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ICC Authorizes Middle Creek Railway

ROAD SOUGHT TO PROPOSED MINE CENTER

FLOYD-MAGOFFIN HIGHWAY NEARS COUNTY LINE

Steps were taken Thursday, last week, by the Floyd district court to link the proposed mining operations on Lick Fork of Middle Creek with the Mayo Trail, Prestonsburg and other points by a surfaced highway.

The court, pledging its sponsorship of such a project, asked the Works Progress Administration to construct a farm-to-market road from the mouth of Lick Fork to its head, potential center of operation.

The Prestonsburg-Salyersville route up Middle Creek, under construction by the WPA using machinery, is within less than two miles of the Floyd-Magoffin line and surfacing of the road is space with grade and drain work.

W. A. Turner, county WPA supervisor, predicted this week that the Middle Creek road will be completed to the county line next spring. Magoffin county, however, is making little if any progress toward building its part of the highway.

Mr. Turner said 400 men were employed last week on WPA road work in the county, with around 50 others at work on the Martin sewer system and the graded school building there.

AFTER-NOT BEFORE

In refutation of the statement that the administrative vote must be held immediately before the election, the statement that the WPA added 126 new employees to its work rolls in the county on Nov. 15-10 days after the election.

This Town That World

LETTER TO THE EDITOR

From the head of a certain creek in this county TOWN-WORLD reekes its caustic and enlightening comment on our critics of last week, directed at Third Street, Prestonsburg. So he (or she) writes, in effect:

"I guess I'm the driver you was talking about filling up his car with water out of that puddle. That's all right. Just remember that the water was handy and that I never have been the kind of man who would go to drive up to a fillin station and see something free when I wasn't in the market to buy anything. So I just filled her up."

"And mister, your verbes about Third Street are as bad as any I ever wrote. Mine never have been printed there."

"And you talk about your doubts of it being so about the wild duck lighting on that Third Street water hole. You're bound to be right about that. Why should any duck want to light in a puddle like that when it could cut across into our country and settle in a big, comfortable mud hole?"

HABITUS HINSELF

Commonwealth's Attorney John Allen is the David Harum of Floyd county officialdom—as witness his recent swap of a nag of sorts to fifty hens of variegated colors.

ONE HAVIN' REPORTS

Bill Henry is none too popular with the Bell-o-phone after what he wrote in this sheet last week.

BONANZA CELEBRATES COMMUNITY DAY ON 'OLD' THANKSGIVING

Last Thursday, "Old Thanksgiving," found the community of Bonanza enjoying its annual Community Day, with residents of that section and visitors packing the school building there.

A picnic dinner, furnished by patrons and teachers of the school, was served. The crowd was entertained by music and talks.

The program follows:

Welcome address, Paris Conley, principal of the school; song, Mrs. Josephine Stanley, teacher; Bible reading Mrs. Dixie Neely, teacher; Lord's Prayer, led by Mrs. Grace Conley; address by Town Hall, Superintendent of Floyd county schools; Word of Good Cheer, Rev. Alex Stephens; "The Coming of Thanksgiving," Irene O. Baldrige; music by string band, led by Billy Paris Conley.

BOYS OF '18 TO GATHER

IN DISTRICT MEET AT HIGH SCHOOL IN P'BURG

Representatives of 16 American Legion posts in Eastern Kentucky counties will attend the district meeting, which will be held with the Floyd Post 129 in the high school auditorium here Saturday afternoon.

The meeting will get under way at 2:30, when it will be called to order by the president, J. W. H. Smith, who will be delivered by Mayor E. F. Arnold and County Judge H. P. Hill. "Old" Owens of Jenkins, is the district commander in charge.

Music for the occasion will be furnished by the Floyd county high school band, under the direction of Jesse Elliot, and by the Prestonsburg high school Glee Club. Addresses also will be given by Jimmie Norris, Ashland, Department Commander; Mrs. Cecelia Cannon, Jenkins; Walter Powers, Salyersville, and Joe Hobson, Prestonsburg. A discussion of Legion programs will be held, with a three-minute time limit on each speaker.

A flag from the local post to the Prestonsburg high school will be presented by the Rev. J. S. Hale, Jenkins, and will be received by members of Mrs. E. A. Combs' high school class. Response will be delivered by Clayborne Stephens, principal of the high school.

H. C. FRANCIS IS VICTIM

VETERAN MERCHANT DIES MONDAY AT ASHLAND

Stricken with a heart attack, H. C. Francis, prominent Prestonsburg merchant, dropped dead at 3:15 o'clock Monday afternoon in the Second National Bank building, Ashland. He was 62 years old.

Mr. Francis became ill while in Ashland to attend a ceremonial and social program of El Hasi Shrine Temple, a local branch of the organization. He had minor heart seizures but was in apparent good health upon his departure for Ashland Monday morning.

Born April 24, 1877 in what was then Letcher county (now Knott), Hubbard C. Francis was the son of the late Huram H. and Sarah Day Francis. After teaching in the rural schools of Knott county, he assumed charge of the family store when he was only 17 years old, upon the death of his father. At the age of 20 he established the H. C. Francis business which he conducted for a quarter of a century.

In 1923 Mr. Francis established the

1ST FLOYD COUNTIANS CALLED UNDER NATIONAL DRAFT ACT



From left to right: James Arrowood, Wayland; Grover B. Conley, Martin; Chester Lee Young, West Prestonsburg; Frank Hall Harold, Bonanza.

"They're in the army now"—are these three Floyd countians, who last week were inducted into the army under the selective service system and who were transferred to Fort Knox Friday from the reception center at Fort Thomas along with approximately 450 others from Kentucky, Ohio and West Virginia. At Fort Knox the selectees will be schooled for 12 weeks in basic military courses before being assigned to regular army units for duty.

From the two local boards it was announced this week that each board will classify 200 men per 1,000 registrants to fill possible military calls. Local board No. 1 has designated 200 men from the county, and board No. 2 has designated 200 men from the county.

They will be classified by Dec. 15 and be in the A-1 classification, available for immediate service.

Little difficulty is expected in the classification of Floyd county's quota, as to date 71 men have volunteered for one year's service and practically all of them will be classified as A-1. Recent volunteers include Ibery Johnson, Fred; James Johnson and Lorton Bartley, both of Glog; Palmer Moore, Gearheart; James P. Wicker, Garrett; P. D. Dale, Weeksbury; Noah McGuire, Jr., Wayland; John Danron, Bonanza; Samuel Robert George, Calvin Shepherd and Herbert Lee Hubbard, all of Prestonsburg; Burns Jarell and Delma Bantley, both of Allen; Larcie Henson Lewis; Ivel; William Bower Coffee, West Prestonsburg.

Many of the one-year volunteers, not content to wait until they might be called, have enlisted at recruiting stations for the three-year period.

Recent registrants are Frank Hall Harold, Bonanza; James Wayland, and Noah McGuire, Jr., Wayland, all of which and who have been assigned to Panama, Canal Zone.

The second quota for the state of Kentucky, unofficially placed at 900, probably will be ready by mid-December and will be called in January, it was said last week by Col. Frank D. Bush, Louisville, State Selective Service Director.

P'BURG PASSES TO VICTORY

W'WRIGHT INABILITY TO SOLVE AERIAL ATTACK, FATAL

Wheelwright's inability to fathom the intricacies of the Prestonsburg Blackcats' passing attack, as exemplified by Salsbury, resulted in an 18-13 victory at Wheelwright Saturday afternoon in the last game for either team this year.

Salsbury completed 13 passes, and three of these went for touchdowns. In the first quarter, he passed eight yards to May who stepped two yards further to score. In the second, his heave to Pannin who stood on the goal line was good for the next marker, and Prestonsburg wound up its scoring for the afternoon on Salsbury's pass to Butler in the third quarter, Butler scampering 25 yards.

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WOODS KILLED BY SLATE

BODY OF FARMER IS DISCOVERED BY NEIGHBORS

Johnny W. woods, 46-year-old Cow Creek farmer, was found crushed to death late Thursday afternoon, last week, in a country coal "bank" in the Prestonsburg section.

Found planned beneath a fall of slate, he is believed to have died instantly. The body was discovered by Forest Carline and Bradis Goble after alarm for his safety had been sounded by Woods' young son.

A son of Will and Mrs. Elizabeth Hunter, who had been working alone, he is survived by his widow, Mrs. Maxie Goble Woods; four children: Hector, Caroline, C. and Harry; four brothers and six sisters: Mrs.

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FAILS TO GET MAN BUT HE GETS RESULTS

After shuttling back and forth between Syracuse, N. Y., where J. G. Thomas, former Hillie mine operator, was in jail, and the state capital at Albany, where he sought extradition papers for Thomas' return to this county, W. M. Griffith, Martin, was recalled without "this man" when Thomas' relatives came here and paid the \$426 of hospital funds the fugitive was alleged to have misappropriated.

Mr. Griffith returned Saturday night after spending 10 days in seeking Thomas' return here. On one occasion requisition was granted but the prisoner's attorneys found that the acting governor had failed to state the specific charge on which his return was wanted, thus vitiating that bit of work.

Thomas it is alleged, collected over his payroll hospital, due, then left without paying \$426 of these funds. He also owes labor claims and other bills, but these were not the basis for criminal action instituted against him.

WORLD WAR I VET, VICTIM

SLATEFALL VICTIM BURIED IN FLOYD SATURDAY

Body of Thomas Spears, World War veteran, who was instantly killed Thursday, last week, by a slatefall in the Eastern Kentucky Coal Company mine near Banner, was returned to the Spears home at Banner for burial Saturday.

A son of Kents and Mrs. Lura Dials Spears, who was born Jan. 18, 1886, on Buffalo Creek, near German. On April 18, 1918 he was married to Miss Margaret Crum, of Banner, and a few days later he entered the army. He spent several months overseas in the infantry, and resided at Banner upon his return to this county.

Mr. Spears had been employed as a miner on Pond Creek for several years. He is survived by his widow and eight children: Chad, Thomas, Jr., Dorothy, Hector, Georgia, Ruth, Carlina and Luna, all at home. He also leaves three brothers and three sisters: Banner Spears, Odiss, Ky.; Frank Spears, West Virginia; Orville Spears, of German; Mrs. Frank Coplin, Stone, Ky.; Mrs. Beatty Thomas, Mottshaven, Ky.; Mrs. Nancy Williamson, Canada, Ky.

Funeral rites were conducted by the Revs. Isaac Stratton S. G. Rice and J. M. Hester, of German, in the family cemetery under the auspices of Floyd Post, American Legion, and the United Mine Workers of America.

SERIOUSLY ILL

Mrs. Howard Brown, of Friend street, is seriously ill in a Falmville hospital. She had received two blood transfusions within the last two weeks.

Prestonsburg Firms, TIMES Co-Operate In Record Edition

If it's action the citizens of Floyd county want, they're being treated to it in this issue of THE TIMES. Prestonsburg merchants, every one of them, and the merchants of Martin are doing their part, too—all joining together in presenting the biggest event for Christmas holiday shoppers in the history of Floyd county perhaps in the history of the Big Sandy valley.

THE TIMES is doing its part. Floyd county newspaper history is being made this week with the publication of twenty pages of Floyd county progress waits for no man, bigger things than ever were dreamed of are coming with the New Year and the merchants in co-operation with THE TIMES, presents this, the greatest preview of the Floyd county of 1941.

Business that cannot be found elsewhere, made possible by 100 per cent co-operation, are being advertised, page on page—all this and the story of the "passing scene" in Floyd county in this record-breaking edition of THE FLOYD COUNTY TIMES.

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LA VIERS TELLS OF FORMATION OF COMPANY

ANNOUNCES LEASING OF 3,000 ACRES FROM EVANS

The "all clear" signal for the Chesapeake & Ohio Railway Company's proposed 10-mile branch line from West Prestonsburg up Middle Creek to the proposed mining operations on Lick Fork of the stream was given last week by the Interstate Commerce Commission.

Harry LaViers, Paintsville, Wednesday morning issued the following statement:

"I and a group of associates have organized a company under the name of Princess Ekibhorn Coal Company, of which I shall be a director and president. This company has obtained a lease from E. J. Evans, Paintsville, on approximately 3,000 acres out of his holdings of approximately 7,000 acres of land on the waters of Middle Creek and adjacent waters in Floyd and Magoffin counties. This property is underlaid with a seam of Ekibhorn coal and we are immediately going to make plans for the development of this property.

The Chesapeake & Ohio Railway Company has been authorized to construct a branch line up Middle Creek from Prestonsburg.

and when it is completed we expect to begin construction and complete a mine and start shipping coal. The date of our doing this will depend a great deal on how soon the railway company completes this branch line and is able to put it into operation.

"We are going to start out with the objective of developing the property as fast as the market will justify. Until the mine is under way we will have established, the temporary office of the company will be in the First National Bank building, Paintsville, Ky. When we get under way we will have local offices and a manager at the plant on Middle Creek.

"If the development proceeds as we hope it will and the coal is accepted in the market as we believe it will be, we expect to develop the operation to a capacity of several hundred thousand tons a year, and this would probably mean that we would employ several hundred men."

Options have already been taken

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Court House Happenings

SUITS FILED

John Gearty III vs. Dr. M. M. Collins (Jury fee); Forrest D. Short et al. vs. Lou Owens et al.; Bond and Bond and P. D. Short, attorneys; Commonwealth of Kentucky vs. B. B. Salsbury (Appeal); Joe P. Tackett, attorney; W. M. Parker vs. Little Belle Parker; W. W. Burchett, attorney.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Bert Shepherd, 19, Hueysville, and Ayanella Sexton, 19, Hueysville, marriage solemnized by the Rev. D. M. Allen, Sr., Church of Christ, Hueysville, November 28. Ater Mende and Ruby Spinks, Albert R. Plyche, 33, Ashland, and Grace Brown, 23, Ashland; marriage solemnized by the Rev. I. A. Smiley, Baptist Church, Prestonsburg, November 30. Alvin Shepherd, 22, Harold, and Wanda Mende, 16, Ambs; marriage solemnized by the Rev. I. A. Smiley, Baptist Church, Prestonsburg, November 30.

