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## C. & O. DOUBLE-TRACKING IS BEGUN

### TIMES EDITION HONORS RAIL, MINE WORK

#### DOUBLE TRACK SEEN FROM PRESTONSBURG TO BUFFALO

With the Middle Creek railroad completed and the Princess Elkhorn Coal Company operating steadily on a scale that places it in the front rank of Eastern Kentucky coal producers, the Chesapeake & Ohio Railway Company this week was engaged in the construction of a two-track bridge across Abbot Creek at Cliff, near here, in an improvement program reported as envisioning a double track from West Prestonsburg to the old Mary Luck mine site near Auxier.

News of this new undertaking comes with publication this week of the largest newspaper ever published in Floyd county, an edition in which THE TIMES and its advertisers join in congratulating the Chesapeake & Ohio Railway Company, its contractors, the firm of Haley, Chisholm & Morris, and the Princess Elkhorn Coal Company for development of the Middle Creek coal field, and for progress.

Though the proposed double-tracking is a leading official confirmation, it is known that the railway company will be busy in this vicinity for several months.

The double-track work may include, in addition to the bridge construction, double tracking from Cliff to "OX Cabin," at the Mary Luck mine site. From that point on to the Buffalo tunnel, below Paintsville, double-tracking already has been completed.

Harry LaViers, Paintsville, president of Princess Elkhorn, this week said an annual production of 600,000 tons of coal is expected from the Middle Creek operations. The coal is already on the market, but reaction of consumers has not been recorded. While this judgment was awaited, the operators were secure in analyses of the coal, made months ago, showing the product was of the finest grade in Eastern Kentucky—a section of the country famous for fine coals.

Accomplishment of the railway company, its resident engineer, G. R. Jenkins, and of the contracting firm which built the 10-mile stretch of rail from West Prestonsburg to the mine site on Lick Fork of Middle Creek becomes more remarkable in view of the fact that the line is completed by April 15—and that coal cars were on the line under the tipples on the morning of April 15, even before the tipples were completed.

The time schedule on the work—handling of yardage estimated at 600,000 cubic yards, construction of bridges, making fills, laying of track—was made in November. And the train schedule to and from the mine will be more "on the dot" than that followed by Haley, Chisholm & Morris in completing the railway as desired by the company.

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RECORD NEWSPAPER FOR FLOYD COUNTY— IN YOUR HANDS

The biggest newspaper ever published in Floyd county, any season, any year—yours' looking at it. Twenty-four pages of it. Credit for this record-making edition is hereby given to W. H. "Bill Henry" Wheeler who sold the advertising and to the boys in the "back end" who got all this matter together.

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### They Directed Mine and Railroad Work



Left—J. C. Hunter, superintendent of Princess Elkhorn, shown near the mining camp and coal operations installed under his direction.

Above—G. R. Jenkins, C. & O. resident engineer, whose planning and conduct of rail work expedited the huge undertaking.

### 302 STUDENTS TO GRADUATE HERE FRIDAY

#### EVANS TO DELIVER ADDRESS AT 5TH MASS GRADUATION

Unless final exams throw a few of them for a loss, 302 seniors of Floyd county high school—178 girls and 126 boys—will receive diplomas here Friday night at the fifth annual county-wide graduation exercises.

The mass graduation will take place in the gymnasium, Prestonsburg.

George E. Evans, director of Finance, State Department of Education, will deliver the Commencement address, Superintendent Town Hall said. Mayor E. P. Arnold of Prestonsburg will deliver the address of welcome to the graduates-to-be.

Free transportation of graduates and their parents by school buses will be supplied.

Decorations of the graduating scene will be in colors of the nine schools represented. Names of schools sending seniors here for the graduation, school colors and number to graduate (according to "The Floyd County" county school annual) follow:

Auxier, red and black, 14; Betsy Layne, blue and white, 35; Garrett, orange and black, 37; Martin, purple and gold, 41; Maytown, black and gold, 25; McDowell, blue and gold, 18; Prestonsburg, red and white, 47; Wayland, blue and gold, 37; Wheelwright, maroon and white, 40; Westport, yellow and white, 40; Westport, yellow and white, 40.

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### SEWER WORK BEGUN HERE

Work of removing curbs and filling with stone the spaces between curbs and sidewalks on Third street completed, city workmen and policemen under the supervision of Police Chief Arthur Blackburn this week turned their attention to construction of a sewer between Third and Diana streets to remove the open sewer nuisance in that section of Prestonsburg.

The Third street work was completed Friday and the thoroughfare will, within the next two or three weeks, be given a two-inch black-top surfacing by the State Highway Department employees who already have temporarily patched the street.

The third street improvement by the highway department was procured for the town by County Judge E. P. Hill, Jr., and Mayor E. P. Arnold.

Police Chief Blackburn predicted Monday that the sewer improvement job will be completed this week.

### J. W. COCKILL DIES AT 72

#### COAL FIELD PIONEER IS HEART VICTIM AT HUNTINGTON

Joseph William Cockill, well-known operator of Minnie, and one of the oldest men in the Big Sandy field, died in Memorial hospital, Huntington, W. Va., Tuesday at 2:30 a. m.

Mr. Cockill was born at Levensville, Pa., July 1, 1868, the son of Mary Sinead Cockill and Ezra Cockill, where he spent his boyhood. In 1882 he went to Middleboro, Ky., with his father and founded the Bryson Mountain Coal Co. at Hartman, Tenn. In 1901 he moved to Huntington, W. Va., and operated a mine near there. Later, in 1908, he opened the Henry Clay mine at Henry Clay, Pike county, and remained there until 1917 when the mine was sold to the Sennet Solvay Company, known as Kentucky Solvay. That same year, he started the Edgemont Fuel Company at Minnie, and was president of that company at the time of his death.

Mr. Cockill had been in poor health for the past four years with heart trouble, but continued to attend to his duties up until three weeks ago.

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HERE FROM DETROIT

Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Wheeler, of Detroit, are visiting relatives here.

### GREETINGS AND CONGRATULATIONS (AN EDITORIAL)

THIS WEEK, by word and picture and with the co-operation of the Chesapeake & Ohio Railway Company, the Princess Elkhorn Coal Company and the State Highway Department, the Princess Elkhorn Coal Company and the new Chesapeake & Ohio Railway Company line to the coal company's Middle-Creek developments.

This editorial is intended to be more than a welcome to new industrial enterprise; it is the purpose of the newspaper and its advertisers to congratulate both companies on work well done and well begun.

THE TIMES has, during its fourteen years, seen many the coal field with special delight. But they have not entered virgin territory as have the C. & O., and the Princess Elkhorn in this latest undertaking. Had the newspaper been in existence when the railway company drove its rails toward Wayland and Westport to open what yet remains the section's heaviest producers of coal, we of its staff would have given such enterprise commensurate recognition.

It is not only to the railway company and the coal company that this edition extends greetings and congratulations. THE TIMES and its advertisers join in congratulating Floyd county on the promise of the Middle Creek section, the workers who will carry on with the labor necessary to their successful operation—to all these THE TIMES, its advertisers and its readers, all interested in a greater Floyd county, extend their best wishes.

