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COLE PREFERS DEATH TO ARREST

FUGITIVE IS SUICIDE WHEN SURROUNDED BY OFFICERS

Dingess Cole, who shot and killed his brother-in-law three years ago with a shotgun, turned the same type of weapon upon himself late Friday to end his life as he was surrounded by federal agents, state highway police and local officers at Melvin.

The youthful desperado, a fugitive since he escaped jail here on August 16, 1937, was also sought in a kidnapping charge. A hurriedly scribbled note tossed from an auto at Radtiff's Camp, south of Pikeville, last Thursday night, by Mrs. Anna Post, wealthy Alcoa-ville, Pa., woman who claimed that Cole had kidnaped her from her home and had forced her to drive him to this county, put the officers on the tightwire trail.

They cornered him in the home of Tilden Jones at Melvin and demanded his surrender. They then asked why he shot himself, he replied, "I knew I had to die, anyhow." Since leaving the county since he and Wanda Stumbo were employed on the farm Cole was shot at Radtiff's Camp.

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Absolute Dies, 62, Of Lancer, Dies, Of Stroke

Absolute Dies, 62 years old, of Lancer, died at his home today, the victim of a paralytic stroke. He had been in ill health for the past four years.

He was born at Endicot and for the past 15 years had resided at Lancer. He had been a minister of the Christian Church for many years.

Surviving are his widow, Mrs. Laura Crum Dials; two sons, John Edward and Fred; one daughter, Nancy, and one step-son, Robert Crum, all of Lancer.

This Town-- That World

HIGH COST OF LIVING TOGETHER

The high cost of living is almost as heavy-handed as the high cost of living together, these days. That young couple who wanted a bit of marrying near here recently found that the preacher's fee was a dollar. Add that dollar onto \$5.00 for a marriage license and you've started pinching your folks. They just couldn't pay that much, and the minister, regretting all that, explained to them that he had to mail in their marriage license to the County Clerk, which took at least three cents.

But love will find a way. And so, alone in the kitchen back came the young man and that girl friend of his whom he expects to make his mortal enemy for life. And they inform the minister that it is well financially. So the preacher ties the well-known knot.

Then they pay him exactly one nickel. They figure that, if the marriage license mailing costs only three cents that's enough--and the minister figures he has been bamboozled in the county since he has only two cents left, not enough to mail in that next marriage license that may come a-thingin' for execution.

OBSERVED WE ARE THE TIMES stands corrected. There is no poll tax in the Board of Education races in Floyd county this year.

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Bryant Caudill, 46, Wheelwright, Dies In Slatefall

Bryant Caudill, 46 years old, Wheelwright, was killed instantly early Thursday morning of last week when his head was crushed by a slab of falling slate in the Inland Steel Company mine at Wheelwright, where he was employed.

6,108 REGISTER FOR DRAFT

AS FLOYD'S YOUTH JOINS NATION ON DEFENSE

A total of 6,108 Floyd county men between the ages of 21 and 36 registered Wednesday of last week 51 of the county's 52 precincts for possible military service, according to figures released by County Clerk A. B. Masde.

Registration by precincts follows: Three precincts which included those within the draft age who reside in the Lee Alley and Hen Hall precincts registered at the Tickey and Jack's Creek precincts, respectively.

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FARRINGTON IS SPEAKER

AS BUSINESS MEN, FARMERS JOIN IN BANQUET

O. M. Farrington, Lexington, head state executive officer of the Agricultural Conservation Program, was the principal speaker at a farmer-business men banquet held at the Auxler hotel Friday evening. Other speakers were Mayor E. P. Arnold, Prestonsburg, Joe Harkins, Jr., Leroy Combs, County Agent S. C. Jelliff, Burchett and the Rev. W. B. Garritt.

Mayor Arnold welcomed the farmers as guests of the business men and said he hoped it was only the beginning of many get-togethers when the problems of the farmers and business men would be discussed with a resultant benefit to everyone.

"I never realized until I visited the Fair, said, 'just how much the farmers of Floyd county are accomplishing. We must all realize the backbone of any nation is the farmer.'"

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COLLINS DIES BY KNIFE

2ND MAN MAY DIE, RESULT OF DRIFT KNIFE FIGHT

Jealousy impelled Cecil Newsum Sunday night to start the knife battle at Drift which resulted in the death of Lawrence Collins, 37-year-old miner, and the serious knife-wounding of Newsum himself, witnesses to the air-fry told County Attorney Forrest D. Short and Deputy Sheriff Lackey Saltbury.

Newsum is said to have stabbed Collins in his chest and back, one jab of the knife penetrating Collins' kidney. Collins died at 8 o'clock Monday morning at the Beaver Valley hospital, Martin.

Newsum lies in a serious condition at the Martin General hospital, the wound inflicted by a knife slash extending from the back of his neck to his throat, it is said.

Origin of the trouble lay, witnesses agreed, in Newsum's claim that Clifford (Tip) Daniels, brother-in-law of the slain man, had been flirting with Mrs. Newsum. Dan Combe, Turner-Ekhorn Coal Company employe, stated that Newsum accused Daniels.

DINGUS DIES SUDDENLY

PROMINENT FARMER TAKEN SUDDENLY OCTOBER 17TH

D. C. Dingus, 73 years old, prominent Floyd county farmer, died suddenly at 3:30 o'clock Thursday morning, last week, at his home near Dinwood of cardiac thrombosis.

Mr. Dingus had suffered a broken leg and head injuries several days prior to his death, when struck by an automobile driven by Frank Rasnick, Garrett, but his condition had been such that his recovery was expected within a few weeks.

The son of the late James and Sarah Halbert Dingus, he was a member of one of the county's best-known families and was one of the section's best citizens. He was a member of the Methodist church and was instrumental in building the church at Dinwood.

Surviving him are his widow, Mrs. Barbara Webb Dingus, four daughters and two sons: Mrs. Sarah Patton Ashland; Mrs. Kyle Pendleton Payne's Gap; Mrs. J. M. Stumbo; Mrs. S. P. Orris Gearheart, S. P. and Clinton Dingus, all of Dinwood. He leaves two brothers and one sister: Win. Dingus, Prestonsburg; George Dingus, Raceland, Ky., and Mrs. Sam May, Langley, also 18 grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

Following brief services at the home Sunday morning, the Rev. Campbell Jetties, pastor of Irene Cole Memorial church, officiated.

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'NO ELECTION' SIGN HUNG OUT IN COUNTY BOARD RACE

Floyd county, for the first time in modern political history, officials said here this week, has no county school election race in a school election year.

This unique situation for Floyd county developed at midnight Monday, when the filing of candidates with the County Clerk here, when no body filed to oppose three candidates favored to the present school administration.

The three candidates filed for the Floyd County Board of Education are: T. N. (Newberry) Newsum, Grasshopper; Ray Frazer, Wayland, District 4, and Dr. Dewey Osborne, Byrns, District 5.

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FLOYD COUNTY, ALONG WITH OTHER MORE POPULOUS COUNTIES OF THE STATE, WILL HAVE TWO OF KENTUCKY'S 186 DRAFT BOARDS, IT WAS ANNOUNCED AT FRANKFURT SATURDAY BY GOVERNOR KEEN

The Floyd county draft boards, as announced by Governor Johnson, will be Board No. 44--Mayor E. P. Arnold of Prestonsburg, George T. Roberts, Charles Preston, W. A. Malone, appeal agent, and Dr. John G. Archer, physician. All members are residents of Prestonsburg except Mr. Malone, who resides at Allen, and Mr. Preston, of Wheelwright.

Board No. 45--J. M. Turner and Henry Campbell, both of Wayland; H. O. Zimmerman, Wheelwright; H. D. Fitzpatrick, Prestonsburg, appeal agent; Dr. G. D. Callahan, Prestonsburg, physician.

Knox county's draft board is composed of Hiram Taylor, W. T. Bailey, W. M. Thacker, H. S. Smith, appeal agent, and Dr. J. W. Duke, physician. The Johnson county board is: Everett Blevins, Van Lear; D. H. Horton, Fred Vanhook, Harry Laviers, appeal agent; Dr. Paul B. Hall, physician, all of Paintsville.

Pike's three boards follow: Dr. O. W. Thompson, and Tom Raney, both of Pikeville, and George

EX-SHERIFF IS VICTIM

M. V. ALLEN DIES DURING VISIT TO CARTER FARM

Melvin V. Allen, 58 years old, former Sheriff of Floyd county, died suddenly at 5:30 p. m., Wednesday of last week, at his farm at Willard, Carter county, victim of a heart attack.

Mr. Allen had been suffering from heart disease for several years but his condition had been improved, immediately preceding his death, and his passing came as a severe shock to hundreds of friends and relatives throughout the section.

Born Sept. 21, 1882, Mr. Allen was the son of the late Louis P. Allen and Mrs. Amanda Prater Allen. He was married on April 7, 1907 at Elysville, this county, to Miss Lula Gearheart, who with the following children survive: Mrs. Truby May, Langley; Mrs. Eula Hilda, Langley; Mrs. Eva Radtiff, Sidney; O. Howard Allen, Willard, Ky.; Woodrow, James, Curme, Ann Mae and Inogene, all at home.

