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TIDBITS OF KENTUCKY FOLKLORE

THE EGG GOURD

LONG AGO in this column I discussed the many uses of gourds in earlier times; the thing that made me start thinking about gourds was seeing one at a wayside spring when I was on a camping trip. Since then I have had another experience with gourds that renews many a memory. While visiting my old home in 1939, I found and brought back with me a gourd that has been in the family since some years before the Civil War. This large old gourd now occupies a prominent place in my office, gazed at rather furtively by people whose memories do not run so far back as 1900 and is often the source of questions.

This particular gourd holds well over two gallons, and was used for more than 50 years as the container of eggs. I cannot remember just how many dozen it would hold, but you can imagine that there would be several. A big square hole had been cut in the side, big enough for anybody to get his hand in or out with three or four eggs in it. This hole also furnishes a natural handle, and by it the gourd has been taken dozens of times to the country store at Fidelity and its contents traded for calico, coffee, sugar, and other things needed in the farm home.

Its first romantic journey took place in 1854, when it came all the way from Rockingham county, North Carolina, in a covered wagon, as its owners made their way into the Jackson Purchase to start a new life and a new home in the wilderness. It belonged to the very old lady whom I mentioned several weeks ago in the article on "A Lover of Flowers". In fact, it was filled with flower and garden seeds by this very woman, young then and facing the wilderness with a fright. As I said previously, the flower bulbs and seeds that she brought became for a whole neighborhood a source of joy and aesthetic life. The philosophy of most of the people of Fidelity was dead-set against beauty, but a few of us persisted in our love for flowers until some of the dead-paters were converted to our point of view. And this old gourd, not so pretty to look at, had its honest share in bringing to the "Last West" of Kentucky some of the aesthetic pleasures of an older civilization east of the mountains.

The longer I contemplate folkways, the more important seem the means by which culture is transmitted. We are so busy with gadgets today that we hardly see how things can mean much to people. Junk accumulates faster than the rats can chew it up or we can lug it to the basement or the attic or sell it to the second-hand man. Every day when I turn newspapers and pasteboard cartons, I think how useful some of them would have been in our earlier days, when we treasured such things and rarely destroyed so much as a scrap of anything. Earlier still, containers were scarce, and the homely gourd, easily grown along the garden fence, became a source of help to most farm houses. From a few gourds to hold salt and soda and such things to a modern kitchen cabinet with places for more than most of us can afford is a long way, a way that many of us have spanned in our lives, even without being how feeble or forgetful of what is or has been.

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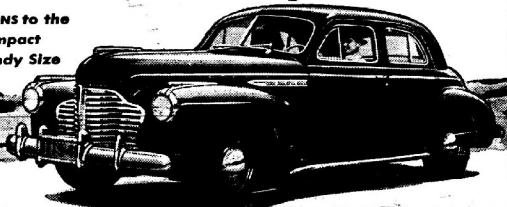


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WE DRIVERS

Nobody knows so well as we drivers how dependent a machine can be upon the man who runs it. Certainly everything has been done that could be done to make motor cars operate as they should regardless of the driver's skill. And still cars can't do a thing except under human direction.

Even the self-starter, for example, serves its name only in part. There must still be a foot to press the pedal or a finger to touch the button or turn a key. Power and speed in abundance are waiting in modern engines, but they wait the command of a driver. Steering is a direct and simple thing, but it still depends on a pair of hands on the wheel.

And so, in a very true sense, the automobile that comes to us from the factory is an unfinished mechanism. It still lacks the most important part — the driver.

Manufacturers may build into their cars an abundance of provisions for economical operation, comfort, ease of control, fine performance, safety, dependability and long life; yet all are subject in the end to the intelligent use and maintenance of drivers and owners.

The satisfaction and service that the owner gets out of his car depend in a great measure on his ability as a driver and even more important, the safety of our streets and highways is also dependent on the skill and expertness of the person behind the wheel.

KENTUCKY'S ROADS
U. S. 23—South Louisa-Pointsville. Detour over gravel road. Good condition. Caution at all times. Adds 5.8 miles.
U. S. 26-E—Widening roadway between Pineville and Barboursville. Road being built under traffic.

U. S. 26—Bridge at Clay's Ferry, Fayette-Madison counties. Recommended maximum load and trucks not exceeding five tons. Fifteen miles per hour should not be exceeded in crossing bridge.

MINNIE

(Last week's correspondence)
Mrs. Clint Bunting and little son Lionel were visiting Mr. Bunting over the week-end at U. S. Veterans' hospital, Johnson City, Tenn.

Mrs. Jack McCloud has been very ill but her many friends will be glad to know she is much improved.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Stumbo have been very ill with flu, but are better.

J. B. McCloud and family, of Knoxville, Tenn., were visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack McCloud, this week-end.

Miss Conley Receives Degree at U.-K.

Approximately 135 students from about 50 Kentucky counties and 20 other states, were graduated from the University of Kentucky at mid-year commencement exercises held Monday, Feb. 3, at Memorial Hall on the University campus. Dr. Raymond A. Kent, president of the University of Louisville, delivered the commencement address.

At the baccalaureate services held Sunday, Feb. 2, Dr. Jesse Hermann, pastor of the Second Presbyterian Church, Lexington, delivered the sermon.

Among those students who were graduated: Inez Conley, Bachelor of Arts in Education, Garrett.

SHERIFF'S SALE

Notice is hereby given that by virtue of execution issued on replevin bond from the office of the Clerk of the Floyd Circuit Court, dated December 23, 1940, in favor of the Commonwealth of Kentucky and against Ballard Haywood and W. M. Haywood, I, or one of my deputies will, on Monday, February 24, 1941, at or about 1:00 p. m., at the front door of the courthouse in the city of Prestonsburg, Ky., for cash in hand, expose to public sale, the following described real estate, or a sufficiency thereof to make the sum of \$35.67, and \$25.00, the probable cost of this sale, viz:

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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 road 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 health department officers themselves obey the law to the letter.
6. Continuance of the Floyd county health department and the county agricultural agent work.

END OF THE TRAIL . . .

EWAS looking for parkers," Deputy Constable Jimmy Hatfield of Pike county, who shot to death a young Williamson, W. Va., auto mechanic, at a Pike county roadside last week, is quoted as saying in explanation of the tragedy.

And he found his quarry, Parkers. Young William Stock and his wife.

Parked at the roadside—a what a ghastly crime! He wasn't looking for bootleggers, moonshiners, thieves or any of those more serious law violators, if we are to believe Hatfield was correctly quoted in the newspapers. He was looking for parkers.

And so a man was killed—in the name of the law, in the name of a law whose representative was concerning himself with a minor offense that often pays off well.

One wonders why County Judges do not exercise better sense judgment in approving the appointment of such officers. Pertinent questions a Judge might ask himself are: Is this man a good citizen himself? Or is he the "coffee money" type? Is he to be trusted with a deadly weapon in the pursuit of his duties? Or is he the type that considers his weapon not a means of defense or law enforcement but an engine of destruction and one to be used?

