamilton Gas Corporation has location for well on the Anna Spitzman farm on Bear Fork.

E. C. Ware has location for well on the J. W. Duke land.

REGISTRATION OF VETERANS

IS SOUGHT BY LOCAL AMERICAN LEGION POST

According to Marvin Marshall, American Legion Commander, Prestonsburg Post, No. 29, the focal post is making preparations to make a complete file, giving the names and qualifications of ex-service men in Floyd county who may be interested in filling any positions which may be created if a Home Guard, as explained by President Roosevelt recently, is formed. At a recent press conference at the White House President Roosevelt, stated he had in mind the possibility of the formation of a Home Guard, to be made up of ex-service men and which might take over some of the duties of the present National Guard units in case they were called into active service.

Commander Marshall asks that all ex-service men in Floyd county get in touch with him as soon as possible. He says that any one who is unable to come to Prestonsburg at this time may mail the information on a postal card, addressed to him at Prestonsburg. For the next two weeks, Mr. Marshall says, he will remain in the vicinity of the courthouse, during the day, and hopes he will be able to personally talk with many of the World War veterans.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our heartfelt thanks to all those who assisted in my beloved son's funeral. I want to thank every one for beautiful floral offerings and especially thank the Revs. Johnson and Stone for their words of comfort.

MRS. LELA HANCOCK.

SHIKE'S POKES

(Views expressed in this column are those of the writer and not necessarily those of The Times.)

The Drift baseballers are a patriotic lot—they obtained red, white and blue uniforms and they are so hard against "Fifth Columns" that they made their second baseman shave off his "upper lip."

Senator Wheeler seems to be awfully dumb—he tried to argue that public opinion was against conscription. He just doesn't know what he is talking about—five out of every seven are in favor of it.

Wendell Willkie has already endorsed the New Deal in full except conscription and I bet he endorses it before another week. So all you fellows that argue about Roosevelt spending so much—just remember that W. W. says he is in favor of it. If he ever goes to the White House it will be like Knox—an FDR appointee after the election.

Bill Howell went to the Association Saturday and he must have swapped for some "mean" mules—seems as tho his face is "stomped" pretty bad.

The U. S. Senate used to be known, as the most "Awe-gust" deliberative body on earth—but with the election of such men as Holt, Wheeler, McNary, Chandler, Burke, etc.—the Awe-gust has given way to di-gust.

Senator Holt never did introduce that "evidence" about his family not being a slacker bunch. I don't know about his family but he and all his believers should be in Berlin.

The broadcasting outfit that cut Hitler off the air because he was spreading propaganda—why don't they cut Lindbergh off the air too? Anyone would think that Hitler had written his speech for him.

TO BEN WESTFALL:

Ben, we knock a fellow when he needs knocking and boost when he does something worth while. The umpires you picked for the three games over the week-end were as good as they were rotten last week-end. There wasn't even the semblance of an argument in our three games—umpiring like that makes a ball game interesting. The Auxier, Fiat Gap and Drift teams, as well as the fans were right in their praise of the umpiring. Keep up the good work. Dingus and Showers calling behind the bat were peerless.

Innocently or otherwise, Lindbergh has appointed himself chief of the Nazi propaganda offensive—the port of the war is lost on Col. Lindbergh. He only soiled the air with folly—while Gen. Pershing told us the cold, hard truth.

Remember, all you fellows who used the Literary Digest as a Bible—I'm taking subscriptions for Fortune Magazine.

Wanted—an extra motorman, or the Seaman miss will want a motorman, pretty soon—Kelly Hughes has bought a motorcycle.

HUEYSVILLE

(Last week's correspondence)

Mr. and Mrs. Emory Brickey and Mr. and Mrs. Woods Howard, of Ashland, and Nancie Howard, of Sandy Hook, were visiting relatives, Mrs. J. B. Turner, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Martin and Mr. and Mrs. Green Martin, here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Craft with friends are vacationing in North Carolina.

The singing school has started off just fine with Wm. Hall teaching.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommie Stephens and family were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Willie Davidson Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Davidson are contemplating a two-weeks' vacation in Michigan, visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Earl Stephenson, Mrs. Davidson's daughter.

The WPA Adult Education Program is being whipped into line, in co-operation with the school system here. Safety measure and instructions, helpful activities, and a library are among the many things for which we are driving.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Layne were visiting recently in Richland, W. Va. Mrs. Layne's mother, Desse Vanhoose, returned with them for a few weeks' visit.

School opened here this week with an enrollment of 25. Enrollment of rooms is as follows: Mr. Martin, principal, 19; Mr. Turner, 27; Miss Osborne, 38; Miss Baldrige, 48, and Mrs. Hicks, 52.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Layne, accompanied by Lillian Epling, Myrtle and Wynelle Vanhoose, motored to Buckhorn Sunday.

Merchants who advertise are Floyd county boosters.

Savings Accounts Earn 2 to 3 Per Cent



Why Not Let Dividends on Home-Spent-Dollars Increase your Bank Account?

Floyd County Merchants offer you this opportunity. Better merchandise—better prices. No parcel post and C. O. D. charges.



When Floyd County Citizens Face an Emergency, Need Friends---It Is Their Home Merchants Who Are At The Front Fighting In Their Behalf...They Never Fail You.

Prestonsburg merchants offer you:

- Complete Shopping Service
- Full Stocks to Select From
- Immediate Deliveries
- Exchange Privileges
- Courtesy, Friendliness

COME TO PRESTONSBURG WHERE YOUR INTERESTS COME FIRST

"The City of Friendly Stores"

Prestonsburg Co-Operative Business Association

Floyd County Times

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WORMAN ALLEN Editor

Entered as second class matter June 18, 1927, at the postoffice at Prestonburg, Ky., under the Act of March 3, 1879.

THE TIMES ENDORSES

- 1. Immediate completion of the Left Beaver, Middle Creek and Johns Creek road. 2. Consideration by officials of human needs, not the need for political influence. 3. Completion of all Farm-to-Market roads, by W. P. A. labor if possible, maintenance of these routes by the state rural road fund. 4. A trade-at-home policy followed by merchants and customers alike. 5. Full co-operation with all county and city officials in making laws and enforcing them officers themselves obey the law to the letter. 6. Continuation of the Floyd county health department and the county agricultural agent work.

