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SPEAKING OF AND FOR FLOYD COUNTY
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Floyd County Mirrored in "Imperishable Type"

ELK HORN FATE IN RECEIVERS' HANDS

GARRETT, WAYLAND WORKERS AWAIT DECISION

Upon the decision of receivers named Aug. 22 for the Elk Horn Coal Corporation rests this week further operation of the coal mines at Garrett and Wayland, this county, with their more than 1,200 employees and the two towns which depend upon the coal industry for their subsistence. The coal company was said last week to have consented to the selection of Howard N. Evanson, Pittsburgh, consulting mining engineer, and W. W. Goldsmith, Charleston, Va., attorney, as receivers after the Board of Mine Workmen, Va., had filed complaint before Special Judge Beverly Broun. This petition alleged that the company was unable to meet its obligations, despite large assets and a solvent position.

Later, Circuit Judge R. Monroe Fields, Wheelock, named J. J. Moore, Pikeville attorney, as ancillary receiver in Kentucky where, in addition to Elk Horn's two mines in Floyd, the company operates two in Letcher county.

The law firm of Howard and Mayo, Elk Horn Coal Corporation local counsel here, said Saturday nothing of a definite nature could be stated until this week after the receivers had made their decision.

Altogether, according to one official source, 15,000 persons are idle in and around the Kentucky and West Virginia properties of the company while receivers inspect the mines and determine their future usefulness.

Garrett and Wayland miners, for months past, have been uncertain when their next payday would arrive, and, as a result, at least two temporary shut-downs have taken place pending pay settlements.

The Elk Horn Coal Corporation, though reportedly short on cash, is rich in lands and coal deposits, it is said.

This Town That World

THE QUICK AND THE DEAD

Foils of legislative bodies of 11 states of the country are taken in 18 machines on any question. One of them is called "hash-voting" machines, as a recent news story from Chicago. All the legislature has to do is push a button on his device and "yes" and "no" for "yes," or another for "present but not voting." As the buttons are pushed lights flash indicating how many have voted, a device adds up the votes and yet another permanently records the vote.

Let's say the "hash-voting" machine is being introduced to Congress. SENATOR BURP: I rise to a point of order. This is not the American way! SENATOR BURP: Gentlemen, this hideous device is but a machination of vested interests. I implore you—think before you betray your country. SENATOR BURP: Shall this, the greatest legislative body on earth, be gagged? This matter should be debated. SENATOR BLANK (what difference, his name?) Our forefathers fought, bled and died for the right of free speech. Shall we surrender our votes up to vote? SENATOR JACKSON: As there's the cost, Gentlemen, this way lies bankruptcy. SPOONDRIP: Let us not stop until this momentous matter is disposed of and our nation is saved. Then we shall quickly dispose of that other bill before us—I refer, gentlemen, to the Conservation Bill. I shall now proceed with your kind indulgence, from the World Almanac. Washington, D. C.—While the filibuster against the "hash-voting" machine goes on into the fourth week, the

MILLER HELPS CHIEF COP SECOND \$50

If Adam Miller, former West Prestonsburg resident, takes off from the Magoffin county jail at Salversville (officer in the future than he has in the past, Chief of Police Epp Laferly, of Prestonsburg, is going to show a nice profit on his year's business.

About a month ago Miller was arrested and jailed at Salversville on a charge of robbery. He escaped, a few days later, a reward of \$50 was offered for his arrest.

Policeman Laferly soon located and arrested Miller, returning the prisoner to Salversville and collecting the reward.

Sunday night, Miller made his second break. Another \$50 reward was offered for his arrest.

And Tuesday morning Policeman Laferly was again on his way to Salversville when he saw Miller, again to collect a reward.

After his first escape Miller was quoted as saying that "the Lord delivered him." He was not reached for a statement before his return to durance via following his second break.

FOLK FESTIVAL HISTORY TOLD

MISS KNOTT LAUDS FLOYD COUNTY SINGERS

Floyd county played host this week to a nationally famous personage when Miss Sarah Gertrude Knott, a director and the originator of the National Folk Festival which has been held annually in Washington, D. C., the last three years, stopped off here while on a tour of the country in search of folk songs for the coming festival to be held in Washington, at Constitution Hall, April 26, 28 and 29.

Miss Knott said the National Folk Festival officials were very much interested in Floyd county. At the last festival, Kentucky was represented by a quartet of men from Floyd county, and there was more favorable comment, according to Miss Knott, on the Floyd group than any other feature of the program.

The National Folk Festival has as its object the bringing together of groups from various sections of the United States, with the characteristic folk expression of each, in the faith that national incentive gives encouragement to regional festivals, and that continued participation in such festivals keeps alive the traditional customs associated with the founding of the Nation. In addition to serving as a record of the social life of early

CIRCUIT COURT OPENS MONDAY

'PISTOL-TOTIN' CASES OUTNUMBER THOSE OF MURDER

The number of persons slated for trial at the September term of the Floyd circuit court on charges of carrying concealed deadly weapons exceeds, for the first time in years, the number booked for trial for murder, the court docket shows. Eight persons are scheduled to face trial for murder; 13 are docketed on "pistol-totin'" charges. Of the eight listed for murder hearings, not more than half a dozen are before the court. But the grand jury's investigation of a number of slayings which have taken place since the last court term here is expected to round out a full murder docket. Also on the docket are the names of 16 men charged with child desertion. Other offenses on which hearings are scheduled include voluntary manslaughter, bringing and entering, robbery, dynamiting fish, reckless use of a deadly weapon, grand larceny, arrest without authority of law, setting out forest fire confederations and banding—and, of course, drunkenness. The court term begins Monday.

Work Order Is Issued On Left Beaver Road

A work order for the surfacing of 4.3 miles of the Left Beaver road was issued by the State Highway Commission last week, and work is expected to start by the latter part of next week. Gay-Coleman Construction Company, Lexington, was awarded the contract for the work on a bid of \$61,768.50.

Prestonsburg Hospital Opens

Federal Official Sues For \$5,000

Alleging that D. C. Stephens, his erstwhile partner in gas drilling operations, uttered against him "obscure and slanderous words," Assistant U. S. District Attorney Claude P. Stephens last week filed in the Floyd county court a suit seeking to recover from his former associate the sum of \$5,000. The federal official's petition alleged that D. C. Stephens, at a hearing before Acting Master Commissioner W. Claude Caudill on Saturday, Aug. 10, in the office of Atty. J. W. Howard, "for the usual, correct and criminal purpose of injuring the plaintiff in his standing and reputation in his community where he lives," said, "Boys, he is a good one, and he is a hero." The occasion on which the alleged statement was made was when the acting Master Commissioner heard testimony in D. C. Stephens' civil action against the assistant District Attorney. The statement, according to the government official's petition, was "made in a derogatory and abusive manner and included in the transcript and as a part of the record" in the hearing.

J. M. DAVIDSON DIES AUG. 22

WORLD WAR VETERAN, EX-CITY CLERK, IS VICTIM

James Morgan Davidson, prominent Prestonsburg citizen, passed away at the Veterans' hospital, Prestonsburg, Va., at 12 o'clock Thursday, August 22. Mr. Davidson's death came as a distinct shock to his many friends and relatives throughout this section. He had been in failing health for the past few months but his condition did not improve until he was taken to the Veterans' hospital.

Mr. Davidson was the son of the late Samuel P. Davidson and Mrs. Laura M. Davidson. He was born January 18, 1895; was married on September 3, 1920 to Miss Gertrude Weddington. To this union was born one daughter, Judith Morgan.

He was a devout member of the Methodist Episcopal Church. Always generous and courteous, he was held in the highest esteem by all who knew him. For a number of years he served as City Clerk of Prestonsburg. He was a 32nd degree Mason and a member of Zebulon Lodge, F. & A. M., Prestonsburg, and of Floyd Post, American Legion. In 1918 he volunteered in the U. S. Navy and served until 1919, making three trips meanwhile to Scotland.

For the past seven years Mr. Davidson has been connected with Perry's Crocker Company where he worked until six weeks before his death. Mr. Davidson is survived by his widow, his daughter, his mother, Mrs. Laura M. Davidson, and the following brothers and sisters: A. L. Davidson, Prestonsburg; W. B. Davidson, Lex-

HIGH AND GRADED SCHOOLS WILL OPEN TUESDAY

TEACHERS TO MEET HERE FRIDAY, BEFORE CLASSES RESUME FOR 1940-41 SESSION

Approximately 9,000 Floyd county high and graded school students will return to their studies next Tuesday morning, when nine county high schools and five graded schools will open for the 1940-41 session. A conference for all principals of county schools will be held in the District Superintendent's Town Hall this morning (Thursday) at 10 o'clock, and a general teachers' meeting is scheduled for Friday morning at 10 a. m. in the Prestonsburg high school auditorium. The latter will be a two-hour meeting and the principal speaker will be Dr. J. D. Pells, District Superintendent at Meredith State Teachers' College.

Besides the Prestonsburg, Wheeler, Wayne, Martin, Maytown, Garrett, Wayland, McDowell and Wheelwright high schools the Palmer-Dunbar colored high school at Wheelwright, with an enrollment of about 80 students and a teaching force of three, also will open Tuesday. Graded schools scheduled for opening include those at Westbury, Leckert, Melvin, Glo, Estill and the Wheelwright colored.

A conference for school bus drivers will be held here Tuesday, when the various routes and new requirements of the state board were discussed. Drivers were subjected to a physical examination by Dr. Marvin Ramsdell, of the county health department. A new 50-passenger bus, the ninth of the school system, was purchased recently, and it will be placed on the Wayland-Garrett route. Wreathes for commerce and Smith-Fughes home economics will be added to the Prestonsburg high school curriculum and commerce also will be added at Wheelwright and Wayland. Seven county high schools will offer the commerce course. A new wood shop will be in operation at Wheelwright and a new home economics building is being installed at McDowell, Martin, Maytown and Garrett.

High school textbooks in English, mathematics, history and civics have been changed for the coming year, Mr. Hall said, and an order has been placed for a supply of the new ones, which will be received by the time school

WCKY to Salute P'burg Friday Night

Mayor E. F. Arnold will relate historical facts of Prestonsburg and data as to its industrial and residential advances over radio station WCKY, Cincinnati, Friday evening, August 30, at 10:30 eastern standard time, when the station will salute Prestonsburg with a program sponsored by THE FLOYD COUNTY TIMES.

Prestonsburg will be given nationwide recognition as a "freewill offering" of the 50,000-watt WCKY (119 on your dial) by the station's owner, L. B. Wilson, who early in May volunteered facilities of the station for the sale, one of a series in which various communities of Kentucky and other states are honored. A potential audience of 71,000,000 persons will hear the broadcast.

NEWSMONGER DIES IN PLUNGE

TRUCK WRECKAGE STREWN DOWN MOUNTAIN

The truck which he drove to his death strewn in bits down the side of Abernethy mountain, after a drop of 100 feet or more toward the next "fall," Herbert Newsum, 26 years old, was instantly killed at 9:30 o'clock Saturday morning at Melvin.