And, seeing a grim sort of mockery made of law enforcement as a result of such dereliction of official duty on the part of County Judges, one also wonders why the State Legislature does not eliminate the office of deputy constable or restrict its duties to that of executing the processes of Magistrates' courts.

Not all such officers are bad, but the bad so overshadow the good that elimination of the office would relieve the body politic of something it would fare better without.

RE-DISTRICTING IN FLOYD COUNTY UNNECESSARY

THE RUMOR persists that Floyd county will be re-districted so as to give the county eight instead of four Magistrate divisions.

But **THE TIMES** confidently expects no such thing to happen.

It believes that County Judge Hill will agree that four more Magistrates will serve no good purpose; that the county's fiscal affairs can be administered by four men as well as eight—that, in fact, there is less chance for error, unintentional or otherwise, by the lesser number of men doing the spending for the county.

It is quite possible that some changes in the boundaries of certain districts could be made so as to make the Magistrates more easily accessible to certain sections but that can be done without splitting the county four more ways.

With improved roads, the resident of a section ten miles removed from the Magistrate's headquarters is as near now as his father would have been, two miles from the Magistrate, fifteen years ago.

Addition of four more Magistrates will mean an additional \$24 for the taxpayers to pay, each time the fiscal court meets. A costly luxury, that, to satisfy the ambitions of a few individuals and politicians.

The people of Floyd county, in the months to come, should not concern themselves with re-districting. They should begin to think more about the serious job of electing FOUR good and capable men to represent them.

Paris whose chief charm has been the absence of modern conveniences are rapidly being modernized to attract tourists.

Note to proffereer: Even though the copy says "million," you are probably safe in assuming it's an error. The only word in common use begins with a "B."

- MARTIN**
- Little Billy Jo Ring is ill with pneumonia.
 - Miss Audrey Mae Elam, of Louisville, spent the week-end with her mother, Mrs. Bess Elam.
 - Miss Mary Roberts has accepted a position at Weeksburg.
 - Miss Libby Ring has returned from a visit with her aunt, Mrs. L. T. Richardson, of Miami, Fla.
 - Miss Panny Halbert, of Caney Creek Junior College, is home for a few days.
 - Bill Reynolds has accepted a position with the Warfield Natural Gas Company.
 - Misses Ruth Staggs and Mary Ellen Evans, teachers in the Wheelwright school, spent the week-end in Martin.
 - Dr. Caden and family, of Fleming, have moved to Martin.
 - Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Scaf and family, of Pikeville, have moved over S. D. Osborne's store.
 - Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Borders have moved to Lexington.
 - Mr. and Mrs. John P. Sammons, of Drift, have moved to Martin.
 - Harold Fitzpatrick has returned from a trip to Ashland, Cincinnati and Louisville.
 - T. J. Fitzpatrick left Sunday for Canada to join the aviation corps of the Canadian air service.
 - A. J. Cox visited his father at Millard last week.

Points By Other Editors

LET'S CLEAN UP OUR COUNTY, TOO

DURING the recent term of circuit court just closed, Police Judge James Bailey was convicted of the offense of misfeasance in office and assessed a fine of \$200. We have no comment to make upon the justice of the conviction, but, according to the evidence brought out on the trial, he is not the only city official guilty of neglect of his official duties. Kentucky Statutes require that "every official of a county . . . incorporated town, whose duty it is, by reason of his office, to receive and disburse funds shall, within thirty days after the close of the fiscal year, CAUSE TO BE PUBLISHED IN A NEWSPAPER a statement showing the amounts received, and the dates, to whom paid and the amounts disbursed, and for what purpose, and shall pay for such publication from funds in his hands. Every official guilty of failure or refusal to have such a statement published shall be guilty of misdemeanor, and upon indictment and conviction shall be fined not less than \$50."

We do not know that there is anything crooked in the conduct of the city or county officials, but WE DO KNOW that, during the past two years, there has been NO FINANCIAL STATEMENT published by either the City Treasurer or the County Treasurer. It was said, in the trial of the Bailey case, that the Mayor had received and disbursed certain funds without allowing those funds to go through the hands of the City Treasurer. If this is true, the Mayor is required by law to publish a statement of the funds so received and disbursed, and failure or refusal to do so will subject him to indictment. The City Treasurer must also publish such a statement.

The County Treasurer has expressed himself as willing to publish a financial statement, but unwilling or unable to provide for any payment for such publication. The statute provides for payment "from funds in hand," and the payment is as much a part of his obligation as the statement itself.

Another statute, which has not been repealed, provides for publication by **THE FISCAL COURT**, of a full list of all claims allowed by that court in each fiscal year. This has NEVER been published.

There must be some reason for the reluctance of these officials to allow their acts to be exposed to the light of publicity. It may be that "there is something rotten in Denmark"—or at least in Magoffin county. The taxpayers of Sellersville and of Magoffin county are awaking to the fact that this money which goes through the hands of the city and county officials is their money, and that they are entitled to know just what has been done with it.

Before the next grand jury, in April, let's get back of these officials and see that these statements are published. If they continue their refusal to have this publication made, then our only recourse is to go before the grand jury and indict each responsible official—the Mayor, the City Treasurer, the County Treasurer and each member of the Fiscal Court—Sellersville Independent.

THE "PISTOL DEPUTY"

THE INCIDENT on Pond Creek last week—and was a bloody example of a disgraceful error in Kentucky's law enforcement system—a system which permits the indiscriminate appointment of deputy constables.

To begin with, there should be absolutely no need in this state for a deputy constable. To the sheriff of the county, the state police and the elected constables should go the entire responsibility for law enforcement.

The fee system of remuneration for constables and their deputies is the real menace of the whole set-up. State police, county sheriffs and their deputies are on a salary basis. In most cases, these officers make arrests on truly responsible charges.

Not so with many constables and their deputies who are killers. Many of them are upright citizens, doing great service in their counties. Pike county is fortunate in having only a few of the "pistol deputy" type.

But **THE NEWS** reiterates an opinion often voiced before—that the fee system of pay, and the indiscriminate appointment of deputy constables is a disgrace to the Commonwealth.

Incidentally, much of the wrongs wrought by this disgraceful system could be righted if the county Judge, who must approve all appointments, would exercise discretion—Pike County News.

Miss Shirley Compton made a business trip to Allen Monday afternoon.

Miss Esther Leon spent Monday night with Miss Mabel Crisp.