VERY MUCH ALIVE

Though it has temporarily discontinued the giving of tickets on prize award drawings, the Prestonburg Co-Operative Business Association is still active and very much alive. Dead or defunct organizations have no interest in their communities. But the PCBA remains interested in Prestonburg and Floyd county; therefore, it is vibrantly alive. Even now it is planning to cooperate in giving Floyd county this fall its greatest agricultural fair. The need is to work to further the movement to help Left Beaver Creek gain completion of its road. The organization has merely ceased to give away money to customers of its member-firms. It continues in the giving of service.

FIELD DAY IS HELD

(Continued from page one) out on individual inspection tours. The majority of them are mature, some elderly, men and women, but there are many boys and girls, the farmers and farmettes of tomorrow. At 9:30 a. m., groups were formed and assigned group leaders for farm tours. Whenever possible, a group consisted only of those from one county with their County Agent as leader. At 10 a. m. the groups were escorted on an inspection of corn plots, sorghum plots and permanent pasture. This tour lasted until 12 noon, when an hour was taken for a luncheon. There were many "put up" lunches and for those who were not so far-sighted sandwiches were served in a building on the grounds. At 1 p. m. a general session was held, at which time Prof. George Roberts, College of Agriculture, University of Kentucky, spoke on the subject "Better Use of Mountain Land." Prof. Roberts stated he felt he should qualify himself in the eyes of those present on his ability to speak on the subject mentioned. He lived and lived for 25 years on a rough hillside farm in Pulaski county," he said, and continued, "we had great ideals; we thought people living on land should produce everything necessary for food. These who did not do so, we looked upon as cowards. We had plenty of dried fruits, dried beans, potatoes and apples held in the ground for the winter, and we always had a sufficient supply of corn. The reason in case we would have a crop failure. We did not believe in going in debt for something unless it was necessary for our health."

"Out of the land," said Prof. Roberts, "comes our living. When the soil is gone all is gone. Soil may become so impoverished our food would not be sufficient to keep ourselves well-stuffed." Other highlights of Prof. Roberts' address were: "We must imitate nature by keeping the right kind of cover crops growing to continually build up the soil. . . . By using lime and legumes in the proper way we can return to the soil what we take away. . . . We can make a living on rough hill-side land by producing for the local market such items as garden products, fruits, poultry and dairy products; we would have to produce products of quality to compete with what is now being shipped in from the outside, and we would have to be able to supply our market regularly. . . . Grow everything possible for home use." At 1:45 p. m. the various groups were taken on an inspection of hill pasture, grass plots and woodlot. Also the inspection of the orchards were included in this tour. At 2:45 p. m. the groups began arriving at the dairy barn where an interesting lecture was heard on "Breeding for Better Milk Cows," by George M. Insko, county agent. Reading from the record book what each cow was producing. At the same time he pointed to the cows out to his listeners. Mr. Harris said 30 pounds, or four gallons, of milk a day was a good average for cows of the Jersey breed. This, however, Mr. Harris said, are producing a higher average, because, he thought, of careful breeding. From the dairy barn the tour continued to the poultry pens. W. M. Insko, lecturer on poultry, pointed out that birds should be carefully watched when they are moulting, and that hens which do not moulting to laying for some time should be sold. "Moulting hens," said Mr. Insko, "will

It now is co-operating with individual stores of Prestonburg which are giving awards to their customers. At this week and for several weeks to come, PCBA members are sponsoring an advertising campaign in this newspaper, still with its original aim in view—to build a greater Prestonburg and Floyd county. They give you sound arguments, offer a firm foundation for such building. The argument is that, here in Floyd county, business enterprises may be found in other counties and states, in distant cities; the foundation has for its "footer" the undeniable truth that Floyd county money spent at home makes Floyd county stronger, holds its people together.

These merchants do not seek the prosperity of Prestonburg to the detriment of business elsewhere in the county. They do not ask Floyd county to come to Prestonburg for every item they need. Instead, they say, "Buy it from your neighborhood store. If it has what you want. But, if you can't get what you need at home, try to leave your own county for it—you can get it in Prestonburg." Any objection to such argument, except from those business men of other counties and states who have profited from our disloyalty to home business over the years?

SAVE US FROM A LOCK-OUT

Petty thievery, the bane of a householder's existence, reveals its ugly head in Prestonburg. Numerous complaints indicate that the outbreak has reached the proportions of an epidemic. Gardens are ravaged, automobiles looted, and even homes entered. In more than a decade of observation here we have noticed that thievery seems to run in cycles. With a year or so of safety citizens become lax and a wave of stealing breaks out; the officers get busy, the citizenry gets lax and the circle repeats itself. We call this to the attention of the City Council and respectfully ask whether or not the curfew law still is on the ordinance books and, if so, why it is not being enforced.

Navy Recruiter To Be At Prestonburg, Wheelwright

T. Little, quartermaster first class, attached to the navy recruiting station, Ashland, will be in Prestonburg, August 28 and 29, and at Wheelwright on August 30 and 31 for the purpose of opening a temporary recruiting station and also to meet citizens who are interested in the United States Navy. A number of vacancies exist at this time for the enlistment of desirable young men between the ages of 18 and 31 who can pass the physical and mental tests will be accepted. The navy provides an excellent opportunity to learn any trade such as machinist, electrician, carpenter, plumber, metal smith, stenographer and many others.

District Bar Ass'n To Hold Annual Meet Aug. 29

The Twelfth District Bar Association, composed of the lawyers from Floyd, Pike, Knott, Morgan, Martin, Johnson and Magoffin counties, will hold its annual meeting August 29, at Paintsville. The afternoon session at 3 o'clock, with J. Earl Walker, of the Paintsville Bar, presiding, will be held at the Paintsville County Club. Atty. Fred Hoves of Paintsville will welcome the members on behalf of the Paintsville Bar. J. D. Bond, of the Prestonburg Bar, and Kenneth A. Howe, of the Pikeville Bar, will discuss the subject, "Is Jurisdiction of Title in a Contract for the Sale of Personal Property Enforceable as Such in Kentucky?" John L. Vest, of the Walton bar, will discuss "Rule-Making Power of the Courts." Miss Ella Sturgill, of the Ashland bar, will speak on the subject of the "Will of Coram Nobis." The evening session will begin with a dinner for the members at the Hotel Herald at 7 o'clock. Attorney General Hubert Meredith, Frankfort, will be introduced by Francis M. Burke, Pikeville, chairman of the Twelfth district and vice-president of the Kentucky State Bar Association, and will speak on the "Dangerous Tendencies in the Extension of Bureaucratic Powers to Governmental Agencies." John B. Rodes, Bowling Green, president of the Kentucky State Bar Association, will discuss the Kentucky State Bar.