Following services at U. S. Marshall in this district, Mr. Allen was elected Sheriff of the county, serving

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Roosevelt Cancels District Tour

Plans for President Roosevelt to visit the Seventh Congressional district were canceled this week.

The President, in a telegram Tuesday to Congressman A. J. May, said: "I am deeply regretful that I cannot come to your district as I had hoped but, as you know, I must stay close to Washington during these extraordinarily difficult days. Best of luck to you."

Mr. Newsum's name will appear for consideration of the voters in Johns Creek No. 8, Ivel, Betsy Layne, Mouth Mud, Little, Mud, Toler, Lee Alley, Tickey, Antioch and Ligon precincts. Educational division No. 4, to be represented by Mr. Frazer, includes Northern, Bosco, Garrett, Rock Fork, Lockey, Estill, Wayland and Haymond precincts.

Division No. 5, the district to be represented by Dr. Osborne, incumbent, includes the following precincts: John Hart, Prause's Creek, Clear Creek, Jack's Creek, Hen Hall, Burton, Elder Hiram, Lee Hall, Melvin and Painter Harve.

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FLOYD COUNTY FAIR

F. Johnson, Virgie, appeal agent, J. Moore, Pikeville; physician, Dr. M. D. Planery, Pikeville.

F. L. Long, Presburn, Wise Raney, Mouth Card, and Jesse Robinson, Master; appeal agent, Peyton Hobson, Pikeville; physician, Dr. J. E. Johnson, Stone.

O. E. Baker, Stone; Robert Williams, Pikeville; and E. H. Foley, South Williamson; appeal agent, K. G. Osborne, Pikeville.

In swift action toward mobilization of the nation's new citizens' army, national draft headquarters Saturday announced eight-months state quotas for 1940. The quotas were fixed for 130,000 national guardsmen, and commanders of the four armies were ordered to speed up execution of their "special problem."

Under tentative quotas announced by selective service headquarters, Kentucky will be expected to supply 10,000 men to the new conscription army by July 1, and 4,577 of these by March 1. Of the March quota the maximum of negroes is 406, Indiana will be expected to supply 21,087 by July 1, and 10,543 by March 1. Of the March quota 434 are to be negroes.

The war department announced (Please turn to page five)

MRS. ALLEN IS CLAIMED

PROMINENT FLOYD WOMAN, VICTIM OF DIABETES

Ill for the last two years of diabetes, Mrs. Cora Stumbo Allen, 51 years old, wife of Master Allen, of Printer, died at the Stumbo Memorial hospital, Lackey, Saturday morning at 11 o'clock.

She died at the hospital owned by Dr. W. L. Stumbo, last surviving member of her family.

Mrs. Allen was the daughter of the late Peter and Mrs. Louisa Saltbury Stumbo and was one of the county's best women. She had been for years a devoted member of the Regular Baptist Church. She leaves her husband, one son, Virgil Allen, and her brother.

Following a service conducted at the Beaver Valley hospital, Martin, Sunday afternoon, the body was taken to the home near Printer for Monday morning, officiating at the services, which were attended by a large concourse of sorrowing friends, was the Rev. M. C. Wright, Ellis Hopkins, A. L. Allen, Aaron Pack and others. Burial was made in the Stumbo family cemetery under the direction of the Ryan Funeral Home.

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FAIR DRAWS THOUSANDS HERE

EXHIBITS DECLARED BEST YET SHOWN IN VALLEY

From 12,000 to 15,000 persons saw the Floyd County Fair's varied exhibits here last Thursday, Friday and Saturday, it was estimated Saturday night by Fair officials upon the conclusion of what was said to have been the most successful agricultural and industrial exhibit ever held in the Big Sandy valley.

Products of the home-cooking, canning, sewing and weaving, exhibits from the schools -- handicraft, drawing, home economics products, etc.; 4-H Club work, antiques, work of Floyd artists, livestock exhibits; products direct from the soil--potatoes, corn, pumpkins, tobacco and such-like harvest-festival treats to the eye--all these, together with industrial exhibits of firms leasing booths in the Fair building, the Club Restaurant, drew an "appetized" eye of the multitude.

Floyd county, town and country, got together in a big way in annual reunion. The Inland Steel Company, Wheelwright, added to the entertainment of the big crowds with its all-color movie film of Wheelwright and vicinity and the vast workings of the company. Friday evening (see separate story) farmers and Prestonsburg's business men had an "inside" get-together at the Auxler hotel.

'LAW' TAKES HOLIDAY

All of the thousands who saw the Fair here during the three days, only one man was arrested--and that, officers said, was for his own protection. Interest centered on the Fair, rather than on drinking. Fair officials and enforcement officers said.

Threatening weather Saturday held the crowd down to around 7,000. But the day was replete with thrills to those who witnessed the annual Fair, and the vast workings of the county. Friday evening (see separate story) farmers and Prestonsburg's business men had an "inside" get-together at the Auxler hotel.

Full list of prize-winners will be published in THE TIMES next week.

HERE FOR WEEK-END

Donald N. Stratton, who is enrolled in the Ashland graded school, spent the week-end with homefolks.

Court House Happenings

SUITS FILED

J. W. Elliott vs. Floyd County; Combs and Combs, attys. Annie Stumbo vs. Floyd County; Combs and Combs, attys. Melvin Martin vs. Beaver Coal and Mining Company; J. D. Harkins, atty. Mosez Johnson et. vs. Grover Smith et al.; Bert T. Combs and Leroy Combs, attys. M. H. Thomas vs. Alta Thomas; O. P. Bond, atty. Jessie Campbell Castle vs. Jay Castle; W. W. Burchett, atty. Rod Hall, atty. of Maudie Hall vs. Eugene Maynard et al.; C. B. Wheeler, atty. Joe Alley, admr. et. vs. Frances Tackett et al.; C. B. Wheeler, atty. Joe Alley, admr. et. vs. Joe J. Hall et al.; C. B. Wheeler, atty. Joe Alley, admr. et. vs. Maude Frasure et al.; C. B. Wheeler, atty. Joe Alley, admr. et. vs. Joale Tackett et al.; C. B. Wheeler, atty. Joe Alley, admr. et. vs. Florence Hall et al.; C. B. Wheeler, atty. Joe Alley, admr. et. vs. Goldie Hall et al.; C. B. Wheeler, atty. Joe Alley, admr. et. vs. Crossie Tackett, et. vs. Wheeler, atty. Joe Alley, admr. et. vs. Luther Hall, C. B. Wheeler, atty. Harrison Handtosh vs. Susan Handtosh; J. D. Bond, atty. Zella Bartlett vs. Estill Bartlett; Leroy and Bert T. Combs, attys. Mary Hamilton vs. Bill Hamilton; W. W. Burchett, atty.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Eugene Millard Simpson, 26, Drift, and Edith Fray, 22, Drift, marriage solemnized by the Rev. Perry Setton, Church of God, Drift, Oct. 19. A. B. Bryant and Robby Dawson, Marlon Martin and Edna Edgar, Edgar Lantry and Christine Reffett.

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BILL HENRY SAYS:

SITUATIONS WANTED—MEN

Farm work wanted. This fall you will need help to turn your ground. Why not hire me? I have no experience, but I am willing to learn at your expense. I will do no more than spoil a season's crop for you, or perhaps, cause you to lose the use of your ground for a couple of seasons. I am sure I can learn to milk, although the chances are I would turn some of your cows dry and maybe ruin a sack or two. I admit my in-experience would cost you something but you could re-quip your horses in time to come. I want the job... you owe me a chance just to prove how near I can come to doing the job right. The man you have on the job at present, I'll admit, is doing the work, but I am sure I can do it better... If my mistakes don't break you while I'm learning.

BILL HENRY

President of the United States. This fall there is an opening for a man to direct the affairs of your country. I want that job. I have had no experience whatever in directing the affairs of a nation. I have had no experience in any kind of government or in any field I should replace the man who has held this position for the last eight years. It is not important that this position should be filled by one who has had experience in domestic as well as international affairs... I am telling you (because it is my purpose) that, regardless of what it may cost you, eight years is long enough for any one man to hold this position. If you do hire me for this job you may take my word for it that I will pull some tricks out of a bag, if I do not feel it necessary to explain just how I shall accomplish the things I promise. It is up to you to wait and see. It is sound business for private industry to retain a good man indefinitely. Your business, Mr. Farmer, Mr. Miner and Mr. Laborer, is secondary to the private interests I represent, and you must sacrifice your better judgment to an imaginary tradition that I and certain of my followers (disgruntled politicians) have sprung on you. Does it mat-

ter that my mistakes may cause you and your children untold suffering? Does it matter that the homes you have shared for many, through my errors, be taken away from you? Does it matter that the democratic way of life you and your children now enjoy may be re-placed by "Heil Hitler"? Nothing matters, I assure you, except that I, an in-experienced man, want the job as President of the United States. Write or see Wendell Wilkie.