Honor roll for Martin high school for first semester:
Honors Bank or Excellent
Seniors—Lillian Salsbury, John Spurlock; Juniors—Ruth Salsbury, Joe Patton; Sophomores—Ella Mae Raliff, Marie Derowest; Gas Elevator Freshmen—Katherine Grace Porter, Vivian Raliff, Jack Hale, John Madson, and Tina Turner, Audrey Turner.
Superior Bank or Good
Seniors—Harold Skeans, Gene Lee, Barbara Osborne, Esteva Leon, Lee Arnold Salsbury, Kenneth CASH, Leitch Turner, Dewey Conn; Juniors—Celia Conn, Bobby Marshall, Rife Dingus, Juanita Williams, Willie Cookey, Barnes Osborne, Billy Skeans, Marguerite Wohlford, Junior Mims, Glenn Bunch; Sophomores—Joy Francis,

Joan Reed, Ruth Stephens, Junior Wilson, Jack Conn, Luther Cox, John Paul Johns, Ralph Martin, Jack Stumbo, Eleanor Simmons, A. T. Skeans; Freshmen—Charles McChotchen, Virginia Collins, Robert Spradlin, Edith Stephens, Betty Rose Johns, Hillard Williams, Mable Meade.
Seven and one-fourth percent of pupils made A's; 21 percent made an average of B.

Honor roll for Martin consolidated graded school for fifth month:
First grade—Charles Alben Saunders, Ruth Smith, Jr., June Burton, Lois Daphne Dingus, Janice Marie Frazier, Pete Grigsby, Jr., Al Roy Click, Duke Mayo, Tait, Sue Salsbury, Mary Lou Chick, Jimmy Vincent, Pauline Osborne, Jimmy Dale Davis.
Second grade—Lois Anne Raliff, Stephen Frazier, Billy Dingus, Hanson Williams, Hattie Williams, Emogene Hughes, Wm. Thomas Wohlford, Marie Smith, Walkie Stephens, Willetta Hines, Ruthie Williams.

Third grade—Jerry Roberts, Georgian Adams, Marietta Arms, Cosby Coffey, Kathleen Lumpkins, Paula Martin, Dyllis Dingo, Hattie Salsbury, Nell Saunders, Ralph Hagans, Jackie Keathley.
Fourth grade—Betty Jo Blackburn, Betty Dingo, Mary Florence Rowe, Bille Jean Flanery, Josephine Holiday, Raymond Tackett, Roy Dunaway, Pauline Nunemaker, Jean Spencers, John Spencer, Joan Johns.

Fifth grade—Bobby Gene Blackburn, Tony Crisp, Donald Adams, Randolph Crisp, Paul Salsbury, Julia Ann England, Johnnie B. Stephens, Jacqueline Tackett, Billa Jean Osborne, Bill Hughes, Dolores Saunders.
Sixth grade—Russell Frazier, Hason Kiser, Clifford Martin, Tommy Tleche, Dean Lafayette.

Seventh grade—Kelly Conley, Vernon Flanery, Fred Salsbury, Norris Salsbury, Teddie Salsbury, Robert Spencer, Alice Barrett, Kathleen Crum, Margaret Howard, Elizabeth Nunemaker, Emogene Flanery.
Eighth and Ninth grades—James Conn, Martin Smith, Roy Raliff, John Wohlford, Cleo Collins, Patty Raliff.

Tenth grade—Marvin Compton, Gladys Rowland, Maxine Lafayette, Charles Crum, Jr., Emma Howard, Treva Christine Raliff, William B. Bunch, Mrs. E. Emogene Osborne, Bulaigh Gray Raliff, Winifred Osborne, Jessie Ann Hinkle, Harold Grimes, William C. Turner, Dorothy Vanhoush, Joyce Smith.

Woman's Club Enjoys Distinctive Program

Regular monthly meeting of the Prestonsburg Woman's Club was held, Feb. 6, at the home of Mrs. Jo M. Davidson. Mrs. E. P. Arnold, Mrs. C. L. Hutstinspiller, and Mrs. E. H. Sowards as hostesses.
Mrs. J. D. Thomas was in charge of the program. First, a book of famous paintings was displayed, and then a varied collection of costumes and a picture frame were presented. After studying the pictures, each person dressed to represent one. Mrs. Ralph Davis, as "Whisper's Mother," won the prize for the most lifelike representation. The prize was a picture of a Kentucky Cardinal, painted by Mrs. W. E. Mayo.
Plans were discussed for future programs which are intended to be interesting and educational. It is the purpose of the club programs to be of actual value and entertainment to the members personally as well as a civic benefit to the community.
After the program refreshments were served to the members and guests, and a delightful social hour enjoyed by all.

HERE FROM DRIFT

W. J. and Bess Turner, of Drift, were business visitors here Tuesday.

FOR MAGISTRATE

ARTHUR C. CARTER OF PRESTONSBURG, KY.
In announcing as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for Magistrate in District No. 1, I ask for the support of the voters on my record as a resident and citizen of this county. I am confident that I have the ability to get things done that the district needs.
When I was Mayor, men came to Prestonsburg to work on WPA street projects from as far as 15 miles away, not having this kind of work going on in their own communities. There are many things yet remaining to be done and you can count on me to work untriggingly for them.
Elect me and you will have in the Fiscal Court a man who will befriend those who are in need, who will work for the best interests of the county as a whole and who will handle your county's business in a business-like way. (Pol. adv.)

SHIKE'S POKES

(Views expressed in this column are those of the writer and not necessarily those of **THE TIMES**.)

Bob Shays must not have liked Salisbury. He stayed about as long as the sewing in the scrum—he moved in and out the same week.

I had a little of that story wrong about Ben Martin killing himself in the cowshed. It was just before dark when he went out to fix the hole and it was about two hours after dark when his plight was discovered. And when his wife yelled for him he couldn't answer. He had yelled himself hoarse. Ben was in the shape of the fellow who crawled in a hole and dragged the hole in after him.

Forest Short is starting his son out early. I saw him in the County Attorney's office pounding a typewriter. Just a chip off the ole block.

The past week was moving day in Salisbury. In addition to the Shikepokes, those moving were H. J. Cox, Mrs. Oak Williams, Bill Allen and Bob Shay TWICE.

Someone reported on G. D. Ryan that, on the plane to Cuba, every time it would hit an "air pocket" G. D. would take up his seat and the plane landed an "Emergency Crew" had to be called to cut off his safety belt.

G. D. saw that Banner Meade was sick when they landed but that he didn't believe the sickness real. G. D. saw that the Customs Agents made A. B. sick.

From looking and reading the political advertisements in the Floyd County by Times it seems that Floyd county has a lot of indispensable men.

I just can't see for my life why the American public, especially the supposed smart and educated classes, should think for one minute that the opinions of Lindbergh should be of any more benefit than that of any other half-educated, half-staring pilot who has hit it lucky enough to have married into a prominent family with money.

Why does our Congress dilly-dally around about aid for Britain? Didn't the mud off my feet up November an "All-Out Aid" platform? So let's go ahead with "all-out aid" for Great Britain before it is too late. We can lead to two pioneer Floyd county families after we have "planted" Hitler.

Well, so Uncle Sam has sent Henry H. away out in California. There's one consolation for Henry—maybe he won't get locked in any apartments.

Wonder what has happened to Ole Muss' African empire? It seems to have gone with the wind.