Mud Creek Girl Dies Of Broken Neck After Fall

Post-mortem investigation into the cause of the death of 17-year-old Maude Hall, Mud Creek, revealed Monday night that her neck had been broken at or near the base of the skull. The body was taken to the Beaver Valley hospital, Martin, by Miss Hall's father and Coroner Elliott Prater. There, Dr. B. S. Walden made an X-ray photograph. The examination was made on the request of the girl's father, Rod Hall, Miss Hall died Monday at her parents' home. No charge had been placed Tuesday against the driver of the truck.

BIRTH ANNOUNCEMENT Announcement is made of the birth to Mr. and Mrs. Roger Stewart at the Methodist hospital, Pikeville, on August 19, of a 7 1/2-pound daughter—Shelia Anne. Mr. Stewart is the former Miss Mildred Begley. Mother and babe are doing well.

P'BURG WINS ON FORFEIT

VAN LEAR PLAYERS LEAVE DIAMOND IN 8TH INNING

After twice being forced to come from behind to take the lead from Van Lear, Prestonburg was awarded a 5-4 forfeit victory over the Johnson county team at Gasco Park in a Big Sandy League game Tuesday afternoon when the visitors refused to continue play in the eighth inning after disputing an umpire's decision. Both teams went scoreless during the first three rounds, and Van Lear took a 2-0 lead in the fourth when Burkett doubled and scored on a three-bagger to deep center by P. Butcher, who came home on Van Lear's long fly. Prestonburg knotted the count by doubling twice on fifth on singles by Collins, Branham and Maynard, a base on balls to Roark and an error by Daniels. In the sixth Prestonburg took a 3-3 lead on a walk, single, sacrifice and fielder's choice. Van Lear regained the lead in the first of the eighth by doubling twice on two hits, stolen base and a two-base error. For Prestonburg Roark opened the eighth inning, grounding out to third, unimpairing at first, called a balk on pitcher Salisbury doubled down the third base line. Maynard scored, tying up the game, Salisbury went to third, Burkett walked and scored on a hoper to third. Vanhose flied out to short right field, with the runner holding. With Spradlin up Goebel, unimpairing at first, called a balk on pitcher, Van Lear pitcher, and Salisbury scored. After an argument and the Van Lear players had left the field, the game was forfeited to Prestonburg on a decision by Umpire Goebel. Branham was on the mound all the way for Prestonburg and he allowed himself to be walked and to be touched for six. Salisbury led the Prestonburg offensive, with a single and a double, the local team's only unimpairing at first, called a balk on center fielder, led both teams in hitting, with a double and a pair of singles. P. Butcher hit a triple and a single.

Prestonburg will be host to Wayland in a doubleheader at Gasco Park here Sunday afternoon.

Table with columns: P'BURG, AB, EH, PO, A, E. Rows: Roark, Burkett, Salisbury, Vanhose, Branham, Collins, Helnze, Branhm.

Totals AB EH PO A E Summary: Runs batted in—P. Butcher 3, B. Butcher 2, Maynard, Miller, Salisbury, Salisbury, Three-base hits—P. Butcher, Solon base—Brons, Miller, Burkett 2. Sacrifices—Vanhose, Meddings. Double plays—Brons, Salisbury, Miller to Maynard. Left on bases—Prestonburg 4, Van Lear 5. Bases on balls—off Castle 5, Balks—3. Struck out—Prestonburg 2, Van Lear 2. Umpires—Daniels, Belcher and Huff.

NOTICE IN BANKRUPTCY

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED STATES FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF KENTUCKY In the matter of DEN D. FAIRCHILD Bankrupt In Bankruptcy No. 36 To the creditors of Den D. Fairchild, of Allen, Kentucky, County of Floyd, and district aforesaid, a bankrupt. Notice is hereby given that on the 19th day of August, 1940, the said Den D. Fairchild was duly adjudicated bankrupt; and that the first meeting of his creditors will be held at the office of the undersigned Referee in Bankruptcy, Prestonburg, Kentucky, in said district, on August 30th, 1940, at the hour of 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at which time the said creditors may attend, prove their claims, and appoint a trustee, examine the bankrupt and transact such other business as may properly come before said meeting. Given under my hand at Prestonburg, Kentucky, this 19 day of August, 1940. Referee In Bankruptcy. All claims must be supported by affidavits and in the original printed form required by the Bankrupt Act.

MARTIN

Miss Margaret Hatcher, of Beckley, W. Va., visited Miss Jewell Smith last week. Miss Irene Castle visited Mrs. Raymond Dahlgren Tuesday last. Thursday. Miss Martha Wilson has returned from Charleston, W. Va., where she was the guest of her mother-in-law. Miss Mildred McClothen, Mrs. Ora Mae Allen, Mrs. Helen Allen, Mrs. Mabel Lutz, Mrs. W. R. Wynn and Mrs. Mabel Lutz were shopping in Pikeville last Wednesday. Miss Patty Hazton is acting bookkeeper at the Martin General hospital while A. B. Osborne, Jr., is on vacation. Mr. and Mrs. Lauren Lutz of Delaware, Ohio, are the week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Allen. Mrs. Mabel Lutz, of Westerville, O., is visiting her sister, Mrs. Joe Allen, and Mrs. Allen. Miss Roberta Smith is visiting relatives in Roncesville, W. Va. Miss Reggy Bryington, of Junction City, Ky., is spending her vacation with her maternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Will Jantz. Miss Joyce Smith has returned from an extended visit with relatives in Roncesville, W. Va. Miss Myrtle Greer, of Jackson, O., is visiting her brother, Eddie Greer, and Mrs. Greer. Miss Loraine Greer, of Shelby, Ky., is visiting her cousin, Eddie Greer, and Mrs. Greer. Miss Jewel Smith accompanied her guest, Mrs. Margaret Hatcher to her home in Beckley, W. Va. Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Goodall and children, Mrs. Margaret Goodall, are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. Smith. Misses Sally Jantz and Mildred McCoy, of Virgie, are visiting their aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Danmon. Miss Bess Danmon has returned from Georgetown University, where she attended the summer term. Mrs. Grubbs and daughter, Mrs. Chidlers and son and daughter, were visitors in Martin Monday. Mrs. W. S. Johns visited her son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Johns, at Hazard, last week.