It was reported here that Mr. Newsum, approaching Wheelwright Junction from the top of the mountain, lost control of the truck which then went into the ditch at the upper side of the road, struck the cliff and bounded across the highway and over the edge of the roadside to the declivity below.

Body of the victim was not found until around daylight, more than three hours later. It was said here that a report reaching Coroner Elliott Prater to the effect that foul play was involved resulted in an investigation. The coroner, who is Dr. W. D. Osborne, Byro, held that Newsum died of a fractured skull. It was said that he also suffered numerous bruises and a broken neck but that there were no evidences of knife or gunshot wounds.

IT'S A BOY!

Announcement is made of the birth Monday, August 6, at the Methodist hospital, Pikeville, to County Attorney and Mrs. Forrest D. Shorr of a fine 8 1/2-pound son, Mrs. Shorr is the former Miss Goldia Porter, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Porter, of Allen. The babe has been named Larry Douglas, he and his mother are doing fine, and the County Attorney's office Tuesday was headquarters for cigars.

ROADS ASS'N ADOPTS SLOGAN

ARNOLD, SHORT, POW SPEAK AT MEET

"Good Roads—A Better Floyd County" was adopted as the slogan of the Floyd County Good Roads Association at the second meeting of the organization, held at the Martin high school last Friday evening. The colors, red, white and blue, will be used in the make-up of all advertising; letterheads and membership cards will be white with blue lettering predominating. The words "FLOYD COUNTY" will be emblazoned in bold type; centered across these words will be "Good Roads Association" in red.

Three speakers on the program Friday evening: Mayor E. F. Arnold, Prestonsburg; George Pow, Wayland, and County Attorney Forrest D. Shorr, of Prestonsburg. Highlights of Mr. Arnold's address were:

"Floyd county should have all-year-round roads before so many of the highways are built in other parts of the state. . . . The only exit this section has, via Louisa, is a disgrace. . . . The highway road is in such condition Weeksbury, Wheelwright and surrounding communities are shut off from the rest of the county. Co-operation is the only way our county will ever get anything. Our county officials are ready to do all that is possible, but they cannot accomplish what should be done

\$25,000 SPENT BY DANIEL ON INSTITUTION

NURSERY INCLUDED IN FACILITIES OF HOSPITAL

Dr. D. H. Daniel Wednesday opened the Prestonsburg General hospital at West Prestonsburg at a total cost of \$25,000, but the opening was quiet, without fanfare.

"We are merely beginning work," said Dr. Daniel. "I have brought two patients here from Paintsville, the others have been discharged and I am now ready to serve Floyd and surrounding counties with a modern hospital."

As quietly as that Prestonsburg's first hospital has had its opening.

The formal opening will come later. The hospital, which includes an addition to the old Herford home at West Prestonsburg, contains 23 stories, will accommodate 50 patients in addition to a nursery of 100-basinet capacity. Dr. Daniel said.

With the opening of the institution, Dr. Daniel invited the medical profession to feel free to bring their own patients to the hospital and treat them as their own.

"In other words," said Dr. Daniel, "our hospital is to be operated on the 'open staff' plan, with any qualified physician being given access to our facilities, his patients to remain his own."

Offices, storage rooms and similar features of the modern hospital are located in the basement of the structure. The operating room is on the second floor. Insulation in the construction of the building has rendered its interior sound-proof, and all openings have been made practically noiseless.

Dr. Daniel will devote most of his time to hospital work and surgery, it is announced. He began the practice of his profession in 1908 and took post-graduate work in gynecology and sur-

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Court House Happenings

SUITS FILED

Dr. Adams vs. I. N. Stephens; Clarke and Francis, attys. Bonnie Hopkins vs. Alto Lovely; W. W. Reynolds, atty. State Finance Co. vs. Ed Stueben and Amos; James J. D. Bond, atty. First National Bank vs. Penn Fitzpatrick, etc.; Combs and Combs, attys. Jessie M. Hampt vs. Inland Steel Co.; J. S. Shafer, atty. Willie Goodman et al. vs. C. and O. Railway Co.; Bond and Bond, attys. West Publishing Co. vs. Claude Stephens (appeal); C. P. Stephens, atty. Maggie Dotson et al. vs. Lewis Burgett et al. (appeal); Joe Hobson, atty. Edith Trimbles Lilly vs. Randolph Lilly; Joe P. Tackett, atty. Leonard Hall vs. Commonwealth of Kentucky (appeal).

MARRIAGE LICENSES

John Rice, 20, Allen, and Zella Reynolds, 17, Allen; marriage solemnized by the Rev. Isaac Stratton, Prentiss Baptist Church, Allen, August 21. Harold Varner, 22, Drift, and Helen Northrup, 17, Drift; marriage solemnized by the Rev. Perry Sutton, Church of God, Drift, August 22. Agnes Wilton, Jr., and Helen Frances Vanhose, Henry Smith and Susie Johnson, Leonard Cole and Rose Ellen Bates, Cecil Helton, West Prestonsburg, and Maxine Prater, 18, Cole; marriage solemnized by the Rev. C. R. Fannin, Assembly of God Church, West Prestonsburg, August 24. Milt McKinney, 64, Grethel, and Beckie Ann Rose, 39, Prestonsburg; marriage solemnized by Justice of the Peace, Daniel Akers, Prestonsburg, August 24. Isaac Childers, 34, Auxier, and Myrtle Goble, 23, Auxier; marriage solemnized by the Rev. W. H. Horne, Freewill Baptist Church, Auxier, August 24. Ashland Gayheart and Minnie Richie, H. Prater and Pearl Braddock. GUARDIAN BOND Zella May Castle, gdn. of Ernestine Castle.

American Legion Drive For Enrollment Begins

T. M. Hayden, department adjutant, American Legion, Floyd Post, No. 129, is making an appeal to the post to begin at once its membership enrollment for 1941.

If the enrollment is completed by November 11, Armistice Day, Mr. Hayden explains, the organization will be able to devote the major portion of the coming year to various other activities.

CASH IN with a **TIMES** Classified ad.

SHIKE'S POKES

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

I've always been taught that seeing a ball flying at you is a bad thing, and seeing the play-off between the Big Sandy and the Beaver Valley League, here's my opinion—the Auxier team is the greatest when the chips are down. Didn't they beat us when we went into the ninth with a three-run lead? Wheelwright has a fine team but if they had been in the Beaver Valley League they would have been lucky to have been among the first three. According to the "experts" in the Big Sandy, every pitch that a B.-V. pitcher tossed would have been rattled off the boards—yet a 16-year-old kid, Burgess, from Coal Run, held the highly touted sluggers to three hits (two of them scratches) in six innings. I think the Big Sandy League teams did like the American League did during the last three years when playing the Yankees—they just gave up before the game was played. In the B.-V. League they had to play them out and no ball game is won until three are out in the ninth.

Wheelwright won a hard-earned victory from Auxier in the finals at Allen, but I yet retain with no disparagement toward Auxier's pitchers) that, with Drift's pitching staff, Auxier could win five out of seven from Wheelwright. Just comparing the teams, man to man, Curritte could catch for my money any day over Manny Evans on third, while not near the slugger that Hensley is, can get balls easily that "Powerhouse" couldn't get to; Ty Cobb Montgomery is as far ahead of Logan on short as FDR is of WW; while Bickford is just a better sotten more baseball than Wheelwright's first baseman will ever know "Red" Bickford has no peer in the outfield in the Big Sandy League. Here's a warning—I don't want any of you fellows in the Big Sandy to yell about the "Little League" any more. Just remember you were lucky to eke out a one-run victory over an average team of the Beaver Valley League. Remember, too, that Wheelwright's star pitcher was sent to the showers long before the game was over.

Hey, here! What's happened to our "Star" Beaver Creek Hunters—that City Slicker from Knoxville, Tenn., seems to be showing 'em up.

The biggest piece of political bug-a-boo was pulled by the Pike County News when they were against Johnson for Governor and then came out with an editorial supporting Zach. (This is going to the Pike County News—wonder if they will print it?)

Hey, Doug Hays! I still think you owe me a buck over the FDR endorsement?

Subscriptions are coming in kinda slow for Fortune Magazine. The Liberty Digest debate sure hurt business.

TO ANDY COX (AND THE ARGUMENT CONTINUES)

So you know all the answers—I batted five times, did I? I feel sure that anyone knows that when a team only getting five hits and two bases on balls, even the top of the batting order was only four times up. But I was batting in sixth position and batted five times?? If I did bat five times, you let me get by with batting twice out of turn.

My opinion of your umpiring is common knowledge and we could argue all summer and not get anywhere; and besides, if I were the only one who had a different opinion, you let me get by with batting twice out of turn.

STEPHENS INITIATED INTO FRAT

Claybourne Stephens, principal of Prestonsburg high school, was among a group of educators to be recently initiated into Alpha Nu chapter of Phi Delta Kappa, national professional fraternity for men in education on the campus of the University of Kentucky, Lexington. All those initiated into this group are in attendance at the University's summer session.

Card of Thanks

We wish to thank all who aided and assisted us during the sickness and death of our son, also we thank the ministers for their consoling words in our hour of sorrow, and all those who were so kind in lending their cars in the transportation to and from the hospital. We also thank the teachers who dismissed school and showed their respect for us.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Prasare and family
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player kicking well, everyone would think I was just umpire baiting. So I have interviewed the players on both teams personally, and with witnesses present, and I have their comments. One thing, Andy, you learned that the batter's box was six feet long and doesn't end at the foul line like you say, either—the Tzealka and the Coal Run fans were the maddest. The Tzealka boys came to us and apologized, saying they couldn't help it and that they got some bad calls, too.

You see, Andy, I could have been wrong and just wanted to argue but the fellows whose statements show couldn't all be wrong and, as for our ball club, I'll just refer you to the other teams in the League: Coal Run, Mervin, Harold, Wheelwright, and Boldman.

And just to prove my point in a game with Wheelwright, McSurley slid into second and was called out, but McSurley got up and walked out, saying the second baseman did tab him. The same play happened in a game with Coal Run. We all play well and we all like to play baseball and you won't ever have an argument if the calls are even close.

And as for three-year-old Junior—he will not attempt to umpire until he knows the length of the batter's box. My hitting didn't have anything to do with the umpiring—the pitcher was seeing to that—but, Andy, I drove in Drift's only run in the ninth, and we had seven men on base—one scored, six left—and I was sixth in the batting order, yet you say I batted five times.

CARD OF THANKS

We thank all who aided us in our bereavement upon the death of our dear wife, mother, daughter and sister, Mrs. Fanny Ratliff. To the Ryan Funeral Home for its efficient services, the doctors and nurses of the Beaver Valley hospital for kind and attentive care, the Revs. M. C. Wright, Hager Ousley and Alex Stephens for their words of comfort we are particularly indebted.