Bill Henry will not receive any replies to his application for a job as a farm hand. Wendell Wilkie will receive many. Yet if the two names were reversed Bill Henry would be on the receiving end and Wendell Wilkie would be minus a job on the farm. Fantastic—is it? Would you hire Wendell Wilkie to plow your ground for you? Would you hire Wendell Wilkie to vote for Bill Henry as President of the United States? You would providing he had been selected as the party candidate and providing you refused to stop and think what a dumb thing you would be doing. It does sound ridiculous, doesn't it? Turn back the pages of history and see how easily it is for a man to bluster himself into national prominence. A few years ago Oklahoma elected a man as governor who had been nothing but an electrical appliance salesman. He talked a good line of bull. He was finally impeached. California elected one man as governor (not the present governor) who was formerly a real estate promoter, and after he was in office the company he had promoted was accused of having used the mails to defraud while he was at the head of the company. Kentucky at one time elected a man as governor, who only this fall, was turned down by the Court of Appeals. Remember Huey Long of Louisiana? His principal lieutenants are either serving terms in the penitentiary or are out on bond pending appeal. These men were all hoodlums as favorite son candidates for President of the United States (at some time during the term of their office) and with just a slight change of fate could have been selected as their party standard bearer.

This equal opportunity for every one is a wonderful thing. It has made this great country of ours and we want to keep it that way. We can even make mistakes in our domestic affairs in ordinary times—yes, we can go as far as electing the wrong man as President and after four years of mis-management come back strong. It so happens at this time that we are electing a man with a short, stubby moustache is seeing to that. The man who is President now must be something more than just a lawyer or a promoter. What will the law of our land matter if destruction comes from without? What will it matter if a man was a good promoter in some private industry? He could hire and fire at will Congressmen and Senators are not controlled in the same way. When Wendell Wilkie says to you, "I will do this, and I will do that," he is using the same tactics he has used in his private industry with, the same tactics he was able to get away with in private industry. He knows he is making promises he cannot fulfill. He is willing to take a chance on destroying the country he claims to love so well. What are you for him to do?

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VITAL STATISTICS

BIRTHS Born to Mr. and Mrs.— Henry Harmon, Cliff, Sept. 17, a daughter; Delmon Robinson, West Prestonsburg, August 20 a daughter; Darvin Gibson, West Prestonsburg, August 14, a daughter; Finley Dotson, West Prestonsburg, August 19, a son; John Hopson, Prestonsburg, August 20, a daughter; Bill Clifton, Prestonsburg, Sept. 22, daughter; Gary Porter, Dwayne, Sept. 19, a son; Lonzo Lafayette, Sloss, Sept. 1, a son; Don Goodman, West Prestonsburg, August 28, a daughter; Bill Webb, Colie, Aug. 8, a son; Reuben Whitaker, Cliff, Aug. 27, a son; Luther Pickett, Woods, Aug. 1, a daughter; Franklin Doepel, Harold, Sept. 18, a son; Harry Layne, Betsy Layne, Sept. 17, a son; Woodrow Long, Dana, Sept. 24, a son; Walk Spears, Justell, Oct. 1, a son; Latt Dameron, Evel, Oct. 1, a son; Dewey Egan, Westchester, Sept. 23, a daughter; Charles Ratliff, Weeksburg, Sept. 24, a son; Guy Davis, Jr., Weeksburg, Sept. 26, a son. Jun Carr, Weeksburg, Sept. 27, a daughter; Frank Newsum, Weeksburg, Sept. 28, a son; Bill Necessary, Weeksburg, Oct. 1, a daughter; Jack Matlin, Weeksburg, Sept. 28, a daughter; Marion Hughes, Hippo, October 2, a son; Frank Mullins, Drift, May 12, a daughter; Geo. L. Allen, Drift, May 21, a son; Robert Hunter, Honaker, Sept. 14, a daughter; Isaac Humble, Printer, June 15, a son; James C. Mosley, Drift, June 15, a son; Old Gearheart, Laney, October 2, a daughter; Jack Howard, Haysville, Sept. 2, a son; Homer Collins, Axtell, Sept. 1, a son; Henry Ruttle, Wayland, Sept. 21, a son; Daniel Lee, Wayland, Sept. 27, a daughter; Frank Griffith, Estill, Sept. 19, a son; Willie Jones, Wayland, Sept. 7, a son; Lacy Dings, Hite, July 23, a daughter; Peter D. Hammonds, Water Gap, Aug. 24, a daughter; George Gray, Stone, Sept. 15, a daughter; Edgar Hurd, Laney, Aug. 24, a daughter; Wendell Spurlock, W. Prestonsburg, Sept. 21, a daughter; Arnold Howell, Cliff, Sept. 17, a son; James Prater, Prestonsburg, Sept. 28, a daughter; William Risner, West Prestonsburg, Aug. 19, a son; Frank Spears, German, Aug. 13, a daughter; Alfred Prater, Colie, Aug. 15, a son; Frank Kidd, Honaker, Sept. 4, a son; Ruby Akers, Honaker, Aug. 23, a daughter; Bartie Meade, Betsy Layne, Oct. 4, a daughter; Jeff Evers, Honaker, Sept. 29, a daughter; Albert Shepherd, Bonanza, Aug. 27, a daughter; Sam Sizemore, Prestonsburg, Sept. 12, a son; Vasey Smiley, Prestonsburg, Sept. 14, a son; Ernest Rupp, Prestonsburg, September 6, a son; Jack Dye, Orkney, Aug. 25, a son; Frank Spurck, Drift, Aug. 24, a daughter; Ted Hall, Drift, Aug. 23, a son. Charles Lykins, Wayland, Aug. 22, a son; Ernest Collins, Wayland, Sept. 21, a daughter; William Stewart, Wayland, Sept. 11, a son; Andrew Workman, Wayland, Sept. 7, a daughter; Chas. Virgil Horton, Wayland, Aug. 24, a son; John Dials, Wayland, Aug. 24, a daughter; Isaac Howard, Glo, Aug. 26, a daughter; Woodrow Brodley, Estill, Aug. 22, a daughter; Woodrow Sparks, Colie, Sept. 18, a son; John Warmon, Wayland, Sept. 18, a son; Clarence Wyatt, Glo, Sept. 5, a son. W. W. Price, Glo, Sept. 11, a daughter; R. D. Mann, Wayland, daughter; Lena Hall, Honaker, Sept. 13, a daughter; Albert Cleveland, Prestonsburg, Aug. 10, a son; Cozzie Rogers, Galveston, Sept. 13, a daughter; Albert Dotson, Cliff, Oct. 11, a daughter.

DEATHS— Adam Gus Holbrook, Myrtle, Sept. 21, 63 years; Oliver Frause, Dony, Sept. 20, 47 years; Robert Lee Mitchell, Jr., Halo, Sept. 16, 22 years; Mrs. Lizzie Franklin, Halo, Sept. 15, 69 years; Savage Ousley, Hippo, September 15, 27 years; Alvin M. Bowling, Prestonsburg, Sept. 10, 54 years; Leo Prater, Pyramid, Sept. 9, 47 years; Opal Mae Mixin, Prestonsburg, Oct. 1, 12 years; Lula Bales, Hartley, Sept. 25, 41 years; Martha Miller, September 4, 20 years; Earl Holliday, Colie, Sept. 11, one month; Joan Stratton, Allen, Oct. 9, six months; Rhoda Johnson, Halo, Oct. 1, 80 years; Carl Cartl, Wayland, Sept. 8, 38 years; Sarah Lafayette, Cracker, September 27, 72 years; Leo Prater, Pyramid, Sept. 9, 47 years; Geneva Dale Daniels, Drift, Oct. 5, three months; George Elliott, Beaver, Oct. 4, 86 years; Geneva Thompson, Weeksburg, Oct. 5, three months; Wash Miller, Prestonsburg, Sept. 22, 68 years.

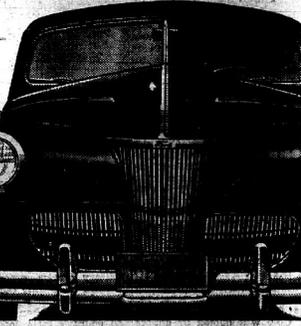
NOTICE OF ELECTION Pursuant to an order entered by the Floyd Fiscal Court on September 16, 1940, notice is hereby given to voters in Betsy Layne Precinct No. 7 that at the regular election on Tuesday, Nov. 5, 1940, there will be a poll of said voters precinct for the purpose of determining whether or not livestock will run at large in said precinct. A. B. MEADE, 10-10-40, Clerk, Floyd County, Ky. Boone county sheep protective association reports \$422 in claims paid last year; same rate given for 1940-41; treasury accumulation, \$538.