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BILL HENRY SAYS:

"MISTER, GIVE ME THE PENNIES!" "Where are you going to spend your pennies—two little brown pieces of metal, the actual value of which, by the words, 'United States of America,' is about one cent? You can't get a bar of mail a post card. No, this is not a joke intended for home consumption, nor is it a joke to the visitors of our fair city who may desire they would like to spend a pleasant evening at one of our picture shows. In order to buy a ticket you have to squeeze your way up to the window through a line on two sides of urchins who all but place their hands in your pockets, or reach through the window to grab the change. If you refuse to do this, you are told the truth of the vicious racket a racket doubtless promoted by older persons) and refuse their request, it is impossible to enjoy the picture. You can't forget these pitiful little faces, and your ears continue to ring with the chant of 'Mister, give me the two pennies, mister, give me-one penny, mister. . . .'"

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Allen entertained two tables of bridge in honor of Mrs. Allen's sister, Mrs. Herbert Lutz, and her mother, Mrs. Iona Wulms, last Thursday. The following guests were present: Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Dingus, Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Peters, Mr. and Mrs. E. Greer, and Mr. and Mrs. James Greer. Mrs. Greer's party was won by Mrs. Peters and Mr. Wicker; low prizes were won by Mrs. Wicker and Mrs. Peters. A buffet luncheon was served.

Mrs. Helen Lopez, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Bradley, of Lake Helen, Florida, and Miss Beesley, of Washington, D. C., were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Alan Preston.

Elmer Childers, of Ashland, was visiting in Martin the first of the week. John Halsey Flannery underwent a tonsillectomy at Martin General hospital Tuesday.

Charlie Henzeman, C. and O. engineer, was visiting homefolks in Ashland over the week-end.

Miss Loraine Moore, of Drift, was visiting homefolks with Mr. and Mrs. John Hall, of Boldman.

Return from Trip Mr. and Mrs. Richard Ball and sons, Donald Burns and Prentiss Lee, have returned from an automobile trip during which they attended the WSM Fair at Dallas, Texas. They visited in Dallas and Fort Worth, Texas before spending a few days with Mrs. Ball's sister, Mrs. Alma Mitchell, at Mason, Texas.

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WE ARE READY FOR FALL!

FOR THE LADIES

FRANCIS CASH STORE

FOR THE MEN

Latest Style Dresses—Nelly Dona, Levine, Loma Leads.
CHILDREN—Rickey Temple, Cinderella Dresses.

PRESTONSBURG, KY.

SUITS—Tweeds, Worsteds, by Hart Schaffner and Marx,
Hyde Park, Sewell—\$12.75 to \$30.75.
SHOES—B to EEEE—Florsheim, Nunn-Bush,
Peterson—\$1.95 to \$8.75.

NOTICE IN BANKRUPTCY

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED STATES FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF KENTUCKY

In the matter of **BILL MARTIN**

Bankrupt.

In Bankruptcy

No. 35

To the creditors of Bill Martin, of

Hale, Kentucky, County of Floyd, and district aforesaid, a bankrupt.

Notice is hereby given that on the 20th day of August, 1940 the said Bill Martin was duly adjudicated bankrupt; and that the first meeting of his creditors will be held at the office of the undersigned Referee in Bankruptcy, Prestonsburg, Kentucky, in said district, on August 30th, 1940, at which time the said creditors may attend, prove their claims, appoint a

trustee, examine the bankrupt and transact such other business as may properly come before said meeting. Given under my hand at Prestonsburg, Kentucky, this 20th day of August, 1940.

JOE HOBBSON

Referee in Bankruptcy

All claims must be supported by affidavit in the official printed form required by the Bankruptcy Act.

He who trades in Floyd County works for the interest of himself and also his neighbor.

ACCOMPANIES PRESIDENT TO SEE WAR GAMES

When President Roosevelt left Saturday by special train to watch maneuvers of the 91,000 soldiers in mock warfare in upstate New York, he was accompanied by Congressman A. J. May, Prestonsburg, chairman of the House Military Affairs Committee, Secretary of War Henry L. Stimson and the President's naval and military aides.

HELP FLOYD COUNTY HELP YOU

DRIFT GIRL FOUND IN OHIO AFTER DAZED WANDERINGS

A 15-year-old girl's four-day odyssey in a realm of nothingness ended Wednesday in Columbus, O., when a weeping mother identified her as Bonnie Marie Collins, of Drift, this county. Arriving in Columbus from her home in Drift, Mrs. Evelyn Taylor rushed across a hospital ward wailing, "Honey child, you didn't have to leave home!"

The girl was found Sunday wandering aimlessly in a vacant lot in Columbus. Police said she appeared to be under the influence of drugs. She said repeatedly she could not remember her name nor where she came from. But as Mrs. Taylor embraced her Wednesday, the girl began sobbing. "I'm ready to go home now, mother," she said.

How she happened to be in Columbus, more than 150 miles from her home, the girl was unable to tell. She told police that the last she knew she was on her way to Fritchard, W. Va., to visit her father, Gervell Collins. "I was with a fellow named 'Red' and a girl I knew in Fritchard," she said. "Then I didn't know anything more until I got here." Bonnie still was too weak to sit up and it was doubted that she would be able to return home immediately.

Josh Laferty, 67, Brush Creek, Succumbs

Josh Laferty, 67 years old, died Thursday night, last week, at his home on Brush Creek of a heart ailment.

Mr. Laferty was a native of Bull Creek, the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. James Laferty, and was a member of one of the county's oldest families. Mr. Laferty had been a member of the Methodist Church for 38 years. He was married on May 31, 1894 to Miss Parthena Hicks, of Brush Creek, and to this union were born 11 children, of whom the following survive: Mrs. Dock Ratliff, Mrs. Tal Patton, Mrs. Bill Mayes, James and Lonnie Laferty, all of Maytown; Buck Laferty, Mrs. Buddy Frazer, Mrs. Will Allen, of Hippo. He also leaves four brothers and five sisters: Rev. J. M. Laferty, Emma; J. F. and Hiram Laferty, Garrett; Sam Laferty, of Sloze; Mrs. Jettie Jarrell, Water Gap; Mrs. Nan Jarrell, Allen; Mrs. Mariah Hammonds, Mrs. Frances Jarrell and Malinda Laferty, all of Sloze.