### 18 FAMILIES ARE EVICTED

#### PEACEFUL REMOVAL OF NIGHT BEAVER MINERS EFFECTED

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Five deputies and two trucks accompanied Sheriff Salisbury, and household effects of the miners were moved to available quarters outside the two towns, some being taken into the country as far as six miles away.

Threats of resistance to eviction were not fulfilled, and peaceful evacuation of the property was effected.

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### LEFT BEAVER WOMAN SAYS HUGHES SERVED SENTENCE IN MURDER SHE COMMITTED

Within 10 days of the date when Billie Hughes, Haysville man, became eligible for parole from his 18-year penitentiary sentence imposed upon him six years ago for the slaying of Adolphus Owsley, Mrs. Lucy Hall, of Clear Creek, told Commonwealth's Attorney John Allen here Monday morning that she killed Owsley and that Hughes is innocent.

"I killed him. I want to pay the penalty—and that's all that'll satisfy me," she told the prosecutor in an interview at the county jail where she was lodged Sunday by Deputy Sheriff Tom James and W. B. Boyd after she had gone to Paintsville, told officers there of her guilt and asked to be taken into custody.

The woman, whose wife of Dola Hall, was committed to the Eastern State Hospital, Lexington, for observation, if she is declared sane, she will be granted her request to

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### This Town-- That World

#### MORE ABOUT MIDDLE CREEK

The story goes that, up in the Casey Creek section of Middle Creek, a traveling salesman, several years ago, found a striking sameness of family names to the owners of general stores he visited. Merchant No. 1 was a Mr. Stone. Business done there, the knight of the road went farther up saw another merchant, introduced himself and promptly learned that Merchant No. 2 was also a Mr. Stone. And so on to Merchant No. 3—yet another Mr. Stone. That was enough for the visitor to gain the general impression that every man in that section was of the same family name. Up the creek a ways, above the store of Mr. Stone III, he met a man, so the story goes.

"How do you do, Mr. Stone," was the ever-polite salesman's greeting. The man stopped, looked around for Mr. Stone, but none was there. "If you're talkin' to me," he replied, "I'm not a Stone. But I'm part—nearby—I married one."

#### "BIG ALEX" QUELS A REBELLION

A minor rebellion is reported here as having been quelled recently at a drilling rig on Johns Creek by "Big Alex" Frasier. The works were visited, it seems, by a citizen who might have had a notion of giving the workers the works. Anyway, he was armed with a shotgun which he was handling with a bit of abandon, so they say. Operations were at what you might call a dead standstill until Big Alex went into action.

"Let me show you fellows the manual of arms," he suggested.

The owner and handler of the shotgun was cautious enough to be shown.

Whereupon Big Alex let the old single-shooter off through the roof, snapped it in twain, then impressively announced that he towed he was the worst man around there.

Conqueror of all he surveyed, the big driller trekked over the hills into Prestonsburg with the business end of the weapon in his hand.

And they are talking around the courthouse this week about the defendant in a certain recent court action who, sued for a debt under one firm name, claimed that the other firm in which he had been engaged was the debtor. But Judge Hill expressed the view that a rat was operating, no matter which hole he was using to work that effect, and the defendant's goose was cooked, with mixed metaphors for condiments.

After the jury had found for the plaintiff, the story continues, the defendant left the courtroom and was heard to exclaim that "I'll look like I'll have to organize another court."

### SETTLING POOL WORK BEGUN

#### TO ELIMINATE DUST HELD INJURIOUS TO WATERLIFE

Completion of work now under way on a settling basin for coal dust from the washer of the Elk Horn Coal Corporation and the Princess Elkhorn Coal Company all dust and other substances injurious to fish in the stream, E. R. Burkes, responsible district conservation officer, said last week.

Mr. Burkes quoted E. M. Roger, Elk Horn superintendent, as saying that the settling basin and filter system being constructed will eliminate from the water leaving the washer every objectionable feature except a darker appearance of the water.

The settling basin will be completed within two weeks, barring a labor shutdown. Mr. Roger predicted.

To make room for the basin, a 10-room building formerly in use as a boarding house was leveled. Around an acre of approximately half an acre wooden forms have been erected to a height of about five feet, with rye straw packed between the walls of the form. The water from the washer is to be directed into the basin enclosed by this straw-packed form, and the water is to be filtered into Beaver Creek the dust and other substances are left in the basin.

It was said here that the settling basin was of such size that removal of dust deposits will not be necessary other than once a year.

This addition to its Wayland plant is being made by the coal company upon request of Mr. Burkes after the Floyd County Fish and Game Club had announced tentative plans for construction of a dam on Right Beaver Creek as a fish re-stocking and conservation project. Elk Horn officials had been notified by Mr. Burkes that sewage made by a chemist of the Division of Fish and Game showed that water from the coal washer contained dust in sufficient quantity to be deleterious to fish.

### Court House Happenings

**SUITS FILED**

Casey Creek Mining Co. vs. Thomas Martin, et al.; Howard & Mayo, attys. Chester Merritt vs. Berdell Harold Merritt; Clarke & Francis, attys. Glenn Hale vs. L. Stumbo, etc.; W. W. Burchett, atty. Malouin Sexton vs. Mary Sexton; Clarke & Francis, attys. Commercial Credit Co. vs. John Branham; Joe Hobson, atty. Ollie Boyd vs. Grever C. Boyd; Clarke & Francis, attys. E. B. Vance vs. W. John Wells, A. C. Carter, etc.; W. P. Hays, Alex. M. Spradlin, etc.; D. Ryan, etc.; E. O. Slade, etc.; Minerva Spradlin (separate cases); Wells & Wells, attys.

**MARRIAGE LICENSES**

Curtis Allen Johnson, 32, and Carrie E. Horn, 18, both of West Prestonsburg, marriage solemnized by the Rev. Campbell Jeffries, of the Baptist Church, Prestonsburg, May 14; Bill Hamilton and Myrtle Blanton, Glenn Hall, 21, and Imogene Smith, both of Twp. marriage solemnized May 17 by the Rev. T. A. Snider, of the Baptist Church, Ernest Owens, 21, and Vada Rattiff, 21, both of Lenoir, marriage solemnized by the Rev. A. A. Smith, of the Baptist Church, May 17.

**ADMINISTRATOR'S BOND**

Mousie Turner, adm. estate of J. B. (Bud) Turner.

**Learn a Trade at the Mayo State Vocational School**



The Mayo State Vocational at Paintsville, Kentucky, is training for the following trades are and acetylene welding, machine shop practice, carpentry, cabinet making, electricity, auto mechanics, and retail selling.



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ense program is being demonstrated. It is the only institution in the state devoting 24 hours a day to the furtherance of the defense program. A new shop building has been completed. In this building are located a number of shops equipped

with some of the most modern machinery for the instruction of students of the school. Each department has an able instructor who will take delight in explaining the intricacies of a modern shop. Since the establishment of the school in 1938 the enrollment has grown from 35 students to approximately 350 at the present time and the toll is increasing.