Talking of "ploughing under" every fourth American boy—the good, ole U.S.A. would be a lot better off if it could plough under Senators Wheeler, Vandenberg, Holt and also the Iron Cross Lindberghs.

I still say that Il. Duco's greatest weapon was the typewriter.

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Briar Buck's Scratches

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VIRGIN TERRITORY
For quite a spell now I've been kicking the mud off my feet up Lick fork of Left Middle Creek within rifle shot of Magoffin county's Licking River country, and in the very stronghold of two pioneer Floyd county families—the Stones and Shepherds.

These pioneer families have a new neighbor, the 1941 version of Prosperity and Preparedness—the Princess Ekhorn Coal Company.

Don't let the roads keep you away—all you need to get there is one long-legged mare, hip boots, and a jackboot.

"THE HOLY LANI"
Prestonsburg's city fathers recently browned funds to reclaim the town's ill-famed Third Street. Congratulations are now in order.

SADIE HAWKINS DAY
A "very eligible" man of affairs recently established his residence in the snug and the Coon-Cole gal in a dither. Latest reports have only three "hopefuls" still in the "running."

Set part of it is that the "paraded" list, even consisting of all the air, his presence has created.

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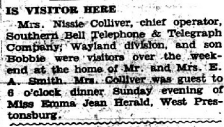
RED CROSS GRATIFIED BY WORK DONE HERE

Miss Ella Noel White, executive secretary, Floyd chapter, American Red Cross, this week expressed gratification with the sewing and knitting program sponsored by the Prestonsburg Women's Club. This week's sewing meeting was held Wednesday at the home of Mrs. Cal Clark. Next week the sewing will be at Mrs. Frank Layne's on Wednesday, Feb. 19.

These all-day sewing meetings are enjoyable and worthwhile. The articles made are for shipment by the Red Cross to war-devastated England and her allies. The work the women are doing, at present, is necessarily limited, but will be of great assistance. All members and non-members are urged by the club to take part. There is single sewing for beginners and knitting can be easily learned. Members have volunteered to teach knitting to anyone interested. Materials are furnished by the Red Cross. Sewing and knitting can be taken home to do in leisure moments by those who cannot attend the weekly meetings.

IS VISITOR HERE
Mrs. Niede Collier, chief operator, Southern Bell Telephone & Telegraph Company, will deliver a lecture and song Bobbie were visitors over the weekend at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Smith. Mrs. Collier was guest of 6 o'clock dinner Sunday evening of Miss Emma Jean Herald, West Prestonsburg.

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NOTICE

That an election will be held from 12 o'clock noon to 4 o'clock p. m., on the 24th day of February, 1941, at the Dwaile school building in Dwaile Consolidated Subdistrict, Ky., at which the sense of the voters will be taken upon the question as to whether or not a consolidated school tax of 30 cents shall be levied annually on each one hundred dollars of taxable property in the Dwaile Cons. subdistrict boundary as set out below, such tax to be used for the following purposes:

1. To purchase a new school site in the Dwaile consolidated subdistrict.
2. To provide a sinking fund with which to pay interest upon, and liquidate bonds at maturity, said bonds not to exceed in amount, 2 percent (Two Percent) of the total assessed valuation of taxable property in the Dwaile subdistrict.

The proceeds of the above mentioned bond issue are to be used in the construction of a new two-room brick schoolhouse in the Dwaile Consolidated subdistrict. The area affected by this tax is as follows:

Beginning on the lower end at the Big Sandy river with the farm lines of Martha J. Leslie and the John C. Johns farm, thence southwest with said lines and up the hill to the top of the ridge between Big Sandy river and Bull Creek; thence west with the dividing ridge between Big Sandy river and C. & O. Ry. property below the mouth of Beaver; thence east and down the hill with said line to Big Sandy river; thence down said river to lower line of John G. Johns farm and upper line of Martha J. Leslie farm—the beginning.

All legal voters within this boundary may vote in this election.

By order of the Floyd County Board of Education:

WESLEY CAMPBELL, Chairman
HOLLIS H. HALL, Secretary
 Dated February 4, 1941.

MURDER MYSTERY BELIEVED SOLVED

(Continued from page one)

A warrant was issued, Wednesday, for the arrest of Tommy Ratliff of Lancer, near here, charging him with the murder of E. J. Stephens, a local doctor, in the shooting took place, and that of others, with the murder. Denied bond pending further investigation of the case, Ratliff was jailed. He maintained his innocence and denied knowledge of who fired the shot.

Major Burman, of the State Highway Patrol, was asked to come here and make paraffin tests to determine which of the group has, within the last 72 hours, fired a gun.

Cross was shot as he stood in his third-story room, the bullet entering his forehead above and to the left of his left eye. County Attorney Forrest D. Short, Commonwealth's Attorney John Allen and officers seeking a solution of the case hold that the shot was fired from the doorway of the room or from the corridor.

Though Harmon Maynard, night clerk at the hotel, told Allen and Short that Harry C. Daughly, Cincinnati machinery salesman, was the only person he saw at the door to Cross' room, immediately after the one shot was fired, Andrew Justice testified that Henry Stephens, Byron Nunery and Maynard were in the corridor outside the door, a minute before the slaying.

Daughly, long an intimate friend of Mr. Cross, denied having any part in the tragedy.

The jury empaneled during the night by Cooper Elliott, Praier for the inquest over the body held that Cross came to his death by a bullet wound inflicted by an unknown person.

Maynard told the Commonwealth's and County Attorneys that Judge Stephens was entering his room after asking Cross to "shoot in the floor of the wall if you want to shoot, but don't shoot anybody" when the victim flourished his revolver. Maynard added that when the shot was fired he showed Ratliff after Judge Stephens, then hurried back to find Daughly at the door and Cross lying on the floor. He added that he then went to the hotel lobby alone to have relatives notified and a physician called.

Justice testified that he started hurriedly downstairs, a matter of seconds before the mystery shot was fired, and that he heard the shot as he reached the first floor of the hotel and also heard the body fall to the floor. He said that when he left the entire group was in the hall, outside Cross' room.

The porter also claimed that Maynard and Ratliff, coming downstairs together, said a physician should be called, that "War has shot himself."

Nunery stated that he heard the shot and left his room, two or three minutes later, when he heard excited voices outside in the hall. He said that when he came outside all were in the hall.

John Milford Hamilton, of Ped, told investigators Thursday morning that he was in the room where the slaying occurred and that a man in a green coat and hat, crossed fired the shot which killed Cross. Authorities scouted his story.

Two women on the same floor of the hotel remained nameless as those questioned testified that they did not know them. Their identities and whereabouts are being sought.

The 38-caliber bullet did not emerge and was removed by Dr. D. H. Daniel, of the Prestonsburg General hospital. The paraffin tests with which suspects and "witnesses" may be subjected consist of the pouring of melted paraffin around the hands, removal of the cast and its inspection for infinitesimal flecks of gunpowder. The test, used in the Denhart case, is said to be infallible if made within 72 hours after the firing of a shot.