STORES ANNOUNCE IMPROVEMENTS

For the convenience of their customers the Cox Department Store and the I. Richmond Company have remodeled and re-arranged their stores.

After re-modeling interior of the store, Cox's transferred the ready-to-wear department from the balcony to the first floor, a complete line of domestic now occupying the balcony space. The interior has been brightened by the use of vari-colored autumn leaves.

The I. Richmond Company has made a separate department for infants' wear for the convenience of mothers and expert matrons.

MR. DAVIDSON, ILL. Seriously ill in Veterans' hospital, Huntington, W. Va., this week, is J. M. Davidson, former City Clerk here. At his bedside are Mrs. Davidson and his brother, A. L. Davidson.

JUDGE HILL, HOME County Judge E. P. Hill, Mrs. Hill and children returned Tuesday after visiting relatives in Canton, Ga. Judge Hill is now sufficiently recovered from a severe recent illness to be able to resume work in his office.

Mrs. Ratliff Dies Of Paralysis At Risner

Mrs. Nancy Ratliff, mother of Henry Ratliff, Martin, whose wife died Friday at Martin, succumbed Monday at her home at Risner to a paralytic stroke.

Mrs. Ratliff was twice married, both husbands preceding her in death. Surviving her are the following sons and daughters: Henry Ratliff, Martin; Mrs. Mousie Ratliff, Mrs. Sarah Ousey, Mrs. Ollie Hackworth, Mrs. Dona Shepherd, Mrs. Della Hackworth, T. W. Stephens and Berly Ratliff, all of Risner.

Funeral rites were conducted from the home Tuesday, the Revs. Melvin Ousey and James Ousey officiating. Burial was made in the family cemetery under the direction of the Ryan Funeral Home.

MEMORIAL SERVICES

Memorial church services, in memory of the late Maryland Maggard and son, Axel, will be held at the cemetery near the home of Luther Frazer, Coaker, Ky., on September 1 at 10 a. m. by ministers of the Regular Baptist Church. Dinner from baskets will be served on the ground. Everyone is invited.

THIS TOWN—THAT WORLD

(Continued from Page one)

INVITATIONS "DOWN THE RIVER"

We're not ungrateful, of course, but we couldn't miss noticing the difference in the passes received this week by the FLOYD COUNTY TIMES and the now-defunct Floyd County Independent to the opening of the Federal Correctional Institution, Ashland.

The passes to THE TIMES happened to read, "Federal Correctional Institution, Ashland, Ky., Inspection, August 24, 1940."

The passes made at The Independent read, "Admit one to the Federal Correctional Institution, Ashland, Ky., August 25, 1940." (No mention of "inspection," observe.)

Now, surely there was some mistake. Surely there was no idea of merely admitting John Allen, Henry Stephens and Bev Shugart, the defunct Independent to the institution, then having us of THE TIMES come down next day, and look 'em over.



Commercial Accounts Offer You A Check

In fact, a double check. Safeguard your business from losses by theft. Prevent bookkeeping errors by a daily checking account. Come in today—open an account—and all of the "money worries" of your business.

First National Bank

PRESTONSBURG, KY.

Sale Begins Friday, August 23--ANDERSON'S Prestonsburg

CLOSE-OUT SALE

For obvious reasons ANDERSON'S Store of Prestonsburg will CLOSE OUT the entire stock of Early Fall-Winter and Seasonable Merchandise at PRICES FROM 25 to 50 per cent of mark-up. SALE STARTS FRIDAY, AUGUST 23.

<p>EARLY SHIPMENT COATS</p> <p>Needlepoint Tweeds with beautiful linings in pretty Fall shades. Black Caricul and all wool Velour.</p> <p>EVERY COAT</p> <p>Whether Children's or Ladies'</p> <p>NOW GOING</p> <p>At 1-2 PRICE</p>	<p>MEN'S SHOES</p> <p>Why describe them at the price to make us feel bad? Regular stock, all colors—</p> <p>\$1.49 and \$1.87</p> <p>Men's WORK SHOES</p> <p>\$1.49</p> <p>WOMEN'S SHOES</p> <p>49c 97c \$1.87</p>	<p>MEN'S FELT HATS 49c</p> <p>Sacrificed from our stock of higher priced numbers. A real value line of HATS some up to \$2.95.</p> <p>NOW \$1.49</p> <p>Extraordinary 89c For Pick out a Hat for 89c, worth \$1.95.</p> <p>BOYS' HATS, in Felts 10c to 69c</p>	<p>DRESSES</p> <p>A late shipment of 40 white "SHARKSKIN"—material sells 52c yard. TAKE THIS DRESS FOR 59c</p> <p>WOMEN'S SILK DRESSES</p> <p>One lot which we carried over—</p> <p>NOW CLOSE \$1.00 OUT FOR \$1.97</p> <p>DRESSES \$1.97</p> <p>We want to sell—therefore this price.</p> <p>A Special Bargain \$1.37 DRESSES</p>			
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REMEMBER NO BETTER WHISKY CAN BE MADE

SALISBURY Mr. and Mrs. Jim Lawson, Caroline Lawson and others from Charleston, W. Va., spent last Thursday night with Mr. and Mrs. Marion Roberts.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Homebuck and son, Junior, Joyce Patton and Blanche Clifford, all of Ashland, spent last Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Marion Roberts.

Joe Ernest Roberts is improving from his long illness. He will be able to start to school Monday.

George McKinley, Honaker, is visiting his children on Spurlock Creek.

Mrs. Canton Stumbo, McDowell, spent last week-end with her mother, Mrs. Babe Spurlock, on Spurlock Creek.

He who trades in Floyd County works for the interest of himself and also his neighbor.

Bootleggers Taking Over in Salyersville, Newspaper Charges

Bootlegging and drunkenness has taken a decided swing upward in Salyersville during the past two or three weeks, with at least one "liquor joint" being operated practically wide open and several new faces being added to the bootleggers' ranks.