GUARDIAN BOND

Tamra Hall, bond of Ira Hall.

Carpenters, Joiners Organize Here

Organization here of Local Union No. 723, Carpenters and Joiners of America, American Federation of Labor, is being made. It was announced this week by George Hall, president, and P. T. Rice, financial secretary. Officers of the Local said that all carpenters wishing to join as charter members should do so at once. Meetings will be held in the courthouse here each second and fourth Saturday night at 7 o'clock.

ALL-CONFERENCE GRID LINE-UP STUDD WITH BLACKCATS

BAILEY, SALISBURY AND HUNTER WIN BERTHS ON MYTHICAL ELEVEN—COOK, UNANIMOUS CHOICE

Line-up of the Big Sandy all-Conference football team, selected by conference coaches Tuesday night at Fleming, includes three Prestonsburg Blackcats. None of the other eight teams had more than two players on the mythical eleven.

The all-Conference selections follow:

| First Team | Pos. | Second Team |
|-------------------------|------|-----------------------|
| Williamson (Beltry) | LE | Ward (Van Lear) |
| Wells (Van Lear) | LT | Anderson (Pikeville) |
| Slak (Fleming) | LG | Conley (Fleming) |
| Bates (Beltry) | C | Bain (Paintsville) |
| Murphy (Paintsville) | RG | Hogg (Whitehouse) |
| Bailey (Falmville) | RT | Mullins (Paintsville) |
| Cook (Whitehouse) | RE | Layne (Beltry) |
| Yenters (Fleming) | QB | Nolan (Jenkins) |
| Salsbury (Prestonsburg) | HB | Dameron (Pikeville) |
| Piggan (Whitehouse) | FB | Greer (Jenkins) |
| Bunter (Prestonsburg) | FB | Ishmael (Pikeville) |

All eight coaches participated in the poll. Cook of Whitehouse was the unanimous choice for first-team right end, and Hunter of Prestonsburg lost only one vote for the fullback position. Pikeville failed to place a man on the first team.

BILL HENRY SAYS:

(The views herein expressed are those of the writer and not necessarily those of The Times.)

A National Emergency Was the Cause of the WPA—Lucrative Office Jobs Help to Continue It



At the time the WPA was created an emergency existed. No one denied the necessity then for a program of relief to tide over the vast army of the unemployed. An emergency exists now and it is something that is permanent...

Bill Henry growing into a permanent fixture as a part of our local, state and federal governments—thousands upon thousands of them and women are accepting as their lot a state of pauperism. The children of these men and women are growing up in an environment which will eventually create a class distinction...

At the time the WPA program was inaugurated our President and our Congress were helpless in the face of an impending calamity and they were right in recognizing it as an emergency demanding immediate action.

Martin-Helton Marriage Announced

Announcement is being made of the marriage of Miss Bess Martin, of Martin, and Mr. Wayne Helton, of Paintsville, which was solemnized Aug. 28 at Canada, Ky. with the Rev. Byrd officiating. Mr. and Mrs. Linkey Robinson, of Martin, were the only attendants.

Mrs. Martin is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Noah Martin, Minnie, and is a graduate of Martin high school. Later she attended Pikeville College and Morehead State Teachers' College, and is now manager of the Martin Beauty Salon at Martin. Mr. Helton is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Helton, of Oil Springs. He was graduated from the Paintsville high school and later attended the Bowling Green Business University. He is now employed by the Howard Motor Company at Paintsville.

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MARTIN

Miss Doris Reynolds, a student at Bowling Green Business College, spent "Old" Thanksgiving with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Reynolds.

Mrs. Pebley has returned from a visit with her parents in Ohio.

Miss Helen Fretti spent last Monday night as the guest of Misses Mabel and Lenore Crisp.

Miss Patty Hatton, who attends Bowling Green Business College, spent several days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Val Hatton.

Miss Shirley Compton spent Sunday night with Miss Ruth Osborne.

James Crisp, son of Mrs. Florence Crisp, has returned to his studies at Bowling Green after spending several days with his family.

Bowling Green after spending several days with his family.

Miss Bethel Frasure spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. K. Frasure.

GIVES SURPRISE BIRTHDAY PARTY

A surprise birthday party was given in honor of Mrs. Nannie Wright, of Brainard, Saturday, Nov. 23. Many gifts were presented. A number of games were enjoyed and later in the evening refreshments were served to the following: Mr. and Mrs. Vester Finley, Prestonsburg; Mrs. Orville Dodson, of May Branch; Miss Alma Whitaker, West Prestonsburg; Miss Susie Poe, Ermon Poe, Bruce Adams and Miss Nannie Wright, all of Brainard.

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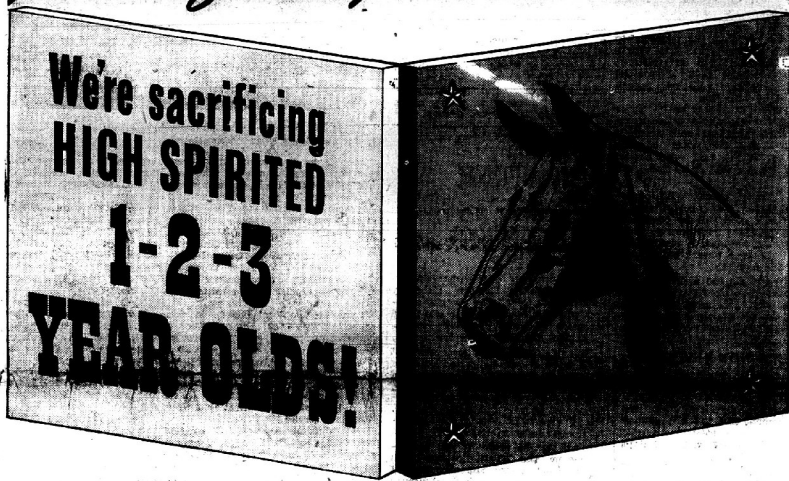
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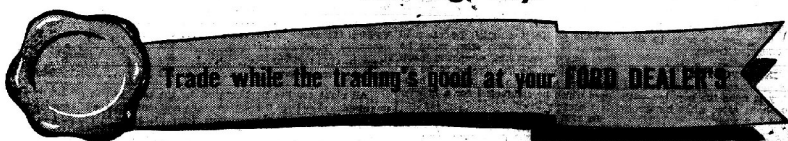
Table with 2 columns of car models and prices. Includes: 1936 Ford Coupe \$245, 1938 Ford Coupe \$395, 1938 Plymouth Coupe \$495, 1937 Ford Tudor Sedan \$325, 1937 Ford Fordor Sedan \$375, 1937 Dodge Deluxe Sedan \$395, 1939 Ford Tudor \$475, 1939 Mercury Fordor Sedan \$695, 1940 Ford Tudor Same as new \$565, 1937 Ford Pick-up (60) \$245, 1938 Ford Pick-up \$295, 1937 Ford 1 1/2-Ton Chassis and Cab \$375.

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State Gives Roosevelt 146,384 Edge

Frankfort, Ky., Nov. 25—President Roosevelt's Democratic majority in Kentucky's general election was 146,384, according to official returns compiled in the Secretary of State's office Monday.

The November 5 election totals showed Roosevelt 597,229 and Willis 410,284. Two other Presidential nominees got almost negligible votes: Prohibitionist 1,443 and Socialist 1,014. Chandler Runs Ahead.

United States Senator A. B. Chandler, Democrat, received an even greater majority than did the President, defeating his Republican opponent, Attorney Walter B. Smith, Bell county, by 561,151 to 401,812.

The official returns on which the State Board of Election Commissioners formally certified the winners, showed the eight Democratic and one Republican incumbents were returned to Congress by the following vote: First District—Noble J. Gregory (D.), 60,777; no opposition.

Second—B. M. Vincent (D.), 69,905; no opposition.

Third—Emmett O'Neal (D.), 96,254; Ben J. Brumleve (R.), 64,053.

Fourth—E. W. Crowl (D.), 55,561; Lewis H. Mather (R.), 39,447.

Fifth—Brent Spence (D.), 51,945; H. J. Cook (R.), 32,981.

Sixth—Virgil Chapman (D.), 74,463; William D. Rogers (R.), 48,700.

Seventh—A. J. May (D.), 74,418; James W. Turner (R.), 53,574.

Eighth—Joe B. Estes (D.), 61,881; H. Ciel Hayes (R.), 44,736.

Ninth—John M. Robison (R.), 69,015; Fern Rowland (D.), 43,013.

Court Cases Listed

In the Seventh Court of Appeals district race the official report showed Democratic incumbent Alex R. Balfitt received 109,073 Democratic and 346 Independent votes to 86,176 for his Republican opponent, Eugene E. Elder. Roy Eakin, Democrat, received 5,597 votes for Circuit Judge in the Thirty-third Judicial district special election; S. M. Ward, Independent, 4,650; Cal-tway M. Napp, Republican, 3,202, and John H. Asher, Independent, 2,786.

Blaine Nickell, Republican, received 8,890 votes for Commonwealth's Attorney in the Thirty-seventh Judicial district special election to 7,736 for his Democratic opponent, John A. Koch.

RETURNS FROM HOSPITAL

Mrs. M. M. White, Jr., has returned to her home here from a Lexington hospital where she received treatment for injuries sustained several months ago in a fall at the home of her late husband.

Free Training In Air Corps Offered By U. S. Army

To meet the demand for competent military pilots, the Army Air Corps has established the cadet training system for young men who desire to follow aviation as a career, or to aid their country in these times of international unrest. The Air Corps maintains flying schools where training is given to flying cadets at government expense. This course is as fine as any given anywhere in the world, and the student is paid a salary while learning.

The course of instruction as a flying cadet requires nine months, including three months elementary, then a like period of basic, and finally the same period of time in advanced training. Courses in navigation, meteorology, radio, and similar subjects allied with military aviation are taught.

Classes of flying cadets start training every six weeks. The elementary part of the elementary work the flying cadet is sent to Randolph Field, Texas, where he learns the advanced study; upon graduation, to Kelly Field, Texas, for the final period of instruction.

But realizing that "all work and no play" would tend to decrease the student's interest, facilities are provided for cadets to engage in various forms of recreation to enable them to maintain good physical condition. Too, flying cadets receive \$75 per month as pay, plus a liberal allowance for their meals. Quarters are furnished free by the Army, as are uniforms and flying equipment. The only cost to the future pilot is his transportation to the place of enlistment.

Requirements for applicants are few: they must be unmarried, citizens of the United States, between 20 and 27 years of age; present letters (three) as to their character; sound physique and in excellent health, and preferably, though not required, have two years of credits leading to a degree from a recognized college or university.

Many who desire to enter the cadet corps are hesitant, because of their lack of the required two years of college work. Written examinations are offered in lieu thereof. The subjects for the examination are: United States History, English, grammar and composition; general history; geography, arithmetic, algebra, higher geometry, trigonometry, elementary physics. For those who read "near" or in the city of Lexington, Ky., the examination is held at the Lexington Junior High School. A good enrollment has already been secured, two of the students coming from Leslie county for this course of instruction.

Any young man desiring further information on the Air Corps Cadet training is requested to write to the Executive Officer, Headquarters Lexington Military District, 427 Postoffice Bldg., Lexington, Ky.

FLEDGE FORBIDS CO-EDS FROM TAKING AIR COURSE

Fulterton, Cal. — When the Army Air Corps said it needed more "manpower," Fulterton Junior College authorities took it literally and passed a regulation to discourage co-eds from enrolling in the school's civilian flight training program. All prospective enrollees had to pledge themselves to seek further flight training with the Army or Navy Air Corps training centers. Military authorities claim women are "of no military value" as pilots.

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TIDBITS OF KENTUCKY FOLKLORE TEACHERS' ASSOCIATIONS When the teacher's institute died its twin brother, the teachers' association, seems to have died, too. There may be a few survivors, but I am afraid that there are not enough left for seed. Really, it is a pity in many ways that so good a custom should die so suddenly and so needlessly. Just as the Institute at the county seat was for the people in the rural sections. On that day the high and mighty teachers of adjoining neighborhoods came and did their part, showing off before their public. Children came and listened and went away determined to be school teachers and public speakers. I was one of those, and I have never ceased to thank Providence that when I was a little boy, the teachers came to our little country community and held forth for a day. Right there I resolved to be a teacher, and I am not tired yet. Honestly, some good things went on at these meetings. The catch words were slightly different, but there was often an interest in teaching school that few of this time would associate with a time when nobody who kept school in a country community had so much as a year's high school education. Most of the crowd who came to hear were probably about fifth grade pupils in formal schooling. But all of them were alive. I can assure you, teachers got up and expressed themselves, not overawed by the instructor as at the Institute. Sometimes patrons and even children were called on. I made my first public speech at a teachers' association, a little scared, perhaps, but eager to get into the group that I hoped to make mine for life. It was just a little country church where we met at Fidelity, but intellectual things attracted a lot of us, even though we had not ridden on a train or seen a steamboat. By and by I grew up and was old enough to take the examination for a certificate. By hard work I made a

SHERIFF'S SALE By virtue of execution No. 3382, to me directed which issued from the office of the clerk of the Floyd Circuit Court, in favor of W. L. Stumbo and Anna Stumbo against Sally Stephens Allen, I will on the 23 day of December, 1940, at the hour of 1 p. m., in being County Court day, at the courthouse door, in the city of Prestonsburg, Floyd county, Kentucky, expose to public sale, to the highest and best bidder, a tract of land lying on the waters of Middle Creek, Floyd county, Kentucky, levied upon as the property of the said Sally Stephens Allen (now Sally Waddle), which land the said Sally Stephens inherited from her mother, Ellen Fitzpatrick, and which is described as follows: Bounded on the north by the lands of H. H. Fitzpatrick; on the south by lands of Hiram Harris; on the east by lands of Hiram Harris; on the west by lands of W. H. Fitzpatrick; said land more particularly described in that certain deed from Joseph N. Harris, his wife, and Anna Harris to Ellen Fitzpatrick, recorded in Deed Book "F", page 121, Floyd County Court records. I will proceed to sell said land, or so much of it as will be necessary to satisfy said execution, and the costs thereon, to the highest and best bidder, on a credit of three months from the day of sale, the purchaser giving bond with good and approved security, to have the force and effect of a judgment, on which execution may issue if the same is not paid at maturity, when and where due attendance will be given by me. DIAL SALISBURY, S.P.C. BY LACKEY SALISBURY, D.S. Cost of advertising \$10.00.