Through the night officers searched

the hotel and grounds in vain for the missing murder weapon. Sheriff's deputies, city police and Magistrate W. A. Willis joined in the investigation.

Meanwhile, the body was removed to the Arnold Funeral Home where burial preparations were made.

Mr. Cross was born Nov. 8, 1885 at Range O. the son of the late B. E. Cross and Mrs. Cross. He came to Prestonsburg in 1922 and was united in marriage to Miss Ethel Salisbury, daughter of Col. James P. Salisbury, Prestonsburg man, Dec. 26, 1923. To this union was born one daughter, Miss Ethel Salisbury Cross. A veteran of the World War, he was commander of Floyd Post American Legion in 1929. Aftable of an engineering profession, he had a host of friends and a few years ago was defeated by only a few votes for the office of Mayor of Newark, Ohio.

Surviving him are his mother, his widow and daughter, four sisters and two brothers: Mrs. A. C. Butterfield, Mansfield, O.; Mrs. Paul Szymanski, Bellefontaine, O.; Mrs. Robert Thomas, Granville, O.; Miss Margaret Cross, Alexandria, O.; Paul and Fred Cross, Zanesville, Ohio.

Funeral rites will be conducted here Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

ENTERS EASTERN

Zella Hensley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Smith, has gone with her daughter, Jacqueline, to Richmond, Ky., where Mrs. Hensley is doing graduate work at Eastern Kentucky State Teachers' College.

FOR JAILER

I have now become a candidate for Jailer and am sure a friend of the poor man who gets in jail and can't pay out, so don't forget a friend who will treat mother's boy right, I have one myself. The one that is able to pay gets out. Think of your boy who can't pay. Let me be in shape to treat him like mamma does, or dear old dad, who wet their pillows with tears. But God will take care of all toes that are needed. Give me a chance to make you feel right and love me, Old Bill Marshall, who never done no one no wrong. An old friend who has nothing, and don't want much.

BILL MARSHALL
Democrat

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WAR PLANTS?—MAYBE

LEUT. COL. WEAVER VIEWS POTENTIAL FACTORY SITES

Inspecting possible war industries plant sites in Floyd, Johnson, Pike and other counties of this section, Leut. Col. Weaver, of the War Department, last week emphasized the fact that residents of the section should not entertain any illusions about the probability of early location of such plants.

Funds appropriated by Congress for such work has already been allocated and present development of defense

FIVE ARRESTED IN JOHNSON OPERATORS ACCUSED OF 1937 COAL ACT VIOLATIONS

Paineville, Ky., Feb. 4.—Five Johnson county truck mine operators were arrested Tuesday on charges of violating the Bituminous Coal Act of 1937.

Deputy United States Marshal John M. McKenzie, who announced the arrests, which he believed were the first on the charges in Eastern Kentucky, identified the five as Leander and Clark Ratliff, brothers; and Jake Lenz, and Robert Horn, all of Paineville, and Dick Ratliff, Staffordville.

They appeared before Miss Myrtle Kessie, deputy federal court clerk at Pikeville, and executed \$250 bonds for their appearance at the federal court terms there in March.

McKenzie said the five were charged with falling over a three-year period to present employment and coal tax returns to Seidon R. Glenn, collector of internal revenue, with failure to report wage data on employees for the period, and with failure to present coal sales statistics for the three years.

He added that he was accompanied by John Hodges, compliance officer of the Bituminous Coal Act, and two state policemen in making the arrests.

Lackey-Garrett Club Discusses Defense And Politics

Lackey, Ky., Feb. 3 (Sp.)—Mrs. Frank Cooley, of Garrett, entertained the members of the Lackey-Garrett Women's Club to a 6 o'clock dinner Thursday evening, January 30, following which an interesting program was given under the direction of Mrs. M. M. Collins, of Lackey, on the topic, "Patriotism, Preparedness and Politics."

This program dealt with the present need for, and the progress being made in, preparation for American defense, the challenge to American patriotism in carrying out the defense program, the lack of patriotism being shown by certain groups and individuals, and the influence politics has and is playing in retarding defense.

Summaries of events in the news and of pertinent articles by leading authorities on national and international events were read and discussed.

Among those who attended the meeting, other than members or guests, were Mesdames Dan Harman, Frank Harman, George Pow, W. N. Stratton, Mrs. C. C. Ward, Mrs. W. A. Cook, Arnold Cooley, Melvin Hayes, M. M. Collins, W. L. Stumbo, Charles Horn, Charles Sturgill, R. H. Messer, Randolph Spencer, Frank Rasnick, and the hostess, Mrs. Frank Cooley.

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W. J. MAY, Treasurer
Floyd County, Ky.

NOTICE

State, county, consolidated school and poll taxes are now due, and if unpaid on or before March 1, 5 per cent interest and 6 percent penalty must be added. It is to the advantage of the taxpayer to pay now and save additional costs.

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 Persons who have valuable papers or lawsuits which have not been completed, at the office of C. B. Wheeler, are asked to call for them.

W. H. WHEELER.

NOTICE
 Please call at once for sewing left with Mrs. Irene Burke.
 1-30-41 **MRS. ED BURKE**

NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION OF PRESTONSBURG WATER CO.
 Notice is hereby given that the Prestonsburg Water Company, incorporated under the laws of Kentucky, is closing up its business.

E. S. MAYES,
1-30-41 President of said Corporation.

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POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

FOR COUNTY JUDGE

We are authorized to announce EDW. P. HILL as a candidate for COUNTY JUDGE subject to the action of the Democratic party at the August, 1941 primary.

January 4, 1941 I have this day become a candidate for the office of County Judge of Floyd County on the Republican ticket. If elected, I will build a poor home for the poor people, old men and women who are thrown out on the mercy of the people and not able to maintain a home, and for the little children that are kicked about from pillar to post without a chance in the world to be educated and blind that are mistreated. I pledge my support to extend roads to the isolated and forgotten districts of the county. For results, vote for DIAL SALISBURY, For County Judge.

To the Democrats of Floyd County: I hereby announce my candidacy for the Democratic nomination for County Judge. I have grown old in the service of the party. I have never held public office, though I have lost—barely lost—political races. These losses hurt—but never for one minute did they hurt my Democracy. Everybody who knows me will swear to that. Elect me and I will make you a County Judge serving all the people. If you do not elect me, I will still be the same Doug Hays, serving our party as every good Democrat should. DOUG HAYS

FOR COUNTY ATTORNEY

We are authorized to announce ROBERT D. SHORT as a candidate for COUNTY ATTORNEY subject to the action of the Democratic party at the August, 1941 primary.

FOR COUNTY CLERK

We are authorized to announce BANNER MEADE for COUNTY COURT CLERK subject to the action of the Democratic party at the August, 1941 primary. Tried and True.

We are authorized to announce EDWARD B. LESLIE as a candidate for COUNTY COURT CLERK subject to the action of the Democratic party at the August, 1941 primary. QUALIFIED AND DESERVING.