Approximately twenty of our younger bootleggers took over the Salyersville streets Saturday night using the public square for a battle ground and staging its fight and various drunken disturbances from midnight until daylight.

Some of the oldtimers, who had remained astonishingly sober for some time past, also broke over during the last week. As far as we know, no arrests have been made, the policy of the city administration seeming to be to furnish a "wide-open" town where anything goes.

A new boss of the bootleggers has taken over, with a crew of five or six underlings allegedly operating under him on a commission basis. To one "on the fence" it would appear an easy matter for the officers if interested, to get enough dope on the new ring to stop its operations before it becomes too powerful.—Salyersville Independent

SHERIFF'S SALE

FLOYD CIRCUIT COURT Commonwealth of Kentucky, Plaintiff vs.—NOTICE OF SALE

White Cole, Mary Cole, and Fannie Akers, Defendants

By virtue of execution dated June 4, 1940, in above-styled case, I, one of my deputies will, on Monday, August 26, 1940, at or about 1:00 p. m., at the front door of the courthouse, Prestonsburg, Ky., expose to public sale, for cash in hand, the following described property, or so much thereof to make \$89.75, with 6 per cent interest from the 10th day of July, 1938, until paid, subject to a credit of \$4.00 April 1938, \$3.45 court cost, and \$25.00, the probable cost of this sale, viz:

All the right, title and interest of Fannie Akers, both legal and equitable, in the following described tract of land, viz: Lying and being in Floyd county, Ky., on Abner Fork of Left Beaver Creek, and bounded on the East by Seaberry Harris, North by Charlie Preston on the South by the state highway, and on the West by Willie Akers heirs, being one house and lot conveyed to Fannie Akers by Ira Newsome by deed dated March 23, 1933, and recorded in deed book 100, at page 154, records of Floyd county court clerk's office.

Levied on as the property of Fannie Akers. DIAL SALISBURY, S.F.O. This the 8th day of July, 1940. By LACKEY SALISBURY, D.S. Cost of advertising, \$9.75

LIGON

Thirteen pupils made the honor roll for first month in grades 5, 6, 7 and 8. The honor students with a grade of B or better are:

Fifth grade—Ruth Stone and Bernice Waugh; sixth grade—Howard Chaffin, James McGuire, Eugene Moore, Bobby Mitchell, Hannah Newsome, Doll Reynolds, Ellis Pennington, and Edna Stewart; seventh grade—Alvena Hendrix; eighth grade—Louise Hendrix and Ruby Humphrey.

The basketball court, which the boys and girls are digging from the side of the hill, is nearing completion.

The school boys have made some very attractive medicine cabinets and the girls have made several aprons. The art department is sponsoring these projects.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hall and family and Mr. and Mrs. Caleb Newsome motored to Wood, Va., Sunday.

Caleb Newsome went to Huntington, Thursday on a business trip.

Fed Henson was a business visitor in Prestonsburg Saturday.

Miss Byrl Walker has returned from Woods, Va., to reside with her sister, Mrs. Bill Hall.

(Last week's correspondence) Mr. and Mrs. Joe Akers, Misses Lucy Lucas and Lee Anders, and Jack Lucas were visiting in Garrett Sunday. They also visited Matthew Newsome, who is a patient at the Beaver Valley hospital, late Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Daley and small children, Dixie May, and Kenneth were visiting in Weeksburg Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Newsome spent several days in Ohio last week.

Mrs. Goldie Vanderpool, of Virgie, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Wendell Meader has returned home.

Paul A. Anderson, who is stationed at Langley Field, Va., was visiting Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Gilliam and Miss Lee Anders, here last week.

Mrs. Johnny Moore is ill at her home here.

Mrs. Curt McCowan and Miss Frances Pennington have returned home, after spending two weeks visiting in West Virginia.

HAROLD WPA EDUCATION PROGRAM CONTINUES

Harold, Ky.—The Harold project of the WPA adult educational program is continuing its work here with much success.

Ladies' meetings, for the purpose of discussing home problems, are held every other Wednesday evening. All are invited to attend any of the meetings of the program.

GOOD NEWS

The Commonwealth Life Insurance Company, of Louisville, Ky. is now issuing the new Juvenile (Child's) Policies with full death benefit graded to age five years.

This company has always issued good policies on the lives of children; but the new addition in rates and death benefits makes this Company second to none.

Those parents who wish to make adequate provision for the death or education of the child will do well to inspect these policies on display at the office of H. F. Patton, General Agent, at No. 55, Court Street Patton Building, Prestonsburg, Ky. 8-14t

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Briar Buck's Scratches

The views expressed in this column are those of the writer, and do not necessarily those of The Times.

PUBLIC FORUM The public is cordially invited to attend the free-for-all debates on politics and current gossip, held every Sunday morning on the steps of the Beaver Hardware store. Entrance requirements are one sharp knife and a piece of red cedar. Shikepoke was guest speaker last Sunday. Joe Crisp is Chief Agitator.

THE OTHER FELLOW "Dick" Osborn has a scheme to get stone-blind rich overnight, if he can only get rid of one fellow. The job is selling pants and the market is unlimited. The trouble is, and here's the hitch to it, that everybody buys their pants from "the other fellow." That is the guy Dick wants to eliminate.

POP & STUFF "Red", the new Maytag man, says, "My name is Goddin but that's no sign I ain't stink and all.... Judging from reports, feed and fodder is gonna be mighty scarce on Beaver Creek this winter.... Carl Comstock strayed from the beaten path with his highway grinder last week and smoothed the road up "Squire Reynolds" way.... The town's sewer project is flowing right along, stink and all.... How those Big Sandy teams dread US! Uh, huh!

IT AIN'T SO! "Bee" Rice says it isn't so, that a certain woman whipped him with a belt for taking her money and then not hoeing her garden as promised!

LEST YE BE JUDGED "Perry Osborn said, after watching the actions of a certain out-of-town official here last week, that it's a wonder that some law violator doesn't wake up some fine morning with a sentence of "thirty days in the electric chair" hanging over his poor head.

Briar Buck has no desire to take sides in the sewage project issue, to praise or knock any person or group of persons, or to test anyone's horn except his own. No, he has no fish to fry nor ax to grind—not even sharpen. But, for the sake of public health and posterity, I would like to add my little crum of approval to the work now being done by the WPA workmen in draining the filthy, mosquito-infested swampy back of Martin's main business section.