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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 roads by the state rural fund.
4. A trade-at-home policy followed by merchants and customers alike.
5. Full co-operation with 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.

EXPANSION OF A "WALLED CITY"

"Prestonsburg should have, within the next five years, a population of from 7,000 to 10,000," enthusiastically predicted a citizen here upon learning that the Interstate Commerce Commission had approved construction of the railroad into the Middle Creek coal field.

A prediction with which THE TIMES wishes it could, in good faith, agree.

But we cannot be so optimistic. This newspaper entertains no such hopes for growth of the town until the day arrives when property-owners here will sell sites for business and residential buildings.

It stands to reason that a town cannot treble a population of 2,500 in a period of five or fifty years, if building sites, now and long since vacant, remain vacant.

Sure, it's none of this newspaper's business what anybody wants to do with his or her property. But why talk about expansion of a walled city?

CAMPAIGN NEWS

Shortly after the election, Harold L. Ickes, a noted press-batter, assailed the newspapers and magazines of America on the grounds that they failed to reflect American opinion and to picture the passing scene with accuracy.

The newspapers of the country made good and sufficient answer. And THE TIMES insists that Mr. Ickes himself could not set up a newspaper in each large city of the country that would, over the years, tell the story any better than those of today.

But one apparently serious breach of faith with the reading public was evidently committed by Mr. Ickes.

Why was it that, during all the hullabaloo about Stephen S. Early, White House secretary, kicking that negro policeman and sending the officer to a hospital—a bit of unfortunate action witnessed by at least two representatives of major news services and by other newspapermen—who did none of them tell that the negro was kicked as Early's foot flew upward when shoved backward, that the negro had had a recent abdominal operation that caused the injury to be so serious and that, even so, the negro was able to chase Early up a flight of stairs after having been injured?

That's all history now—but the press owes an explanation to the country for some explanation, please, God, other than that those newspapermen had been instructed to play politics with the news.

Points By Other Editors

HE FOUND NO PEACE

"Blessed are the peacemakers. . . ." But Neville Chamberlain, until last summer Prime Minister of Great Britain, was a peacemaker who found no peace, and his death Saturday evening while German bombs exploded nearby was of a broken heart, by all Chamberlain gave the world a new symbol in the umbrella, and a new conception of the word appeasement as meaning shameful submission to injustice. His hope of "peace in our time" is now condemned as "peace at any price," and his mistaken idealism probably condemns his memory to the contempt of history. Nevertheless, the sincerity of his efforts as Prime Minister cannot be questioned.

To err is human. It was Chamberlain's misfortune to commit a series of the greatest blunders ever credited to a national leader. His policies directly contributed to the enslavement of a dozen nations and it is ironic that only the race which produced him has yet produced the rugged character capable of resisting that enslavement.

Chamberlain's error by any means be blamed with all of the present misfortunes which autocrats are heaping on the world's head. He accepted the premiership to carry on policies already laid down, and was merely the foremost representative of a clique which was only driven from power in Britain with the fall of France.

Accepting the Word Of God

By REV. CAMPBELL JEFFRIES

Are you listening? Those who hear the word of God and believe it are they who apply it to their lives. "Take heed how you hear," is the advice of Jesus to His disciples. He gave them the parable of the sower which in reality is a parable of the types of soil on which the seed may fall, and in these four types all of humanity is included.

The seed in this parable is the word of God which word has a hidden meaning as found in the Old Testament writings, but is manifested to

the world in the life and works of Jesus Christ, the Son of God. The word of God, then, is the gospel of God, and this gospel deals entirely with the life of Christ, Jesus Christ lived as the only begotten Son of God before He took the form of man, and is indeed God; but came to earth to show mankind the Father, and to die on the cross for the sins of the world; who arose from the dead, and ascended to the right hand of God to prepare a heavenly home for all His followers; and He is coming back to the world as the victorious Lord to bring judgment to the wicked and rewards for the righteous. This is the Bible teaching of the gospel of God through Jesus Christ His Son; and the way

Chamberlain's retirement from politics October 3 marked the real death of appeasement, and of the group which sponsored that policy. Special privilege, too-little-and-too-late, business-as-usual, peace-at-any-price died with his retirement from the war cabinet. Britain has answered the attack on democracy by becoming more democratic, and this alone is responsible for its continued and growing strength in the face of unremitting attack.

With Chamberlain's death a class mourned at its own funeral. The class was a shining group, but its power and influence are. Nobody pays for its privilege on the day of battle, and what few of Britain's ruling class remain after the last gun is fired and the last bomb exploded will find that their class is gone. The British are now fighting a people's war, and they will win a people's war.—Fadhrah Sun-Democrat.

A FREE PRESS

Mr. Harold L. Ickes has challenged the press to free itself to the extent it will represent no single class or economic group, but all. I aimed to answer Mr. Ickes, but The Courier-Journal beat me to him with an editorial. Now I must answer both Mr. Ickes and The Courier-Journal because I do not agree with either.

Obviously, Mr. Ickes was thinking of politics because he said Mr. Roosevelt was elected in 1932 with support of 40 per cent of the press; in 1936, with 36 per cent, and in 1940 with 23 per cent.

Mr. Ickes held up radio as a shining example of freedom of communication. Radio is no more free than the press because the political tripe that goes out over the air is no different from the political tripe that goes out in newspapers. There is only one distinction. Politics on the air is measured by the minute while politics in the press is measured by the inch.

The Courier-Journal said the trouble with the press is that it is run by humans. I disagree. I think the trouble with the press is that it is run by humans who think they must exert super-human efforts to create a super-human product. If the humans who run the press had the wisdom to act human while running it, the American press would be a glorious institution which is impossible to attain.

The press advocates are mostly the ones nobody ever does anything about. The press takes the academic side of most questions. The press approaches a situation from the side of theory, rather than from the side of practice. The press refuses to accept people for what they are, but persists in visualizing people as they ought to be.

The press professes to be horrified at patronage and graft in politics, when patronage and graft are the bone and sinew of politics. The press raises hell with incompetent office-holders after the election, instead of prevailing upon good men to run for office before the election.

The press has listened to experts on this and that until it has soared above the reach of plain men. Its editors were forced to spend two weeks a year observing how plain people read newspapers; they soon would be ashamed not to humanize the press into the dignified, respected and beloved institution it ought to be.

In my judgment, the press already is free in the sense Mr. Ickes means. It is harmless free because it is innocuous, inept and not susceptible of understanding. It is helplessly free because the impractical leadership it offers does not inspire a following of clay-footed men.

If the press is ever brought within the ken of plain people it will become a force so immense that Mr. Ickes will be compelled to drop his polite word, "freedom" and howl to high heaven for government censorship which, I suspect, is what he has in the back of his mind now.—Allan M. Trout, in The Courier-Journal.

DAMS MIGHT REVITALIZE

U. S. engineers are notoriously hard-headed men, and the fact that they are sufficiently convinced of the feasibility of dams in the Big Sandy river and the Tug and Levisa Forks to work out plans for their operation is a guarantee that the project is not as fantastic as some of its critics have claimed.

Erosion and choked streams, the ruthless cutting of trees, the silent washing of earth from hills into the channels of all the little forks and branches, have done work on the depth and breadth of the Sandy, which in spite of its desolated glory still remains one of the loveliest rivers of the South. But wide, deserted wharves, old and crumbling warehouses at Callettsburg and Louisa are striking evidence that the Big Sandy once was as useful as it is beautiful.

If that usefulness can be restored by dams, there is plenty of work for the Sandy to do. High freight rates for years have crippled the struggling coal-fields of the Sandy valley, which must compete with the far more strategically placed fields of West Virginia on the other side of their boundary river. There is no question but what the coal operators would welcome any plan which would cut the high cost of transporting their coal to market. Their doubts about the river dams have been doubts in the main as to the feasibility of the plan, never as to the value of a river on which coal barges could be towed. A favorable verdict from the federal engineers, providing the cost is not prohibitive, will probably please a majority of the citizens in Sandy Valley counties.—The Courier-Journal.

men receive this gospel is shown by these four types of soils in the parable. There is the wayside of bypath hard soil, which seed is sown, but the birds devour it before it takes root. These are those who hear the word of God but ignore it, and the devil immediately matches it away from their thinking. It is appalling how Christian America has produced so many infidels, who hear the word of God but ignore it. It seems to be the intelligent thing today to be an atheist, but if you can show me a more complete way of life than the gospel of Christ as outlined above I will remain silent. I have this to say to the reader who is in this class of hearers, God

pit you, as you are lost to the most beautiful in this life, and will face outer darkness in the world to come. The second soil of this parable is rocky, and the seed springs up quickly, but when the sun comes out they wither and die. These are the hearers who listen to the gospel of God and receive it with joy; but they do not get the deeper meaning, and when the excitement is over they return to their old life of sin. I have called these the revival church members who haven't been saved but come into the church through a wave of excitement, only to return to their old life. I am convinced that the Christian church is full of men and women who are not saved, but have never known the deeper life in Christ, but have a form of godliness. I will say this without reserve that every man who knows Christ will live for his life, and will not return to the old life of sin when temptation comes. These are the hearers who see the cross of Christ who are lost, as you alone are the sufferer. It means eternal damnation.

The third type of soil is thorny ground, where the seed grows and would bear fruit; but the thorns grow up and choke them. These are the hearers who take the word of God into their hearts, and believe it; but when their lives are developed to bear fruit they are choked out. The carves of this life, the love for pleasure, the desirability of riches, and the lust of the flesh crowd out the word of God for usefulness. Here is the wrong emphasis on life, as it does not consist in the abundance of possessions, but in the things that perish, rather than the things that abide.


The fourth type of soil in this parable was good ground, of which the able was good ground, of which the able was good ground, of which the able was good ground. These are the men who hear the word of God and believe it with all his heart, who puts Christ first in his life. He patiently works for the kingdom of God, brings to completion the word that was planted in his life. Jesus plainly teaches that it is not the amount that counts, but the faithfulness to the job. This person not only has happiness in this life, but will be rewarded for eternity in the world to come. It pays to serve Jesus!

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TRUE STORY

Mothers, do you have trouble persuading your child to eat? Let me tell you the true story of a little girl in New Haven, Connecticut. She could be persuaded to eat only enough to live on. At the age of six, it was a constant struggle between the little girl and her mother. Her mother coaxed and begged her to "take just one more bite." Sarah would shake her head and refuse to open her mouth. If her mother forced food into her mouth, she would spit it out. Every meal was a battle. And Sarah always won.

Sarah's aunt was consulted. Sarah won again. The neighbors came with theories on how to make little Sarah eat. Not one worked. Sarah became a tyrant.

Not only that, but she was the most famous child in the neighborhood, famous among her playmates as the child who wouldn't eat.

She grew worse and worse. She hated the sight of food. She became so bad that when she swallowed it, she vomited. By this time her mother was in a run-down condition. On top of this, her father was worried. He was already ill, and the worry about Sarah so upset him that he actually tried to commit suicide. Incredible as it may seem, the situation became that serious.

The father went to the hospital; more neighbors came in and tried to make Sarah eat. She licked them all.

At last, it was suggested that the family seek skilled advice. The director of one of New Haven's social service agencies told me the story without mentioning Sarah's name.

When the social worker arrived to study the case, three persons were trying to persuade Sarah to eat. Did she eat? Of course not! Not Sarah!

The social worker studied the situation and at last discovered what was wrong. Sarah was an actress. She craved attention. She was putting on an act that was going over great. There was nothing in the world the matter with her little tummy. The social worker employed one of the fundamental principles of psychology. He made her WANT to eat. He gave her a reason for wanting to eat. He did not try to force her.

He drew up a chart for seven days, three meals a day. Every time Sarah ate her meal, a colored paper star was pasted on the chart. Next, he offered her a reward. Sarah liked ice cream, so he said that if she got 21 stars, he would treat her. Sarah's eyes got big. A whole plate? Yum! Yum!

Well, Sarah fled into her meals. She got 21 stars the first week. The reward next week was to be something Sarah loved dearly—a movie show. She gobbled down her meals.

Her mother was eased into the situation and pursued the same tactics.

In two months Sarah was completely cured. So, mothers, if you have a similar problem, substitute reward for force.



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TOWN-WORLD

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THE ROAD TO HELL

Strongest of the arguments we've seen against the proposal to feed Nazi-occupied Europe.

That NEA Service cartoon showing the wheelbarrow of Good Intentions Paving Company laden with bricks from which Herbert Hoover is paving a road onto which is stepping a spurred boot striding in the direction of what is labeled "International Hell."

"Nothing can stop me!" cried Mussolini recently. That's not the matter for discussion. What we want to know is, Can anything stop his soldiers on their foot-race back home?

THE TIMES AND THE WPA

The WPA gets THE FLOYD COUNTY TIMES into more trouble. And we're not referring to all that cheese-wrapping we did, weeks back.

Tuesday morning, a gentleman slightly on the shady side of the slope advanced on this desk with a sort of baleful glare in his eye. Timorously asked if we could do something for him, he replied, "Yeah, I heard you fellows had cut me off relief and I wanta know why."

That was followed by a rather feeble series of excuses, and the general direction of the WPA commodity warehouse (clients, please take notice) next door.

Then, Tuesday afternoon, in rolls a truckload of dynamite. The driver prows through his bills, informs us of the shipment and is almost ready to start unloading when again we manage to explain that THIS IS NOT THE WPA OFFICE!