We are authorized to announce Z. S. (DICK) DICKERSON as a candidate for COUNTY COURT CLERK subject to the action of the Democratic party at the August, 1941 primary.

We are authorized to announce TED AKERS of Harold, Ky., as a candidate for COUNTY COURT CLERK subject to the action of the Republican party at the August, 1941 primary.

We are authorized to announce V. A. (ARB) HAYS (son of Fred Hays) of Langley, Ky., as a candidate for COUNTY COURT CLERK subject to the action of the Democratic party at the August, 1941 primary. Give me a chance, wont you—FOR A CHANGE.

FOR SHERIFF

I hereby announce my candidacy for Sheriff of Floyd county, subject to the action of the Democratic party at the August primary, 1941. DR. W. L. STUMBO.

We are authorized to announce TAYLOR STUMBO of Prestonsburg, Ky., as a candidate for SHERIFF OF FLOYD COUNTY subject to the action of the Democratic party at the August primary, 1941.

TO THE PEOPLE OF FLOYD COUNTY: I wish to announce myself as a candidate for Sheriff of Floyd county, subject to the action of the Democratic party in the August, 1941 primary. Your support will be deeply appreciated. WM. HAGANS

We are authorized to announce D. P. (PERK) DINGOS of Martin, Ky., as a candidate for SHERIFF subject to the action of the Republican party at the August, 1941 primary.

We are authorized to announce TAYLOR Bogley of Martin, Ky., as a candidate for SHERIFF OF FLOYD COUNTY subject to the action of the Republican party at the August, 1941 primary.

We are authorized to announce JOHN STEPHEN (ES-Superintendent of Floyd County School) of Water Gap, Ky., as a candidate for SHERIFF subject to the action of the Democratic party at the August, 1941 primary.

FOR SHERIFF



MITCH THOMAS Democratic Primary, Aug. 2, 1941 Big Enough to Serve You. Not Too Big to Know You.

FOR TAX COMMISSIONER

We are authorized to announce GEORGE W. STEPHENS of Prestonsburg, Ky., as a candidate for TAX COMMISSIONER of Floyd county, subject to the action of the Democratic party at the August, 1941 primary. Your support is earnestly solicited.

We are authorized to announce OLIVE AKERS of Drift, Ky., for the office of TAX COMMISSIONER of Floyd county, subject to the action of the Democratic party at the August, 1941 primary. I will give you an efficient administration.

We are authorized to announce RUSSELL SAGE PRATER of West Prestonsburg, (formerly of Hueysville) as a candidate for TAX COMMISSIONER subject to the action of the Democratic party at the August, 1941 primary. If elected, I pledge honest assessment of all property and strict attention to duties of the office.

We are authorized to announce WILLIE MCELLOW of Prestonsburg, Ky., as a candidate for TAX COMMISSIONER subject to the action of the Democratic party at the August, 1941 primary. I will appreciate your support and will give the people full service in return.

TO THE VOTERS OF FLOYD COUNTY: I hereby announce my candidacy for the office of Tax Commissioner, subject to the action of the Democratic party at the August primary. I am a former teacher and am a member of Local Union 6131, Minnie, Ky. I am elected as your Assessor, I promise the small taxpayers and property owners that their interests will be protected the same as the big taxpayers. I also will come to your homes and take your lists. Your support and influence will be highly appreciated. JOE STUMBO, McDowell, Ky.

We are authorized to announce FOSTER "BUD" MEADE of McDowell, Ky., as a candidate for Tax Commissioner of Floyd county, subject to the action of the Republican party at the August, 1941 primary. An ambitious young school teacher who will appreciate your support.

We are authorized to announce ELLIS C. BAILEY of Hueysville, Ky., for TAX COMMISSIONER of Floyd county, subject to the action of the Democratic party at the August, 1941 primary. I will appreciate your support and will devote my full time to the office.

FOR JAILER We are authorized to announce W. J. REYNOLDS of Martin, Ky., as a candidate for Jailer of Floyd county, subject to the action of the Democratic party at the August primary, 1941.

We are authorized to announce ROE TURNER of Minnie, Ky., as a candidate for JAILER subject to the action of the Democratic party at the August, 1941 primary.

We are authorized to announce JACK MORROW of Hunter, Ky., as a candidate for the Republican nomination for JAILER OF FLOYD COUNTY at the August, 1941 primary. Capable—honest—never held office.

We are authorized to announce JIM CRAIGER of Cliff, Ky., as a candidate for JAILER subject to the action of the Democratic party at the August, 1941 primary. Your support will be appreciated.

We are authorized to announce W. F. (WILLIE) CLARK of Prestonsburg, Ky., as a candidate for Jailer of Floyd county, subject to the action of the Republican party at the August, 1941 primary. Your support will be highly appreciated.

We are authorized to announce MELVIN HALL of Bevinville, Ky., (son of Marlon Hill and grandson of W. R. Hall), as a candidate for JAILER OF FLOYD COUNTY subject to the action of the Democratic party at the August, 1941 primary.

After careful consideration and quite a little co-operation with many of the citizens from different sections of the county I have decided to become a candidate for Jailer of Floyd county, subject to the action of the Democratic party in the August 1941 primary. Your vote will be greatly appreciated. WALTER MARTIN, Wayland, Ky.

We are authorized to announce CHARLES FREYTON of Melvin and Wheelwright, as a candidate for JAILER subject to the action of the Democratic party at the primary election Aug. 2, 1941. Your support and influence will be appreciated.

TO THE REPUBLICAN VOTERS OF FLOYD COUNTY: I am a candidate for Jailer. Nominate me and we will win this fall. Yours to win, WALLACE BURCHETT, Alphaeta, Ky.

We are authorized to announce H. H. BUTCHER of Bypro, Ky., as a candidate for JAILER subject to the action of the Democratic party at the August, 1941 primary. Your support is earnestly solicited.

We are authorized to announce GUY HORN (Better known as Whizzer Horn) of Prestonsburg, Ky., as a candidate for JAILER OF FLOYD COUNTY subject to the action of the Democratic party at the August, 1941 primary.

We have tried others. Why not give a poor man a chance? A friend to all. We are authorized to announce

A. J. (JACK) ALLEN of Garrett, Ky., as a candidate for JAILER OF FLOYD COUNTY subject to the action of the Democratic party at the August, 1941 primary.

I ran eight years ago against the "Big Slate" and lost by only a small margin. I took my loss and supported the nominee. This is one of many reasons why I think I am entitled to the support of good Democrats in this election.

FOR REPRESENTATIVE

We are authorized to announce MORTON (Shiloh) McLOTTEN of Local Union 5967, U. M. W. A., Drift, Ky., as a candidate for REPRESENTATIVE subject to the action of the Democratic party at the August, 1941 primary.

Elect Shiloh and the Common Man and Labor will have a sorely needed friend in Frankfort.