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Cold Spring (School News)

The following pupils of the Cold Spring school, near Runer, have made honor roll for the first month of an average grade of B and are on the school:

First grade—Eula M. Stephens, Norma Jean Ousley, Ida Mae Ousley.
Second grade—Aronelle Ousley.
Third grade—Sam Hancock Jr.
Fourth grade—Sherman Gibson, Virginia B. Hale.
Fifth grade—Rubin Stephens.
Sixth grade—Esther Ousley, Verma

Mae Hale, Eva Mae Ousley, Seventh grade—Edith Mae Ousley, Trilbe Ousley.

Our school was visited during the third week of the term by Henry Martin, supervisor.

We have organized a Story Hour Club which will meet on the third day of each month at 2:30 p.m. The club invites all parents to be present at these meetings.

Much interest was attracted in Campbell county by demonstrations on how to cull poultry for breeding purposes.

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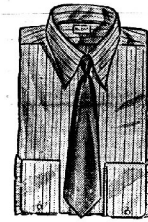
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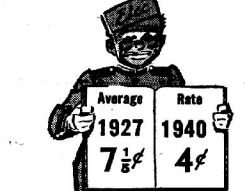
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It seems fair lady doesn't seem to have a care in the world and probably wouldn't be interested, but Ernest might be tempted to use one of the oars on us, if we could broadcast to him the reminder that no matter how hard he labors, no man can equal the work of a kilowatt-hour in a day, with his muscles alone . . .

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Briar Buck's Scratches

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NATIONAL CRISIS

It's a sad, sad life—that of the Army Generals. Not only have they had to contend with a bunch of bickering Congressmen, a sometimes hostile Public Opinion, and the non-cooperation of war industries, but now they've lost the services of one of the fightingest men within the entire ranks of the nation's armed forces. Yep, he came home last week—it's "Beapole"!!

ADAM LAZONKES

Talk about a courtin' man, there's a fellow around these parts who, alone, can keep Dan Cupid working three shifts and then be heard with his work. Though this is his second hitch at the great game, he loses no chances and misses no cues.

He receives mushy-love missives from one lassie in Wayland, another from Huysville, three from Pikeville, and another victim from Elkhorn City. More power to you, brother. Your formula is worth a fortune!!

REFUGEE PROBLEM—

MANY HOMELESS

Judging from reports, there's going to be a serious refugee problem right here at the Forks of Beaver. With the WPA-stores, destroyed their homes, playgrounds, and feeding places, it looks like the mosquitoes and flies will have to get out and scratch for a living next season.

Jonathan Fitzpatrick's "Happyway" boys have been spending some time and doing a lot of good here in Martin building shoulders to the road and smoothing down the bumps. But as for the Left Beaver road—well, you tell 'em Shiker!!

POP & STUFF

G. W. (Red George) Allen, the new Old Age Pension man, pluto-ed (passed through) the village last week, busy with his new duties... Prestonsburg's Charlie Crum is running the Pure Oil station... "Ducky" Vincent is buying right-of-way for the new pipe-line... Roy Denny and boss were down last week... I think he "minds" pretty well... Blay is home now, and "Fal-Bill" is getting up earlier... Lawrence Keathley's rat-tail show was a squeaking success, but only at the expense of many rodent lives!

O, CAPTAIN, MY CAPTAIN!

They carried him to home, speechless and nearly unconscious, Saturday. The family fearfully gathered around and either sent for or notified the remaining members to come at once. One doctor, after a thorough examination, couldn't decide what was wrong. Another medico was called, and immediately arrived at the conclusion that the sick one had been stricken with the dread scarlet fever. The children were quieted and ordered to stay away from the patient, while the doctors arranged to get him to the hospital. Meanwhile the family doctor, the kind to be called in on the case, had arrived and begun his diagnosis. The true symptoms were quickly recognized, and as the good doctor straightened up from his examination, he said: "Well, 'Osp, it looks like you got hold of the wrong bootlegger!"

TRANSPORTATION PROBLEM

Oh, Romeo, Red Bill and Jobie had a very strenuous trip to the Queen City over the week-end, but there seems to have been some slight misunderstanding between them and transportation. Anyway, Jobie returned alone while the other three arrived early Monday morning, slightly tired and very much peeved!

LIGON

(Last week's correspondence)

Miss Helen Stewart is home after attending summer school at Betsy Layne.

Mrs. Lawrence Gilliam gave a birthday dinner Sunday in honor of her husband's 28th birthday. Those who were invited were: Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Meade, Mr. and Mrs. Talbert Gilliam, Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Newsome, of Melvin, Mrs. Trammel Stone and Mr. Gilliam's mother, Mrs. Sherman Gilliam.

Mrs. Robert Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Akers, Miss Lucy Lucas and James Lucas spent Sunday with their brother, Hansel Lucas, of Prestonsburg.

Miss Vera Walker has returned home after spending the past several months in North Carolina.

Miss Ethel Pennington left Saturday morning for West Virginia, where she will visit friends and relatives.

IN LOUISVILLE

George Cohen, manager of the Leader Store, was in Louisville this week on business and pleasure.

FROM LEXINGTON

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Davidson and son, Billy Craves, of Lexington, are visiting his mother, Mrs. S. P. Davidson.

MAYTOWN

PERSONALS

Mrs. Jimmie Damper and small daughter, Mary Elizabeth, of New Brown, Miss., who are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Mike Staley, of Lackey, were guests of Mrs. Damper's sister, Mrs. Lillie Salisbury, on Sunday.

Mrs. V. A. Hayes spent Sunday afternoon with Mrs. Oscar Webb, of Lackey.

Miss Lucretia Osborne, Joe Dyer and Romer G. Osborne, Jr., have returned from Allegan, Mich., where they spent a part of their vacation with Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Dyer.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank May and daughter, Opal May, motored to Grundy, Va., Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Webb and Mrs. S. B. May, also Mrs. Lizzie Webb, of Garrett, attended the May reunion near Salversville Sunday.

Sheriff and Mrs. Dial Salisbury and children are spending two weeks in Iowa, guests of Chas. Salisbury and family.

Mrs. Roger Stewart and baby, Stella Anne, returned home from the Methodist hospital, Pikeville, on Friday.

Mrs. W. A. Stewart visited her granddaughter in the Pikeville hospital Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Holmes Prater, of Ann Arbor, Mich., were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Patrick. They were accompanied to Fort Valley, Ga., Mr. Prater's home, by his mother, Mrs. Pearl Prater, and sister, Miss Anne Prater, the latter having been guests of Mr. and Mrs. Patrick for a while.

Miss Ernestine Balley underwent a tonsillectomy in the Patterson hospital Saturday. Her friend, Miss Helen Sutton, remained overnight with her.

Little Miss Billy Frances Jarrell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Jarrell, had her tonsils removed at the Martin General hospital last week.

Mrs. Jack Ryan and Miss Opal May spent Tuesday of last week in Pikeville.

Misses Irma, Joyce and Beryl Stewart and Virginia Lee Newsome motored to Pikeville Thursday to see Mrs. Roger Stewart and baby.

Master Ned May entertained a large group of young friends to a wicker roast on Thursday evening at Buffalo Gap.

BIRTHDAY PARTY

Mr. and Mrs. Orville Horner were hosts to a delightful birthday party in honor of their eldest daughter, Miss Jean Horner, Saturday evening, when she celebrated her seventeenth birthday. Many young friends of the honoree were present to enjoy the games and dancing, after which Miss Horner opened her lovely gifts. Mrs. Horner and her daughter, Miss Christine Horner, served dainty refreshments at a late hour.

MAYTOWN WOMAN'S CLUB

The Woman's Club met August 16 with Mrs. C. C. Newsome, Mrs. E. R. May presiding. Mrs. Frank May, chairman of the Department of Spiritual Rearmament, had charge of the program and presented an interesting article by Dorothy Thompson, after which a round table discussion of International Affairs and the Conservation Bill followed. The next meeting will be with Mrs. John May on Saturday, September 14, at 2:30 o'clock, with the department of American Homes in charge of the program. Mrs. W. A. Stewart, chairman. The hostess served a delicious dessert course, assisted by her daughter, Miss Betty Newsome. (The talk scheduled to be made by Rev. Newsome was postponed because he was ill in the hospital at the time of the meeting).

SENIOR LEAGUE

The Senior League will have a discussion on "Giving Time, Talents and Money," Sunday at 7 p. m., led by Miss Helen Sutton. Everyone is invited to attend. Adults are asked to be present for the community song service, led by Mrs. Thomas Patrick at 7:30. At this meeting of the League the president, Miss Rachel May, will appoint a nominating committee to meet during September with the pastor and the League director, to nominate officers for election to be held early in October.

Martin-Allen Split Doubleheader

Martin, late-comers in the Big Sandy League, split a doubleheader with Allen Saturday, 7-6 and 1-5, on the Allen diamond.

Carl Osborne, ace southpaw, went the full nine innings for Martin, with Garden Dinger behind the plate, for their first win in the Big Sandy division. Bill Buck Sherman and John Kloss hurried for Allen, with Brannham catching.

In the second game, the Beaver lads were unable to conquer Chester Patton's side-arm at the plate, and consequently went down to a 5-1 defeat. Elmo Prater caught the second game for Allen. Martin battery: Conley and Turner on the mound, Dugas catching.

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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-aid-home policy followed by merchants and customers alike. 5. Full co-operation by all county and city officials, insisting that lawmakers and enforcement officers themselves obey the law to the letter. 6. Continuance of the Floyd county health department and the county agricultural agent work.

"DARK AND BLOODY" FOR HTLER

THE FLOYD COUNTY TIMES has never denied that its people are a hot-headed breed, quick on the draw, cursed with an inordinate love for deadly weapons.

It has never denied that we have some log-cabins in these hills, and it has never heaped contumely on those who reside in those cabins.

It has never "chewed the rag" between "knt" and "nnt". It has never forewarned our feudist tradition.

But it here and now "POINTS WITH PRIDE" TO THE RECORD OF KENTUCKY-A RECORD FOR OTHER STATES TO TRY TO EQUAL.

Former P'burg Resident Dies At Paintsville After Brief Illness

R. E. Thomas, safety inspector for the Works Progress Administration, and former resident of Prestonsburg, died August 21 at his Paintsville home following an illness of a month. He was 48 years old.

A native of Wellston, O., Mr. Thomas came to this section 23 years ago, and for 18 years was an employe of the North-East Coal Company at Audler. While connected with the Works Progress Administration, he resided about Paintsville, Ky., and during that time won the regard of a host of acquaintances.

He was married, December 23, 1914, to Miss Cora Mauds, and of this union one son and three daughters survive: Helen Irene, Carol Roberta, Mildred Louise and Ernest Archer Thomas, all of Paintsville. He was a member of the Methodist Church and of the Masonic Order.

Funeral rites were conducted Friday afternoon from the Mayo Memorial Church, Paintsville, the pastor, the Rev. Guy Coffman, officiating. Burial was made in the Wells cemetery at Bridgeford, near Paintsville.

Four Floyd Counties Receive Degrees From U. of K.