THE STORY OF AN ELECTION

Not long ago, the Saturday Evening Post took excerpts from the Bible to describe a baseball game. And so THE FLOYD COUNTY TIMES, not to be outdone by any upstart publication like that, here tells, by the same medium, something of a Floyd county election—and we even name the precinct:

They came to Antioch (Acts 13:14) he hath taken a bag of money with him (Prov. 7:20) two-hundred penny-worth of bread (John 6:9) and we will buy and sell (James 4:12) . . . the place is called booths (Gen. 33:17) the half curtain shall hang over the backside (Exod. 3:11) lest there be debates, strifes, backbiting . . . (2 Cor. 11:20) . . . they did eat, they drank, they bought and sold (Luke 17:28) they pressed and came near to break the door (Gen. 19:9) . . . they delivered them (Acts 16:4) Now go write it before them on a table (Isa. 20:8) . . . but as touching the election (Rom. 11:28) kept by fraud (Jam. 4:4) they have beaten me (Prov. 23:35) they burned their books and counted (Acts 19:19) and shall be in the courts . . . (2 Chron. 23:5).

H. C. Francis is Victim

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Francis Cash Store here and developed the business into one of the largest department stores in the valley. At the same time his business interests spread to the oil and gas industry of this section in which he had extensive holdings.

He was married Sept. 24, 1886 to Miss Malissa Pigman, who survives. To this union were born nine children, eight of whom survive: R. G. Francis, Prestonsburg; Mrs. J. B. Clarke, Prestonsburg; Miss Lydia Mae Francis, secretary to the American consul general, Shanghai, China; Mrs. Curt Homes, Paul C. Francis, Mrs. S. L. Isboll, Robert Day and Fred G. Francis, all of Prestonsburg. He also leaves two sisters and two brothers: Mrs. Rebecca Combs and Kelly J. Francis, Stanford, Ky.; Mrs. H. H. Smith, Hindman, and J. P. Francis, of Martin.

Mr. Francis was a trustee of Irene Cole Memorial Baptist Church here, prominent in the Masonic Order, having attained the Shrine degree, was a director of the Kentucky Retail Merchants' Association and a member of the Prestonsburg Co-Operative Business Association.

Funeral rites were conducted Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock from the Baptist Church, the pastor, the Rev. Campbell Jeffries, assisted by the Rev. W. B. Garrigut, pastor of the Prestonsburg Methodist Church, and the Rev. Isaac Stratton, of Banner, officiating. A profusion of floral offerings bespoke the esteem in which Mr. Francis was held. Burial was made in the Porter cemetery here under the direction of the Arnold Funeral Home.

Active pallbearers were County Judge E. P. Hill, Jr., County Clerk A. B. Meade, Russell Palfrey, Grover Lowe, Dr. J. S. Kelly, Dr. G. A. Culbertson, J. D. Harkins, Jr., Carl D. Riffe, Adrian Collins, M. T. Shumbo, James Morrell, Jr., Arthur Gobbe and Eddie Woland, all of Prestonsburg; John Jett, Paintsville; Ben Westfall, Allen; Dr. R. M. Wilkie, Paintsville.

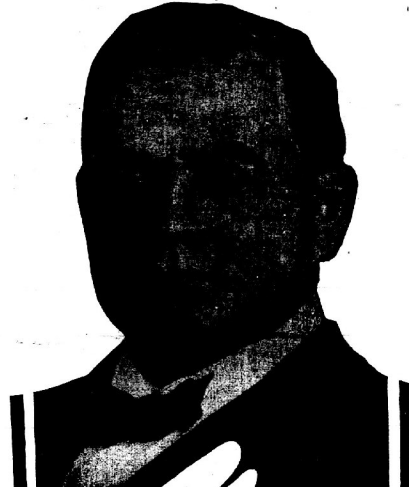
Woods Killed By Slate

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W. Wright, Mrs. K.H. Canterbury, Mrs. Virgie Miller, Otto, Jimmy and Curtis Woods all of Banner; Mrs. Susie Campbell, of Ohio; Henry Woods and Mrs. Sylvia Hall, Wheelwright; Mrs. Dora Click, of Wonder.

Funeral rites were conducted from the Preswell Baptist Church on Cow Creek Saturday morning, the Revs. Isaac Stratton, Roy Elvins and John LaFerty officiating. Burial was made in the family cemetery on Call Creek under the direction of the Arnold Funeral Home.

Each Of These Has Been I. O. O. F. Member In Prestonsburg For Half A Century



Top, left to right—Jo M. Davidson and W. M. Dingus; bottom—George P. Archer and B. M. Spurlock.

With an aggregate membership of 200 years in the Independent Order of Odd Fellows, these four last week were accorded honors by Prestonsburg Lodge No. 229, I. O. O. F. Each, after 50 years of membership, was given a life membership card, his dues paid-up for the remainder of his life.

The four community leaders, received their initiatory degrees in 1890 when the late Dr. Chas. S. Callihan was Noble Grand of the local lodge.

Three of the group—Mr. Dingus, Mr. Davidson and Mr. Archer—are the only living Floyd countians who also have received 50-year buttons from the Grand Lodge of Kentucky, Free and Accepted Masons.



EXECUTOR'S NOTICE

Notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against the estate of the late H. H. Justice, to file same, properly proven, with the undersigned executor at Martin, Ky., on or before Feb. 15, 1941; and all persons indebted to said estate are notified to settle same at once.

H. H. PLANERY, Executor
Estate of H. H. Justice, Deceased.
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ICC Authorizes Railway

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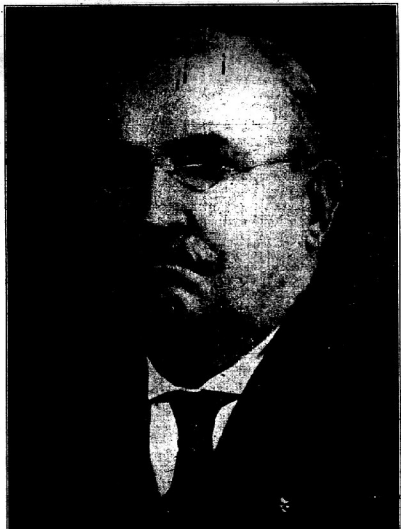
on a large part of the right-of-way for the railway extension. Moreover, it was reliably reported this week that railway construction contractors toured the completed survey of the proposed line with a view to making bids on the work.

Last week, the Kentucky & West Virginia Power Company began preliminary work toward extension of its lines to the proposed mining center.

Statement released in Washington by the Interstate Commerce Commission said that purpose of the rail extension is to reach coal fields aggregating 23 square miles and estimated to contain 3,200,000 tons of bituminous coal. The ICC permit was made for a period of 12 months, though it was earlier stated here unofficially that the railway is expected to be completed by April 1.

In applying for the Commission's authorization for the work, the railway company estimated that cost of construction, including right-of-way, would total \$780,000.

The Washington statement added that work was expected to begin immediately.



New Wheelwright School Building Opened Monday

Wheelwright's new Arts and Sciences building opened Monday morning. The structure was built at a cost of \$19,417, is of two stories and contains eight rooms. First-floor rooms contain a cafeteria, kitchen, home economics department and shop. On the second floor are the science, music and commerce departments and one large classroom.

Insulation work in the music room remains to be completed. Contractors on the building are J. S. Reynolds and James Gunnels.

Top dressing with potash gave extra growth of alfalfa on several Rowan county farms.

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LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

THE RETORT COUNTER

Dear Editor: I note that Bill Henry, if it would be Winchel, took a crack at my mystache (about Town, page . . .) Please advise Mr. B.H. that when he can grow as much hair on his head as I can on my face his comments will be more in order.

OSCAR BOND.

HUNTERS WARNED AGAINST SHOOTING LAZY RABBITS

With the hunting season in Kentucky now open and with the season in full swing or soon to open in other states, the American Red Cross warned hunters to think twice before shooting the lazy rabbit—it may carry the deadly tularemia germ.

Dr. William De Kleine, national director of the Red Cross, points out that tularemia not only threatens the careless hunter, but the housewife and the market-man. Those handling wild rabbits, he advises, should wear rubber gloves in preparing potentially-infected animals. Thorough cooking kills the tularemia virus, removing all possibility of infection.

To the hunter: Dr. De Kleine gives this advice: Avoid the listless rabbit who proves to be too "easy a target"; chances are he has tularemia, or at least is diseased.

While the rabbit is the most frequent carrier of tularemia, other animals are subject to its ravages, according to Dr. De Kleine. Open-air markets, skunks and other rodent-type animals may pick up the infection from wood ticks, he said.

Garrett Black Devils Beat Maytown, 31-11

After trailing by four points at the end of the first quarter, the Garrett high school Black Devils overcame the deficit in the second period and went on to trounce the Maytown Wildcats, 31-11, at Garrett Friday night.

Garrett led at the half, 10-6, and after the second half started the game was never close. Hughes, Garrett forward, led in the scoring with eight points. Music, Black Devil center, was runner-up, with seven. Northrup, Maytown center, led the losers, with six.

In preliminary games the Garrett girls defeated the Maytown girls, 11-15, and the Garrett second team nosed out the Maytown reserves, 11-9.

Line-ups:
 Garrett (31) For. Maytown (11) Martin (8) F. Bingham (1) Hughes (8) F. Patton (3) Music (7) G. Northrup (6) Francis (5) G. Webb (5) Meade (2) G. Ferguson (2) Substitutions: Garrett—E. Coburn (2), F. Coburn (2). Maytown—Am-bury (1), Ousley (1). Referee—Cauldwell.

Livestock Outlook Good for Next Year, Says Dr. Price

The market outlook for livestock and poultry in 1941 is good, according to Dr. H. B. Price, head of the department of markets and rural finance in the University of Kentucky College of Agriculture. He notes that the purchasing power of consumers is expected to be greater than in 1940 and supplies of meats and dairy and poultry products will be reasonable in view of the probable demand for them.

The tempo of general business has been rising for several months and it is now at a high level; payrolls are correspondingly better; and the demand for livestock, poultry and their products is improving. The continuation of this improvement is of course contingent on many factors. It may, for example, be accelerated or retarded by unforeseen changes in the national defense program or the world situation, two forces that have contributed in an important way to the present high rate of business activity. Nevertheless, the present best indications are that the purchasing power of American consumers will be greater in 1941 than in the year that is now closing.

Supplies of these farm products will also probably be not excessive for normal marketing in view of the demand for them. The number of cattle, sheep and lambs to be slaughtered is expected to be approximately the same in 1941 as in 1940. Pork and egg production will be smaller than in 1940. Production of dairy products will likely be larger if there are normal pastures in 1941, but the larger volume is expected to be offset, at least in part, by larger exports of canned milk and by reduced imports of cheese.

CARD OF THANKS

We take this means of expressing our deep gratitude to all those who assisted in any way during the illness and upon the death of H. H. Justice. We would especially thank the Ryan Funeral Home for its efficient services, the ministers, the Revs. Henry Parsons, Win. Dingus and C. C. Newsoms, for their consoling words, and the Maytown choir for the beautiful music service.

THE FAMILY.

LIQUOR ACT UNDER FIRE

CONSTITUTIONALITY OF ACT IS ARGUED AT PARIS

By ALLAN M. THOUT Staff Columnist
 The Courier-Journal
 Paris, Ky.—Franklin Circuit Judge W. B. Arbery Monday took under advisement constitutionality of the 1940 Fair Trades Liquor Act after listening to conflicting arguments from attorneys representing wholesale liquor dealers on both sides of the question. The hearing was held here, where Judge Arbery is presiding over the Bourbon Circuit Court.

The case is an attack brought by Eli Simons, Louisville, doing business as the Kentucky Distillers' Wholesale Liquor Company. Simons was represented by Stanley B. Mayer, Louisville attorney, and Senator John M. Robison, J. S. Sulville, represented Hyman Sachs, salesman for Simons and his co-plaintiff.

The case was defended by Allen P. Dodd, Louisville attorney representing the Distilled Spirits Administrators' Association and John K. Stagg, Jr., Louisville, representing other wholesale liquor interests. Defendants are the Distilled Spirits Administrator and the State Alcoholic Beverage Control Board. Assistant Attorney General Harry D. France attended the hearing, but did not appear actively in the case before Judge Arbery.

The judge granted three weeks for filing briefs, but asked both sides to make it a two-week job possible. The act under fire sets minimum prices on whiskey by forcing the wholesaler to make a 15 per cent mark-up on what he pays the distiller and the retailer to make a 33 1-3 per cent mark-up on what he pays the wholesaler.

High Court Decision.
 The main issue, as drawn by Senator Mayer and Mr. Dodd, focused on whether or not whiskey is an article so intangible that it is susceptible of price fixing.

Senator Mayer argued it is not, and cited Supreme Court decisions. Mr. Dodd argued it is, and cited Supreme Court decisions. Judge Arbery, however, interjected another line of thought with two statements directed at Mr. Dodd.

"Is it to the public's interest to guarantee to dealers large and specific profits?" he asked.

Mr. Dodd replied the act does not guarantee profits, but sets only a minimum price.

Asserts Some Whiskey Cheaper.
 The purpose of price fixing, he argued, is to prevent profiteering, not to guarantee it. Judge Arbery said Mr. Dodd said he knew what the court had in mind, but that the case at bar circled that point completely.

"As a matter of fact," he continued, "the Fair Trades Act has had the effect of lowering the price of high quality whiskey. You can buy it cheaper now than before the act was passed. And as for the wholesalers' mark-up of 15 per cent, their figures show they make a return of only 2 per cent."

Tax is \$6.52 a Gallon.
 The point which Mr. Dodd said was circled in the suit is that the two mark-ups make the consumer pay \$6.52 a gallon tax on 100 proof whiskey, when the actual tax is only \$4.25 a gallon.

Because the federal tax of \$3 and the state tax of \$1.25 is figured in the distiller's price to the wholesalers, both the 15 per cent and the 33 1-3 per cent mark-ups are applied to it. The \$6.52 a gallon tax which the consumer pays is divided as follows:
 Federal government, \$3; state, \$1.25; wholesaler, 64 cents, and retailer, \$1.63.

Thirteen hundred retailers, therefore, collect more than the state, and 37 wholesalers collect half as much. The figures, based on 1939 consumption in Kentucky, show that the state collects \$7,875,000 in liquor taxes; wholesalers, \$1,472,000 in tax mark-up; and retailers, \$4,349,000 in tax mark-up.