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**Negro-Driver Freed After Two Hurt Near Melvin**

John Oglesby, Wheelwright negro, driver of the auto which struck and injured Eula Mae Rackley, 16, and Alta Stewart, 19, at Melvin Sunday as the girls were bicycling on the highway, was released from county jail here under bond Monday after the girls' parents had told authorities they believed the accident was unavoidable. County Attorney Forrest D. Short said. Both girls are in the Bosser Valley hospital, Martin, but their hurts are not serious, it was said. Both suffered bruises, and the Rackley girl sustained a cut on her side. The accident took place within a few feet of where Miss Rackley's father, Henry Rackley, was killed by an auto several months ago. Miss Stewart is a daughter of Lee Stewart.

**Notice to Bond Purchasers**

Notice is hereby given that the Floyd County Board of Education will on June 3, 1941 sell bonds of the Dwaile School, Sub-district to the lowest and best bidder on interest rates for said bonds. This bond issue was authorized by vote of the people Feb. 24, 1941 for construction of a new school building at Dwaile. The bonds will be of one thousand dollar denomination, drawing interest at the bid price, one bond to be paid annually June 10, beginning in 1942, interest payable semi-annually.

Signed—  
FLOYD COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION  
By Town Hall, Supp.

**VISIT GRANDMOTHER**  
Lydie Margaret and Billy Richmond Cottrell, of Cattettsburg, are spending the week with their grandmother, Mrs. F. H. Cottrell, here.

**SELLARDS IN JAIL HERE ON PEACE BOND**

Failing to execute peace bond of \$1,000 after he was accused of threatening workmen at the drilling rig of Commonwealth's Attorney John Allen on Buffalo, Benzie Sellards, of that section, has been in jail since his arrest, May 15, by

Deputy Sheriff Tom James and W. B. Boyd.  
Sellards also is charged with reckless use of a deadly weapon.

**RETURNS FROM WASHINGTON**  
A. J. May, Jr., returned last week after spending the last few weeks in Washington, D. C., with his parents, Congressman and Mrs. May.

**MRS. CURNUTT, HERE**  
Mrs. C. Y. Curnutt, of Ashland, is the guest here of her mother, Mrs. Anna Mayo. Mrs. Curnutt will remain here for the county-wide Commencement. Her daughter, Anna Mayo Curnutt, being a member of the graduating class of Prestonsburg high school.

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**LETTERS TO THE EDITOR**

**WHAT WILL THE DRAFT DO TO OUR AMERICAN YOUTH?**

It is the cry and prayer of every American mother that the morale of her son will not be degraded or that his Christian home teaching will not be degenerated. The fervor and unrest that accumulates within her heart because of the menacing apprehension that the nation's character of her precious son will pass into minor significance; is an overwhelming power. This feeling is deeper seated than anything in human nature; the feeling of motherly love and protection. The deep patriotic feeling that is the true sentiment of this democratic race gives encouragement for the useful and more perfect government of tomorrow. It is our boys that are the basis of higher ideals, higher ambitions and worthy ideas that form the foundation of the future America. We must instill in them greater objectives that can only be reached by better educational facilities, clean, healthy recreation and the strong creation of a deep desire to be worthy citizens that America is proud to produce.

The call of our government for our American youth affords an excellent opportunity to bring these lofty ideas into realization. Educational advancement has elevated the standards of the American home and especially the homes of the mountain youth. Our government realizes the necessity of creating a desire in our boys to spend their leisure time in a constructive manner while in service. Recreation that builds up the cultural, moral and aesthetic sides of the young citizen is an external sign that true thinking of America's welfare is being thought out.

We know that our government is for America and it is the public plea that it will continue to foster worthy citizenship.

These matters must be looked into so that an understanding of the future citizens can be used to an advantage of our public. Therefore, we cannot let the draft affect our fine gentlemen, but hope that it may afford a chance for better character building.

MARIE JONES  
Chasey Junior College,  
Pippasapp, Ky.

**VISITS IN LEXINGTON**  
Miss Freda Bunting, of the Prestonsburg graded school faculty, spent the week-end in Lexington with Miss Ethel Carter Powers, student at the University of Kentucky.

**Up a tree ABOUT WHAT TO GIVE YOUR GRADUATE?**

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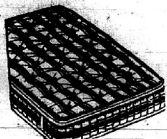
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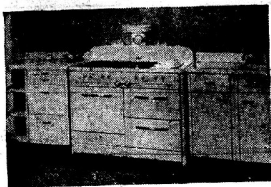
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## THE HIGHWAY OF THE FUTURE

U. S. 23 in this section known as the Mayo Trail is the highway of the future. This is a fact little-recognized, or at any rate little-noted, in this Big Sandy section; but importance of the route to the nation is becoming more and more apparent.

And its importance does not lie altogether in the emoluments to be derived from the pleasure-seeking tourist trade that will naturally

follow this shortest route from North to South, once the highway leaves the detour stage. Its importance in the all-important matter of national defense will become greater.

For the route leads from the industrial North to the agricultural South; links the Ohio and Tennessee valleys, is the shortest route to Norris Dam, to Knoxville and other cities destined to figure heavily in America's preparations for defense.

Of the one billion dollars to be spent by the federal government on defense highways, it is not altogether wishful thinking to believe that Route 23 will get its share.

From the great industrial centers of the North, with the upper Ohio and Great Lakes region to link in with it, charted over the nation's great scenic route to the cities and defense centers of the Old South, over the storied Lonesome Pine Trail, to the Great Smokies and on down to Florida's playgrounds—this highway leading from the realities of this machine age to the picturesqueness and romance of hill-hemmed valleys and on out again to the hurry and derring-do of great cities of a great nation—U. S. 23 is, indeed, the highway of the future.

## FOR JAILER

We are authorized to announce  
**UNCLE GEORGE MEADE**

of Amba, Ky., as a candidate for JAILER OF FLOYD COUNTY subject to the action of the Democratic party at the August, 1941 primary.

A man who has braved the battles of life for his friends, and Democracy, and who has never asked for public favor.

I now ask my relatives and many friends to support me in this race for Jailer of Floyd county. A man who is just and deserving. I am

taking this opportunity to thank you for the many past favors, and for your vote on August 2 which I am sure you will contribute. 5-22-31-pd.

## To the Democratic Voters Of Floyd County

After consulting with a host of my friends in dear, old Floyd county, I become a candidate seeking the nomination for Jailer of Floyd county. Being a poor man and having a strong ambition to serve the people of Floyd county as a public officer, I ran two years ago for Circuit Court Clerk and lost by a small margin. I feel by so many of my friends requesting me to be a candidate this year if I can win in the August primary I can win in November.

So kind friends, while you journey through dangers of life and its uncertain future, I hope and sincerely trust that a kind providence may always smile upon you. None of us know when nor where we may need assistance. But if fortune has been more kind to you than to me, please help me all you can to cast a ray of sunshine on my sad and gloomy pathway. Your aid will be thankfully received and wisely used so that I will be self-supporting and not a burden on my fellowman. So when

you come out on August 2 to vote please let your good conscience direct you how you should vote. Your friend in need,  
**BILL SHEPHERD** for Jailer

## J. W. Cockill Dies

(Continued from page one)

weeks ago when he entered the Huntington hospital for treatment. He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Alvena Bernad Cockill, one daughter, Mary Elizabeth Cockill, of Middlesboro; his mother, Mrs. Mary Susel Cockill, who is 91 years old, of Middlesboro; one brother, H. S. Cockill, of Charleston, W. Va.; and three sisters, Mrs. C. W. Evans, Mrs. Hugh Allen, and Miss Carrie Cockill, of Middlesboro.