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GET THE FACTS AND YOU'LL GET A FORD FOR 1941

HOWARD MOTOR COMPANY PRESTONSBURG, KENTUCKY

AUXIER Mr. and Mrs. Bill Johnson are the proud parents of a baby girl. — Mrs. and Mrs. Balle Sherman and family were business visitors in Paintsville Saturday. — Burgess Broyles of Paintsville, was the Sunday afternoon guest of Miss Clotie McKenzie. — Mr. and Mrs. Dan Gambill of Buskirk, were the Sunday guests of Millory Daniels. — Miss Virginia Lee Patton, who is a student in Pikeville Junior College, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Patton. — HORNETS LOSE TWO In their first two starts of the current basketball season the Auxier Hornets last week bowed to Inez, 38-21, and to Meade Memorial, 36-15. Inez has the last team which represented this region in the state finals at Lexington last year, and Meade Memorial again is considered one of the strongest teams of Eastern Kentucky.

BONANZA An old-fashioned quilting was given recently by Mrs. Geraldine Frause. The quilters were her mother, Mrs. Winnie Patton; Mrs. Clara Frause, Mrs. Mollie Short, Mrs. Dora Hackworth, of Prestonsburg; Mrs. May Short, Mrs. Agnes Frause, Mrs. Stella Spradlin, Mrs. Alta Hall, Mrs. Harry Burke, Mrs. Will H. Spradlin, Mrs. Kate Harmon, Mrs. Virginia Music, Mrs. Joels Stoney, and Mrs. Lillie Frause, of Bonanza. — Mr. and Mrs. Bill Harmon are the proud parents of an 8 3/4-pound son, born in the Prestonsburg General hospital. Mother and babe are doing fine. — Mrs. Jimmie Harmon, who has been a patient in Prestonsburg General hospital, has returned home. — Mrs. Minnie Patton was visiting Mrs. Richard Conley Sunday.

CALL US FOR HIGHEST QUALITY MEATS GROCERIES VEGETABLES WE DELIVER PERRY'S GROCERY Court Street PRESTONSBURG, KY. Phone 90

NOTICE THE CHESAPEAKE AND OHIO RAILWAY COMPANY hereby gives notice that on the 11th day of October, 1940, it filed with the Interstate Commerce Commission at Washington, D. C., an application for a certificate of public convenience and necessity authorizing the construction of a branch line extending from a point at or near Prestonsburg in a south-westerly direction up Middle Creek, thence up Left Fork of Middle Creek, and thence up Lick Fork of Left Fork of Middle Creek of Levisa Fork of Big Sandy River, a distance of approximately 10 miles, all in Floyd county, Kentucky.

VOTE FOR WENDELL WILKIE —for— PRESIDENT He will keep us out of war. He will not ask for a third term. Republican Campaign Committee

E. P. ARNOLD Funeral Director FRANKLIN W. MOORE Undertaker and Embalmer, Assistant ANY HOUR, DAY OR NIGHT, WE STAND READY TO SERVE YOU, EFFICIENTLY AND REASONABLY, IN THE CARE OF YOUR LOVED ONES Ambulance Service: Phone No. Day, 84; Night, 83, Prestonsburg, Ky.

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# VOTERS OF KENTUCKY

WILL YOU

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OR

Walk with **WILLKIE** on Wall Street!

Carry On With

**Roosevelt  
Chandler  
and  
May**



Under Roosevelt, Farm Income has nearly doubled. Farm Mortgage interest charges are 40 per cent less than in 1928. Soil Conservation Program has saved 30,000,000 acres. Farm loans have increased the net worth of borrowers 37 per cent. One-fourth of all farms now have access to electricity.

Under Roosevelt, total non-agricultural employment is 9,000,000 greater than 7 years ago. Weekly Payrolls are \$113,000,000 greater than they were 7 years ago. Wage earners have benefited by laws enacted granting unemployment compensation, old age insurance and assistance to needy blind and dependent children. Wage and Hour Act has reduced hours and increased pay of millions of workers. Collective bargaining has brought about a decrease of industrial disputes.

Under Roosevelt, National Income increased from \$40,000,000,000 in 1932 to \$69,500,000,000 in 1939. Employment increased from 37.5 million in 1932 to 45.3 million in 1939. Loans totaling \$5,000,000,000 have been made to aid banks. Government purchases of \$6,000,000,000 helped every kind of business.

Under Roosevelt, 20,000,000 depositors benefited by RFC loans to banks. Loans have been made to 1,500,000 farmers; 150,000 stockmen; 20,000 disaster sufferers and to 200,000 families for purchasing electrical appliances. Federal Housing Administration has enabled 600,000 families to build or finance homes.

Under Roosevelt in the last 7 years, public works programs have produced \$19,000,000,000 worth of public properties and services. WPA has built 450,000 miles of roads; 93,000 bridges; 88,000 public buildings; 12,000 miles of water lines. WPA has served 386,000,000 lunches to undernourished children. PWA financed work since 1933 has constituted 70 per cent of all educational instruction. PWA has accounted for more than \$3,200,000,000 in orders for materials.

Under Roosevelt, the U. S. Navy, destroyed under Republican administrations, has become the most powerful in the world. The Army, which had been reduced and neglected, is being brought up to an authorized strength of 500,000 officers and men. Air forces already increased can now expand easily to a strength of 50,000 planes. When defense program is complete the United States will have a two-ocean Navy or 733 fighting ships.

KENTUCKY DEMOCRATS ARE MAIN STREET MEN AND WOMEN. WILLKIE AND THOSE WHO WOULD ELECT HIM ARE WALL STREET BACKERS OF THE ECONOMIC ROYALISTS WHICH PRODUCED THE HARDING-COOLIDGE-HOOVER DEBACLE . . .

## ROOSEVELT--MAY

MEAN PEACE FOR THE NATION, PROTECTION FOR THE UNFORTUNATE, AID FOR AGRICULTURE, ENCOURAGEMENT FOR LEGITIMATE BUSINESS, WORK AND GOOD WAGES FOR LABOR, MORE FOR THE MASSES, TRUE DEMOCRACY.

We urge all Kentuckians, men and women, Democrats and Republicans, to vote for President Roosevelt and those who will help him—Senator A. B. "Happy" Chandler and Congressman A. J. May.

**Vote The Straight Democratic Ticket November 5**

This Advertisement Made Possible by Friends of the Democratic Party

### LETCHER TEAM DOWNS P'BURG

#### FUMBLES MAR GRID ENCOUNTER HERE SATURDAY

Prestonsburg's Blackcats dropped their fifth game out of six starts this season Saturday afternoon when Whitesburg, undefeated for the season, eked out a 6-0 victory in the waning minutes of the contest.

The Blackcats played without the services of Salisbury, passing and punting mainstay, but Junior May, a southpaw passer and accurate kicker, did a splendid job in both departments.

The game was evenly fought, with fumbles marring the show. Whitesburg fumbled seven times and Prestonsburg recovered on each occasion. The Blackcats fumbled only twice.

Junior played his usual game, powerful both on offense and defense, and he was ably abetted by Herald and May. The latter kept Whitesburg back on its heels by placing his kicks on four occasions out of bounds on the six, the four, the 19 and 20-yard lines.

Prestonsburg reached the visitors' eight-yard marker in the first quarter but failed to score. Then, in the second quarter, the Cats failed to score from the eight and six. Prestonsburg's backfield as a whole was effective but the line was ineffective.

Whitesburg completed one pass for a first down, but depended upon its running attack for most of its gains. W. Pigman scored the lone touchdown of the encounter, three minutes before the final whistle. Prestonsburg attempted nine passes in the last few minutes of the game without success. Lack of a competent backfield cover nullified the local aerial attack.

For the game with Jenkins Saturday at Jenkins, the Blackcats are further weakened as Herald, out with a badly sprained ankle, joins Salisbury on the hospital list. Salisbury's bruised hip may keep him out of the sidelines for the remainder of the season, Coach Hayden said. Blackburn, one of the line stalwarts, has been pulled back to the fullback position, and the line is a patch-work.

### Aged Abbott Woman Is Claimed

Mrs. Lou Johnson, 82 years old, of Abbott Creek, one of the county's oldest and best women, died at her home Saturday after an extended illness.

The victim was a daughter of the late "Aunt" Jane Elliott, of Abbott Creek, and is survived by three daughters, Mrs. Will Pruitt and Mrs. Bill Adams, both of Abbott, and another daughter who resides in Washington.

Funeral services were conducted Sunday, with the Rev. Mrs. Fanning and the Rev. W. B. Garritt, pastor of the Prestonsburg Methodist Church, officiating. Burial was made in the family cemetery on Abbott, under the direction of the Arnold Funeral Home.

#### LUCKY TICKETS

Holders of tickets numbered 008956, 009982, 012673, 011754 and 012293 may call at Morell Supply Company and receive gifts which were included in those given away by Morell Supply Company and Valley Wholesale Furniture Company at the drawing last Saturday.

### BELFRY UPSET BY W'WRIGHT

#### PRICE'S BOYS WIN BY 14 TO 7 SCORE

Wheelwright, Ky. (Sp.) — Coach Walter Price's Wheelwright high school football team, playing the entire game without a substitution, came from behind Saturday afternoon to score a 14-7 victory over the highly favored Belfry gridders for the local team's first win.