Called Old Principle.
 Price fixing on articles and services close to the public interest is an old principle and has been upheld continually by the Supreme Court. Mr. Dodd argued. He cited price fixing on milk, coal and rates on steamship, railroads and public utilities.

"When we come to price fixing," he said, "we have to look at the nature of the article. The fixing of whiskey prices long has been a matter of control. As early as 1739, the liquor license to a dealer in New Jersey fixed the price he could charge."

The state, Mr. Dodd argued, is vested with absolute control of whiskey by the express terms of the repeal amendment to the federal constitution.

Says It Is Class B by Itself.
 The Supreme Court, he continued, has held a state can do anything it wants to about liquor—it can prevent, regulate, tax out of existence, and even go into the whiskey business itself.

"Legislatures can prevent manufacture of whiskey," he said. "Therefore it can do anything with whiskey less than prevention."
 Whiskey, he argued, is so close to the public interest it invariably has been set into a class of its own for regulation and control.

Senator Mayer argued whiskey is not

related to the public interest so deeply it can be classed with coal, milk and railroad rates. He cited one Supreme Court case which he contended exempted whiskey from the class. That case, he said, is similar to others in which the highest court refused to sanction price fixing on theater tickets and gasoline.

Pets Circumstances.
 "Assuming all the evils of liquor," he said, "who can do the wrong in this case? Certainly not the wholesaler, because he can sell only to licensed retailers."

Most of Senator Mayer's arguments centered around the circumstances which led his client to attack the act on October 29, one day before it was to have been tried the second time this year before the Alcoholic Beverage Control Board on charges of selling whiskey below the contract price.

Senator Mayer said his client's illness had been suspended in June one day before his attorney was due to file briefs in his behalf. That action, he asserted, perturbed the Simons would be convicted again, with mandatory revocation as the punishment for a second conviction.

Asserts Title Defective.
 In this connection, Senator Mayer argued the title of the Fair Trades Act is defective, and that the act is unconstitutional because it does not allow a suspended dealer to keep his business open pending appeal from the board's ruling.

Senator Mayer said the amount at issue is only \$3.40. Mr. Dodd replied that the price-fixing milk case from New York City went to the Supreme Court on the issue of 18 cents and a nickel loaf of bread.

U. of Kentucky Offers Historical Slides To Teachers

A pictorial understanding of how pioneers survived in a primitive world, as well as a pictorial background for the study of Kentucky history, have been made available to teachers of history in Kentucky through the development of 14 interesting sets of slides, prepared by the department of University Extension at the University of Kentucky under the Works Progress Administration, and the state-wide museum project, to illustrate two books on Kentucky history written by Dr. Thomas D. Clark, associate professor of history at the state university.

One of these books, written by Dr. Clark and Prof. Lee Kirkpatrick, superintendent of the Paris city schools and a member of the University's board of trustees, has been adopted

as a textbook for Kentucky grade schools. It is called, "Exploring Kentucky." The other is "A History of Kentucky," by Dr. Clark.

The department of audio-visual aids at the University of Kentucky department of Extension, under the direction of W. W. Clark, chairman, has charge of the distribution of these slide sets, which include geography, Kentucky resources, pioneer Kentucky, pioneer utensils and implements, the agricultural history of the state, transportation development, architecture, art, education in Kentucky, the literature and press of Kentucky, the Civil War period, modern industry, and Kentucky personalities.

These slides illustrate a way of life more clearly than can be done in a score of historical documents and lectures, and are of invaluable assistance to the history in Kentucky schools. The slides were prepared by the department of University Extension, and the photographic work was done by W. B. Logan, photographer for the WPA.

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SMALL MONTHLY PAYMENTS

DINWOOD

Lloyd Sexton, formerly of Michigan, moved to his new home here Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Isaac visited their daughter, Mrs. M. C. Crisp Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Nick Everage whose home recently burned at Langley, moved to their new home here Thursday.

Miss Ellen Osborne, of Martin, spent the week-end with Miss Goldin Hurd.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Jones and daughter, Tootsie, from Weeksbury, were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Scott Compton Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Compton, of Stephens Branch, visited Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Isaac Sunday evening.

Henry Layne was a business visitor in Pikeville Friday.

Mrs. Wilson Crisp and Mrs. Chas. Patton were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Willie Crisp Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Patton, of Martin, visited friends here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Caner Crisp visited Mr. and Mrs. Lee Crisp, of Besco, Sunday morning.

Billie Miller, of McDowell, visited Palmer Dingus Sunday.

LACKEY

Mrs. Alma Reed and daughter were in Prestonsburg Saturday.

Mrs. Minnie Staley was visiting in Ashland this week.

Andy Reed, Roy Bellomy, Dan Brunk, Virgil Akers, Peabody Trusty and Jim Reed were on a hunting trip at Troublesome Saturday.

A shower was given recently at the home of Mrs. Allen Stone. She received many beautiful gifts.

Prayer meetings were held at the home of Mrs. John Clawworthy on Thanksgiving Day.

Mrs. Allen Stone has been ill for about a month. She suffered a severe hemorrhage of the lungs.

Mrs. Ray Childers has moved back to Lackey from Sugar Loaf.

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MAYTOWN

Eugene Webb was brought home from the Martin General hospital Saturday, following his recovery from a recent operation.

Mr. and Mrs. Stewart of Huntington W. Va., now occupy the property of Frank May, which was recently vacated by Mr. and Mrs. Jack Ryan.

Mrs. Robert Akers and Mr. and Mrs. Homer Arms have been at the bedside of Mrs. W. E. Jarrell. Mrs. Jarrell is the mother of Mrs. Akers and Mrs. Arms, who are from Kenova, W. Va.

Master French Vernon Hensley, young son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hensley is suffering from double pneumonia.

Little Miss Linda June May, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fletcher May, is now able to be out, following a severe illness of double pneumonia and influenza.

Mesdames Ted Stapleton and Mac May returned from Charleston, W. Va., on Tuesday of last week, having gone there on a shopping expedition. They were accompanied by Mr. Stapleton.

Henry Frasure, of Pippapas, was at home from school this week, because of sinus trouble.

Messrs Ned and Ronnie May and Gorman Bradley visited Eugene Webb in the hospital at Martin Thursday afternoon, as did Misses Pauline May and Shirley Martin, on Friday.

V. A. Hayes was in Pikeville on business Friday.

Master Bill Arnold Cooley and his mother, Mrs. Arnold Cooley, attended a birthday dinner in the home of Mrs. Frank Cooley, Garrett, on Thursday, in honor of little Miss Bubbles Wells, of Wayland, and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Crit Wells.

CHURCH BOARD MEETS

The two church boards met Tuesday evening of last week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. L. May, Rev. C. C. Newsome presiding. After the regular business, plans for the Christmas activities of the church were disposed of. Mrs. H. L. May and Mrs. W. A. Stewart are in charge of the Sunday School Christmas tree this year. At the morning service on Dec. 22, a shower for the poor families will be given and baskets arranged by the committee in charge.

The Maytown Senior League will present the evening program with music, a tableaux and a playlet. At this time the Christmas offering for Conference Claims will be taken. Envelopes for this purpose are now available.

RISNER

Miss Minerva Howard gave a birthday party, Saturday night. Attending were: Ethel Salmons, Mae Stephens, Greeley Hicks, Edith Ousley, Gordon Tussey, Tommy Wright, Mary Anne Stephens, Junior Wright, Morris Risner, Ike Flanery, Ada Hamilton, Elsie Reffitt, Alton B. Stephens, Rufus Salmons. Miss Howard received many nice presents.

Mae and Mary Anne Stephens were visiting their grandmother, Mrs. Maggie Herald, at Lenoir, Saturday.

Edith Ousley spent the week-end with Ethel Salmons.

VISIT IN HUNTINGTON

Daisy Brumham and George Frank Jones spent the week-end at the home of Mrs. Matilda Stewart, Huntington, W. Va.

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P'burg Passes to Victory
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Held at bay when in striking distance through the next two quarters, Wheelwright scored his second, less than a minute before the game ended. Try for extra point was unsuccessful.

Besides playing good defensive ball, Hunter, Prestonsburg fullback, snatched a Salisbury pass and carried it 48 yards before being stopped. Blackburn and Herald starred in the 'Cats' line.

Cordell and Martin's running featured the Wheelwright attack.

The line-ups:

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| Wright | Pos. | P'burg |
| Moran | LE | Leslie |
| Mosley | LT | Ball |
| Zett | LG | Layne |
| Smith | G | B. Herald |
| Wallen | RT | Blackburn |
| Manley | RE | Fannin |
| Bowe | QB | Salisbury |
| Sikes | HB | Butter |
| Cordell | FB | Hunter |

BETSY LAYNE

The Ladies' Aid held its regular meeting Nov. 25 at the home of Mrs. J. B. Hovey. After the business meeting each one told why and what they were thankful for. We were delighted to have another member, Mrs. Lon Roberts, join. Games were played until a late hour and a salad course was served by the hostess.

Mr. and Mrs. T. K. Johnstone, Mr. and Mrs. M. G. Gastineau and Mrs. and Mrs. Fred Wilburn, of Staftordville, spent Thanksgiving with Mrs. W. C. Layne, at Fleming.

Mrs. Howard, mother of Prof. D. W. Howard, has been very sick for the past week, but it improved now.

Mrs. Harrison Conn and Mrs. Bertha Mullins are patients at the Stunbo hospital.

Betsy Layne Coal Corporation started work this week.

IN HUNTINGTON
 C. H. Smith, was a business visitor in Huntington Monday.

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TUESDAY—
"Prairie Schooners"
 Bill Elliott, Evelyn Young.

WEDNESDAY—
"Mark of Zorro"
 Tyrone Power, Lina Darnell.

THURSDAY—
"Seven Sinners"
 Marlene Dietrich, John Wayne, Mischa Auer.

POST-SEASON MEET, VOID

PRINCIPALS DECIDE FOR MID-SEASON TOURNAMENT

The Floyd county post-season basketball tournament went into the discard Saturday as high school principals, meeting in the office of County Superintendent Town Hall voted to supplant the event with a mid-season tourney.

The tournament will be held at Wayland Jan. 30-31 and Feb. 1 for the benefit of The Floyd County, annual of Floyd county schools. The change was voted when it was decided that basketball interest was too far waned by time for a post-season tourney, and that the mid-season competition would draw a larger attendance, since it would present a preview of the regular district tournament in March.

Wayland, guaranteeing \$225 for the Annual fund, won the event as bids were asked from all consolidated schools as possible sites for the tournament.

School problems in general were discussed at the meeting here. Improvement of instruction in the classroom was a dominant theme of the discussion. County Superintendent Hall urged each principal to see that instruction in each classroom is kept at a high standard and that they work for improved methods. He also asked school heads to strive for economy in school operation.

The Christmas school holiday will begin December 21 and end December 29, it was decided. The holiday will include two Saturdays, two Sundays and the holiday itself, leaving teachers only four days lost in teaching time.

Shortly before the mid-season tournament, county board of education members, County Superintendent's office personnel, principals, coaches and bus drivers and their wives will gather at a banquet at Garrett.

Members of consolidated school faculties will meet at 7:30 p. m., Jan. 10, at Maytown, in the winter teachers' meeting. V. O. Turner, principal of the Maytown school, will preside and the following high school principals will make addresses, each of which will deal with some phase of instruction improvement: George L. Moore, McDowell; Boone Hall, Wayland; Clayborne Stephens, Prestonsburg; Wayne Ralstin, Wheelwright.

Floyd Physician, Loser in Race With Death

Dr. Earl T. Arnett, Wheelwright, lost a race with death Tuesday as his father, Charles D. Arnett, former Secretary of State, died at Louisa, Tuesday noon, before his son could reach his bedside.

Mr. Arnett was stricken by paralysis Monday night. He was 61 years old.

A native of Magoffin county, the former state official was for years a Democratic leader whose proud boast was that "everyone of my kinsmen vote Democratic." He at one time was a steamboat clerk, later was state senator and secretary of the National Boxing Commission.

BIRTH OF DAUGHTER
 Born to Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Caldwell on Oct. 29 a 6-pound daughter, Mrs. Caldwell is the former Miss Imogene Burchett, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Burchett of Woods. The little miss has been named Judith Glenn.

VISITS SISTER
 Mrs. Grace Ford has returned from Ft. Pleasant, W. Va., where she visited her sister, Mrs. W. J. Newman, and Mr. Newman.

Floyd Physician, Loser in Race With Death

Dr. Earl T. Arnett, Wheelwright, lost a race with death Tuesday as his father, Charles D. Arnett, former Secretary of State, died at Louisa, Tuesday noon, before his son could reach his bedside.

Mr. Arnett was stricken by paralysis Monday night. He was 61 years old.

A native of Magoffin county, the former state official was for years a Democratic leader whose proud boast was that "everyone of my kinsmen vote Democratic." He at one time was a steamboat clerk, later was state senator and secretary of the National Boxing Commission.

BIRTH OF DAUGHTER
 Born to Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Caldwell on Oct. 29 a 6-pound daughter, Mrs. Caldwell is the former Miss Imogene Burchett, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Burchett of Woods. The little miss has been named Judith Glenn.

VISITS SISTER
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A BIGAIL THEATRE
 PRESTONSBURG, KY.

THURSDAY-FRIDAY—
"Moon Over Burma"
 Dorothy Lamour, Preston Foster.

SATURDAY—
"In Old Monterey"
 Gene Autry.

"Friendly Neighbors"
 Elvira, the Weaver Bros.

SUNDAY AND MONDAY—
"Knute Rockne, All-American"
 Pat O'Brien, Gale Page.

TUESDAY-WEDNESDAY—
"Pastor Hall"
 Mrs. F. D. Roosevelt, Nova Pilbeam.

PATTY THEATRE
 (Next Door to Abigail)

THURSDAY-FRIDAY, DOUBLE FEATURE—
"Street of Memories"
 Guy Kibbee, Lynne Roberts.

"Father Is a Prince"
 Grant Mitchell, Nana Bryant.