More than 250 students received degrees at the annual summer school commencement exercises held Friday evening, August 23, at the University of Kentucky. This is one of the largest groups of students ever to be graduated from a University of Kentucky summer session.

Among the students who were graduated from Floyd county are: Mabel Mattia Wells, Bachelor of Arts in Education, Auxier; Scott Compton Osborn, Master of Arts, Martin; and Monroe Wicker, Master of Arts in Education, Martin.

Dr. Harry Clark, superintendent of schools at Knoxville, Tenn., delivered the commencement address at the tenth annual summer school exercises, which were held at 7 p. m. in the Memorial Hall amphitheatre on the University campus. His subject was, "Two Kinds of Lion-Killers." Dr. George V. Moore, Transylvania College dean, was scheduled to give the invocation and benediction, and Dr. Jesse Adams, director of the summer session, presided.

PIANO STUDENTS GIVE PROGRAM AT GARRETT

Garrett, Ky. (Sp.)—Those who attended the piano recital at Garrett Sunday afternoon agreed that the vicinity of Wayland, Lackey and Garrett had enough competent pianists for all the schools, churches and other organizations in need of them.

The students taking part in the well-received recital at Garrett were: Homer Kazee, Eleanor Far Castle, Norma Leslie, Betty Kazee, Betty Roche, Barbara Ford, Joyce Basnett, Helen Stratton, Hope Francis.

Fugitive Is Returned By Deputy Sheriff

Deputy Sheriff Wm. Hagans returned to this county last week from Beaver Creek youth who was charged with arson in the burning of Hiram Salisbury's home at Hunter, early this year, and of cutting the owner of the home on the same night.

Young Salisbury was named as the man seen fleeing from the grounds surrounding the flaming home. Shortly afterward, one of the home is said to have pursued Moore and Hiram, who had accused him of the crime. The cutting followed, authorities said.

West Prestonsburg Revival to End Sunday Eve

The revival at the Assembly of God, West Prestonsburg, will end with Sunday night services after extending large crowds heard the Rev. G. R. West and J. W. Carr deliver sermons of deep interest, the Rev. G. R. Fanning, pastor of the church, said Tuesday.

Last Sunday evening's service, which was attended by a large crowd, was the occasion for the dedication of infants, six babies being dedicated to religion.

East Point Teacher Killed in Wreck In Johnson

Willard Selvaige, East Point, 20 years school, died shortly after sustaining a fractured skull in an automobile wreck Saturday night, five miles below Paintsville, on the Paintsville-Louisiana road.

Mr. Selvaige, one of Johnson county's finest young men, formerly was a student at Caney Creek Junior College. He was an acquaintance of many Floyd county students of that school. He was a passenger in an auto driven by Carl Rice, Stambaugh, Ky., at the time of the wreck. His other companions, Charles Young and Ham Burnett, Jr., both of Stambaugh, escaped with minor hurts.

Surviving him are his brother, Russell, and his sisters, Ruth and Maxine, both of East Point. Funeral rites were conducted Tuesday afternoon from the Church of Christ, East Point, by the Rev. S. C. Honeycutt officiating. Burial was made in the family cemetery.

George Fuller, 34, Wayland, Dies Saturday

George Fuller, Jr., 34, office employe of the Elk Horn Coal Corporation, Wayland, succumbed at the Beaver Valley hospital, Martin, Saturday, the victim of endocarditis. Surviving are his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George S. Fuller; his widow, Mrs. Edith Fuller, two brothers and two sisters. The body was prepared by the Ryan Funeral Home and taken to Norton, Va., Monday, where burial was made.

That is the record of "The Dark and Bloody Ground" in supplying the United States Army with volunteers for the defense of our country, including this state and others. Our distance wax more powerful and daily offer a greater threat to our national security.

AND FLOYD AND THOSE OTHER MOUNTAINED MOUNTAIN COUNTIES ARE SUPPLYING THE MEN WHO SLAYEAT KENTUCKY, IN THE EYES OF THE NATION, TO THE EXALTED POSITION OF A HOT-BED OF PATRIOTISM.

Can you newspapermen of the cities say as much for your communities? Are you city-bred men answering the call of the Colors as are our men of the Mountains? Only Texas ranks alongside Kentucky in this respect.

Following Kentucky is the entire Southland—far ahead of the North in the response of young men volunteering for service wherever their country's flag may take them.

Thickly-populated sections, meanwhile, lag far behind in supplying volunteers for our military forces. There are certain capitalists, also, who are said to be approaching with all manner of materials which the country so badly needs. It is said that they want to know what their tax bills will be before "going the limit" in the National Defense Program. (What would happen to me, a country newspaper editor, if the government is ailing station, were to demand of the government a guarantee that our businesses would flourish during our absence before answering our country's call to arms?)

No, you who look on Kentuckians as humans a-hungerin' and a-thirstin' for a fight, we have not answered the country's need in this emergency because we are blood-thirsty. We have no desire to fire a gun which may kill a shell twenty or forty or sixty miles and hurt somebody who never have seen, maybe some woman or child. Our grudges are more personal and more righteous, at least in our own eyes, than that.

The fact is we of the "old-time stock," "independent as a hog on ice," "hating dictators and all those who would under any other guise try to tell us where we get on or, are true lovers of liberty.

And we are civilized in that higher, finer type of civilization—imbued with the belief that we should give and give and give for the kind of government under which our forefathers have lived and died, and under which we now are given the high privilege of carrying on.

ATTEND DAVIDSON RITES

Among those from a distance who attended the funeral of James M. Davidson were: Dr. and Mrs. W. J. Hill, Stone, Ky.; Jack Hill, J. H. McClure, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. George Hereford, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Mullins, Mr. and Mrs. Andy Hatcher, all on Pikeville; Mr. and Mrs. Minnie Hatcher, Dr. and Mrs. G. L. Prichard, Mrs. Johnny Roberts, of Harrod; Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Taylor, Ashland; Mrs. J. H. McClure, Sr., G. W. Shivel, of Gallup; Mr. and Mrs. Lee Hall, John Frazer, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Hall, Smith, and Mr. and Mrs. Blaine Smith, all of Johnson County; Mr. and Mrs. Louis Delaney, Whitesburg; Mrs. Louise Delaney, Whitesburg; Mrs. Everett Adair, Whitesburg; Mrs. Fred Hurl, Goldsboro; Mr. and Mrs. Endicott, Josephine Hill, of Banner; Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hinchman, Huntington; Mr. and Mrs. Emma Hatcher, of Allen; Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Hatfield, Melvin; Mrs. Stella Ward, Pikeville; Mr. and Mrs. Louis Keeton, Whitesburg; Mr. and Mrs. Jack Ribble, New York; Mrs. G. S. Selver, Paintsville; Mr. and Mrs. Joe Cooley, Pikeville; Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Minton, Centerville; Pikeville; Carl Centers, Ives.

"Boom-Town" 4-Star Feature at Liberty When a motion picture company takes a great human-interest story, more thrilling than the screen has seen in years, and a group of stars, comprising Clark Gable, Spencer Tracy, Claudette Colbert and Hedy Lamarr, and put all that into one picture, it can't go wrong. Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer did that and more with "Boom-Town," which opens Sunday at the Liberty Theater, Pikeville. The recipe cooked up can truthfully be termed the greatest screen entertainment of the year.

NOTICE Mrs. A. Kilburn, Garrett, Ky., is making application to the Floyd County Court for permit to operate a D. H. residence in her location at Garrett, Ky., and publishes this notice in accordance with state law. 8-29-46

FOR SALE—A 272-acre farm located in the head of the branch at Jump, Ky., on Left Beaver Creek. On this farm there is a nice lot of young timber. Terms: Cash. For price and other information write to: NICODEMUS MARTIN, Route 4, Trenton, Tenn. 8-27-46 pd.

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REWARD I will pay liberal reward for the return of a Physician's Automobile Emblem stolen from my office. 8-28-46 DR. G. D. CALLAHAN

REWARD I will pay liberal reward for the return of the automobile license, pressure instrument, now missing since August 10. O. T. STEPHENS M. D.

PERSONALS

SEE BIRD PLAY Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Owen and Mrs. Dickie, and Sheridan Kasse and Charles Moore spent the week-end in Cincinnati.

IN FLORIDA Mr. and Mrs. Ralph T. Archer are vacationing at Daytona, Florida.

ATTENDS SALES Arthur O. Carter returned last week from Flint, Mich., where he attended a sales convention of the Buick Motor Company.

RETURNS FROM HOSPITAL County Agent S. L. Lebel returned Monday from a Paintsville hospital, where he has been a patient as the result of an infected hand.

MR. MRS. STUMBO HERE Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Stumbo, of Middlesboro, returned Saturday here, guests of J. B. Jones. This was Mrs. Stumbo's first visit to Prestonsburg since the auto wreck, a few months ago, in which she was seriously injured. During his stay here, Mr. Stumbo was visited by many friends who were gratified by his apparent return to health.

VISIT AT ALLEN Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Maggard and daughters, Sallie and Ruth Ann, of Frankfort, are guests this week of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Stephens, of Allen.

FROM BALTIMORE Y. Harmon of Baltimore, is visiting friends and relatives in the county this week.

Returns from Virginia Beach Atty. LeRoy C. Conner returned last week from Virginia Beach, where he spent a fortnight vacationing.

D.A.R. MEETING Daughters of the American Revolution from Districts 5 and 8 will meet at their annual session at Pikeville September 10-12, 1946. The session was announced this week by Mrs. O. T. Stephens. The meeting will be held at the Pikeville Presbyterian Church.

VISITS BROTHER Harvey Howard was in Huntington Tuesday to visit his brother, Roscoe, who is a patient in the Veterans' Hospital.

ON BUSINESS E. J. Dentler, field manager for Beckly-Cardy Co., Chicago, was in business visit here this week.

TRADE PROPERTY R. Taylor and F. P. Howard last week effected a real estate trade in Pikeville. The property was located on property on Westminster street here to one of Mr. Taylor's farms on Cow Creek.

RETURNS FROM HOSPITAL James Carter, son of Ex-Mayor and Mrs. A. C. Carter, returned home Friday from the Christian Hospital, a place where he recently underwent an appendectomy.

ATTEND CONFERENCE Miss Mary L. Kirk, social worker, Mrs. Ruth S. Roberts, referral agent, and Miss Ollie Jarvis, clerk for referral agent, attended a social conference in Ashland Friday. The conference was conducted by Mrs. Viola Prior, who is connected with Social Service Staff in Louisville.