After Belfry had pushed across a touchdown and plunged for the extra point early in the first quarter, Wheelwright knotted the count later in the period and went on to score the winning marker in the fourth.

In the opening period Wheelwright won the toss and elected to receive. Martin at quarterback, received the ball and, after a return of 30 yards, fumbled and Belfry recovered. On the fourth play Williamson, Belfry quarterback, scored on a reverse around left end, and the plunge for extra point clicked.

Merich took the Belfry kick-off and returned to his own 40. From that point Cordell, Martin and Skiles alternately carried the ball to the Belfry two-yard line, from where Cordell bucked it over. He hit the line for the extra point and tied the score, 7-7.

In the second quarter Belfry got as far as the Wheelwright 8, when Mosey recovered a Belfry fumble, and from this point until well in the fourth period neither team seriously threatened the other's goal line. In the closing minutes the game Cordell punned to the Belfry one yard line, and the receiver returned to his 12 where, after he was smeared by Merich, he fumbled, with Mosey again recovering for Wheelwright. On his second try Cordell ripped the Belfry line for a touchdown but on off-side penalty nullified the run. On the next play he went through again, and another line plunge netted the extra point, ending the scoring. With one minute of play Belfry received the kick-off and took the air in an effort to score. Wheelwright had possession of the ball in mid-field when the game ended.

Play of the Wheelwright line, with Smith, Mosey and Zets continually smothering Belfry plays in the visitors' backfield, was commendable. The power shown by Cordell, Martin, Skiles and Bove, on both the offense and defense, was outstanding.

#### FOR SALE

I have for sale 10 head of Aberdeen-Angus cattle, three bulls and seven heifers. The heifers range in age from three months to three years, the bulls, from four months to 1 1/2 years.

All these cattle have the breeding of Prince Marshall, grand champion in the International Livestock Show at Chicago, 1921, and Black Cap Revolution, grand champion for 1923. No better breeding can be found.

All of these cattle are priced at farmer's prices and registered. Good road by my farm—come out and look them over.

D. M. ALLEN, SR., Huysville, Ky.

Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Howard and Mr. and Mrs. Moses Hall returned Monday from Norris Dam.

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NORMAN ALLEN, Editor

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### Drift Mineworker, Victim of Slate

Henry Hall, 23 years old, was crushed to death beneath an 11-foot-long slab of slate in the mines of the Turner-Elkhorn Coal Company at Drift at 3 o'clock Sunday morning. He died instantly of a broken neck and crushed chest.

Surviving Mr. Hall are his widow, Mrs. Della Hall, one daughter, Shirley Louise. His parents preceded him in death.

Funeral rites were conducted at the graveside in Drift cemetery Monday, with Revs. M. C. Wright, Ellis Hopkins and others officiating. Burial was made under the direction of the Ryan Funeral Home.

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Notice: You will be doing everybody big favor and you will be surprised but the old USA will keep on running while you two boys are sitting on the bank. Then come back on November 8th and we will let you know which one of you is the lesser of two evils.

### IN THE CLASSIFIED LINE

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SUFFERS CONCUSSION Bill Ed, young son of Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Clark, Prestonsburg, is in the Fairview hospital, suffering a brain concussion after he was thrown from his parents' auto as he opened the car door en route to church here Sunday morning.

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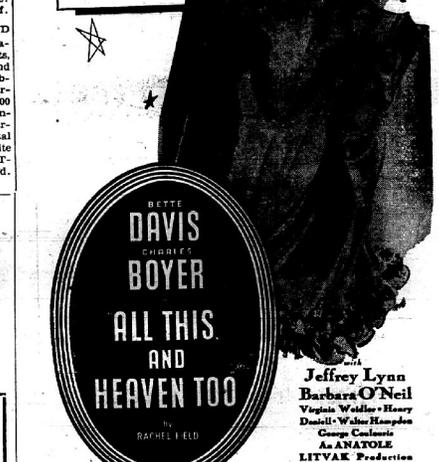
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foreign field and has many interesting things to tell us; also, he plays an electric guitar and has many interesting things to show us from the foreign field. Everyone is invited to come. REV. LEONARD FLEMING, Pastor.

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PRESTONSBURG, KY.

**Dingus Dies Suddenly**

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rial Baptist Church, Prestonsburg, of which the body was taken to the church at Dinwood where the Rev. C. C. Newsome, of the Methodist Church, Latagley, conducted funeral rites. Burial was made in the Dingus cemetery at Dinwood under the direction of the Ryan Funeral Home.

Active pallbearers were: A. B. Osborne, Sr., John Staley, Bill Dingus of Hite, P. H. Dingus, Sheriff Dial Salisbury and Earl Webb.  
Honorary pallbearers: Z. C. Dingus, Gardus Dingus, Dock Ratliff, P. M. Fugitt, Dr. W. L. Stumbo, County Clerk A. B. Meade, Circuit Clerk W. W. Cooley, Douglas Hays, S. D. Derront, D. P. Dingus, T. J. Allen, Tavis Allen, Grover Stephens, Lawrence Keathley, Bill Osborne, John Compton, B. L. C. May, Miles May, Jack May and W. J. Reynolds.

**Collins Dies by Knife**

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jumped and hit him. Later, he said, the two asserted their friendship and Mrs. Newsom declared that Daniels hadn't spoken to her. Later, Combs said, Newsom struck Collins in his back with a knife.

Daniels claimed he did not know either Newsom or his wife. He said that Newsom knocked him down, then was told by Mrs. Newsom that Daniels had not made any advances toward her. After the two had gone back into the rear of Rader's Place, he said, Newsom attacked him again, turned his back and begged Daniels to hit him. All went outside and there again Newsom knocked Daniels down, this Statement continues. After that, he said, he saw Newsom and Lawson Brown chasing Collins down the road.

Brown was brought here by Deputy Sheriff Salisbury for questioning but was released after he had established the claim that he acted only as a peacemaker during the trouble. Other witnesses gave a brief but in the main vague accounts of the trouble. Most of them said that Newsom was drinking; only one claimed that Collins was drinking.  
Collins is a son of C. L. and Mrs. Judy Howell Collins. Besides his parents he is survived by his widow, Mrs. Minerva Collins, one daughter, Myrtle, and two sons, Joe Edward and Johnny.

Funeral rites were conducted Tuesday morning at 11 o'clock, the Revs. Aaron Pack and M. C. Wright officiating. Burial was made at Drift under the direction of the Ryan Funeral Home.

**Draft Board Announced**

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that among the 130,000 national guardsmen to be mobilized between the first week in January and February 3 will be:

Thirty-eighth Division, 9,177, Indiana, Kentucky and West Virginia, to Camp Sibley, Miss. (This unit includes Louisville's 13th Field Artillery, One Hundred and Thirteenth Squadron, 116, Indiana, to Meridian, Miss.)

Two Hundred and First Coast Artillery Battalion (anti-aircraft separate), 313, Kentucky, to Fort Sheridan, Ill.

This mobilization will call into active duty for a year's training the last of the inactive guard units. About 132,000 officers and men already are in uniform and under mobilization orders.

The unusual difficulties of creating an efficient fighting force from the peace-time conscripts—varying in education, intellect, physical fortitude and in race and religion—drew attention in a letter from Gen. George C. Marshall, Army Chief of Staff, to the commanders of his four armies. It coincided with dispatch of detailed instructions to the four commanders by Maj. Gen. L. J. McNair, Army G.H.Q. chief of staff, from his headquarters in the Army War College in Washington.

Both communications exhorted the commanders to devote military effort to the greatest training job which has faced military leaders of the United States since the World War.

General McNair declared speed is imperative in "receiving, training and amalgamating" the drafted civilians.

The present national effort and the conditions which have caused it demand intensive training and the attainment of the highest standards. There will be no compromise with quality. The methods adopted must be such as will yield the maximum of progress in the minimum of time."

General Marshall wrote: "Adoption of a peacetime selective service system presents a special problem for all components of the army. Men selected for service with those now enlisting are representatives of the citizen-soldier who has always defended our nation in the past."

Tentative quotas assigned the 48 states and District of Columbia by Selective Service headquarters are based on estimates of the number of men in each state who are fit and available for immediate army service. Credits were given each state for the number of volunteers each is estimated to have furnished the armed forces already. This factor caused Kentucky's quota to be considerably lower than those of other states of comparative population. Kentucky registered about 300,000 men men for selective service.

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October 22, 1940

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Wheelwright School Carnival Expected To Draw 1,500

Wheelwright, Ky., Oct. 31 (Sp.)—Featuring everything from throwing baseballs at Rastus' head to ringing a bell for a cigar, the Wheelwright high school Halloween carnival is expected to attract 1,500 persons to the school gymnasium Saturday evening. Last year's carnival drew an attendance of 1,200.

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MAYTOWN

PERSONALS Mr. and Mrs. H. D. McQuinn, of Canova, W. Va., went Saturday night and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Jarrell.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Olson and children, of West Virginia, are visiting relatives here this week.

Miss Peggy Jo Auman, a student at the University of Kentucky, was accompanied home by Miss Katherine Hawkins, of Lexington.