SATURDAY—
"Trailin' Double Trouble"
 Ray Corrigan, John King, Max Terhune.

SUNDAY-MONDAY—
"Mystery Sea Raider"
 Henry Wilcoxon, Carole Landis.

TUESDAY-WEDNESDAY—
"BARGAIN DAYS—10c and 15c"
"Dispatch from Reuters"
 Edw. G. Robinson, Eddie Albert, Otto Kruger.

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

FOR MAGISTRATE
 We are authorized to announce WILL BOGOS of Garrett, Ky., as a candidate for Magistrate in District No. 3, Floyd county, subject to the action of the Democratic party at the August 1941 primary.

Funeral Rites Held For Simpson Hall Saturday

Funeral rites for Simpson Hall, 72 years old, died, who succumbed to double pneumonia Friday at the Beech Valley hospital, Martin, were conducted Saturday afternoon at the graveside in the family cemetery at Hall, all of Miss Creek.

The victim is survived by three daughters, Mrs. Polly Hamilton, Mrs. Martha Jones and Mrs. Judith Francis Isaac; six sons, John, Anthony, William, Evan, George and Arnold.

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 Rollins Hosiery in silk and nylon.
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 A full line of fancy fruits and vegetables.
 Fancy candies, nuts of all kinds.
 Our Grocery and Meat department is full of quality groceries and meats such as a good store should have—we are especially prepared for the holidays.

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 Full Fashioned with runner-stop tops.
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 39c, 49c, 69c, 98c
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 all sizes—49c
 Extra quality Broadcloth DRESSES 95c for women or children.
 SILK DRESSES for kids—\$1.95

SLIPS in Satin 59c to \$1
PANTIES for Women 15c to 49c
CHILDREN'S PANTIES 10c

SILK UNDIES
 in Xmas boxes.
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XMAS DRESS SPECIAL
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 Embracing our lines up to \$3.95
 All colors and sizes up to size 50.

XMAS HATS
 All Our New Hats and Turbans
\$1.98 marked down \$1.00

FREE-- Here is your Xmas Gift without cost. An unbreakable DOLL with every \$5.00 purchase.

Values 95c and \$1.95 ALL WOOL ALL SIZES
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 Extra values Big Line.
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 Under New Management
 PRESTONSBURG, KY.

you'll like to

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GIFT-SHOP IN HUNTINGTON!

Holy Night



Holy Night

Arranged & Edited by
CHAS. HENTZEN

FRANZ GRUBER

Moderato

What a night! This is a night, through the dark, now
 what a night! This is a night, through the dark, now
 what a night! This is a night, through the dark, now
 what a night! This is a night, through the dark, now

dreams of light. Then where thy sweet virgins keep,
 all the night long. Shepherds hear the angels sing.

Over the fields and so peacefully sleep. Rest in heav-en-ly
 Hal-low-land. Hail the King! Christ our Re-deem-er is

peace. Rest in heav-en-ly peace.
 here. Christ our Re-deem-er is here.

dim. *pp*

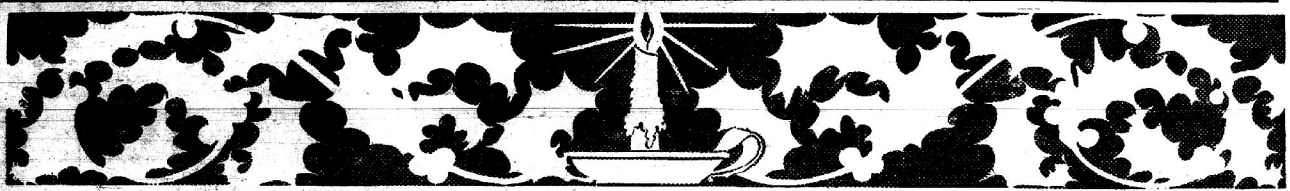
What a night! This is a night! Child of Heav-en, oh how bright!

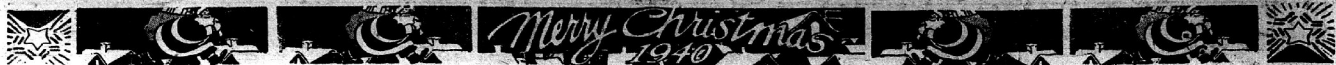
p Thou did'st smile when Thou wast born, bless-ed was that hap-py morn,
cresc. *p*

Christ our Sav-ior is born, Christ our Sav-ior is born.

mf *dim.* *pp*

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1000 AND 1 GIFTS FOR YOUR SELECTION

| FOR THE MEN | | FOR THE BOYS AND GIRLS | | FOR THE LADIES | |
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5c UP **E. P. GRIGSBY'S STORE** \$1.00 UP

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Have a more romantic
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You won't need the aid of mis-
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You can be irresistible if you
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I resolve to always
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work at reasonable prices.
Let's work together.

MARTIN BEAUTY SALON



IT'S SIMPLE to re-discover this Christmas spirit by coming
down to Parker's and browsing through our store. Do it
now . . . and get a real kick out of this grand holiday sea-
son.

PARKER'S CONFECTIONERY



TOPIC OF THE DAY

WHAT SHALL I GIVE THEM FOR CHRISTMAS?

FACTORS INVOLVED

MOTHER: She likes useful things like automatic toast-
ers, electric food mixer, set of dishes. She yearns
for cologne, sheer hose, housecoat.

DAD: He can always use shirts, ties, socks. He'll be
mighty pleased with a pipe set, tobacco, bed-
room slippers, robe, auto radio.

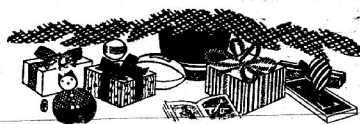
SIS: You'll flatter her no end with "grown up" gifts
like dishes, furniture, ski suit.

BROTHER: You'll give him just what he wants with a
sled, boxing gloves, trains, books.

THE GIRL FRIEND: Be her favorite hero with per-
fume, necklace, candy, books, purse, compact.

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The very latest in junior, misses
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Cannot be beat, no matter where
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For both men and women—with
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The season's biggest, most important
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THE WESTERNER
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SUNDAY & MONDAY



R-C COLA
UPPER 10 (Lime-Lemon Soda)



NEHI BOTTLING CO.
PAINTSVILLE, KY.

Harold, Ky.—Born to Mr. and Mrs. Harold Conn. of this place, a fine daughter, christened Scarie Lee. There were 50 visitors on Sunday and probably 150 in all since her arrival. The babe weighed 9 1/2 pounds.

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12-HOUR SERVICE

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Briar Buck's
Scratches

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

This is a little early, but—MERRY XMAS!

FURB'S THIRD STREET

Of course, the City Council may, and probably does, have sufficient reason for not repairing Third street. The "reasons" may be financial—I don't know.

But, whatever the cause, something should be done as soon as possible towards correcting this "black mark" against Prestonsburg.

ANYTHING EXCEPT 'LOANS'

If Great Britain needs planes, send them to 'em. Send them all the ships and mechanized equipment we can spare. Give them what cotton and oil, and, if they are "broke," give 'em money.

But why should "Uncle Samivelv" dig into his own diminishing supply of cash—to "loan" to Great Britain—while the British still have property holdings in this country valued at four billion dollars?

WELCOME, OLD ROVER!

Congrats to the "ROVING Reporter." His first issue of rat-tat-tatting wasn't just chatter—he was hitting the nail on the head!

GENEROUS

The British Ambassador to the U.S., Lord Lothian, generously "agrees" to "put off" the question of financial aid to Great Britain until the new Congress convenes.

That's very sporting of the old chap. Many another would have just taken the treasury keys and helped himself!

PEACE ON EARTH

On Xmas Day, 1917, front-line soldiers, fighting in France, left their trenches, exchanged gifts and friendly greetings with the "enemy." This Xmas, the battle lines will be different, but I wonder—if the spirit isn't there, just the same.

IF I'M WRONG, SCOLD ME!

If aggressor nations had some stronger power to bring them to task they would live up to their obligations!

POP & STUFF

Bill Cooley, of Rook Parlor fame, last week's Big item was worth \$5.00 in advertising to his business—Okay, then, this one should be worth

\$250—that's \$750 to date, if you please, William! . . . Chandler received 12,985 more votes in Kentucky than did P. D. . . . The last report we had from the Italian High Command, the Fascist troops were invading Italy as fast as their legs would carry them! . . . Can you think of anything denser than the "told toin" issue? . . . Don't be surprised if Mr. Big comes out with a "proclamation" that the budget is already balanced! . . . What's the matter, Roebuck? . . . —and a Happy New Year!

VISIT IN CINCINNATI

Mrs. Frank Neeley and Mrs. Estill Neeley spent Thanksgiving week-end in Cincinnati, guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Brooks.

A PUMP' OF DISTINCTION!

Ask to see Style 891 as sketched.



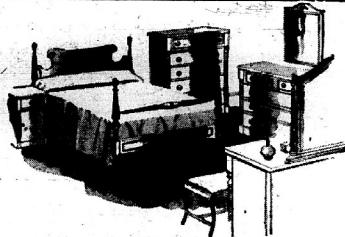
This unusual pump combines discreet touches of faille with the fashionable gleam of patent leather. There's a section of elasticized faille around the throat line, to give you ease in fitting, and there's row after row of matching braid to break up the length of your foot.

On a high heel, and only . . .

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FINE BED ROOM SUITES

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NEW I. E. S. KAMPS Floor or Table Models Complete \$5.45

Complete Suites \$39.50 to \$169.00

\$15.00 to \$21.00

Buy Gifts on **CREDIT**

Don't feel bad if you have no

MONEY

You can still buy the **GIFTS**

you want if you come to

VALLEY WHOLESALE FURNITURE CO.

for a complete selection of gifts for the

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on easy credit terms . . .

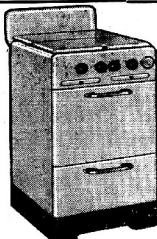
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CARD TABLES
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Come in today and select a luxurious Restwell Innerspring Mattress . . . built for health and luxury sleep.

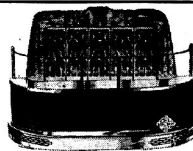


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PRICE RANGE \$39.50* to \$119.50

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ARMSTRONG GAS HEATERS
Beautiful Designs.
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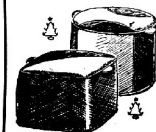
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A Large Assortment of designs. \$1.00 up

Christmas Cheer—You Bet!
GIFTS ELECTRICAL
FOR ALL THE FAMILY



ALL lit up like a Christmas Tree, Dad is, with Electrical Gifts for all the family—and will Mother and Sue and Horace Junior be happy about the whole thing!

Electric Gifts are exciting, but more than that, they last throughout the years. . . . Give something Electrical and you are sure of being remembered every day in the year, not just at Christmas time.

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POWER COMPANY

Valley Wholesale Furniture Co.

Next Door to Morell Supply Co.

PRESTONSBURG, KY.

Merry Christmas 1940

FAMILY REUNION

Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm Harris entertained to a turkey dinner and family reunion Sunday, Nov. 24, in honor of his 70th birth anniversary. The huge birthday cake was lighted with 70 candles. Mr. Harris received many beautiful gifts.

Those present were: Mr. Harris' eldest sister, Mrs. Ida Butler, and Mrs. Ida Mae Wigglesworth, of Pikeville; Mr. and Mrs. Jack Richmond and daughter, Luanne, of Inez; Mr.

and Mrs. John Benjey and children, Malcolm, Martella, Johnnie, Marie and Mrs. Jack Derossat, and Mrs. Derossat; Mr. and Mrs. Bert Hammond and son, Albert Lloyd; Mr. and Mrs. Ballard Osborne and sons, Everett and Charles, Frank Neely and children, Rose Ida and Frank, Jr.; Mr. and Mrs. Gene Harris and children, June Merle, Jean Carol and James Malcolm.

TIMES want ads pay.

MISS TUSSEY, MR. OUSLEY UNITED IN MARRIAGE

Martins, Ky., Nov. 27 (Sp.)—A wedding of much interest and friendliness was that of Mr. Willard Ousley and Miss Kathleen Tussey, which took place Saturday afternoon at the home here of his sister, Mrs. Parley Flanery.

The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. James Ousley, of Dock. The bride is the attractive daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Green Tussey, of Dock. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Bill Flanery, of the Church of Latter Day Saints.

Ky. Crippled Children Commission Treats 1,441 During Year

The Kentucky Crippled Children Commission has provided medical, surgical, and hospital care for 1,441 State youngsters during the past year, Miss Marian Williamson, director, reported before the annual state meeting of the Kentucky Society for Crippled Children in Lexington, Thursday, last week.

This is the largest number of cases handled in any year since the Commission opened in 1924, said Miss Williamson, and there are many cases waiting for hospitalization because of lack of funds.

In addition to hospital care, many youngsters were aided with medical care, renewal of plaster casts, adjustment of braces, visits of field nurses, and through 27 rural clinics held throughout the state, the speaker said.

The Commission organizes the work with crippled children and through the financial help of State and Federal governments and interested lay groups, it carries on its extensive activities. Miss Williamson commended the great aid extended during the past year by lay groups throughout the state.

For its annual Easter seal drive funds the society has during the past year turned over \$16,624 to the Commission for additional aid to crippled children, Miss Williamson quoted from the treasurer's report of Sam English, Jr., Louisville.

FILE

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There's a new and glamorous idea in this daring little pump, for it combines the sparkle of crystal with the gleam of patent leather. And the combination will make your foot look the loveliest you've ever seen.

Elasticized to give you perfect fit, and cut out for beauty.

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For every woman on your Christmas List

I. RICHMOND CO.

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Gifts that say MERRY CHRISTMAS



Over 50 Years An Old Southern Custom GIVE

Nunnally's THE CARRY OF THE SOUTH



Box Beautiful \$1.50 Lb. Others From \$1.00

The Gift Every Woman Knows Give her Nunnally's, Nunnally's . . . that magic name that means romance, good living, and delicious Chocolates.