A brief funeral service took place at the Callahan Funeral Home, Middlesboro, at 2:30 today (Thursday) and burial was made in the Colson cemetery at Middlesboro.

## Benefit Show Aids Lagging Drive For Funds

The lagging drive for funds for the Crippled Children's Commission gained impetus last Thursday afternoon when the Woman's Club here sponsored a benefit show at the Broadway Theater, with \$22 being realized. M. C. Elliot, manager of the theater, donated use of the building.

Mrs. Ambrose Mandt, Floyd county chairman of the drive, this week urged all who have the interest of crippled children at heart to contribute without further delay. Funds derived from the drive are expended altogether on Kentucky children, are not spent on infantile paralysis sufferers alone but on cripples of all types.

## MERINGUE SHELLS

30¢ per dozen

WOMAN'S Exchange Shop

Phone 283 PRESTONSBURG

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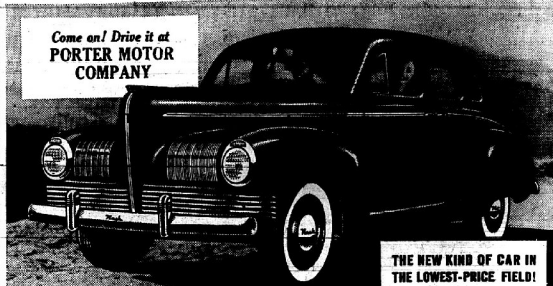
Pvt. Thomas Jefferson De Rossett, of East Point, who enlisted in the U. S. army on January 5, 1940,

recently was promoted to the rank of corporal and is drilling recruits at King's City, Calif. Corporal De Rossett is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Lam De Rossett.

## VISIT HERE

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Russell, of New York City, and Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Russell, of Glo, were recent guests here of Buck Mann.

# "In All Our Years in Prestonsburg -- WE HAVE NEVER SEEN A CAR PERFORM LIKE NASH!"



Come on! Drive it at PORTER MOTOR COMPANY

THE NEW KIND OF CAR IN THE LOWEST-PRICE FIELD!

Imagine—25 to 30 Miles on a Gallon in This Big Nash!

In all our years in business, I never have we seen a car perform like Nash.

Good drivers are getting 25 to 30 miles a gallon.

Big as it is—it's as fast as a jack-rabbit. It darts through traffic, fairly scoots up hills.

And it rides like a dream; it glides over bumps as if they didn't exist.

Nash is the first low-price car with coil springs on all four

wheels; it's first with Two-way Roller Steering; it's built with body and frame welded into one solid unit of amazing strength.

There's simply no comparison between this Nash and other low-price cars! Come in—see the differences—and you, too, will change to Nash this year!

Business Coupe (Hudson) Ambassador "500" price, \$794.00. Nash is the only low-price car with soft coil springs on all four wheels.

GET MORE ROOM... Nash has greatest seating width of all low-price cars. It's a big car, 60-65 inches long, from bumper to bumper.

GET BARE NEITHER EYE CRIBBING AIR SYSTEM... keeps you warm in winter. Nothing like it offered by any other car! Completely automatic; effective to 10° below zero.

GET BARE NEITHER... Nash is the only low-price car with soft coil springs on all four wheels.

Nash 6's and 6's are Today's Top Values in all Three Popular Price Fields

PORTER MOTOR COMPANY PRESTONSBURG, KY.

Go NASH AND SAVE MONEY EVERY MILE

## BARGAIN THRILLER!

SATURDAY ONLY

# Rayon Taffeta SLIP

Tailored Bottom, Adjustable Shoulder Straps, Bias Cut, Shell Trimmed Top, Tea Rose.

Sizes 34 to 44

29¢

49¢ value—

SEE THEM IN OUR WINDOW

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# CENTRAL WHOLESALE GROCERY

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Telephone 200

PRESTONSBURG, KY.

Our Quality Has Never Been Questioned

## SNOW GOOSE AND PURITY FLOUR

### VICTORY MEAT & LARD

COLONIAL SALT  
 ARBUCKLE SUGAR  
 PENNANT SYRUP  
 DIAMOND MATCHES  
 RED ROSE FEEDS

### TO THE HOUSEWIFE:

Try a sack of SNOW GOOSE for better biscuits, cakes, pies and pastries. Every sack guaranteed or money refunded. Ask your local merchant for SNOW GOOSE.

### MR. MERCHANT:

You can increase your sales by featuring the following well-known brands of reliable merchandise:

## DELMONTE & VAN CAMPS Canned Goods

Merchants are always assured of lowest prices and a complete line at our store. Be sure to see us for fancy building paper, rubber roofing, barbed and fencing wire, wire nails and seed soy beans. A complete line of staple numbers in hosiery, work shirts, men's and boys' overalls, muslin, work gloves and notions. A complete line of one cent and five cent candy and all standard brands of chewing gum.

We are operating on the most economical basis known to modern merchandising. In this way we can pass a very nice saving along to our merchants in the way of low prices.

We thank the merchants of this territory for the fine co-operation and loyal support given us in the past.

# Compare Our VALUES SHOP AND SAVE

GREEN BEANS	No. 2 1/2 CANS 2 for	25¢	MOON ROSE GRAPEJUICE
BELDINE CORN	No. 2 CANS 3 for	25¢	
PINTO BEANS	FIVE POUNDS	29¢	Quart 25¢
NEW POTATOES	No. 1 10. lbs.	35¢	

APPLE BUTTER 38-Oz. Jar 15¢

FRESH GROUND COFFEE 3-lb. Package 39¢

PORK AND BEANS NO. 2 1/2 CAN 3 for 29¢

CANE SYRUP 5-lb. Glass Jar 35¢

HEINZ SOUPS 2 CANS 27¢ All Varieties	A MODERN MEAT MARKET
ROUND STEAK FINEST QUALITY—lb. 29¢	
COUNTRY STYLE SAUSAGE lb. 19¢	

# FRED'S MARKET

PHONE 283 Across From the Courthouse PRESTONSBURG, KY. FREE DELIVERY

# Listen America,

## the worst is yet to come---unless . . .

LIKE every other patriotic citizen, you have worried about the wave of strikes that has swept the country.

You know how seriously they have disrupted the nation—that they have halted billions of dollars of defense work—that they have already affected, let's hope not fatally, the safety of the United States.

◆ *But the worst is yet to come!*

Over the head of every American hangs the threat to close down, not one factory or group of factories, but every factory and every industry throughout the land. The threat to deprive us of most of our heat, nearly all our light, practically all of our railroads, subways, street cars and elevators.

Who has made this incredible threat? Who holds the titanic power to make that threat effective?

◆ *One man. John L. Lewis!*

John L. Lewis has publicly announced that unless the Southern Coal Operators agree to every syllable of his outrageous Mine Workers contract, he will strike every soft coal mine in the country. And this before the nation has recovered from the disastrous strike of April.

If he keeps his threat, this country, within 15 days, will be without coal. Industry will begin to shut down completely. Railroads will begin to stop. Lights will begin to go out in our cities.