Mr. and Mrs. Roger Stewart entertained Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Allen to dinner Wednesday evening.

Madames Paul Jarrell, Dave Bryant and E. H. May visited the Martin General hospital Tuesday evening.

Misses Harriet Allen and Gracie Flaney were overnight guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Sammons Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Jarrell have returned home to Kenova, W. Va., after spending a week with Mr. Jarrell's mother, Mrs. W. B. Jarrell, who is seriously ill in her home at Warco.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Stewart and baby daughter and Mrs. Henry Byrd of Malone, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Stewart over the week-end.

Russell Jarrell is now home from Paintsville where he has been attending the vocational training school.

Misses Mildred Bentley and Gypsy Allen and Junior Harmon were lunch guests of Miss Polly Stone Sunday, afterwards motoring to Jackson, Ky., where they visited Willis Hicks, a student at Jackson Junior College.

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. May entertained to dinner on Sunday evening in honor of Dr. Claude L. Allen and his bride, having also Dr. and Mrs. P. A. Vernon, of Pikeville, as their guests.

Mrs. J. H. Allen, Mrs. C. L. Allen and Miss Harriet Allen were shopping in Pikeville Wednesday.

The Maytown seniors, with Mr. Ratliff as chaperone, visited several Floyd county high schools over afternoon last week and report an interesting trip.

MAYTOWN FAIR AWARDS Maytown school patrons and pupils are congratulating Mrs. Syd Begley and her splendid 4-H Club on the fact that they won the exhibit award of the county fair for the second consecutive year. Mrs. Begley has been an industrious leader and her efforts deserve hearty commendation. She was also in charge of the Maytown float which took first prize. In addition to these prizes, Maytown also won the one given for singing and yell, and the parade.

HALLOWEEN CARNIVAL Oliver Ratliff announced his committees for the Halloween Carnival at the last meeting of the P.-T.-A. The carnival, an annual affair, will be held in the school building Friday, October 25, with a dance following. Mr. Ratliff and Miss Allen in charge of the latter. A huge crowd is expected, and more side shows and entertainment have been arranged for than ever before. Come, and bring the family with you. Join in the fun. Help the school at the same time! We'll see you Friday night in "DEAD MAN'S LAND!" Down in the school basement, where the skeletons will be on parade.

LACKEY

The Lackey Freewill Baptist Church held the regular meeting last Saturday and Sunday.

Charles Nelson is still doing fine work in the Lackey Freewill Baptist Sunday School Jack Patton, the assistant superintendent, is also doing good work as helper.

Miss Eva Thomas has returned home from a long stay in Kingsport, Tenn.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Preston and daughter, Ruby, were guests in Paintsville last week-end. Mrs. Preston's brother, Marion Caudill, of Paintsville, has been seriously ill.

The stork was a visitor at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Nelson last Saturday night and left them their third daughter.

Miss Eva Thomas was the week-end guest of Miss Dorothy Preston.

Miss Georgia Collins was visiting her parents Saturday and Sunday. Miss Collins is attending Pikeville College.

Miss America Robertson was at home this week-end from Caney Junior College.

SHIKE'S POKES

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

You motormen and brakemen had better look to your jobs, Mack and Buick practiced all Saturday night. We'll have to put them on regular in about 35 years if they keep on improving.

Here's a bunch of ornids to "Bill Henry's" column in last week's Floyd County Times. He really hit the nail on the head.

It's a funny thing about this campaign in Critt—The Republican ministers are the strongest for FDR.

"Oa" lives right in Critt but he sails about four or five miles a day so and from work—bad hitch-hiking.

The "Beef House" is crippled up—he took off like Lindbergh on the roller skates and landed like Will Rogers.

Sam Eversole says he doesn't know what this county is coming to—claims he even got arrested for carrying a pipe.

When Leemon Litton went to register on Wednesday, Cline Akers, the clerk, asked him the question, "Who will always know you address?" and he promptly replied—"Jim Hall"

Lightning wrote back that he would have to do a lot of training on rifle shooting. Give him a half pint and two Coon Creek rocks and he doesn't need any training.

About the only training the Floyd county boys need is just how to march with a dash of discipline—they already know "When, How and Why" to shoot and fight. If one of Hillier's divisions ever tangles with a Floyd county division they will think "Hell hath no fury"—that is, if any of the "Hellies" are ever able to think again.

If I am ever late for the meeting or late for work, I've got a better excuse than P. D. Short or any of the fellows. They have to tend to the baby—while I've got to tend to the "babies."

Yep, I really was re-chartered into the "Midnite Bottle Warmers' Club" for its TWINS up at Shikepoke's—a boy and a girl—two Democrats.

Young Lowell Parker, five-year-old son of Lum Parker, was listening to a news report of the bombing of Berlin—and he said, "I told you what would happen when John Henry got over there." John Henry is his uncle who joined the U. S. army about three months ago.

There is one consolation in twins—one cries so loud that you can't hear the other one.

MISS DINGUS, MR. POE WED, OCT. 19TH

Miss Elizabeth Dingus, of Martin, became the bride of Mr. R. H. Poe, of Mayville, Ky., at a quiet ceremony taking place on Saturday evening, October 19. The ceremony was read by the Rev. R. G. Hutchinson, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church, Pikeville, in the living room of the mansion. Attending the couple were Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Dingus, of Shelby, brother and sister-in-law of the bride.

Mrs. Poe is the daughter of Mrs. Amanda Dingus, of Martin, and was graduated from the Louisville high school and later attended Berea College.

What a student there she was prominent and popular in campus social and scholastic activities. The bride chose for her wedding costume a rose beige wool outfit with black accessories and wore a corsage of sweetheart roses and valley lilies. She wore a strand of pearls, gifts of the groom.

Mr. Poe is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Homer Poe of Mayville, Ky., and was educated in the Mayville schools. For the past 14 years he has been an employe of the Gorman Construction Company, of Flemingsburg, Ky.

Both have a wide circle of friends in this end of the state and elsewhere. The couple departed on a wedding trip into the north which will take them to Niagara Falls and other points of interest.

On their return they will go to Shepherdsville, Ky., where Mr. Poe is employed as foreman of the construction company, to reside.

MISS RIMMER, PLEDGE IN SORORITY

Columbia, Mo., Oct. 14 (Sp.)—Pledge ribbons appeared on the Stephens College campus this week, as a preferential convocation brought rush week activities to a close for more than 800 students.

Each year the 17 Stephens campus sororities hold a week of "open house," followed by a week of closed parties to which the rushes are invited. The and the students are given an opportunity to pledge the sorority of their choice.

Pledged from Prestonsburg is Patricia Elizabeth Rimmer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Rimmer, The Tau Omega sorority.

MARTIN

Misses Fannie Estess, Fay Patton, and Audra Stumbo and Messrs. James Stumbo, Oliver Allen and George Hale were home from Caney Creek Junior College over the week-end.

Paul Francis, who is employed at Jenkins, spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Francis.

Dennis Halbert, a student at Kentucky Wesleyan, at Winchester, spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Halbert.

Frank Martin, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Martin, of Ballsblurg, was home from Morehead State Teachers' College over the week-end.

Charles Jusaw in visited Miss Catherine Francis in Charleston, W. Va., last week.

Miss Autha Osborne spent last week at Eastern, as guest of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Osborne and family.

Mrs. Joe Pennington and daughter, Miss Olive Mae Pflimer, of Jenkins, were business visitors here Monday.

Mrs. T. J. Allen, who has been seriously ill at her home, is improving nicely.

Master Archie Ekins, Jr., who has been a patient at the Pikeville hospital, has returned home and is able to be out again.

Miss Helma Ison was the over-night guest of Miss Mabel Crisp last Monday.

Veiva Preston visited her son, T. J., at Fort Bragg, N. C., last week.

Miss Frieda Pemble spent Monday night as the guest of Miss Lenore Crisp.

Messrs. David Marrs, Glenn and Ellis Bailey went to Norris Dam on a fishing trip over the week-end.

Martin high school won a cup at the county fair for having the largest number of departments represented in the parade.

Martin Scout Troop 44 had a larger number of Scouts in the parade than any other troop in the county.

The Home Economics department

Auxiliary Club Sponsors Trap Shoot

The Auxier Trap and Gun Club will sponsor a trap shoot Sunday, Oct. 27, at the club grounds at Ford's Gap, on the Auxier-Deer Point road. Contestants will begin at ten o'clock and last in all all contestants have had a chance to compete.

Trophies and medals will be awarded the winners and all participants will receive a prize of some kind. The club extends an invitation to all trap shooters of Floyd and adjoining counties to compete in this event.

single ear wase corn; Arnold Sallsbury, fourth on sweet potatoes.

The F.F.A. boys of Martin high school won several prizes. Cecil O'neley won first prize on canned peas; Magdalene Bransham, second prize on a rug, and tomato juice; Alma Doris Martin, second prize on a set of antique dishes; Lillian Sallsbury, third prize on canned apples; Magdalene Bransham, fifth prize on a tablecloth.