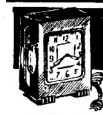


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BILL FOLD AND KEY CASE SETS FROM \$1.50 PARKER PEN AND PENCIL SETS

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ELECTRIC RAZORS \$7.50 and \$15.00



POLAROID STUDY LAMPS \$2.95

HUTSINPILLER DRUG

PRESTONSBURG, KENTUCKY

Merry Christmas 1940



SENSATIONAL

Shoe Sale

Special clearance of 476 pairs of Ladies' Novelty Shoes, values to \$2.95 offered to the public at this low price starting this Thursday. Our advice is to come early for best selections.



SUEDES
KIDS
PATENTS
BLACKS
BROWNS

SIZES 3 TO 9
Throughout the Lot.
Values to \$2.95

PUMPS
TIES
MEDIUM
HEELS
HIGH
HEELS

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PER PAIR

« FREE - - FREE »

WE ARE GIVING AWAY ABSOLUTELY FREE

Tuesday, December 24th at 4:30 p. m.
IN FRONT OF OUR STORE

- \$42.50** - First Prize—STREAMLINED BICYCLE
Now on Display in Our Lobby. A Grand Gift for Some Boy or Girl.
- \$25.00** - Second Prize—LARGE, BEAUTIFUL DOLL
A Gift That Will Thrill the Heart of Any Girl.
- \$10.00** - Third Prize—LADIES' FITTED OVERNIGHT BAG
Fully Lined, with All the Proper Fittings. Now on Display in our Window.

FOR FURTHER DETAILS, INQUIRE AT

GLAZER'S

A LITTLE OFF THE MAIN STREET, BUT IT PAYS TO WALK.
Below Bank Josephine PRESTONSBURG, KY.

An Appreciation . . .



A. C. CARTER

I wish to express my appreciation to the people who have bought cars from me and to those who have given me their service work. We have the best to offer you in the automobile line, and the people are learning to buy the best and to ride in style and comfort.

We have the best service men available, regardless of price, to service your automobile.

KEEP YOUR AUTOMOBILE RUNNING GOOD BY LETTING US SERVICE IT.

Buick & Oldsmobile SALES & SERVICE

New 1941 Owners

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|----------------------------------|-------------------------------|
| Oval Bingham Hall.....Oldsmobile | Mary E. Clarke.....Oldsmobile |
| Fred Dickerson.....Buick | I. B. Smith.....Oldsmobile |
| W. H. Irvin.....Buick | M. C. Elliott.....Oldsmobile |
| Henry Stephens, Jr.....Buick | Lewis Glazer.....Buick |
| Harold G. Gorman.....Buick | Leavore Hall.....Oldsmobile |
| Robert Miller.....Buick | |

CARTER MOTOR SALES

PRESTONSBURG, KY.

MAKE CHRISTMAS A HAPPY TIME FOR ONE WHO'S MADE YOU HAPPY AND MORE FOR HER

Of course, mother deserves the very best this 1940 Christmas. . . . Pennies, nickles, dimes and quarters keep themselves in an orderly manner in the new type coin purse. Her name will be stamped inside, and there's a small card case at the top. The whole thing zips up into a neat little package to drop into purse or pocket!

If your mother is the type who loves dainty jewelry, there is an unlimited supply of luxury items in the local shops from which you may choose. Rings, pins, bracelets, necklaces, ear rings and watches galore! Just like Grandmother's pin-on watch, the new ones are made of enamel, decorated with dainty reesebuds. A matching bow-knot pin clips it onto blouse or coat.

Mother'll be surprised when she opens her Christmas bundle to find a brooch bag with a fur, bottom trim. . . . they're smart this year, won't rub off as do the suede ones. have plenty of room inside.

Handcarved from white salinwood by Javanese artists, this salad set (large fork and spoon) is really the kind of present that makes one doubt that "it is better to give than to receive."

IS TRIANGLE INITIATE

Carl Lamar Combs, Langley, Junior in the College of Engineering at the University of Kentucky, was recently initiated into membership in the Kentucky chapter of Triangle fraternity at the state university.



—FROM—
\$10.95



A FRUITFUL GIFT
GRUEN
THE PRECISION WATCH

Want to make this the grandest Christmas ever for someone you love? Then give a Gruen Watch! You'll understand why Gruen is known as 'The Proudest Name in Time' when you see the ultra-smart new styling that makes Gruen years ahead of other watches—at no sacrifice of precision. Come in and see them today.

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\$6.95 and up.
- INITIAL RINGS
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- BIRTHSTONE RINGS
\$3.50 and up.

STERLING SILVER

- Wallace and Towle ALL PATTERNS
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CALIFORNIA VERNON WARE FIESTA CHINAWARE

GOTHAM GOLD STRIPE HOSIERY
69c and \$1

GENUINE ITALIAN MARBLE LAMPS, BOOK ENDS, VASES, CIGARETTE BOXES

MAKE CHRISTMAS DAY FLOWER DAY

LEETE JEWELRY & FLOWER SHOP

PRESTONSBURG, KY.



HEALTH NEWS

Compiled by Dr. Marvin Ransdell
Director, Floyd County Health Dept.

THE MOTHER'S FOOD

The mother stands between her baby and nutritional disaster. The nine months before a baby is born is often the most neglected period of his existence. The pregnant woman is likely to leave her diet largely to chance or the whims of appetite, although she may be most careful of her foods during the nursing period. The pregnant as well as the nursing mother should consult her family physician as to the proper foods and the amounts she should eat both during the pre-natal period and during the time she is nursing her infant.

The foods needed during pregnancy and during the nursing period differ

from those of any other time. The mother's food must maintain and repair her body and furnish fuel for warmth and work, and also provide for the growth of her baby and for maintaining the body temperature, muscular activities and body fat. Many of us eat too much, but few mothers get enough of the vitamin and mineral foods needed for health, growth and the normal regulation of body processes.

During the pre-natal period all women should have an abundance of the "protective foods" — milk, eggs, green leafy vegetables and fruits. These essential growth foods, which safeguard the bones and teeth, grain

and the muscles of the baby, can be increased in the diet without necessarily increasing the total amount of food taken daily.

Milk is superior to any single food in adequacy of protein, abundance of lime and variety of other mineral, and richness in vitamins. Milk is as much needed to build the baby during the pre-natal period as to increase the flow of breast milk during the nursing period.

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The number of flocks of sheep in Carter county increased from 24 in 1938 to 40 this year.

It is estimated that 5,000 cattle in Hart county have been vaccinated against blackleg.

Several Trimble county farmers are planning to use a chemical to kill weeds in tobacco plant beds.

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Auxier Hi Swamps Cumberland, PCA

After swamping the Pikeville College Academy to the tune of 49-9 Tuesday night of last week, Coach Chalmers Frazer's Auxier high school Hornets easily defeated the Cumberland team from Elkhorn City, 24-13, last Friday night. Both games were played at Auxier. Against FCA the Hornets led, 22-0, at the end of the first quarter and, with every player on the squad seeing service, the score was 23-3 at the half. The opposition Friday night was more formidable, although Auxier won with ease. The count at the half was 13-7, with the Hornets out in front. Hall, at forward, was high scorer, with nine points, eight of which

were made during the first half. Blackford, Auxier center, was runner-up, with six. Hall, Cumberland center, led his mates, with four points. Saturday night the Wheelwright Maroons will invade the Hornets' stronghold.

Line-ups:
 Auxier (24) Pos. Cumberland (13)
 Patton (4) F. Potter (1)
 Hall (9) F. Wallace (3)
 Blackford (6) C. Hall (4)
 Evans (2) G. Amburgey (3)
 Watson (1) G. Hall (2)
 Substitutions: Auxier — Robinson, Frazer, Sherman (2), Gaudin, Hubbard, Cumberland — Colman, Bercece-Buchanan.
 Logan county homemakers' clubs have organized a county chorus of 40 members.

LOST SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBERS AVAILABLE FROM ASHLAND

The questionnaire which draft boards are now sending to men whose names are among the first on the selective service lists asks for the social security account numbers of those men. If any persons receiving this form have lost or misplaced their social security account number cards, duplicate cards can be obtained from the Ashland, Ky., office of the Social Security Board.

This statement is made by Lawton Hargis, acting manager of that field office. Duplicate account cards may readily be obtained by filling in a simple application which may be secured from any postoffice or through the Ashland field office, which is in

the Second National Bank building. "I strongly urge any young man who has lost his account number, and who needs it for his selective service questionnaire, to be sure he gets a duplicate of his original social security number, and not a new number, as the latter practice often delays posting of wage credits of those who are covered by the Social Security Act," Mr. Hargis said.

Robinette-Hieronymous Vows Solemnized

Pikeville, Ky., Nov. 27 (Spl.)—Of widespread interest is the announcement of the marriage of Miss Dockie Juana Robinette, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Robinette, of Pikeville, to Mr. James Harold Hieronymous, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. T.

Hieronymous, Richmond, Ky. Marriage of the popular couple was solemnized on Wednesday evening, November 20, with the single ring ceremony, by the Rev. E. L. Howerton, pastor of the First Baptist Church, at the home of the bride's parents, in the presence of the immediate families and class friends.

The bride was radiant in her costume in boy blue. Her hat was a small model of black velvets with feather trim. A shoulder corsage of sweet-heart roses and valley lilies completed her costume. Mrs. Hieronymous was a graduate from Pikeville high school and Pikeville College and attended Eastern Kentucky State Teachers' College, Richmond, and the University of Kentucky, Lexington. At present she is a teacher in the Harold-Layneville consolidated school at Harold.

White ryanthemums were used throughout the house. White candles were festively used in the decoration of the dining room. Those present for the wedding and invited for the reception were Mrs. Leo Price, of Batesville, Ark.; Miss Mary Hieronymous, Richmond, Ky.; Miss Blanche Keathley, Martin; Mrs. J. W. Hayes, of Prestonsburg; Mrs. Marie Akers, Miss Eloise Williams, Miss Elizabeth Robinette, Miss Virginia Day, Miss Bernice Ford, Mrs. Melissa Akers, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Robinette, Ross Deweyll and Ronald Watts Robinette.

The bride and groom left for a wedding trip to Michigan and other points north. They will make their home in Richmond.

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**DONALDSON SAYS
SLASHING AVERTED
BY GRADUAL CUTS**

Gradual reductions in Highway Department forces earlier this year probably will include slashing of the maintenance force payroll this winter, Highway Commissioner J. Lyter Donaldson said Tuesday.

In previous years budgetary requirements brought about a reduction in the maintenance force of 50 per cent or more in November and December. Donaldson said that since he took office in January the maintenance crews had been cut from 3,387 to 2,729 and the total department personnel from 6,300 a year ago to 4,233 now.

"Economy is not the sole factor that enters in the total reduction," Donaldson declared, "for part of it is due to the fact that we have been co-operating with the WPA this year."

"We are hopeful that we can get by this year without the necessity of any general releases," he said. "We are operating on a quarterly plan and allocations are made for each quarter. Labor costs have been held to 40 per cent of total maintenance expenditures. For these reasons I do not believe any general releases will be necessary."

The commissioner said however, that certain "routing" crews assigned to special work such as bituminous treatment of roads which cannot be done during low temperatures probably would have to be "paid off." These crews do not exceed 60 or 75, he added.

**Women Jurors
Picked to Serve
In U.S. Court**

Owensboro, Ky.—For the first time in the history of the Owensboro United States District Court, women were impaneled on the petit jury here.

Seven had answered summonses for service, two on the grand jury and five on the petit jury, but when the former panel had been filed Judge Mac Swinford transferred the women to the petit jury for service.

Read all the ads—it will pay you!

**3,667 Qualified
For Defense Jobs
Idle in Kentucky**

Washington, Nov. 30.—Kentucky has 3,667 workers qualified for employment in occupations essential to defense production who are registered in the state-operated offices of the U. S. Employment Service, and most of whom at present are unemployed.

This is shown in a tabulation made public Monday by the Social Security Board. Federal Security Administrator Paul V. McNutt announced that a check of available labor in more than 500 occupations essential to defense production revealed that about 218,000 qualified workers, most of them unemployed, were registered in the 1,800 state-operated employment offices of the U. S. Employment Service on September 28. A considerable number of these workers were equipped for jobs in more than one of the occupations listed.

Thirteen of the 47 other states had higher totals on the list than Kentucky.

**R.E.A. Group Holds
Meeting At Hippo**

Hippo, Ky. (Sp.)—Electric power service for this community through the Big Sandy Rural Electric Co-operative Association was brought a step nearer reality Saturday afternoon when several citizens met at the school building here with Lawrence Hubbard and Mill Stanley of the co-operative and plans were advanced for the service.

Twenty-two applications for membership in the co-operative have already been received. Appointed at the meeting to obtain applications for membership were R. M. Hicks, Alka Hicks, E. C. Hughes and W. M. Hicks, Sr.

Besides those mentioned above the following attended the meeting: J. Hughes, E. C. Moore, Rev. A. J. Moore, G. W. Kramer, Curtis Ousley, H. O. Hicks, Jobe Hughes and Emory Hughes.

**IS ARMY PHOTOGRAPHER
COURSE GRADUATE**

Marion Stanley Collins, 23-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Mory Collins, Prestonsburg, who enlisted in the Army Air Corps technical school, Fort Hayes, O., last January, was graduate recently in the correspondence photography course at Maxwell Field, Alabama. He was graduated from a Prestonsburg high school with the class of '36.

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10 MURDER CASES

(Continued from page one)
breach of peace, bench warrant issued—
not arrested; Willie Holt, assault
and battery, bench warrant issued—
not arrested; Kenis Wallace, assault
and battery, bench warrant issued—
not arrested; Tait Hicks, assault and
battery, bench warrant issued—not
arrested; Oliver Blackburn, assault and
battery, bench warrant issued—not
arrested; Matthew Keen, Raymond Hall,
Charlie Porter, and Tom Compton,
gaming, bench warrant issued—not
arrested; Stacy Salisbury, gaming on
premises—continued; Bert Bailey,
breach of peace, bench warrant issued—
not arrested.