FOR MAGISTRATE

We are authorized to announce WILL BOGGS of Garrett, Ky., as a candidate for Magistrate in District No. 2, Floyd county, subject to the action of the Democratic party at the August, 1941 primary.

We are authorized to announce GREEN PATTON of Hueysville, Ky., as a candidate for MAGISTRATE in Magisterial District No. 2, subject to the action of the Democratic party at the August, 1941 primary.

We are authorized to announce M. P. (FRED) PATTON of Hueysville, Ky., as a candidate for MAGISTRATE in District No. 2, subject to the action of the Democratic party at the August, 1941 primary. Your support and influence will be highly appreciated.

TO THE DEMOCRATIC VOTERS OF MAGISTERIAL DIST. NO. 1: I take this means of announcing my candidacy for Magistrate in District No. 1, subject to the action of the Democratic voters at the August 2nd primary, 1941. W. J. (BILL) SLOWE

I hereby announce my candidacy for Magistrate in District No. 2,

Floyd county, subject to the action of the Republican party at the August primary, 1941. CHARLES B. FREASUR, Langley, Ky.

We are authorized to announce TOB DEROSSETT, JR. of Little Point, Ky., as a candidate for JAILER of Floyd county, subject to the action of the Democratic party at the August, 1941 primary. Your support and influence will be highly appreciated.

I hereby announce that I am a candidate for Magistrate of District No. 3 on the Democratic ticket, subject to the will of my friends and voters at the August primary, 1941. I am located in the middle of the District and feel that this is of some importance to the public as a whole.

We are authorized to announce GRAYDON HOWARD of Pyramid, Ky., as a candidate for MAGISTRATE in Magisterial District No. 1, subject to the action of the Democratic party at the August, 1941 primary.

I hereby announce my candidacy for Magistrate in District No. 3, Floyd county, subject to the action of the Democratic party at the August, 1941 primary.

"UNCLE" JOE LYKINS. We are authorized to announce JOSEPH GRAY of West Prestonsburg, Ky., as a candidate for MAGISTRATE in Magisterial District No. 1, subject to the action of the Democratic primary August 2, 1941.

Elect a man who will not forget the common man when he gets in office. We are authorized to announce BEE HAYS of Langley, Ky., as a candidate for MAGISTRATE in District No. 2, subject to the action of the Democratic party at the August, 1941 primary.

I favor cutting down on official expenses and turning whatever is saved back to improvements which will benefit the public as a whole. We are authorized to announce HAWLEY SCOTT of Garrett, Ky., as a candidate for MAGISTRATE in Magisterial District No. 2, subject to the action of the Democratic party at the August, 1941 primary.

We are authorized to announce W. L. (LEE) TACKETT of a crippled man of Amba, Ky., as a candidate for MAGISTRATE in District No. 4, subject to the action of the Republican party at the August, 1941 primary. Your support and influence will be highly appreciated.

We are authorized to announce JIM CLARE of Prestonsburg, Ky., as a candidate for MAGISTRATE in Magisterial District No. 1, subject to the action of the Democratic party at the August, 1941 primary. Your help is earnestly solicited.

We are authorized to announce H. L. MOORE of Orkney, Ky., as a candidate for MAGISTRATE in District No. 2, subject to the action of the Democratic party at the August, 1941 primary.

I am a son of John and Rhoda Moore. I deeply appreciate the support of all my friends and relatives. We are authorized to announce EARL LAYNE of Betsy Layne, Ky., as a candidate for MAGISTRATE in Magisterial District No. 4, subject to the action of the Democratic party at the August, 1941 primary. Your support is earnestly solicited.

I hereby announce to all my friends my candidacy for MAGISTRATE in Magisterial District No. 1, subject to the action of the Democratic party at the August 2 primary, 1941. JAMES P. HARRIS, Prestonsburg, Ky.

We are authorized to announce ORVILLE JONES of Harold, Ky., as a candidate for MAGISTRATE in District No. 4, subject to the action of the Republican party at the August, 1941 primary.

We are authorized to announce WILLIAM O. (BILL) GOBLE of Emma, Ky., as a candidate for MAGISTRATE in Magisterial District No. 1, subject to the action of the Democratic party at the August, 1941 primary. Your support will be deeply appreciated.

We are authorized to announce BRYAN JOHNSON of Weeksbury and Melvin, as a candidate for MAGISTRATE in District No. 3, subject to the action of the Democratic party at the August, 1941 primary. Your support will be deeply appreciated.

We are authorized to announce ALEX BINGHAM of Prestonsburg, Ky., as a candidate for MAGISTRATE in District No. 1, subject to the action of the Democratic party at the August, 1941 primary.

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We are authorized to announce HENRY STUBBS of McDowell 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.

I refer the voters to my past record as Magistrate and promise them the same honest, faithful service. I am located in the middle of the District and feel that this is of some importance to the public as a whole.

We are authorized to announce GRAYDON HOWARD of Pyramid, Ky., as a candidate for MAGISTRATE in Magisterial District No. 1, subject to the action of the Democratic party at the August, 1941 primary.

Casey county poultry raisers have spent spare time getting brooder houses in shape. C. G. Hudson, Hickman county, sold 150 head of registered cattle for \$21,000 at a public sale.

All the right, title and interest, both legal and equitable, of Fred Tusey in and to a certain tract of land lying and being in Floyd county, Ky., on Spurlock Fork of Middle Creek, and adjoining land of W.H. Hayward, containing a few, more or less.

Levered upon as the property of Fred Tusey, this the 12th day of January, 1941. DIAL SALISBURY, S.P.C. By LACEY SALISBURY, D.S. Cost of advertising \$4.75.

Lard keeps better if stored in a cool, well-ventilated place. Two ounces of loss are moisture and upper glands. Moisture is not a problem in lard that has been well-cooked. Udder glands should not be rendered with the better lard, but with intestinal fat.

SHERIFF'S SALE

Notice is hereby given that by virtue of execution, issued on a replevin bond from the office of the Clerk of the Floyd Circuit Court, dated December 23, 1940, in favor of the Commonwealth of Kentucky and against Ballard Haywood and Fred Tusey, I, one of my deputies will, on Monday, February 24, 1941, at or about 1:00 p. m., at the front door of the courthouse, in the city of Prestonsburg, Ky., for cash in hand, expose to public sale the following described real estate, or so much thereof as to make the sum of \$33.10, and \$28.00 the cost of this sale, viz:

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FIREFIGHTERS ORGANIZE

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row Salvors, "Buster" Herald, Adrian Blackburn, Jesse Rowe. Others who have volunteered for future work are Isaac Caudill, Harvey Caudill, Bill Parsley and Grady Hubbard.

Each firefighter will be paid \$3 per fire which he helps extinguish. The squad will be required to hold drills weekly, and any firefighter who misses two drills will be dropped from the roster.

The old truck will be retained as an extra hose carrier. It is equipped with 500 extra feet of hose, and its use will further contribute to the insurance rate reduction, it was said.