I was on hand when the workers, wearing hip boots, opened up the filthy, murky mess of filthiness to drainage. And the only thing surprising to me is that decent citizens would allow the stench hole to remain there this long.

Engineer Mink, the workmen, and the sponsors are to be congratulated on doing a splendid bit of public service.

W. B. Hunsucker of Letcher county cut 15 tons of red clover hay from 7 acres, and J. S. Holbrook, also of Letcher county, cut 26 tons from 12 acres.

A survey shows that many Breathitt county farmers are trying out new vegetables in their gardens. Grayson county farmers expect to buy immediately 358 ewes and also several purebred rams.

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Casey county farmers buying western wool—25 percent more than native ewes last year got 7 to 9 pounds of stock.

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THREE KILLED

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...he had fallen in the doorway of the store. Mrs. Hunt denied having fired a shot, and it was said at the Ryan Funeral Home, where bodies of the three men were prepared for burial, that the bullet in Castle's stomach ranged straight through the body, though it did not emerge at the back. County Attorney Short said versions of the trouble, as related by both Mrs. Hunt and Powell, coincided on major incidents. The story of the shooting, as told in short, follows:
Castle, intoxicated, accompanied by Powell, appeared at the front of the store at some time around 4 o'clock Saturday afternoon, pounding on the door and demanding entrance. While Mrs. Hunt admitted them, Mr. Hunt remained in the back or rear part of the building. Castle told Mrs. Hunt that he wanted to pay his store account and did so—\$3.00. Then he accused Mrs. Hunt of permitting her children to abuse his, shoved Mrs. Hunt's daughter aside, and Mrs. Hunt came into the store from the rear after his wife had told Castle to leave and a heated argument followed. Hunt repeating the order that Castle leave. Hunt returned to the living quarters, procured his revolver, a .45-caliber weapon, and returned. Re-entering the store, he struck Castle on his shoulder. Then the shooting. Which fired first, witnesses were unable to say.
Authorities would not say which of the two combatants shot the boy.
Hunt was a son of James and Malinda Hunt. He is survived by his widow, two daughters, Juanita and Marie; three brothers and three sisters: John, of Banner; Lacey of Woods; George and Mrs. Josie Lewis, of Banner; Mrs. Julia Garrett, Ivel; Mrs. Sallie Adkins, Trap.
Castle, a son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Henry Castle, was a native of Johnson county. He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Zella Mae Robinson, Castle, one daughter, Ernestine, 3, four brothers and a sister: Bert, of Drift; G. F., of Banner; Roosevelt, of McDowell; Burns, of Fairbault; and Mrs. Julia Branham, Oakley, W. Va.
The Robinson youth was a son of Cecil Robinson, of Harrod, and was a brother of Mrs. James Castle. Besides his father, he is survived by seven sisters and one brother: Mrs. Castle and Mrs. Jessie Horne, of Banner; Misses Maudie Marie, Elizabeth Helen, Pauline, Patricia Ann and Billie, all of Harrod.
The Rev. Isaac Stratton, veteran Floyd county minister, officiated at funerals of the three, all of which were conducted Tuesday under the direction of the Ryan Funeral Home—that of Castle and young Robinson from the Methodist Church, Laynesville, with the Rev. Carl Layne assisting; that of Hunt from the residence, the Rev. A. L. Jackson assisting.

BROADWAY THEATRE IN PRESTONSBURG

FRIDAY-SATURDAY — DOUBLE FEATURE —
"Danger Flight"
Talispin Tommy, John Trent.
"Return of Wild Bill" (WESTERN)
SATURDAY, 10:30 P. M. — SUNDAY AND MONDAY —
"The Lady in Question"
Brian Aherne, Rita Hayworth.
TUESDAY —
"We Are Not Alone"
Paul Muni, Jane Bryan.
WEDNESDAY —
THURSDAY —
"Mercy Plane"
James Dunn, Frances Gifford.
Serial: "TERRY AND THE PIRATES" 10c and 15c

MARTIN THEATRE

"WHERE THE CROWS GO"
SATURDAY —
"Gaucho Serenade"
Gene Autry, Prog.
SATURDAY MID-NIGHT AND SUNDAY —
"Goldrush Maisie"
Ann Sothern, Lee Bowman.
MONDAY AND TUESDAY —
"Hunchback of Notre Dame"
Charles Laughton, Sir Cecil DeWickie. 1c
WEDNESDAY —
"OUR TOWN"
Frank Craven, Martha Scott, Fay Bainter.
THURSDAY —
"Maryland"
Brenda Joyce, John Payne, Hattie McDaniel.
FRIDAY —
"Destry Rides Again"
Marlene Dietrich, James Stewart.
SERIAL —
"Deadwood Dick"
Shows at 6:30 and 8:30 10c and 15c

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Out-of-town visitors were showing up in large numbers, and some of them I knew: Dr. O. W. Thompson Pikeville; Mr. Williamson, game warden, Pike county; John Ward, from just above Prestonsburg; Henry Collins, Edgar; E. O. Durham, "Cur" Rose, Wheelwright; Calloway Napier, Hindman; B. O. Wyant and Miss Ruth Nunemaker, Pikeville; Mrs. Ben North, former Floyd county coroner, Martin; Mr. and Mrs. Turner Campbell, Moulse, and many others. Twelve men and the coon chase had been on for an hour. Five hundred or more people had crossed over to the bottom at the foot of the hill to watch the feet-foot dog. It was a beautiful sight to see them streaking around the point, and it was interesting to hear the old-timers make comparisons with "that hound of mine."
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ABIGAIL THEATRE PRESTONSBURG, KY.

THURSDAY-FRIDAY —
"MY LOVE CAME BACK"
Olivia DeHaviland, Jeffrey Lynn.
SATURDAY —
"YOUNG BUFFALO BILL"
Roy Rogers, "Gabby" Hayes.
SATURDAY, 10 P. M. — SUNDAY AND MONDAY —
"I Love You Again"
William Powell, Myrna Loy.
TUESDAY AND WEDNESDAY —
"IF I HAD MY WAY"
Bing Crosby.