Medical Society Holds Meeting at Lackey Hospital

The Perry County Medical Society held its monthly meeting, August 12, at the Stumbo Memorial hospital, Lackey, and entertained at a banquet by Dr. and Mrs. Stumbo. A number of Perry county doctors were present, as well as those from Floyd and Knott counties. A roundtable discussion was held on the subject, "The Duties of a Doctor Over His Patient." Present were Dr. S. B. Snider, Dr. Dana Snider, Dr. B. M. Bevan, Dr. Morgan, Dr. J. M. Ray, Dr. and Mrs. B. B. Baker, Dr. Jackson, Dr. J. E. Hoxan, Dr. K. N. Salvers, president of the Perry County Medical Society, Dr. D. D. Turner, Dr. Collins, all of Perry county; Dr. and Mrs. W. L. Stumbo, Lackey; Dr. and Mrs. J. W. Duke, Hindman; Dr. and Mrs. Kelly Hindman; Dr. and Mrs. Edmond D. Wells, Martin; Dr. and Mrs. T. J. Chandler, Lackey; Dr. and Mrs. M. M. Collins, Lackey; Dr. and Mrs. Allen, Martin; Dr. M. V. Wicker, Martin; Dr. Marvin Ransdell, Prestonsburg; Dr. and Mrs. Frank Norman, Frank Ransack and daughter, Garrett; G. D. Ryan, Thurman Lemaster, Martin; Arthur C. Carter, Prestonsburg.

The dinner was planned and directed by Mrs. T. J. Chandler, Mrs. Edmond D. Wells, Mrs. J. W. Duke, Mrs. M. W. Anderson, Mrs. Della Hill and Laura Collier. Members of the Medical Society and guests were entertained by the nurses of the Beaver Valley and Stumbo Memorial hospitals. Dr. B. S. Walden acted as toastmaster.

CASH IN with a TIMES Classified ad.

BILL HENRY SAYS:

GOODNESS OF PAID-PAID That trusty, old lantern hanging from a nail in the wall on the back porch, for rural Floyd county will soon join the "Old Coker Bucket" and the "Old Gray Mare" soon, with the flip of a switch the farmhouse will be just as bright with light as its "city cousin" the battery will be lit up like the village corner drugstore.

No more side-stepping and "goat, I hit that to go; up branch roads that only its way into the sparsely settled sections via a farmers co-operative. Back in the hills just as far as you would like to go; up branch roads that only a sure-footed animal can travel—all will be reached by miles upon miles of slender, light-lightening wires. Those who have waited years for the job to be done by some one else found that a way through co-operation with their neighbors. The government is going into partnership with this co-operative, just long enough for it to get established on a sound footing and then the "child" will be on its own.

The co-operative movement is no guessing new; there is no guess-work about it. In the Old World it has been going for five centuries. In the United States there are many thousands of separate units doing an annual business of millions of dollars.

In Floyd county the Farmers' Co-operative will reach the sections where it has been impossible for the Kentucky West Virginia Power Company to install lines, and where, according to officials of the power company, it would be many years before they could profitably go into the field. The extent of the future success of both the

Wayland, Wheelwright Are Represented At Convention

Between 40 and 50 persons from the Wayland and Wheelwright Churches of Christ attended the Christian Brotherhood convention held at the West Van Lear church, Friday, Saturday and Sunday. Delegates from as far away as Palmetto, Ga., Barksdale, Va., and Mills Falls, Va., contributed to the large crowds which were present during the three days. Nobles, Hobbs, Wayland, said.

Presiding at the convention was Dewey Sargent, Wayland, singing in charge of Miss Hazel Lett, dean of women at the Christian Normal Institute, Grayson.

Elders Dewey Sargent, Wayland, and C. McCloud, Garrett, and Evangelist Roy Fishman were named to plan next year's convention, which will be held during the last week of August. Plans are being made for a Jew's Creek service camp at Fish Trap, near Paintsville, this to be followed by a three-day convention at a church to be selected by the committee.

Gillespie Begins Pen Sentence

Taken to the state reformatory at LeGrange last week by Deputy Sheriff Wm. Hagans was John Gillespie, Arkansas Creek, who was convicted in September, 1939, of the slaying in his community of Bert Conn, and given a four-year penitentiary sentence. Following his sentence, and given a new trial, Gillespie lost an eye and suffered other serious gunshot wounds at the hands, he alleged, of a kinsman of Conn.

THE MARTIN-BEAVER CO-OPERATIVE BUSINESS ASSOCIATION

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BACK TO SCHOOL

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Roads Association Adopts Slogan

(Continued from page one) without the co-operation of the people... An organization such as the FLOYD COUNTY GOOD ROADS ASSOCIATION is the only way to assure this county the good roads it should have had many years ago.

"The time has come for action, all of us should get together, forget politics and work for what is good for Floyd county." "The county officers," County Attorney Forrest D. Short said, "will co-operate in every way... I have been assured by officials of the State Highway Commission that work on the first six miles of the Left Beaver road will start within 10 days... I believe that in this organization we have laid the groundwork for not only assuring a county-wide network of good roads, but other things which will make Floyd county bigger and better."

A committee was named to recommend a list of names to be voted on by the members present at the meeting for the board of directors. This committee consisted of E. P. Arnold, B. F. Reed, George Pow and Forrest D. Short. The list of names reported by the committee and unanimously elected were:

H. B. McKelip, Weeksbury; E. R. Price, Wheelwright; Charles Stewart, Ligon; Charles Moore, McDowell; T. J. Allen, Martin; W. W. Cooley, Maytown; E. J. Robinson, Drift; Rudolph Spencer, Central; J. M. Turner, Wayland; W. A. Malone, Allen; Dr. Ralph Allen, Martin; J. W. Howard, Prestonburg; Perry Orider, German; E. F. Hill, Central; Jennie Wells, Auxler; Sam Hale, Blue River; James Morell, Prestonburg; Herman Porter, Allen; E. P. Arnold and W. H. Wheeler, Prestonburg. Directors will be added to the board from time to time to assure a complete representation of every section of the county.

The president of the association, Mayor Arnold, issued a call for a meeting of the board of directors on Wednesday evening, September 4, at 7:30 p. m. The meeting will be held at Mr. Arnold's home in Prestonburg. The object of the meeting is to set dates for future general meetings of the Association, and to map a route in the action in the policies of the organization. For the time being it is planned to spread the places of meetings over the county.

Charter members of the Association are: George Pow, E. A. Rickard, R. E. Akers, George Snodgrass, E. P. Grigby, James Morell, Everett Akers, Bill Malone, S. L. Isbell, E. P. Arnold, W. H. Wheeler, Norman Allen, Victor Glaser, Dr. G. A. Curbertson, J. E. Clarke, Dr. C. L. Hainspiller,

Charles Hughes, Paul Francis, Forrest D. Short, W. W. Cooley, Town Hall, Palmer Hall, R. G. Francis, George Coblen, Dick Layne, Lige Brown, G. C. Spradlin, Richard Spurlock, F. C. Hall, Earl Martin, N. M. White, Jr., Allen, Dr. M. V. Wicker, W. P. Mayo, Charles Milby, T. J. Allen, Frank Friend, Madames Rose May, Emma Edricott, W. W. Cooley, Grace Evelyn Wheeler, and Misses Rebecca Ellis and Mary Harmon.

Membership dues are on a contributory basis. It is the desire of the organization that everyone have an opportunity of becoming a member. Men and young men of high school age, who have the interest of Floyd county at heart, are eligible. It is realized that some can spare only 25 or 50¢. Those who contribute less do so as contributing \$1.45. An annual membership card will be issued to each individual, regardless of any amount contributed from \$5.00 up. These membership cards may be obtained from any member of the board of directors, or from any of the other officers of the organization. (Officers, elected at the first meeting held at Allen, August 16, are: E. P. Arnold, president; Prestonburg; E. A. Rickard, first vice-president; Wheelwright; George Pow, second vice-president; Wayland; W. H. Wheeler, secretary, Prestonburg; Richard Spurlock, treasurer; Prestonburg.) Contributions may be sent by mail, addressed to the Secretary, FLOYD COUNTY GOOD ROADS ASSOCIATION, Box 109, Prestonburg, Ky. A membership card will be sent by return mail.

Cards may also be obtained at McCully Supply Co., Hutsinpiller Drug and Hughes Drug Store.

Folk Festival History Told

(Continued from page one) America, and a later America as well. The festival furnishes a basic, cultural history-time activity program, and presents material which may inspire future artistic creations. The program includes those Old World ways which have been preserved in the western world, particularly the British, Spanish-American and French. Newer songs which have sprung up from the American soil are a permanent feature of the festival. Cowboy ballads from the Southwestern plains, miners' songs, the tall tales of lumberjacks from the great north woods, sea chanteys made and used in the old clipper days by the "before the mast" sailors, negroes work songs, spiritual and living songs from the South, and now Kentucky has come to the front, represented by none other than our very own Floyd county with "Mountain Chanting."

To Miss Knott, the idea came to her while she was directing a theater group in St. Louis, Mo. Many groups of the Old Country came to hear and asked permission to appear on the programs with their folk songs and dances. She thought, "Why not have a national festival, annually to preserve the traditions of early American life." The first festival was held at St. Louis in 1924; the second at Chattanooga, Tenn.; the third at Dallas, Texas; and the fourth in Chicago. The fifth annual festival took place in Washington in 1938 and has been held in that city each year since.

Miss Knott was very enthusiastic when she spoke of the part Floyd county could and should play in the future. "Why not let Floyd county represent the state of Kentucky each year?" she asked. "Why not let the rest of the nation know of the beauty of Kentucky?" She spoke about the state and county festivals that were being held in many of the states. From these the best are selected to go to Washington. From the hundreds of state and county festivals which have sprung up throughout the nation, Miss Knott said, "many folkways long forgotten have been revived."

Miss Knott is a Kentucky girl, having been born at Cayle Ky. One of the members of the National Committee is Dr. Josiah Combs, of the faculty of Texas Tech. University, Ft. Worth, Texas. Mr. Combs is a brother of E. F. and A. B. Combs, Prestonburg, atorneys.

Prestonsburg Hospital Opens

(Continued from page one) gery at the Polytechnic, New York City, and in Chicago. His experience in the field of medicine, aside from his practice in Louisville and the conduct of a hospital there, has included superintendency of Emergency Industrial Hospital, Wolport, Ky.

Dr. Daniel said he found any service necessary as we go along," Dr. Daniel said.

Melvin Fultz, Drift, Is Victim Of Cancer

Funeral services for Melvin Fultz, 34, Drift miner who died at St. Mary's hospital, Huntington, Wednesday of last week after suffering for some time from cancer of the liver, were conducted at Tracy City, Tenn., last Friday afternoon.

He is survived by his father, Doc Fultz, and the brother, Tom, Tracy City; his widow, one daughter, two brothers and two sisters, all of Drift. The body was prepared by the Ryan Funeral home and taken to Tracy City for burial.

WPA Factory Hopes For Floyd Dim, Group Told

Lack of steam-heated quarters and of funds with which to sponsor such a project were the main reasons WPA mattress factory in Floyd county very doubtful, it was said at Thursday evening meeting of the local organization recently for the purpose of assisting in the sponsorship of WPA projects.

A building satisfactory as a location for such an enterprise must be steam-heated, County Judge E. P. Hill, Jr., County Attorney Forrest D. Short, Magistrates Daniel Akers and Joe Prater attended the meeting and expressed their willingness to give all possible co-operation but pointed out that they were not certain funds will be available with which to sponsor the project.