Among the town's women who won prizes were Mrs. Florence Crisp, first on canned sweet potatoes and Mrs. Belle Kiser, first on embroidered dresser scarf and first on sweet pickles, and second and third on hand-knitted dresses.

The F.F.A. boys of Martin high school won several prizes. Cecil O'neley won first prize for the largest ear of sweet corn; Jack Crisp, first on the Chester White barrow; Billy Skeans, first on Buff Orpington pullets; Harold Skeans, second on piglets; Mrs. J. H. Skeans, second on Irish potatoes; Rudolph Williams, third on shotgun; Billy Skeans, third on Barred Rock pullets; Arnold Sallsbury, third on

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### Briar Buck's Scratches

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Prestonsburg, Ky., October 16, 1940

Mr. Adolph Ritter, Bomb Shelter No. 1, Berlin, Germany.

My Dear Adolph:

Today some 16 million young Americans signed (they think) away their freedom of action for the next year, and possibly their lives. But what actually happened is that I personally signed your own death warrant.

I hate to do this, Adolph, and it probably will hurt me more than it will you, but I've put up with your humbug long enough.

First, you took the Rhineland which, no doubt, your country sorely deserved. Then you gobbled up Austria. Nobody hurt except Old Baldy and the Austrians. Then Czechoslovakia—well, that hurt democracy's prestige and U. S. business.

Then you scuttled Poland—say, that was a good 'un about you sending those German police dogs in there!

But, Adolph, here's where you made your mistake: attacking France! Mister, we always felt good toward that country—especially towards our story-book versions of their wages and women.

Moreover, you began associating with Old Baldy and his flock of buzzards, and to cap it off, you hurried your hordes of hell-divers over to disturb our kinnamen at bedtime.

Now, Adolph, here's where you should have known those Englishmen were our own blood cousins, Adolph, and you should

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have realized that Uncle Sam would lose his temper and raise holy hell over John Bull's children. Nevertheless, if matters had stopped at this point, and after due deliberation, I probably would have forgiven you. But you weren't satisfied. You just had to rub salt in the cut. You hatched up a deal by which you thought these little yellow-bellied fellows could bully you out of that seasonal European game of "slaughter."

Well, we don't like the turned old game, but I'll be blasted if you can make us believe a fellow who is yellow could lick us!

That was the limit. We're getting ready fast. And as soon as the other boys learn to parade well enough, we're all coming 'over there.' And while they kick the tail feathers out of your goose-stepping little goings, I'll be thrashing the eternal daylight out of your hide with the butt end of a hickory switch!

Yours truly, BRIAR BUCK.

**MARTIN WINS**  
Briar Buck predicts that, whoever wins the election, there will not be any more Martin's Town Board races.

Any five of the candidates would make a good town board, and I hope the citizens to choose the BEST!

**DETAILS FROM THE DAM**  
"Ow" wants everybody to know about Sam Hatcher cutting off that bush he was holding on to, causing his 16-foot fall over a cliff. P. S. Sam is now sufficiently recovered from the sudden stop, and work on the dam project is progressing very nicely, thank you.

**WET PAINT**  
If you're wondering how Leo Carter, the dam painter got so much yellow paint on his clothes, here 'tis. He was trying to make a fast get-away with a couple of snatched watermelons and lost his footing.

**HEAVY DEMOCRATIC**  
"Big Foot" Jim Nunney, 75-year-old John Creek sage, said he reckoned the reason for the pear trees bearing so plentifully this year is "because everything is going so heavy Democratic."

**POP & STUFF**  
Daydream: Winston Churchill consulting Miss Widow while she mourns at Hitler's funeral. Had my first glimpse of Pete McCoy, World War Hero No. 2, last week. Looked like a human and said "Howdy, gentlemen." Then! If Pete says I'm a gentleman, then who are you to question it? Howard Henderson gets paid for saying what he thinks while I get cussed for doing the same thing! get the only difference in the head (if you know what I mean?)

### TIDBITS OF KENTUCKY FOLKLORE

#### YARNS AT THE STORE

Felicity was just like your little village in its perpetual assemblage of perpetual loafers, who, except for bacon, whittles on goods boxes, and told yarns. Before the days of the telephone 'ant. When the newspapers came only once or twice a week, this assemblage was the news gatherer and the news distributor for our many a bit of news or gossip was "I heard at the store." Actual news, pertaining to politics or religion or matrimony or business, was told and retold until it became legendary. When late news got scarce, there was always the Civil War to fall back on. For Fidelity did not share that mighty conflict, as several of our local heroes could testify. But the cream of the talk, after all, was the yarns that were repeated to new comers and ever so often anyway, whether there were new ears to hear them or not. The crowd of loafers expecting this and gave the cue that started the lengthy yarns on their usual course. We knew all of the incidents so well that we could make the yarn spinner often and remind him of something he had left out or unintentionally failed to color highly. If I could repeat all the yarns I heard there and tell them in the actual language used, with appropriate vocal accompaniment, I would be made in a lifetime. And there are endless Fidelitys in America where the same thing would be true. All honor to the man who got their stories published; by far the better portion of the good stories are still traditional, waiting a master recorder or a change in taste to make them sought after by the best magazines.

Some of the yarns were distinctive masculine and could not be told by a woman. However, many of these forbidden stories were in their way masterpieces of narration and slipping up on the unforeseen ending. Whenever a tenderfoot, as he would have been called out West, came into the village, we tried our best yarns on him, to see whether he would bite. Sometimes he would, and we laughed but his face would tell us we had won. He would have our own laugh out and then caught us with one equally clever. Since he would not have a big group to help him with his laugh, we would join for company, glad to get something new to pull on the boys and men who were less fortunate and could not afterwards we spread the yarn until everybody had heard it a dozen times and all the nice fellows had been made to blush.

The best yarns concerned actual neighborhood happenings that had assumed traditional features. There was the haunted house, for instance, with the long story about the girl who refused to marry the man who built the house for her about her unhappy marriage to another man and her early death, and especially about the queer noises around the unfinished old mansion for years after she had passed away. For nearly 50 years the house stood, a monument to faithful love that made even the hardest-hearted people of Fidelity marvel. Endlessly was told the story of the tragic sinking in the Tennessee river that took the lives of five of our neighbors. After we had heard for the fiftieth time this pathetic story, we felt more than ever the simple pathos of the fabled-in-parade of two of these victims in our little graveyard. These two men were, were share croppers, newcomers to the neighborhood, and did not have a family lot in the graveyard. The other three were natives, two of them fathers of families, and buried with their relatives. The one that raised our hair most was the story of our sleep-walking woman who went to the cemetery by night and caught a horse, which she rode in her night clothes far away into the night. Any one of these yarns, properly told, would reanimate the old village and its inimitable yarn-spinners.

#### NOTICE

To Whom This May Concern: This is to certify that Joe Wheeler Meadows, Jr., of Army Master Sergeant, Canton, N. Y., after January 1, 1941 will not be responsible for any debts charged to his account or credit in any bank or any person or persons who the above may be indebted whose bills are not mailed to the above name by the stated date will not be paid, and any person or persons indebted to the above party will have their checks or money orders mailed to him by the stated date. Signed: JOE W. MEADOWS, JR.

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### TRAVEL BULLETIN TODAY'S ROADS



Prepared by Eastern Kentucky Automobile Club

#### AUTUMN HAZARDS

Falling leaves are a forecast of winter—and they are also a forecast of danger to the wise motorist. Wet, dead leaves will soon blanket most of our streets, and wet leaves are almost as slippery as ice. Keep that in mind while driving this fall. You won't have to worry about skids if you avoid situations requiring sudden stops or turns. Danger Lurks On Every Curve and Hill Top!

#### "KENTUCKY'S ROADS"

- US. 27—Construction between Falmouth and Cynthiana. Through traffic detour to US. 25.
- US. 23—South Louisa-Pointeville road. Detour over gravel road. Fair in dry weather. Caution at all times. Adds 5 1/2 miles.
- US. 227—Winchester-Richmond. Surfacing. No detour.
- US. 41—Construction south of Louisville between Mumfordsville and Elizabethtown. Road closed.
- KY. 1—Overhead bridge construction between Greenup and Grayson. Short detour.
- US. 25—London-Corbin. 1 1/2 miles construction. Drive cautiously.
- KY. 80—London-Somerset. Construction of approximately 20 miles. Caution.
- US. 41—Closed between Providence and Hopkinsville. Detour via Ky. 109.
- US. 60—Surfacing between Mt. Sterling and Owensville. Widening surface between Mt. Sterling and Winchester.

Winter broilers are being raised by Mrs. William Tyra, Trimble county, to sell on the premium Christmas market.

Ten acres of black locust have been set in Livingston county, in the Tennessee river watershed.

4-Hers from several counties won \$500 in prizes at the Tri-State Agricultural Fair at Middlesboro.

### Daring Offer Made By Lexington Paper

Lexington, Ky., Oct. 19.—The Lexington Herald, published in the center of Kentucky's famous horse-breeding region, today announced it will give away its entire edition every day a Bluegrass-bred horse does not win a race on a major track in the United States.