◆ *All right, you say, why don't we sign the contract? Here's why:*

By the very words of that contract, John L. Lewis will become what so many believe he wants to be—dictator of this country. A man potentially more powerful by far than the President of the United States. A man who holds in the palm of his hand the life or death of every industry, the success or failure of our entire defense program, the comfort or hardship of the bulk of our citizens.

◆ *You think we exaggerate?*

It's there in black and white, in the contract which we, under threat, are ordered to sign without the dotting of an "i" or the crossing of a "t." It's there in John L. Lewis' own sinister words. He demands of Southern Operators a 50 per cent greater wage increase than the

North will pay. But that—the so-called differential clause—is not, as the public has been mistakenly led to believe, either the sole reason or the chief reason why the Southern Operators have refused to sign this contract. John L. Lewis demands the power to call unlimited "memorial periods." He demands the right to change entire systems of mining. He demands that all the mines be shut off at one time, for a yearly vacation period, thereby completely stopping the flow of industry's life-blood, coal.

*But that is far from all. By the very words of the contract, he would have the right to strike any and every mine at any time at his own will or pleasure. He would have the right to shut off any and every industry from its coal supply. He would have the right to deprive any and every city of light, heat and power.*

◆ *We have already agreed to almost every demand John L. Lewis has made.*

*We have long since given our 150,000 men a 7-hour day and a 5-day week.*

*We have given them the check-off for union dues and assessments, and a labor contract which Lewis himself hailed only two years ago as the model labor agreement of the world! We've offered, not only to renew this "model agreement," but to liberalize it.*

*As an industry, we have paid higher wages than those given any comparable group of workers in the nation.*

*At the request of the President of the United States, we are already paying a minimum basic wage increase of \$1 a day — an increase that will almost certainly bankrupt many companies in an industry that lost \$35,000,000 last year—that has lost money every year save one for the last 12 years.*

*But that's our worry, not yours.*

◆ *Your worry is this:*

*Shall we, by agreeing to John L. Lewis' demands, sign away the liberty of our country? Shall we place in the hands of any one ruthless, domineering man power to control the security of our nation? Shall we, with a stroke of the pen, place in jeopardy your well-being, your safety, perhaps your very life?*

John L. Lewis is no fool. *While America slept, he has craftily gained a death-grip on the one industry which affects the destinies of all others. Now he is apparently using that death-grip to shoot for the dictator's crown.*

*He called the strike in April. He threatens to call another if he doesn't get what he wants. We can't stop him. All we can do is what we have done—refuse to authorize by contract such dictatorial acts.*

*No, we can't stop him.*

◆ *The only person who can stop him is you!*

*You can. Your voice—the voice of the great American public—has kept this country a free country for 165 years. It can do so now.*

*Write your Governor. Write your Congressmen. Write your Senators. Write the President of the United States. Write the Department of Labor. Write the National Defense Mediation Board. They'll listen to Send a letter. Or a telegram.*

*Tell these representatives of yours in your own words whether or not you want John L. Lewis to control the industry of this country, and through that power, to control the freedom and safety of every man, woman and child in the United States.*

*This is not a matter of tomorrow. This is a matter of today—NOW!*

### Here's What Will Happen in Floyd County and the Big Sandy if John L. Lewis Strikes the Coal Mines!

Immediately 12,000 miners will be out of work.

Over \$100,000 per day in payrolls will be lost.

Railroad crews will be laid off.

Merchants will lose thousands of dollars in trade.

Business generally will be paralyzed.

## Southern Coal Operators Wage Conference

WASHINGTON BUILDING, WASHINGTON, D. C.

### REPRESENTING:

Operator's Ass'n of Williamson Field  
Big Sandy-Elkhorn Coal Operators Ass'n.  
Hazard Coal Operators Ass'n.  
Kanawha Coal Operators Ass'n.

Logan Coal Operators Ass'n.  
Southern Appalachian Coal Operators Ass'n.  
New River Coal Operators Ass'n.  
Pocahontas Operators Ass'n.  
Winding Gulf Operators Ass'n.

Greenbrier Coal Operators Ass'n.  
Upper Buchanan Smokeless Coal Operators Ass'n.  
Harlan County Coal Operators Ass'n.  
Virginia Coal Operators Ass'n.

THE NEW FREEDOM IN

Curve Control

Playtex Living Girdle

Feel alive...vibrant...free in a Playtex Living Girdle! For here's a natural method of curve control that gives you your own natural lines, slimmed down. The secret is smooth liquid latex...no seams, no stitches, no boning! It's the ALL-occasion girdle with the ALL-way stretch! Porous, like your own skin, it lives and breathes with you! Always fresh: rinse in suds, pat with a towel, and it's dry! Flower-scented in pink, blue, or white. Two styles.

#707. Girdle with \$2.50 seamless garters (An extra large size, \$3.50) #700. (Below left) Panty Style \$2.00

Please send me... #707 Girdle with Garters, \$2.50 (An extra large size, \$3.50) #700 Panty Style... \$2.00



THE LEADER Men's, Women's and Children's Wear Prestonsburg, Ky.

TWO-THIRDS OF SCALES USED IN STATE STOCKYARDS, 'OFF,' SAYS PERRY

For all livestock scales located in Kentucky... the examination of the scales was made by experts... the results of these tests showed that a large majority of the scales were in very poor repair... It has been the stated policy of the Commissioner of Agriculture...

P. T. A. ELECTS OFFICERS

MRS. CULBERTSON NAMED PRESIDENT OF ORGANIZATION

Election of officers for the 1941-42 school year was held Thursday evening last week... Mrs. Culbertson succeeds as president of the P. T. A. Mrs. M. J. Lette, Jr. Following her election, she named the following committees...

PALMISTRY

MADAME DAUGHTERY

GOOD ROADS AMENDMENT TO CONSTITUTION PROPOSED

A good roads amendment to the Kentucky Constitution was suggested by Herbert L. Clay, of Louisville, secretary of the Kentucky Petroleum Industries Commission... The meeting was presided over by C. H. Smith, chairman of the Floyd county committee...

TWO CHILDREN DROWN IN PIKE

BROTHER'S ATTEMPT TO RESCUE SISTER ENDS IN TRAGEDY

Two of the four children of State Agent C. W. Saling and Mrs. Saling drowned in the Big Sandy river Tuesday afternoon near their home, five miles south of Pikeville... Barbara's body was recovered within a few minutes after the drowning and Charles was brought to the surface about an hour later...

Appellate Court Voids Hazard License Fees

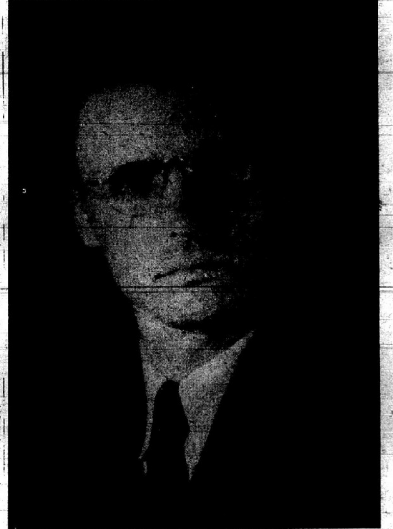
City license fees which it said were "grossly excessive" and designed to prevent out-of-town concerns from soliciting local business were given another knockout blow Tuesday by the Court of Appeals... The opinion was given in an appeal by the Southern Lumber Supply Company, Knoxville, Tenn...