J. J. Hatcher told the meeting that the Pike county WPA factory had offered to sell Floyd county 200 mattresses for only 40¢ a mattress.

DINWOOD

Henry Lewis has returned to his home here after spending several months with relatives in Ohio.

Little Miss Nora Fern Stephens, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Stephens, has been very ill for the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Charley Compton were business visitors in Louisville Friday.

Mrs. M. D. Isaacs returned home from the Beaver Valley hospital Friday evening. She is recovering very nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. Caner Crisp and son, Richard, motored to Pikeville Sunday afternoon. They were accompanied by Vines Isaac and Mr. Crisp's father, Jones Crisp.

G. P. Smith returned to his work here Friday after spending a brief visit with his family in Salliesville, O.

John Compton and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Compton were guests of Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Isaacs Sunday.

Mrs. Roscoe Hayes and children visited friends in Dinwood Monday.

Mrs. Vadie Carter, of Martin, was the guest of her sister, Mrs. Bessie Goble, Wednesday evening.

Carol Prater, of Middle Creek, visited Mr. and Mrs. Ryley Shepherd recently.

Mrs. Elzie Tackett spent several days with relatives on Stephens Branch this week.

Miss Virginia Reynolds and Johnny Moran, of Charleston, W. Va., were visiting friends here during the weekend.

P. D. Allen and N. O. Allen visited their brother, C. S. Allen, of Printer, Sunday.

Clarence Dutton and Millus Rowe were visiting Miss Joanna Smith Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Moore honored their son-in-law with a birthday supper Sunday.

The following were guests of Mrs. Sue Ward Sunday: Misses Joanna Smith, Virginia Reynolds, Billa Jean Ward, Mrs. Wm. Ward, Bobby Dean Ward and Johnny Moran.

Sam P. Dingus and P. M. Fugitt attended the Floyd County Good Roads Association meeting, held at Martin school last Friday evening.

Mike O'Neal has returned from Pittsburgh, Penna., where he has been attending the O'Neal family reunion.

Mr. and Mrs. James Ward, of Warco, were visiting in Dinwood Friday.

Sunday School which is being held every Sunday in the Dinwood schoolhouse at 11 a. m. in connection with the Cagle radio services at 12 noon, is progressing nicely with the aid of G. H. Borders, of Martin, superintendent; Mrs. M. M. May, Mrs. Mike O'Neal, and Mrs. P. M. Fugitt, teachers.

Champ Osborne was in Hindman last week on business.

MARTIN

Mr. and Mrs. Garland Compton, of Gate City, Va., were visiting relatives here over the week-end. They were accompanied home by their daughter, Miss Shirley Compton.

Miss Ruth Osborne visited Cane Creek Junior College last Friday.

A. J. Cox was a business visitor in Hindman Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Damon and family have moved to Weeksbury.

Mrs. George Collins and children, of Calletsburg, are visiting her sister, Mrs. Clyde Stapleton.

Miss Eula Gray Zastliff, of Drift, is visiting Donna Jean Fitzpatrick.

Miss Wilma Mae Arrington has been visiting Carol Walker on Johns Creek.

Mrs. Lola Letherman, of Detroit, is visiting Mrs. Key.

Bill Griffith and A. B. Osborne, Jr. have returned from their vacation.

HERE FROM TEXAS Judge W. P. Leslie and son, William, and daughter, Miss Rosalie, of Eastland, Texas, were here last week.

guests of his sister, Mrs. Kate L. Harris. Judge Leslie is Chief Justice of the Texas Civil Court of Appeals.

Rough Roads Is No Picnic, Huntington Team Discovers

By SHIKEPOKE Drift - Bad roads prevented the Huntington City League team from reaching Drift for there and back Sunday. The team got in contact with the Drift management about 3 o'clock and advised that they were blocked down on the detour in Louisiana and would be unable to reach Drift, so the local club played a team of All-Stars picked from Thekla, Allals and Drift, with the regulars winning, 9-5.

Feature of the afternoon, however, was the picnic lunch served to the players on the grounds of the C. D. Reed home—and did the players do it justice! That Huntington lunch doesn't know what they missed. Smith and Reed carried off honors, as they were the first ones there and the last ones away. Among those present were Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Reed, Mr. and Mrs. Jake Cooley, Team Manager and Mrs. W. L. Reed, Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Reed, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Curt Jones, Mrs. Robert Shay, Buck Ward, Jim Preston, J. D. Daniels, Fred McShirley, Woodrow Castle, Ken Myers, Jim McDowell, Russell Price and, of course, Miss Shikepoke. Henry the Insurance Man Shikepoke, trying to prevent accidents, I guess. Just a few minor accidents marred the "stuffing"—Ken Myers had a hard time getting his feet under and then getting them out from under the table. We got a picture of his spikes for Ripley-or-not. Smully tried to take pictures with a candid camera with the lens toward him, Preston got watermelon seed in his ears. Jake says that if this doesn't

hurt him he's going to eat all he wants next time. I was about to forget J. B. Frailey. I was present in capital letters and he really had a boarding-house reach. While we were having our pictures made a piece of chicken dropped out of J. D. Daniels' pocket. I had to try all the pie before before I could find the kind I wanted—and, yeah, the Jitterbug was present also as the official photographer.

Native of Prestonsburg Succumbs Suddenly At Parkersburg

Funeral services for the Rev. Harry S. Garrett, 57, minister of the Methodist Church who died suddenly Thursday morning at 2:20 o'clock at his home in Parkersburg, W. Va., were held Saturday afternoon from the Bethany Methodist Church, the Rev. W. B. King officiating. Interment followed in Mount Olivet cemetery. Ill health had kept Rev. Garrett inactive in the ministry for the past five years. He had been in the ministry for 40 years, and moved to Parkersburg five years ago from Prestonburg where he was born.

He is survived by his widow, three sons, Samuel W. of Parkersburg, and Harold B. and Harry D., at home; and two daughters, Mrs. H. L. Kerwood, of Ripley, W. Va., and Miss Virginia Garrett, at home. Also surviving are four brothers, Sammy, of Miami, W. Va., John and Seymour, of Prestonburg, and Medley, of Dwalet, of Prestonburg, and two grandchildren. The Rev. Mr. Garrett was a son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Sam P. Garrett, of Prestonburg.

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HUEYSVILLE

Visiting at this place Sunday were the following choirs and quartets: The Paintsville quartet, the Hall quartette of Hueysville, the Nealey, Ky. choir, the Auxier quartette, the Johns Creek choir, the Home-Meade Four of Big Creek, the Buffalo quartette, and a male quartette from Paintsville.

The WPA Education Program is in line with Roy Turner's schoolroom here, for a few appointments—especially a place to keep books and magazines.

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Visiting with Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Martin are Mr. and Mrs. Parley Allen and family, and Bob Allen, all of Akron, O.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Craft have returned from their vacation in Florida.

Mrs. J. E. Turner was visiting Mrs. J. J. Hatcher, of Prestonsburg, Tuesday of last week.

DE WELLS TO REPORT FOR ARMY SERVICE

Dr. Edmond D. Wells, eye, ear, nose and throat specialist at the Beaver Valley hospital, Martin, has been called for service in the U. S. Army, and has been ordered to report to Fort Sam Houston, San Antonio, Texas. Dr. Wells will leave within a few days.

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CRACKER

Miss Myrtle Greer, of Cave, Ohio, returned home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lyman Maye and daughter, Ronnie Mae, of Garrett, have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Crisp this week.

Mrs. Curtis Jarrell is ill this week.

Miss Mary Ellen Branham was visiting in Allen Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Crisp and son, Jake, motored to Jackson, Ohio, Sunday.

Curt Wallace, Reginald Ratcliff and Selly Ratcliff, of Fraize, were visiting in Cracker, last week.

Mrs. Laura Francis, of Pikeville, was visiting Mrs. Jake Crisp Friday.

Mrs. John Lafferty was in Dwayne Sunday.

Misses Dortha Belle and Golda Gay Pratt visited friends in Martin Sunday.

Miss Ruth Pratt is the houseguest of Miss Vivian Ratcliff, of Elkhorn City.

(Last week's correspondence)

Miss Myrtle Greer, of Cave, O., was the houseguest of Miss Dortha Pratt this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ourtis Branham and children spent the night with Mrs. Branham's brother, on Johns Creek Saturday.

John Pratt, of Weeksbury, was visiting his parents Sunday.

Mrs. Elsie Correl, of Inez, spent this week with her sister, Mrs. Charley Lafferty.

Little Misses Jean and Joan Spencer were visiting their grandparents this week.

Taylor Begley, C. R. Peters, Jake Crisp and Herb Borders are on a hunting trip this week on Quicksand Creek.

Miss Catherine Rice, of Banner, spent the week-end with Miss Mae Branham.

Miss Mary Ellen Branham entertained at her home Sunday Misses Nannie and Molly Braun, Dookie Belle and Martha Robinson, Martha and Earl Lafferty, Sol and Earl Branham, Shirley and Troy Canberry, Charlie Rice.

Mrs. James Castle, of Allen, was the Sunday evening guest of Mrs. Frank Parsons.

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Jarrell were in Pikeville Sunday.

Mrs. Jacob Crisp was guest of friends in Maytown, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Lafferty and daughter, Nellie Marie, were visiting Mrs. Lafferty's mother, John Lafferty, in Garrett this week-end.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our heartfelt gratitude to all those who so kindly offered their help and sympathy during the illness and after the death of our husband and son, Garland Clark. Especially do we wish to thank the Martin General hospital for their untiring efforts to restore him to health. Miss Edna Morrison, registered nurse from Louisville, for her most attentive care in this hour of need, and the E. P. Arnold Funeral Home of Prestonsburg; the Revs. C. F. Conn and John Hamilton for their comforting words and conducting the funeral; friends in Martin for their offerings and assistance; distant friends and relatives who came and expressed sincere sympathy to us in our bereavement; relatives and neighbors of Harold who unselfishly aided us in numerous ways; as well as those who sent such beautiful flowers.

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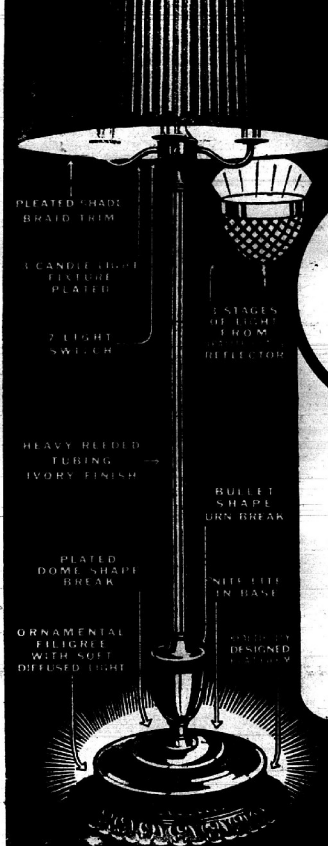
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DWALE

Miss Ruby Ratliff, of Hinton, W. Va., Mrs. Artie Holbrook of Cincinnati, and Mrs. Maxie Arlie, of Jackson, Ky., spent the week-end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Willie Chilton.