PATTY THEATRE (Next Door to Abigail)

THURSDAY-FRIDAY, DOUBLE FEATURE —
"Undercover Doctor"
"Love, Honor and Oh Baby!"
SATURDAY —
"Cowboy From Sundown"
SUNDAY-MONDAY —
"Girl From Avenue A"
Jane Withers.
TUESDAY-WEDNESDAY, DOUBLE FEATURE —
"Chan Murder Cruise"
"Grand Jury Secrets"

FLOYD-MARTIN LINE

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ready on hand will be used.
Construction will begin at either end of the line. J. De Ostrell, Prestonsburg, will be construction foreman at the Floyd end; Vernon Fraure, Huntington, W. Va., for the Martin county end.
Residents of the section through which the line will pass will be given employment preference, Mr. Spencer said.

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surrounding communities, telling them they could not give them the key to the field, but, he said, "I can and do present you with the key to the city of Prestonsburg." The Mayor called attention to the young people that it was their duty to protect game. "Boys, protect your game," he pleaded. "Don't kill out of season. It is the only way you will ever bring back the game as our ancestors had." Charles Horn, Dr. O. W. Thompson, Forrest D. Short, J. B. Clarke, Dr. C. L. Bunting, president of the local Kiwanis Club, Mr. Ousley, Garrett, Prof. Ishamel Triplett, Superintendent of the city schools, and E. C. Hayes, teacher of agriculture, Betsy Layne, followed on the program in the order named.
Mr. Horn spoke on the objects of the Fish and Game Club, what it had accomplished in the past and what, with co-operation, it hoped to accomplish in the future. "A few years ago," Mr. Horn said, "we had nothing much in the way of game in Floyd county. Today, we are able to show a record in which preservation of the game can make it one of the greatest game-producing counties in the state."
Dr. O. W. Thompson, chairman of the State Fish and Game Commission, spoke on the proper recreational facilities in promoting recreational and game preserves. He emphasized that the proper recreational facilities should start at once to do something that would bring in an income to replace what we are now getting from our coon gas. "A few years ago," Dr. Thompson stated we are selling our last resources to live on right now. "Unless we restore renewable resources to where they used to be, in a few years from now we will have to move." He spoke of what other states are doing. He said in North Carolina they have a game preserve in which they are stocked with thousands of deer. They were 11 years, according to Dr. Thompson, in building this preserve up to where it was ready to be put into use. At that time it contained 15,000 head, and the surrounding territory was well wooded with timber that has strayed "75 per cent of the land in Floyd county is not doing anyone any good," Dr. Thompson stated. He said that the proper recreational facilities and game preserves in the county can bring more money than is now being received from all the coal and gas that is being mined. Many requests had been made by the sportsmen of Floyd county to the State Commission for a game warden and Mr. Horn said he would like to help us get one. "I have been boasting Ed Burke," he said, "as game warden for Floyd county and I shall keep on doing so."
County Attorney Forrest D. Short spoke on the improvement in the work the club has done in the past 10 years. He said he noticed more in the past year than in the nine years previous. "I want to here and now pledge my fullest co-operation," he said, "and, speaking of the improvement in the work of the club, I can assure you they are 100 per cent behind you." S. L. Isbell introduced J. B. Clarke as the oldest charter member of the club, and as a member who had accepted a personal responsibility for the last 15 years to see that the club was kept in the air and that the youth of the county and other game. Mr. Clarke told of some of his personal experiences since he had been introduced in 1925. He said he was happiest when he was with a bunch of sportsmen. He spoke of the youth of the land, and said, "I have tried and tried to get the youth and teach them to respect our game laws, they will naturally respect all laws."

Subsidiary said, "We are all amateurs in fishing and hunting and we should carefully guard that term, 'amateurs.'" He stated that when the time came when the youth of the county's own amateurs we became commercialized and our fish and game suffered. Mr. Ousley spoke on how we should all help to promote the recreational facilities and game preserves by becoming members of the club. He told of the satisfaction he had derived as a member and wound up with an eloquent plea to the public to get behind the club in a drive for new members. Prof. Triplett promised full support for the schools in carrying out the principles represented by the club. "Even though we have been wasteful," Prof. Triplett said, "we can restore our fish and game." He suggested that any plan must have three phases: 1. Educate; 2. Legislate; 3. Co-operate. Earl Hayes, a young agricultural teacher at Betsy Layne, recently arrived in Floyd county, expressed his gratitude at being associated with such an organization and asked the club would have his complete support always. He reminded the audience as agricultural teacher that conservation of our natural resources is the only way to the end of the speaking program the master of ceremonies called upon the platform and introduced three young men, 4 in all, who had just returned from the State Conservation Camp near Louisville. They were: Paul Gearheart, Richard Cecil, Harold and Arnold Beatt, Maytown. Their transportation to and from camp was paid by the Fish and Game Club.
The bait-casting and rolling pin contests got under way about 2:30, with Ed Burke directing the bait-casting and S. L. Isbell dodging the rolling pin. In the bait-casting contest 15 men and boys were entered. Two boys, "Winky" Burke and Robert Bunting were high scorers. In the rolling pin contest Robert Bunting was high. The entrants in the rolling pin contest were: Mrs. S. L. Isbell, Mrs. V.

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The trap shooting contest was last on the day's program, with Charles Horn directing. The entrants were: Merle Wilson, Paul Francis, C. A. Horn, Ed Burke, F. Moore, Fred Francis, Ray Flannery, Speed Harris, F. J. Allen, Dewey Stumbo, Jerry Hayden, J. K. Hatmaker, B. W. Cooley, Frank Phillips, Bruce Stanley, C. E. Tamm, T. E. Hamler, Lou Gorrell, A. R. Cassidy, Bill Bunting, Bert Cecil, Palmer Hall, E. J. Robinson and Austin Cassidy. The final winners were Speed Harris and Bruce Stanley. They were tied and finally, after shooting until they were exhausted, decided to divide the honors.
In the coon chase there were four heats and the final. The owner's name, the name of the dog, number, and the winners were as follows: First heat: W. B. Jarrells, Kate, No. 1, tree winner; Buck Buchanan, Rock, No. 3; Jimmie McCallister, Smoky, No. 5; Ray Fraley, Drive, No. 6; Robert Akers, Bill, No. 9, line winner; Lindsey Griffith, Leader, No. 16, Second heat; Buck Buchanan, Rex, No. 4; Jimmie

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