TOWN-WORLD

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MRS. NEWSOME DIES

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brother, Mack Hamilton, three sisters, Mrs. Margaret Hamilton, Mrs. Henry Hamilton, and Mrs. Andy Kiser, all of Prestonsburg.

Funeral services were conducted from the home Sunday, with the Revs. Bill Martin, John, J. B., and Evan Hamilton officiating. Burial was made in the Holybush cemetery at Tuckersburg.

Garrett Netters, Easy Winners Over P'burg

Garrett's Black Devils had easy sledding in its games of last week, defeating Prestonsburg here Friday night, 37-22, and following this up with a 52 to 22 victory Saturday night at home over Wheelwright.

Victors over Prestonsburg's Black cats by only two points in the last two preceding encounters between the teams, the Black Devils took an early lead Friday night and were never threatened. One Garrett regular was out of the game. Prestonsburg was weakened by the loss of Heinze and Salisbury.

During the last quarter against Wheelwright Coach Mayo, of Garrett, substituted his second team. Martin, high-scoring Wheelwright forward was held to five points.

The line-ups for the two games: Garrett (37) Pos. P'burg (22) E. Goburn (1) F. ... May (4) Hughes (12) F. ... Clark (11) Music (8) C. ... Oppenheimer Meade (5) G. ... Sloan (5) Francis (9) G. ... Hunter Substitutions: Garrett—Webb (2); Prestonsburg—Butler (2).

Garrett (53) Pos. F'wright (22) Martin (8) F. ... Bove (3) Hughes (16) F. ... Martin (5) Music (14) F. ... Morich (2) Francis (10) C. ... Wilkinson Meade (4) G. ... Skiles (3) Substitutions: Garrett—Webb (3), Horton, Murray, E. Goburn (4), Bentley, Wheelwright—Hall, Kinney (2), Hanger (1), Ferguson (2).

SPECIAL NOTICE

Revival meeting at the Pilgrim Holiness Church, March 2 to 16. Rev. and Mrs. E. F. Shields, evangelist and special singers. Services each evening at 7:30 o'clock.

REV. L. E. FLEMING, Pastor.

Martin To Meet Wheelwright

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Martin, Ky. Feb. 10 (SpL)—Saturday night, Wheelwright's basketball team intrudes Martin for the first time this season. The visitors are fast and clever ball handlers, and in Martin they have one of the outstanding basketball stars of Eastern Kentucky.

The Purple Flash will be in first-class shape and will shoot the works to capture this game from the Left Beaver lads. Both A and B teams will play. A large crowd is expected to see this better-than-average contest.

Scores for the games of the past week, of which Martin won one and lost two:

Martin, 20; Van Lear, 22. Martin, 20; Heller, 11. Martin, 37; Cumberland, 34.

Mrs. B. B. Hancock, Green county, has been getting 40 eggs per month from her flock of 57 hens.

MARTIN THEATRE

"WHERE THE CROWDS GO"

SATURDAY—

"Across the Sierras" Bill Elliott, Lina Walters.

SUNDAY AND MONDAY—

"Four Mothers" Lane Glendon, Gale Paige, Jeffrey Lynn, Claude Hester.

TUESDAY—

"Son of Monte Cristo" Joan Bennett, Louis Hayward. 19 Cents.

WEDNESDAY—DOUBLE BILL—

FOUR-UNIT SHOW—

No. 1—

"Here Comes the Navy" James Cagney, Pat O'Brien.

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"Love Thy Neighbor" Jack Benny, Fred Allen, Mary Martin, ROCHESTER.

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GESNER-GOBLE VOWS

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Columbia University, New York, in 1928.

The groom, the son of Mrs. Cecil Kendrick, Prestonsburg, is a member of the staff of The Courier-Journal, Louisville. He attended Prestonsburg schools, Pikeville College, Owsay College and the University of Kentucky. He worked on The Floyd County Times from 1936 to 1938, when he went to The Courier-Journal.

Miss Gesner wore a wedding costume of periwinkle blue with maroon accessories. Her corsage was of gardenias.

After the ceremony a reception was given by Mr. and Mrs. Frank Goad and Miss Marie Hansen, rotogravure editor of The Courier-Journal, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Goad.

Mr. and Mrs. Goble returned to Louisville and their home at 4215 W. Broadway after a short wedding trip to Western Kentucky.

Among those attending the ceremony were Mr. and Mrs. Kendrick, Miss Ethel Powers, and Mr. and Mrs. William Goble, all of Prestonsburg; Mrs. Gesner, Miss Marjorie Gesner and Miss Harriet Simons, all of Marshall, and a few Louisville friends of the bride and groom.

PASS MERIT EXAM

After having passed the written merit examination given by the Civil Welfare Department, Mrs. Ruth S. Roberts, Mrs. Elizabeth Goble and Miss Ollie Jany, of the Floyd County referral agency, Monday and Tuesday had oral interviews at Pikeville as a part of the tests now required by the state.

BROADWAY THEATRE

IN PRESTONSBURG

FRIDAY-SATURDAY—DOUBLE FEATURE—

"River's End" Dennis Morgan.

"I Conquer the Sea" Stef Duna, Stanley Marger.

SATURDAY, 10 P. M. AND SUNDAY

"Flowing Gold" John Garfield, Frances Farmer, Pat O'Brien.

TUESDAY-WEDNESDAY—DOUBLE FEATURE—

"Missing Men" Charles Bickford, Mabel Todd.

Grand Ole Opry

Lois Ranson, Allan Layne, Uncle Dave Macon, Roy Acuff.

THURSDAY-FRIDAY, DOUBLE FEATURE—

"Little Bit of Heaven" Gloria Jean.

"Chamber of Horrors" Leslie Banks, Gina Malo.

SATURDAY—

"Ragtime Cowboy Joe" Johnny Mack Brown, Fuzzy Knight.

SUNDAY-MONDAY—

"Barnyard Follies" Mary Lee, Rufe Davis, June Storey.

TUESDAY-WEDNESDAY—DOUBLE FEATURE—

"Meet the Missus" Roscoe Karns, Ruth Donnelly.

"Next Time We Love" James Stewart, Margaret Sullivan.

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PRESTONSBURG, KY.

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"Love Thy Neighbor" Jack Benny, Fred Allen, Rochester.

SATURDAY—DOUBLE FEATURE

"Triple Justice" George O'Brien.

"Tugboat Annie Sails Again" Marjorie Rambaugh, Alan Hale.

SUNDAY AND MONDAY—

"Second Chorus" Fred Astaire, Frankie Goddard, Artie Shaw and his orchestra.

TUESDAY-WEDNESDAY—

"Tall, Dark and Handsome" Cesar Romero, Milton Berle, Virginia Glenn.

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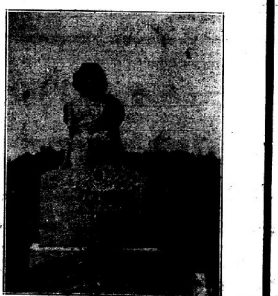
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