JANUARY 8, 1941
George Johnson, carrying concealed
deadly weapon—continued on motion
and grounds for new trial; Archie En-
dicott, uttering cold check, bench war-
rant issued—not arrested; Namon
Hall, breach of peace, bench warrant
issued—not arrested; Bruce Barnett,
Charley Barnett, Edna Barnett and
Lily Barnett, breach of peace, bench
warrant issued—not arrested; Bert
Hale, disorderly house, bench warrant
issued—not arrested; Basil Coburn,
assault and battery with automobile,
bench warrant issued—not arrested;
Douglas Smith, escaping jail, bench
warrant issued—not arrested; Bascom
Little Clark, carrying concealed dead-
ly weapon—continued; Silas Johnson,
possessing liquor—continued; Silas
Johnson, carrying concealed deadly
weapon—continued; Jake Salisbury,
and Eugene Hall, petit larceny—con-
tinued; Bert Hall, assault and battery
with automobile—continued; Jean
Eunt and Theodore Collins, possessing
liquor, bench warrant issued—not ar-
rested; Henry Sailor and Hiram Sail-
or, possessing liquor, bench warrant
issued—not arrested; Albert Collins,
selling liquor, bench warrant issued—
not arrested; Ted Patrick, possessing
liquor, bench warrant issued—not ar-
rested; Carl Geason, still in possession,
bench warrant issued—not arrested;
Tazwell Foley, shooting at with in-
tention to kill, bench warrant issued—
not arrested; Berlin Young, shooting at
another—continued; Berlin Young,
shooting at another—continued; Wil-
liam Vance, giving away moonshine
liquor, bench warrant issued—not ar-
rested.

JANUARY 9, 1941
Woodrow Tuttle, child desertion—
continued; Junior Taylor, carrying
deadly weapon—continued; Isaac
Finney, carrying concealed deadly
weapon—continued; William Vance,
liquor in possession, bench warrant
issued—not arrested; Ted Newsome,
selling moonshine, bench warrant
issued—not arrested; Will Shepherd,
selling moonshine, bench warrant
issued—not arrested; Will Shepherd,
liquor in possession, bench warrant
issued—not arrested; Mill Moseley,
possessing liquor, bench warrant
issued—not arrested; Will Shepherd,
liquor in possession, bench warrant
issued—not arrested; Claude Moseley,
liquor in possession, bench warrant
issued—not arrested; Will Shepherd,
liquor for sale, bench warrant issued
—not arrested; Arthur Hale and Ca-
ville Bentley, moonshine in possession,
bench warrant issued—not arrested;
Cal Prater and Edith Howard, moon-
shine for sale, bench warrant issued—
not arrested; Bert Bailey, carrying
concealed deadly weapon, bench war-
rant issued—not arrested.

JANUARY 10, 1940
Shirley Crisp, carrying concealed
deadly weapon, bench warrant issued
—not arrested; Joe Fannin, carrying

concealed deadly weapon, bench war-
rant issued—not arrested; Curt Teek-
et, carrying concealed deadly weapon,
bench warrant issued—not arrested;
John Stone, carrying concealed deadly
weapon, bench warrant issued—not
arrested; John Stone, using a deadly
weapon, bench warrant issued—not
arrested; Clarence Allen, carrying
concealed deadly weapon, bench war-
rant issued—not arrested; Kenis Wal-
lace, carrying concealed deadly wea-
pon, bench warrant issued—not ar-
rested; Henry Hobson, carrying con-
cealed deadly weapon, bench warrant
issued—not arrested; Alva Burton,
Deldon Adkins and William Watkins,
storehouse breaking, bench warrant
issued—not arrested; Ras Wallace
and Red Farmer, stealing chickens,
bench warrant issued—not arrested;
Charlie Clevenger and Jack Black-
burn, dynamiting fish, bench warrant
issued—not arrested; Claude Bolen,
embezzlement, bench warrant issued
—continued; Oscar Charles, break-
ing and entering, bench warrant
issued—not arrested; James A. Goble,
forgery and counterfeiting, bench
warrant issued—not arrested; Troy
Newsome and George Newsome,
breaking and entering, bench warrant
issued—not arrested; Ballard Hol-
brook, breaking and entering, bench
warrant issued—not arrested; Hillard
A. Hall, false pretenses—continued;
Chauffeur George, robbery, bench war-
rant issued—not arrested; Bert Jones,
grand larceny, bench warrant issued—
not arrested; Dewey Gibson, grand
larceny, bench warrant issued—not ar-
rested; Weaver Deakins, voluntary
manlaughter, bench warrant issued
—not arrested.

JANUARY 11, 1941
Willie Marcllet, Mrs. Willie Mar-
cllet, arson—continued; Will
Shortridge, receiving stolen property
—continued; Marshall Brummett,
child desertion, bench warrant issued
not arrested; Carson Hackworth,
child desertion, bench warrant issued
—not arrested; Jay Branham, child
desertion—continued; Charlie John-
son, child desertion, bench warrant
issued—not arrested; Thomas Chick,
child desertion, bench warrant issued
—not arrested; Earl Reed, child de-
sertion, bench warrant issued—not
arrested; Jack Goble, child desertion,
bench warrant issued—not arrested;
Emmit Francis Kimbils, child deser-
tion, bench warrant issued—not ar-
rested; Junior Redridge, child deser-
tion, bench warrant issued—not ar-
rested; Jimmie McCown, child deser-
tion, bench warrant issued—not ar-
rested; Maxton Lilly, Jr., child deser-
tion, bench warrant issued—not ar-
rested; Darb Shepherd, child deser-
tion, bench warrant issued—not ar-
rested; Thurman Thomas, false
swearing, continued—process for wit-
nesses; Jim Manns, false swearing
continued—process for witnesses; Bill
Hall, false swearing, continued—pro-
cess for witnesses; A. H. Green, false
swearing, continued—process for wit-
nesses; Aaron Allen, false swearing
continued—process for witnesses; Le-
ander Manns, false swearing, contin-
ued—process for witnesses; Jack
Manns, false swearing, continued—
process for witnesses; Perry Green,
false swearing, bench warrant issued
—not arrested; Bridgett Kelly, false
swearing—continued; C. D. Ford,
false swearing—continued.

JANUARY 13, 1941
Jim Hall, murder, continued—pro-
cess for witnesses; Willard Starley,
seduction—continued; Bee Hayes,
murder, bench warrant issued—not
arrested; Pearl Salisbury, murder, bench

warrant issued—not arrested; Virgil
Miller, Fred Harmon, Ed Miller and
Joe Miller, breaking and entering,
bench warrant issued—not arrested;
Leonard Dameron, Marlon Dameron,
Robert Porter and Valdeen Ferrell,
breaking and entering, bench warrant
issued—not arrested; J. W. Curry,
stealing coal, bench warrant issued—
not arrested; George Bradley, break-
ing and entering, bench warrant
issued—not arrested; Walter Collins,
illegal voting, bench warrant issued—
not arrested; John M. Reffitt, illegal
voting, bench warrant issued—not ar-
rested; D. Edmund D. Wells, grand
larceny, bench warrant issued—not
arrested; Claude Bolen, grand lar-
ceny, bench warrant issued—not ar-
rested; Arthur Hall and Orville Bent-
ley, grand larceny, bench warrant
issued—not arrested; Ervey Gibson,
grand larceny, bench warrant issued
—not arrested; Charlie Hinkle, shoot-
ing and wounding, bench warrant
issued—not arrested; Ernest Marshall,
cutting and wounding, bench warrant
issued—not arrested; Dr. Edmund D.
Wells, false pretense, bench warrant
issued—not arrested; Arthur Hall and
Orville Bentley, robbery, bench war-
rant issued—not arrested; Claude Isaac
and Fred Bates, false pretense, bench
warrant issued—not arrested.

JANUARY 14, 1941
Andy Johnson, shooting and wound-
ing—continued; Green Bradley, mur-
der—continued; J. O. Thomas, con-
version of property, bench warrant
issued—not arrested; Ernest Collins,
forgery, bench warrant issued—not
arrested; Ballard Hopkins, forgery,
bench warrant issued—not arrested;
Charlie Craven and Johnnie Hall,
compounding a felony, bench warrant
issued—not arrested; William or Wid
Amey, stealing chickens, bench war-
rant issued—not arrested; William
or Wid Amey, Trumble Wilson,
Floyd Rickman and James Lackey, Jr.,
stealing chickens, bench warrant
issued—not arrested; Edna Conn, false
pretenses, bench warrant issued—
not arrested; Mrs. Lige Sparks, false pre-
tenses, bench warrant issued—not ar-
rested; Frank Nunnery, false pretenses,
bench warrant issued—not ar-
rested; Robert Snell, child desertion,
bench warrant issued—continued; Elva
Jarvis, shooting without wounding,
bench warrant issued—not arrested.

JANUARY 15, 1941
R. N. Harrison and Andy Shepherd,
wrongful arrest—continued; Monroe
Salisbury, manslaughter—continued;
Tom Parsons or Tom Akers, Jim Rob-
erts and Herman McKinney, wrongful
arrest—continued; Sam Roberts, Tom
Akers or Tom Parsons and Jake Salis-
bury, wrongful arrest—continued;
Tom Parsons or Tom Akers, Jim Rob-
erts and Herman McKinney, wrongful
arrest—continued; Sam Roberts, Tom
Akers or Tom Parsons and Jake Salis-
bury, wrongful arrest—continued;
Sam Roberts, Tom Akers or Tom
Parsons and Jake Salisbury, wrongful
arrest—continued; Sam Roberts, Tom
Akers or Tom Parsons and Jake Salis-
bury, wrongful arrest—continued;
Sam Roberts, Tom Akers or Tom
Parsons and Jake Salisbury, wrongful
arrest—continued; Carl Pate-
gate, child desertion, bench warra-
nt issued—not arrested.

JANUARY 16, 1941
James Sanders, false swearing—con-
tinued; Ballard Johnson, false swear-
ing—continued.

JANUARY 17, 1941
Alvin Newsome, Will Dillow and Ca-
leb Newsome, murder—continued;
Halter Akers and Noah Newsome, aid-
ing and abetting—continued; Alvis
Newsome, murder—continued; Jake
Salisbury, murder—continued; R. A.
Triplett, forgery (four cases)—con-
tinued.

JANUARY 20, 1941
Leonard Marshall, manslaughter—
continued; Gomer C. Sturgill, mal-
feasance in office—continued.

JANUARY 21, 1941
Bordie Amburgey, murder, contin-
ued—process for witnesses; Bordie
Amburgey, shooting and wounding—
continued; Bordie Amburgey, murder
—continued; Sherman Wells (Alex's
son) stealing timber, bench warrant
issued—not arrested; Whetzel Bartley
and Ick Buckanon, adultery and forni-
cation, bench warrant issued—not ar-
rested; Ellis Whitaker, deserting a
pregnant wife, bench warrant issued
—not arrested; Life Preston, carnally
knowing his sister, bench warrant
issued—not arrested; Carl Orendor and
Eucky Goodall, enticing female,
bench warrant issued as to Bucky
Goodall—continued as to Carl Oren-
der; Marion Yates, detaining a woman
against her will, bench warrant issued
—not arrested; Elliott Wireman, de-
stroying property of another, bench
warrant issued—not arrested; Noah
Emmon, defrauding a keeper, bench
warrant issued—not arrested; Willie
Shepherd, arson, continued—judgment
to be entered on verdict.

WHAT DO WE IN COMMON NEED?

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**Kiwanis Officials
To Get Training
At Paintsville**

An all-day training school for
newly-elected Kiwanis officers of Division
No. 1 has been called to meet at
the Howard hotel, Paintsville, at 11
o'clock Friday morning, Dec. 6. The
meeting has been called by K. J. Day,
of Pikeville, lieutenant-governor of
Division No. 1 of the Kentucky-Tennessee
district, Kiwanis International.
Newly-elected presidents, vice-presidents
and secretaries of six clubs will
meet with Lieutenant-Governor Day
to be instructed in the program to be
developed for 1941. The clubs to be
represented are: Ashland, Paintsville,
Salisburyville, Prestonsburg, Pikeville,
and Letcher county. The 21 delegates
from these clubs will meet with other
Kiwanis leaders for instruction and
addresses on various Kiwanis topics.

Speakers for the training school will
be H. H. Ramey, of Salisburyville, lieutenant-governor of Kiwanis, and Warren
Olson, of International headquarters.

Other speakers on the day's program
will include Lt.-Gov. Day, Pikeville,
and all club presidents, vice-presidents,
secretaries, past presidents and club
chairmen of each club in the division.

A part of the training school will be
under the direction of international
headquarters of Kiwanis, which Warren
Olson of Chicago will represent. The
chief purpose will be the orientation
of newly elected club officers in their
respective duties for the coming year.
Most of the Kiwanis clubs in this
area have already elected their 1941
club officers.

The visitors are to have luncheon
at the Paintsville Kiwanis Club headquarters
at the Howard hotel, Lieutenant-Governor
Ramey is to preside. This will be one of
nine such training schools held in the
Kentucky-Tennessee district of Kiwanis
this fall.

HEALTH STAFF ADDITION

Miss Margaret Denham, Vanceburg,
Ky., was recently added to the nursing
staff of the Floyd County Health
Department. Additional nurse help
has been sought by the health department
since early this year.

NOTICE

All persons, firms or corporations
having claims or demands against
THE ELK HORN COAL CORPORATION, who
have not already filed a claim, are
requested to file same with the
undersigned Receivers, or either
of them, on or before January 6, 1941,
under penalty of thereafter having
said claims disallowed, as directed in
order entered by the Letcher Circuit
Court on November 19, 1940, in an
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Miss Shirley Compton arrived recently
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The Women's Auxiliary of the Presbyterian
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Saturday morning and afternoon at
the Morell Supply Company.

TO HOLD SERVICES
AT MARTIN
Rev. Paul Kinneer, Martin, will hold
a series of special church services in
the old high school auditorium at
Martin all next week, starting Sunday.

BIRTH ANNOUNCED
Born on Friday, November 27, at the
King's Daughters' hospital, Ashland,
to Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Howell their
second daughter, Patricia Kay. Mrs.
Howell is the former Miss Mary Hatcher,
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