Mrs. Laura Nelson is in the Beaver Valley hospital, suffering from a deep cold.

Miss Lady Mae Laven took her Sunday School class on a picnic Sunday.

Mrs. Etta Akers gave a surprise birthday dinner last Saturday in honor of her mother, Mrs. Naomi Haywood, of Wayland.

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 Halo, 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 at 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 the hours of 10 o'clock in the forenoon, 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 20 day of August, 1940.

JOE HOBSON
Referee in Bankruptcy

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

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Rowe, of Lebanon, O. spent all day Saturday with his grandmother, Mrs. Josephine Rowe.

Mrs. Mary Ann Cooley spent Sunday with her daughter, Mrs. Ernest Martin, of Allen.

Mrs. Arthur Branham has returned home from the hospital at Martin, where she has been taking treatment for the past week.

Mrs. Jim Dameron of Ivel, was in Dwayne Saturday.

Miss Lavona Smith, of Hazard, is spending this week with Mr. and Mrs. Cleo Akers.

RETURN FROM VACATION
Mr. and Mrs. William James Dingus and Thomas Graham Dingus have returned from a vacation spent at Harrington Lake and other points of interest.

VISITS IN TENNESSEE
Mr. and Mrs. Roy Weems, of Scott's Department Store, returned home Monday from a week's visit with Mr. Weems' sister, Mrs. Don McDonald, at Greeneville, Tenn.

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Gas Drilling Operations in Eastern Kentucky Continue Steady

Drilling operations continued on the same general level in Eastern Kentucky last week. No new completions or locations were included in the report of activities in the various counties in this area.

In Knott county the Inland Gas Corporation is building rig at well No. 216, H. H. Smith, on Mill Creek, and has location for well No. 217, Ivan Fridemore, on the Right Fork of Troublesome Creek.

The Kentucky West Virginia Gas Company has reached the 2070 foot level in well No. 297, Lindsay Martin, with drilling continuing in shale, and is down 1710 feet in Maxon in well No. 566, Ira G. Sparkman, on King Creek.

The same company has reached the 1771 foot level in salt sand in well No. 569, Willie D. Hall, on Right Beaver Creek and is drilling at the 920 foot mark in sand in well No. 572, Benjamin Smith, on four hills; is moving to location of well No. 577, W. J. Stone, and is also moving to location of well No. 5270, Preston Hall, on Dry Creek.

In Floyd county the Kentucky West Virginia Gas Company is drilling at the 1468 foot level in sand in well No. 594, Robert Mitchell, on Mitchell Branch of Mud Creek and has reached the 578 mark in slate in well No. 598, S. P. Davidson, on Calf Branch. The same company is idle at well No. 5271, William C. Elliott, on Pike Fork of Toler Creek, and is drilling at the 487 foot level in sand in well No. 5275, Henderson Roberts, on the Big Branch of Little Mud.

MEMORIAL SERVICES FOR O. C. HALL

Memorial church services for the late Commonwealth's Attorney O. C. Hall will be held Saturday and Sunday, September 7-8, at the Lacy Hall cemetery near McDowell. Among the ministers who will be present are F. A. Hopkins and G. Bennett Adams, of Whitesburg. Everyone is invited.

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Births

Born to Mr. and Mrs.—
Eason Conley, Cracker, July 18, a daughter; Ben Horn, Allen, Aug. 4, a daughter; Perry Meade, Printer, July 18, a son; Willie D. Lawson, McDowell, Aug. 12, a daughter; Arnold Turner, McDowell, Aug. 17, a daughter; Robert Davidson, Drift, Aug. 4, a daughter; J. Elbert Green, Allen, June 11, a son; Edward Mosley, Minnie, Aug. 1, a son; Perry Tackett, Drift, June 24, a daughter; Clifford S. Daniels, Drift, July 23, a son; Lee B. Hall, McDowell, Aug. 12, a daughter; Bennie Hall, Craynor, Aug. 14, a son; Chester Newsome, Craynor, Aug. 9, a son; Noah Newsome, Craynor, Aug. 4, a son; Orval Patrick, Martin, July 29, a son; Elisha Hall, Grethel, Aug. 11, a daughter; Dave Thomas, Prestonsburg, Aug. 9, a daughter.

Bill Hale, Myrtle, July 22, a son; B. Mullins, Martin, Apr. 25, a son; Carrie Burke, Coile, July 6, a daughter; Woodrow Branham, Prestonsburg, July 6, a son; Robert Allen, Coile, July 26, a daughter; Levi Prater, Coile, July 11, a daughter; Ethel Elkins, Harold, July 15, a son; Ralph Leslie Colgrove, Traney, July 26, a daughter; Richard Samons, Cracker, July 25, a son; Henry Jarrell, Allen, July 26, a daughter; Willie Martin, Garrett, July 17, twin daughters; Kellie Music, Glo, July 16, a daughter; Luther Clouse, Weeksbury, July 26, a daughter.

Dayton Joseph, Prestonsburg, July 16, a daughter; Rog Green, West Prestonsburg, July 9, a son; Yancey Horn, West Prestonsburg, July 13, a daughter; Robert Laine, Betsy Layne, June 22, a daughter; Fred Cottrill Dale, Weeksbury, July 29, a son; Jim Ballinger, Weeksbury, July 24, a daughter; Frank Napier, Weeksbury, July 9, a son; Sam Conley, Orkney, June 9, a daughter; A. C. Wilson, Wayland, July 31, a daughter; Carl Huff, Wayland, July 17, a son; Walter Cooper, Wayland, July 17, a daughter; Eugene Cordier, Wayland, July 20, a son; Ova Mickell, Glo, July 21, a daughter; James Taylor, Wayland, July 24, a daughter; Cephus

Collins, Wayland, July 25, a daughter; Jack Jordan, Wayland, July 30, a son; Elmon George, East Point, July 22, a son; Delmae Horton, From, Auxier, July 11, a daughter; Edson Ramey, Wayland, Aug. 1, a son; Isaac Click, Whitaker, July 1, a son; Lucy Blackburn, Drift, July 17, a son; Raymond Hambley, Craynor, July 12, a daughter; Emmie Tackett, Craynor, July 16, a daughter; Abel Hall, Betsy Layne, Aug. 5, a son; George Akers, Harold, Aug. 8, a daughter; Thadus Blackburn, Aug. 7, a daughter; E. D. Roberts, Prestonsburg, July 10, a daughter; Deasmo Hank, Wood, Aug. 12, a daughter; Miles Thomas, Dwaie, June 13, a daughter; Shelby Triplett, Garrett, July 26, a son.

James T. Brock, 36, Martin, July 27; Tom Nelson, 57, Martin, July 24; Sammie Tackett, 20, Minnie, July 25; Simon Moore, 28, Alphoretta, July 24; Harry Crum, 43, Craynor, July 27; John Smith, 68, Brainard, July 27; Pearl Jones, 30, Dony, Aug. 2; Ethel Hensley, 27, Cumberland, Ky., July 28; James Edward Goble, 8, Prestonsburg; Robert Glen Adkins, 6 months, Allen, July 31; David Banner Roberts, 4, Emma, July 27; James Corbett, Hylton, Shelbiana, 38, July 31; Mollie Magdalene Cook, 5, Prestonsburg, Aug. 6; Fanny Praley, 47, Prestonsburg, Aug. 5; Garland Garret Clark, 30, Harold, Aug. 6; Marion Samuel Hancock, 34, Alphoretta, Aug. 4; Janice Hall, 10, Fed, Aug. 2; Alwilda Johns, Betsy Layne, Aug. 5; Danny Moran, 10 months, Martin, Aug. 7; William D. Thomas, 64, Garrett, Aug. 4; Clyde H. Robinson, 27, Wheelwright, Aug. 12; James Castle, 30, Traney, Aug. 17; Sherman Hunt, 43, Ollie Robbins, 15, Traney, Aug. 17.

BETSY LAYNE

Mrs. Carson Hobson honored Mrs. Shirley Smith Wednesday night with a stork shower. Present were Mrs. Myrtle Howard, Mrs. Hettie Combs, Mrs. Miranda Gayheart, Mrs. Alice Stone, Mrs. Lacie Stone, Mrs. Woodrow Roberts, Mrs. Susan Akers, Mrs. Norma Thomas, Mrs. Ollie Layne, Mrs. Lounear Thacker, Mrs. Melvina Martin, Mrs. Ruth Finson, Mrs. Bird Jackson, Mrs. Mattie Wilburn, Garrett; Mrs. Goldie Boyd, Mrs. Vada Whit, Mrs. Antonia Layne, Mrs. L. N. Miller, Mrs. Myrtt Hoves, Mrs. Vicky Hoves, Mrs. Lauchie Scott, Garrett; Mrs. Ollie Kilburn, Garrett; Mrs. Eva Hall. Refreshments were served and Mrs. Smith received many nice gifts.

Howard Hook harvested 12 acres of rye grass yielding 650 pounds per acre, on his Breckinridge county farm.

Mayo School Increases Money Circulation

A distinct increase of money in circulation in the Big Sandy valley has resulted from the operation of the Mayo State Vocational School at Paintsville, according to A. L. Piggman, director. Combined salaries of the institution, cost of supplies purchased, and money spent by students, exceeded \$35,000 during the past year.

"The institution is only in its infancy, however," says Director Piggman, "and, with the institutional development now under way, our institution within a few years should bring into the Big Sandy \$100,000 of new money annually."

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49c 97c \$1.87



MEN'S FELT HATS 49c

Sacrificed from our stock of high quality material. A real value line of HATS some up to \$2.95—

NOW **\$1.49**

Extraordinary **89c**

For Pick out a Hat for 89c, worth \$1.95.

BOYS' HATS, in Felts

10c to 69c

DRESSES

A late shipment of 40 white "SHARKSKIN" material sells 89c yard. TAKE THIS DRESS FOR **59c**

WOMEN'S SILK DRESSES

One lot which we carried over—

NOW CLOSE OUT FOR **\$1.00**

\$3.95 DRESSES **\$1.97**

We want to sell—therefore this price.

A Special Bargain **\$1.37** DRESSES



MEN'S UNDERWEAR

14 pound Union Suits. Worth 98c, in all sizes.

CLOSE OUT

49c

MEN'S SUMMER PANTS

All our Sanforized Pants—Per pair—

CLOSE OUT

50c

BOYS' SHIRTS

Dark Covert Cloth 12½ to 14½ Sizes

CLOSE OUT

39c

10c MUSLIN

Fine, Heavy and Half- Bleached.

CLOSE OUT

7c

MEN'S SOCKS

Elastic top ANKLETS and Fancy Regulars—

CLOSE OUT

8c

MEN'S RUBBER BOOTS

Our \$2.95 Boot at one pair to a customer—

CLOSE OUT

\$1.00

15c FLORAL CHINTZ

For Draperies and Chair Covers—yard wide.