The offer is good every day except Sunday and other days when there is no racing on major tracks. However, there is racing on major tracks nearly every week day in the year.

Although a St. Petersburg, Fla., paper makes an offer of that type, giving away its entire edition on days the sun does not shine—the Lexington Herald is believed to be the only paper in the world offering to "pay off" when its region's representatives in competitive sport fail to win.

The Herald maintains this is a gift offer rather than gambling. J. S. Holbrook, Letcher county, worked under 16 acres of soybeans and seeded crimson clover and rye.

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**Farrington Is Speaker**  
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Joe Harkins, Jr., president of the  
Prestonsburg Co-operative Business  
Association, expressed appreciation for  
the splendid co-operation of the farm-  
ers and merchants in making the  
Fair a success.

Leroy Combs, chairman of the fair  
committee, County Agent S. L. Isbell,  
postmaster, Woodrow Burchett and  
the Rev. W. B. Garritt all expressed  
the thought that the co-operation  
between the farmers and business men  
will grow to big things for Floyd  
county.

Mr. Farrington said that in the six  
years he had been connected with  
Kentucky Agricultural Conservation  
work the state has received some-  
thing like \$3,000,000. "I am sure," he  
said, "we will have a permanent agri-  
cultural program with changes from

time to time. The farmers purchas-  
ing power will increase and the soil  
will continue to be improved."  
Speaking of what may be expected  
during the next few years, Mr. Har-  
rington stated we may expect serious  
repercussions regardless of who wins  
the war, and that we will have to  
have more co-operative groups. "The  
world," he said, "will be lined up in  
strong economic blocs. It will be cut-  
throat trade for years to come."  
"We are sure to have one big bloc  
which will stand the punishment and  
retain the confidence in democracy—  
and that is the farmers," Mr. Far-  
rington added.

The 44 farmers and business men  
listening to Mr. Farrington were sur-  
prised to learn that during the "pros-  
perity" years, 1929-29, the farmers  
ended up worse than when they start-  
ed. The purchasing power of the  
farmer steadily decreased, according  
to Mr. Farrington, during the years  
that the business men were thinking  
everybody was making money. "At  
the end of our 'prosperity' period," he  
said, "40 per cent of our farms were  
operated by absentee owners. Less  
than 30 per cent of our population  
are on the farms today."

The south-eastern section of the  
United States came in for much com-  
ment by Mr. Farrington. The south-  
east quarter, including the moun-  
tains, is the only section in the United  
States reproducing its population, he  
said. He also stated that at the  
present rate of re-population and the  
percentage of farm children leaving  
for the cities in other sections of the  
United States, it will not be many  
years until the country will be depen-  
dent upon the south-east section for  
farm products.

When asked if he did not believe  
that when speaking of co-operative  
efforts, emphasis should be laid on  
the farmers co-operating with the  
business men as well as the business  
men co-operating with the farmers,  
Mr. Farrington stated, certainly, the  
farmers could never get along within  
themselves and that no one group  
should be encouraged above any other.  
"The farmers and business men," he  
said, "have the same problems. Either  
they must work them out together or  
they will not work at all."

**GARRETT TOT DIES,**  
**ILL ONLY 2 HOURS**

Buren Douglas, four-year-old son of  
Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Bellomy, of Gar-  
retts, died October 16 after an illness  
of two hours of lobar pneumonia. Sur-  
viving are the bereaved parents, sev-  
eral brothers and sisters. Burial was  
made at Walbridge. Lawrence county,  
under the direction of the Ryan Funer-  
al Home.

**HERE FROM IOWA**  
Mr. and Mrs. F. R. Mann, of Wil-  
low Junction, Iowa, were visiting  
Walter L. Mann and family during  
the week.

**MARTIN THEATRE**  
"WHERE THE CROWDS GO"

**SATURDAY—**  
"Wagon Train"  
Tim Holt, Martha O'Driscoll.

**SUNDAY—**  
"All This and Heaven Too"  
Bette Davis, Charles Boyer.

**TUESDAY—**  
"Pier 13"  
Lynn Bari, Lloyd Nolan.  
10 Cents

**WEDNESDAY—**  
"Angels Over Broadway"  
Douglas Fairbanks, Jr.,  
Rita Hayworth.

**THURSDAY—**  
"A Little Bit of Heaven"  
Gloria Stuart, Robert Stack,  
Hugh Herbert.

**FRIDAY—**  
"Captain Caution"  
V. Mature, Leo Carrillo.

**ABIGAIL**  
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**THURSDAY-FRIDAY—**  
"Dreaming Out Loud"  
LUM AND ABNER.

**SATURDAY—**  
"Three Men From Texas"  
Wm. Boyd, Andy Clyde.

**SATURDAY, 10:30 P. M.—**  
"Duro's Spook Show"  
On the stage on the screen, in fact,  
all over the house.

**SUNDAY AND MONDAY—**  
"Down Argentine Way"  
Don Ameche, Betty Grable.

**TUESDAY-WEDNESDAY—**  
"I Want a Divorce"  
Joan Blondell, Dick Powell.

**PATTY THEATRE**  
(Next Door to Abigail)

**THURSDAY-FRIDAY—**  
DOUBLE FEATURE—  
"Born to the West"  
Wm. Boyd.

—and—  
"Midnight Limited"

**SATURDAY—**  
"Wild Horse Range"

**SUNDAY-MONDAY—**  
"Girl From Havana"

**TUESDAY-WEDNESDAY—**  
DOUBLE FEATURE—  
"Golden Gloves"  
—and—  
"The Fatal Hour"

**BROADWAY**  
THEATRE  
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**FRIDAY-SATURDAY — DOUBLE**  
FEATURE—  
"British Intelligence"  
Boris Karloff, Margaret Lindsay.

"Pioneers of the Frontier"  
Wild Bill Elliott.

**SATURDAY, 10 P. M.—**  
**SUNDAY AND MONDAY—**  
"Flight Angels"  
Virginia Bruce, Ralph Bellomy,  
Wayne Morris.

**TUESDAY—**  
"Dr. Ehrlich's Magic Bullet"  
Edward G. Robinson, Ruth Gordon.

**WEDNESDAY—**  
**THURSDAY—**  
"Kid Nightingale"  
John Payne, Jane Wyman.  
Serial: "DEADWOOD JACK"  
18c—15c

**Red Cross Calls**  
**For Volunteer**  
**Workers**

Ella Noel C. White, executive secre-  
tary, Floyd County Chapter, Ameri-  
can Red Cross, announced this week  
the need for volunteer workers to com-  
plete the third quota of clothing for  
European refugees.

Since May 1, two small quotas have  
been completed and sent to national  
headquarters for re-shipment. Women's  
Clubs and individuals throughout  
the county have assisted in knitting,  
crocheting and sewing.  
The newly assigned quota is much  
larger and more workers are needed.  
Any women in the county who are  
willing to knit, crochet or sew may ob-  
tain materials from the chapter upon  
request. At an early date sewing rooms  
will be opened certain hours during  
each day.

The annual Roll Call of the Red  
Cross starts Armistice Day, November  
11. Mrs. F. L. Heinze, county chair-  
man, announces. It is hoped this will  
be the greatest Roll Call since World  
War No. 1. An innovation this year is  
that of foregoing a set quota in favor  
of securing the name and contribu-  
tion of every adult member of a com-  
munity.

Since September 1, Norman Davis,  
national Red Cross chairman recent-  
ly stated, almost 45,000,000 in relief  
supplies have been sent to Great  
Britain from the United States.

**Cole Chooses Death**  
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vana. Mrs. Post told authorities that,  
after Cole had registered last Wednes-  
day under the name of Bert Bentley,  
he began drinking. Early Thursday  
morning, she said, he forced her to  
start the long drive to this county un-  
der threat of death.

When Cole entered Radtiff's Place  
for a drink, Mrs. Post wrote on a piece  
of paper which she tossed from the  
window: "I, Mrs. Anna Post, was  
forced to drive Bert Bentley to Pike-  
ville. If I am not heard from, search  
for my body."

This placed federal agents on Cole's  
trail on the kidnapping count. Herbert  
K. Moss, special agent in charge of  
the Federal Bureau of Investigation  
office at Louisville, was joined in the  
search by a U. S. deputy marshal,  
State Highway Patrolman Clifton

Stanley and Felt Russell and Con-  
stable Willie Johnson, of Wheel-  
wright.  
Cole contended, after his arrest for  
the killing of Curt Johnson, that the

later, following a fight on the pre-  
ceding night, met Cole as he was go-  
ing squirrel-hunting and that he shot  
Johnson after the latter had fired  
pistol bullets near his head.



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<b>LADIES' COTTON HOSE</b> 10c Pair	<b>BOYS' UNDERWEAR</b> 3 SUITS \$1.00 Ages 2 to 16.	<b>COTTON SHEET BLANKETS</b> 39c
<b>LADIES' OUTING GOWNS</b> 39c	<b>BOYS' "SUPER MAN" SHIRTS</b> 59c	<b>16x30 TURKISH TOWELS</b> 5c

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