TIME TO QUIT

Oregon, Ill.—Miss Ruby Nash is getting at the end of the present school term with this report: Fifty years a teacher in Ogle county schools... Forty-two years a teacher of first grade... One day of absence, because of illness.

DISTRACTED PAPA this note written to a Seattle ad-Spokane, Wash.—Maybe the per-dresses: "Baby girl born, weighs eight and a fire alarm box had a good excuse, is 21 inches long at that. I'm awfully tired and cranky. Take 'em when firemen arrived, they found ing 2 w/eok bus."

RE-ELECT



E. P. HILL, JR. COUNTY JUDGE

A MAN WHO BELIEVES IN PROGRESS (Pol. adv.)

DERMONT'S

MARTIN'S GREATEST STORE

JOINS IN EXTENDING A HEARTY WELCOME TO THE PRINCESS ELKHORN—AND CONGRATULATIONS TO THE C. & O.

DERMONT'S FEATURE —

JEAN CASTLE DRESSES STAR BRAND SHOES ROLLINS HOISERY

Groceries . . .

We carry only the very highest quality canned goods, and our prices are the lowest consistent with such quality.

Meat Department Second to None

DERMONT'S

MARTIN, KY.

**Bell System Expects To Spend \$400,000,000 New Construction**

The Bell System expects to expend approximately \$400,000,000 on new construction during 1941 as a result of accelerated industrial and military activity under the national defense program, President Walter S. Clifford of the American Telephone and Telegraph Company, said at the annual stockholders meeting.

Mr. Clifford revealed that long-distance traffic is running about 25 per cent above last year, and that on an average more long distance calls were being handled now than during the previous peak experienced in September, 1939—when the war broke out in Europe.

Emphasizing the part the Bell companies are playing in providing for defense communication needs, Mr. Clifford said: "In the midst of this extraordinary activity, the Federal Communications Commission announced that it had instituted a formal rate case against the Bell System companies."

The Bell System, according to Mr. Clifford, is disappointed that the Commission should see fit, especially at this critical time, to de-

part from the practice which it has followed in the past of handling rate matters by informal conference with the company—a procedure which, the Commission has said in its annual reports and other public statements, has been productive of results without the necessity of legal proceedings.

He declared that the speed and vastness of the defense program and the importance of the telephone to every man and woman in the Bell System, and expressed pride in the spirit and competence with which the entire telephone personnel is meeting the challenge.

**BIG SANDY LEAGUE**

Results, May 18  
 "A" Unit  
 Clear Creek, 14. Wayland, 10. Drift, 4. Allen, 1. Prestonsburg, 12. Pikeville, 4.

**LEAGUE STANDING**

"A" Unit	W L Ave
Prestonsburg	3 1.750
Drift	3 1.740
Pikeville	2 2.500
Wayland	2 2.500
Clear Creek	2 2.500
Allen	0 4.000

**AMBA YOUTH PASSES FLYING CADET EXAM**

Successful completion of preliminary Army Flying Cadet scholarship examinations was made by George W. Akers, Amba, it was said this week at Fifth Corps Area headquarters, Fort Hayes, O.

Akers graduated from Besay Laysa high school in 1938 and attended Eastern State Teachers' College where he majored in chemistry. He has been prominent in high school and college basketball, football and band activities. Flying Cadet scholarships are awarded to single young men at least 20 years old and not yet 27 who can pass an educational examination or who have two years of college credit. Any army recruiting station will furnish scholarship forms.

**RAMEY, SPECIAL JUDGE HERE THIS WEEK**

H. H. Ramey, Schuyler attorney, presided at the Monday and Tuesday sessions of the Floyd circuit court in the trial of 20 or more equity cases in which Circuit Judge Henry Stephens had disqualified.

**Car Wrecks Porch Of Howard Home**

After hitting another car, the automobile occupied by Merrill and Billy Ward, brothers of Drift, shortly after midnight Saturday left the highway at the upper limits of Prestonsburg and rammed into the porch of the home of Harvey Howard.

Damage to the home was estimated at \$130. Chief of Police Epp Lafayette said. When the auto stopped the porch was resting on it. The brothers, neither of whom was seriously injured, were jailed on drunk charges.

**TENT MEETING TO START ON LITTLE PAINT**

A tent revival meeting will be begun Saturday, May 24, at the Elkins school, Little Paint, by the Reverend Claypool, Lexington evangelist. The revival will be conducted under auspices of the Church of God.

**Colie Man Is Victim Of Tuberculosis**

Adam England, 32 years old, died Sunday at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ben England, of Colie, after an illness of several years of tuberculosis.

Funeral rites were conducted Monday from the home, with burial being made in the family cemetery under the direction of the Arnold Funeral Home. Surviving are the parents, several brothers and sisters.

**MADAM BETTY**

The Scientific Life Adviser, 25c. Reads your past, present and future. Gives names and tells the date and day when you will marry. She can advise you on Love, Marriage, Health, Divorce and Business Affairs. American Palmist. Don't fail to see her today. All readings private. Hours: 9 a. m. to 10 p. m.—also Sundays. Located in Pullman house trailer at city limits, Paintsville, Ky. It pd.

**GUEST OF PARENTS**

Mrs. R. C. Adams, of Louisville, is the guest of her parents, Judge and Mrs. A. T. Patrick, Shagwell return to Louisville Sunday.

**HERE FROM HUESVILLE**  
 F. P. Hayes, of Huesville, was a visitor here this week.

**Hearing Set On Eliminating Coal Differentials**

The Bituminous Coal Dilson announced Saturday it would conduct a hearing July 8 in Washington on a petition requesting elimination of differentials in minimum prices for certain Southern districts, to permit sale of coal for domestic and industrial purposes.

The change was requested in schedules covering markets for coal produced in Districts 7, 8, 9 and 13, embracing Alabama, Southern West Virginia, Virginia, Kentucky and Tennessee. The petition asked that the price differentials be eliminated without increasing the price realization in any of the districts, and requested that appropriate revisions be made in the schedules for competing districts so as to maintain proper price co-ordination in Southern competing coals.

**Mrs. Sarah Reffett Dies at Pyramid In 64th Year**

Mrs. Sarah Reffett, 67 years old, widow of John Reffett, died Sunday night at her home near Pyramid after an illness of months of a complication of ailments.

Mrs. Reffett was a daughter of the late Ashland (Coom) Conley and was a native of Knott county. She was one of her community's best women.

**Pyramid Woman Dies After Long Illness**

Ill for several years, Mrs. Ruth Hale, 43 years old, wife of Ben Burtley Hale, died at her home at Colie Tuesday night.

Mrs. Hale was a daughter of the late Joe Cline, of Beaver Creek, and had many relatives and friends in the county. She is survived by her husband and several children. The funeral was conducted at 2 p. m., Wednesday, from the home, and burial was made in the family cemetery under the direction of the Arnold Funeral Home.