CLOSE OUT

10c

MEN'S DRESS SHIRTS

Fused Collars, all sizes. 98c values, new patterns—

CLOSE OUT

59c

MEN'S WORK SHIRTS

5 Brothers Brand—79c retailer—

CLOSE OUT

49c

Girls' School DRESSES

Pretty Plaids, Stripes, Checks—80x80 square.

CLOSE OUT

49c

WOMEN'S SKIRTS

Women Fall

CLOSE OUT

77c-\$1.49

MEN'S FALL PANTS

Hard Worsted in New Dark Patterns—

CLOSE OUT

\$1.49

BOYS' HEAVY OVERALLS

Sizes 6 to 16 years. EXTRA QUALITY

CLOSE OUT

59c

Turkish Bath TOWEL

18x36 Plaid and Fancy Cannon Brand—

CLOSE OUT

9c

The ANDERSON DEPARTMENT STORE PRESTONSBURG, KENTUCKY



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PRESTONSBURG, KY.

Our Big Fall And School Opening

HUNDREDS OF SPECIALS GO ON SALE!

SHOP EARLY! - PAY CASH! - PAY LESS!

J. M. Davidson Dies August 22

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ington, Ky.: Mrs. J. E. Garnett, Hazard, Ky.; Mrs. Maegie D. Hatcher, Mrs. George T. Roberts, Mrs. Roy Perry, Josephine Davidson, Mrs. Luther Stival, all of Prestonsburg. Funeral services were conducted Sunday afternoon from the Methodist Church by the pastor, the Rev. W. B. Garriott, assisted by the Rev. Campbell Jeffries, pastor of Irene Cole Memorial Baptist Church.

MARTIN THEATRE

"WHERE THE CROWDS GO"
SATURDAY MID-NIGHT AND SUNDAY
"He Stayed for Breakfast"
Loretta Young, Melvyn Douglas.

MONDAY—
"The Way of All Flesh"
Akim Tamiroff, Gladys George.
10 CENTS

TUESDAY—
"Girl From Avenue A"
Jane Withers, Kent Taylor.
10 CENTS
8:30 and 9:30

WEDNESDAY—
"I Love You Again"
William Powell, Myrna Loy.

THURSDAY—
"We Who Are Young"
Lana Turner, John Shelton.

FRIDAY—
"My Love Came Back"
Olivia DeHavilland, Jeffrey Lynn, Jane Wyman, Eddie Albert.
Coming SEPTEMBER 8—
"Return of Frank James"
Coming SEPTEMBER 15—
"United States Navy of 1940"

The church was filled to capacity with sympathizing friends and relatives, and the profusion of beautiful floral tributes bore tribute to Mr. Davidson's character and popularity among all who knew him. The last rites were under the auspices of Zebulon Masonic Lodge, Prestonsburg. Burial was made in the Davidson cemetery on the Mayo Trail, near Ivel, under the direction of the Arnold Funeral Home.

Active pallbearers were: W. A. Spradlin, J. A. Spradlin, G. R. Spradlin, Edward May, Waits May, T. J. May, K. L. May, W. J. May, E. B. May, Graham Porter, Jo M. Davidson, H. D. Fitzpatrick, Colonel May, Marvin Alley, Marshall Davidson, Jack Davidson, Ollie Powers, Dr. A. J. Davidson.

High and Grade Schools Will Open Tuesday

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opens. Several changes also have been made in textbooks for the grades. The new Allen graded school building will be ready for occupancy in from two to four weeks, and the opening there will be delayed until the building is completed. Work on the roof will be started this week. Construction on the new arts and science building at Wheelwright also is progressing.

The board is calling for bids on coal for the various rural school districts. Seventy-five bushels for each one-room school and a like amount per stove for the others will be bought.

RETURNS FROM MICHIGAN

Howard Stephens, Carter Motor Sales Mechanic, returned last week from Flint, Mich., where he has been attending the 1941 Buick school.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Willis at their home, Water Gap, on Aug. 26, a fine 9-pound son.

TOWN-WORLD

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Conscription Bill languishes and the country becomes more impatient. Washington, D. C., Nov. 2.—The "flash-voting" machine bill was passed yesterday on the eve of the adjournment of Congress for next Tuesday's election. Now the vote on the Conscription Bill can be taken in 10 seconds—If Congress ever gets to it.

WE VIEW WITH ALARM
Last week it was, "Give me a piece of paper to wrap my cheese up in." This week, it's, "How 'bout wrapping up this blanket for me?"
Lord help the FLOYD COUNTY TIMES if the WPA commodity office, next door, ever delivers any mattresses!

OUR GUESS
J. J. Jimmy Hatcher this week received a wire from his boss in the insurance business, congratulating him on his sales leadership. "Which shall it be—the visible sales kit or \$10 in cash?" inquired the boss.
"To which Jimmy replied (we bet), "The \$10 in cash."

MUSKLES, THEY CALL ME
If you want to know just how many muscles you have, try learning to ride a bicycle at the advanced age of 57. I learned a lot, even if the cycle still remains something of a minor mystery to me.

UNCONFIRMED REPORT
You know, being a Democrat, I hear so many jokes told by Republicans on Roosevelt, the New Deal, etcetera, that I've got so I can get a laugh out of

some of them. Carl Corbin commits treason to the party of Jefferson, thusly.

On a certain Sunday morning two men far down the shady side of the slope sat in church, and both were on the dead side. Their conversation was so loud that even Carl heard about it. Said Gramp No. 1 as he saw a strange back receding past, down the aisle: "Who's that, Henry?"
"That? Why that's our new deacon."
"Sure, sure, a New Dealer, eh?"
"Why, you ought know him. He's a son of the Bishop."
"Yeah, I know," replied Gramp One. "They all are."

ABIGAIL THEATRE

PRESTONSBURG, KY.

THURSDAY-FRIDAY—
"Return of Frank James"
Henry Fonda, Jackie Cooper.

SATURDAY—
"Covered Wagon Days"
Three Mesquiteras.

SATURDAY, 10 P. M.—
SUNDAY AND MONDAY—

"Boys From Syracuse"
Martha Raye, Joe Penner, Rosemary Layne.

TUESDAY AND WEDNESDAY—
"Flight Angels"
Ralph Bellamy, Virginia Bruce, Jane Wyman.

BROADWAY THEATRE

IN PRESTONSBURG

FRIDAY-SATURDAY - DOUBLE FEATURE—
"Black Limelight"
Raymond Massey.

"Bullets for Rustlers"
Chas. Starrett, Lorna Gray.

SATURDAY, 10:30 P. M.—
SUNDAY AND MONDAY—
"Virginia City"
Errol Flynn, Miriam Hopkins.

TUESDAY—
"Military Academy"
Tommy Kelly, Bobby Jordan.

COMEDY—Andy Clyde.

WEDNESDAY—
THURSDAY—
"Invisible Killer"
Roland Drew.

Serial—TERRY AND THE PIRATES

PATTY THEATRE

(Next Door to Abigail)

THURSDAY-FRIDAY, DOUBLE FEATURE—
"Bulldog Drummond's Bride"
—and—
"Black Diamonds"

SATURDAY—
"Son of Roarin' Dan"
Johnny Mack Brown.

SUNDAY-MONDAY—
"Snow White and the Seven Dwarfs"
—and four Walt Disney Cartoons.

TUESDAY-WEDNESDAY—
DOUBLE FEATURE—
"Tomboy"
—and—
"South to Karanga"

LIBERTY THEATRE

PIKEVILLE, KY.

4 Big Days, Starting Sunday, September 1st



PRICES THIS PROGRAM ONLY
Matinee and Balcony 30¢
Evenings, Sundays 40¢ Kids 15¢
Holidays

Winner of Trip To Leave Sunday

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patrick smilingly replied, "I was sitting in the car and managed somehow to get my feet on the ground, and then I didn't know whether they were going to hold me up or not—I never felt so shaky in my life." It was the first time she had ever held a winning ticket, though she had never missed more than one or two of the drawings; one time, Mrs. Fitzpatrick said, she held 500 tickets and not one penny did she get. When she went home, she definitely made up her mind "never again"—but she did, and the result

New York and a wonderful time. One thing I particularly wanted to find out from Mrs. Fitzpatrick was whether she intended to visit the New York shops. She said she hoped she could, but just to look. "I find everything right here in the stores of Prestonsburg," she said. "If there is any difference in what one can get here and elsewhere it is in favor of our stores. I find that it is easy to picture things in catalogues to 'make you think you are getting a lot for your money. I prefer to trade with the local merchants where I can see what I am getting!'"

Next week The Floyd County Times will publish Mrs. Fitzpatrick's own story of her trip, in her own words.

BRIDE IN MICHIGAN WEDDING TO LIVE IN PRESTONSBURG

Soon to reside in Prestonsburg is the attractive daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ezra H. Frye, Detroit, Mich., who was Miss Mary Jane Frye before her quiet wedding Saturday morning in St. Joseph's cathedral, Detroit, to Mr. Walter Scott Harkins.

Mr. Harkins is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Davidson Harkins, of Prestonsburg, and is a member of one of Eastern Kentucky's most prominent families. He will practice law here, having recently received his law degree from the University of Michigan. He attended Kentucky Military Institute and was graduated from the University of Michigan at Ann Arbor, where he was a member of Beta Theta Pi.

The bride also received her her degree from the University of Michigan, and her sorority is Kappa Kappa Gamma. Their wedding, solemnized at eleven o'clock Saturday morning, was followed by a breakfast in Dearborn Country Club. Their only attendants at their wedding were Mrs. Joseph D. Harkins, Jr., matron of honor, and Mr. Robert Frye, brother of the bride, who was best man.

Those attending the wedding included the groom's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph D. Harkins, his grandmother, Mrs. W. S. Harkins, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph D. Harkins, Jr., all of Prestonsburg; Mr. and Mrs. Iley B. Browning, Ashland; Mrs. Grover L. Howard and sons, Walter and Grover, Jr., Miss Harriet Ependeck of Miami, Mrs. Scott Harkins and son, Monte Scott Harkins, of Danville.

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PINHOLE PATENTS!

Black patent is black magic for Fall wear! With suave brilliance, it plays upon every daytime costume color . . . versatile as a chameleon! And when it is elasticized, like this little pump, it's a miracle of comfort.

Note the pinhole perforations as decorative as the snowdrop they resemble . . . the double patent bow . . . modified heel!

THE LEADER

Men's, Women's and Children's Wear
PRESTONSBURG, KY.

There's a more subtle definition of figure this season. Lines are more fluid, longer. Look to the new Jeanne d'Arc, fashioned of some new fabric. Crepe of Celanese Rayon Tarsis, will give you that look. A new definition—sweeetly tailored, one dress big moment. Oh, a beautiful Chinese brocade, with a new, wispy-thrifty round neck like a tiny stand-up collar. And the touchstone award—this year's most important new silhouette, unique aspect. A new, eastern high, white lace, lustrous green, slinky black—9 to 17. \$7.98.

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