**VISITOR HERE**  
 The Rev. Ruth Morgan, Garrett, was in Prestonsburg this week.

**BONANZA**

A large crowd attended the regular monthly meeting held here Sunday by the United Baptists.

Mr. and Mrs. Worth Music and small son, Tom, Ed and Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Montgomery were the Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Music here.

Mrs. Bayment Hackworth, who is a patient in the Prestonsburg

General hospital, is slowly recovering.

County Attorney Forrest D. Short was visiting his mother, Mrs. Mollie Short, here Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. John Dobb, Jr. and small daughter of Paintsville were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Post Hill here over the week-end.

Keep up with the times by reading THE TIMES.

**BILL BIGGERS**  
 DEMOCRATIC CANDIDATE  
 —FOR—  
**REPRESENTATIVE**



Congratulates the workers and the companies on the possible development of Middle Creek and extension of Floyd county.

**To The Citizens of Floyd County:**



**WM. HAGANS**

I wish to take this means to announce the opening of my campaign for the Democratic nomination for Sheriff of Floyd county, at the August 2, 1941 primary election.

I have had a few friends say to me, "Bill, we would like to see you Sheriff and we believe you would make a good one; but we think you are too good a man to get mixed up in the kind of politics that you will get into in this election." It is true that I don't get drunk and "sworp" around and that I have not shot anybody and that I have not been accused of robbing the county. I don't think a man should have to have a reputation like that to be able to run for office in our county.

I have worked in the Sheriff's office now for the past three years and I have met many of you coming into the office on business of some kind and at all times I have tried to give you prompt service, and to help you in any way that I could as long as it was right and just. I will say to you who have not met me to ask your neighbors what they know about me.

There are several in this campaign for Sheriff. I think you should give each candidate some consideration and when you have made up your mind as to who you think will be the best man for your county, then stick to him.

I have no wild promises to make to you that I would not or could not keep if I was elected. But if elected I will give you a clean, honest, sober and business-like administration of the Sheriff's office, both of myself and any deputies that I may have. I am going to try to get around and see as many of you personally before the election as I can and ask for your help, but if I fail to get to you, I want to ask you here for your support.

**Wm. HAGANS** (Pol. adv.)

**CONGRATULATIONS**

TO THE Princess Elkhorn Coal Company

ON A DEVELOPMENT WHICH WILL BENEFIT THE ENTIRE BIG SANDY VALLEY.

OUR BEST WISHES FOR THEIR SUCCESS.

**KENTUCKY & WEST VIRGINIA POWER CO.**  
 INCORPORATED

**FOLLOW THE CROWDS - TO - GLAZER'S -**  
 WHERE EVERYONE SAVES MONEY  
 "A LITTLE OFF THE MAIN STREET, BUT IT PAYS TO WALK"

<p><b>MEN'S SHIRTS and SHORTS</b></p> <p>Fast Color Shorts RIBBED SHIRT 15c Value Each <b>12 1/2c</b></p>	<p><b>MEN'S DRESS SHIRTS</b></p> <p>Fast Color Sizes 14 to 17 Reg. 98c Value Each <b>79c</b></p>	<p><b>FIRST QUALITY TOWELS</b></p> <p>EXCEPTIONAL VALUES AT THIS LOW PRICE <b>8c</b> Each</p>
<p><b>BED SPREADS</b></p> <p>LARGE BED SIZE Each <b>98c</b></p>	<p><b>Shoes</b></p> <p>ONLY 214 PRS. LADIES' WHITE DRESS PUMPS STRAPS TIES SANDALS HIGH-MEDIUM -LOW HEELS Values to \$3.55 <b>98c</b> Per Pair</p>	<p><b>LADIES' PANTIES</b></p> <p>A LARGE SELECTION TO CHOOSE FROM <b>9c</b> Each</p>
<p><b>CHILDREN'S ANKLETS</b></p> <p>White With Colored Tops Pair <b>5c</b></p>	<p><b>MEN'S MATCHED WORK SUITS</b></p> <p>Rise Sanforized Shrank. Come Early Before Your Size is Gone. Per Set <b>\$1.98</b></p>	<p><b>MEN'S DRESS STRAW HATS</b></p> <p>Waterproofed HARD OR SOFT STYLES Sizes 6 3/4 to 7 1/2 NEW SUMMER SHADES <b>98c</b> Each</p>
<p><b>MEN'S MATCHED WORK SUITS</b></p> <p>Rise Sanforized Shrank. Come Early Before Your Size is Gone. Per Set <b>\$1.98</b></p>	<p><b>ONE LOT LADIES' SILK HOSE</b></p> <p>ASST. SIZES AND COLORS Values to 49c Pair <b>25c</b></p>	<p><b>LADIES' BROWN AND WHITE SADDLE OXFORDS</b></p> <p>RED SOLE LOW HEEL <b>\$1.49</b> Pair                  Come Early, Quantity Limited</p>

**GLAZER'S**  
 "A LITTLE OFF THE MAIN STREET, BUT IT PAYS TO WALK"  
 NEXT DOOR TO WESTERN UNION PRESTONSBURG, KY.



RE-ELECT

# Banner Meade



## COUNTY COURT CLERK

Democratic Primary August 2, 1941  
He has served you efficiently and well during his term of office. His records attest this fact. He is always ready and ready to accommodate his friends and to render service in time of need.

IT IS THE SAME AFTER THE ELECTION AS BEFORE

### ABIGAIL THEATRE

**THURSDAY-FRIDAY—**  
"Pot o' Gold"  
James Stewart, Paulette Goddard.  
**SATURDAY—Double Feature—**  
"The Sheriff of Tombstone"  
Roy Rogers, George (Gabby) Hayes.  
—and—  
"County Fair"  
Lulu Belle and Scotty  
**SUNDAY-MONDAY—**  
"The Great Dictator"  
Charles Chaplin, Paulette Goddard.  
**TUESDAY-WEDNESDAY—**  
"Six Hopkins"  
Bob Crosby, Juda Canova.

### BROADWAY THEATRE IN PRESTONSBURG

**FRIDAY-SATURDAY—**  
DOUBLE FEATURE—  
"Honeymoon for Three"  
Ann Sheridan, George Brent.  
"Billy the Kid—Gun Justice"  
Bob Steele.  
**SATURDAY, 10 P. M., and SUNDAY-MONDAY—**  
"High Sierra"  
Humphrey Bogart, Ida Lupino.  
Also **SUNDAY—**  
Dot and Smokey with their Jubilee Roundup  
WSAZ, Huntington, W. Va. Admission: Only 15c and 22c.  
**TUESDAY-WEDNESDAY—**  
"Under Age"  
Nay Gray, Allan Baxter.  
**THREE STOOGES—Comedy**  
"GREEN ARCHER"—Serial  
**COMING—**  
"Penny Serenade"  
Irene Dunne, Cary Grant.

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### Left Beaver Woman

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Kilburn had fired a shot in front of the Hall home while Hughes was a visitor there and had threatened Hughes. At the trial Hughes admitted firing several shots from the porch of his home but not until several shots had been fired at him. The shooting took place at night, and Ousley was not known to have had any part in the exchange of shots.  
Mrs. Hall said that after Kilburn had fired the shot in front of her home, she entered the Hughes home by the back door, took the revolver from the mantle and fired from the front door.  
"I'm sure I fired at least three shots," she said. "I've felt about it all these years, but I feel better now," she added.  
"I don't want any trial—just let me confess and go on to the pen," the woman asked the Commonwealth's Attorney.  
Jailer Will Halbert said that Mrs. Hall came here Saturday and informed him that she had robbed the bus which bore her to Prestonsburg. Jailer Halbert discounted her story and she later told Paintsville officers that she had killed a man.  
Questioned by Allen, she at first declined to admit guilt, saying that "Something put it into my head to tell that tale." Later, after close questioning, she asked, "Well, what if I say that I did kill him?"  
Mr. Hall during the interview was nervous, but recalled most of the events in connection with the crime.

### PATTY THEATRE

**NEXT DOOR TO ABIGAIL**  
**FRIDAY AND SATURDAY—**  
DOUBLE FEATURE—  
"Thieves Fall Out"  
Eddie Albert, Joan Leslie.  
—and—  
"One Man's Law"  
Rod Barry.  
**SUNDAY-MONDAY—**  
"Cowboy and the Blonde"  
Mary Beth Hughes, George Montgomery.

### KENTUCKY THEATRE GARRETT, KY.

**SATURDAY, MAY 24—**  
"Pony Post"  
Johnny Mack Brown.  
**FRI-SAT—MIDNIGHT ONLY—**  
"Dr. Kildare's Crisis"  
Lionel Barrymore, Lew Ayres, Laraine Day, Robert Young.  
**SUNDAY AND MONDAY—**  
"The Thief of Bagdad"  
Sabu, Conrad Veidt, June Duprez—in technicolor. Doors open 12:30 P. m.  
**TUESDAY—**  
"Pastor Hall"  
Nova Pilbeam, Wilfred Lawson. See life in a concentration camp. Don't Miss It!  
**WEDNESDAY—THURSDAY—**  
"This Thing Called Love"  
Rosalind Russell, Melvyn Douglas.  
**FRIDAY—**  
"Murder Over New York"  
Sidney Toler, Marjorie Weaver.

### MARTIN THEATRE

"WHERE THE CROWDS GO"  
**SATURDAY—**  
IN PERSON—UNCLE HENRY and Sally and the Coon Hunter ON THE SCREEN  
"Pals of the Pecos"  
Bob Steele.  
**SUNDAY-MONDAY—**  
"Andy Hardy's Private Secretary"  
Mickey Rooney, Lewis Stone.  
**TUESDAY—**  
"Repent at Leisure"  
Kent Taylor, Wendy Barrie. 10c  
**WEDNESDAY—**  
"Second Chorus"  
Fred Astaire, Paulette Goddard. 10c and 15c  
**THURSDAY—**  
"Washington Melodrama"  
Frank Morgan, Kent Taylor.  
**FRIDAY—**  
"Victory"  
Frederick March, Betty Fields.  
**COMING SOON—**  
"The Great Dictator"  
Charles Chaplin, Paulette Goddard.

### Judge Cope Succumbs At Lexington, May 13

Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Allen were called last week to Lexington by the death there, May 13, of Mrs. Allen's father, Judge T. T. Cope, 88 years old.  
Body of Judge Cope was returned to Jackson, his former place of residence, for burial Saturday. He had been ill for several months, and his death was ascribed to senility.  
For the last 60 years of his life, until his retirement five years ago, he was a public official of Breathitt county, serving as County Attorney and Commonwealth's Attorney, and as the close of his public career as Police Judge of Jackson. His wife died five years ago.  
Surviving him, besides his daughter, are three sons and one daughter: Chas. M. and Robert Cope, Houston, Texas; Fred Cope, Hazard, and Mrs. C. S. Landrum, Lexington.

### C. & O. Double Tracking

(Continued from page one)  
both the railway company and the coal company.  
On the morning of December 11, last, several carloads of equipment arrived at West Prestonsburg and before noon of the same day ground was broken on the project—a task that, in the "good, old days," would have required two years for completion.

With two other contracts under way, Haley, Chisholm & Morris could not put into operation on the Middle Creek job all their equipment, and so the OUBERT Construction Company and the Perkins Barnes Construction Company were called in as associate contractors, to furnish designated pieces of machinery.  
During 3½ months of winter work, three shovels, two large and two small "carry-all" units moved the estimated 800,000 cubic yards of earth and stone along the right-of-way.  
At the mine itself, with complete mechanization installed, the work of turning out the expected half-million tons a year of coal is no herculean labor.  
(On Page 1, this section, and on Pages 1 and 5 of Section 2 are pictures of persons and scenes in the railway construction and coal development.)

**Big Gas Flow On Buffalo**  
A gas well of 1,000,000 cubic feet production was reported as having been struck by drillers for the Kentucky West Virginia Gas Company Saturday on the Hartline lease, Buffalo Creek.  
The gas flow was struck in the Big Lime formation.

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SPEAKING OF AND FOR FLOYD COUNTY

TRAVEL BULLETIN  
TODAY'S ROADS



Prepared By  
Eastern Kentucky Automobile Club

**SPRING**  
The sharp blue skies, blossoming trees, and fresh green fields; the warm breezes and lengthening days tell us—it is Spring. These are crucial times in our lives for this is the season when armies move. In one-half of the world military machines rumble over rugged terrain dealing death while in this hemisphere motor cars glide over smooth thoroughfares on peaceful missions. The army of motor vehicles may not make history as bloody as the mechanized divisions—but lives do depend upon their movement.

One great difference exists in the movement of the two armies—the soldiers are aware constantly of danger and expect disaster, destruction or imminent death, while the motorist does not expect danger and is unprepared when trouble strikes. Some of the worst traffic accidents occur on open highways when the pavement surface is dry, while obviously hazardous locations have low accident rates. The conclusion is that motorists will drive safely when they are not recognizing danger, but when no danger is evident they relax their vigilance and—as has been so often stated—are lulled into a false sense of security.

Another great difference is the circumstances under which the armies move; soldiers have no choice but to do or die as they are commanded, while motorists the masters of their own fate by this attitude toward driving, a motorist can determine his safety. Spring should be a happy season for motorists—let's try to make it that. Remember!

**DEATH TAKES NO SPRING OR SUMMER VACATION!**

**KENTUCKY'S ROADS**  
**SPECIAL NOTICE**—Due to the National Defense program, heaviest traffic between Louisville and Fort Knox on US 21-W is from 7 a. m. and between 4 and 6 p. m. This congestion becomes heavier during times about 45 minutes.

US 22—Louisville-Paintsville road, Lawrence county, closed for construction. Detour main road over county traffic bound roads. Additional distance, 5.8 miles. This detour is for local traffic north of Johnson county line only, as US 22 is closed in Johnson county. Very dusty in dry weather.

Paintsville-Lenoir road, Johnson county, closed for construction. Through traffic to the south of Paintsville, detour just south of Lenoir on KY 32 to Martha, WPA traffic bound road to Redoubt; KY 172 to Junction of KY 46, thence KY 46 to Paintsville. This detour is 48.8 miles, which is an additional 19 miles. Very dusty in dry weather.

KY 40—Bilhamous construction three miles east of Paintsville. Traffic maintained.

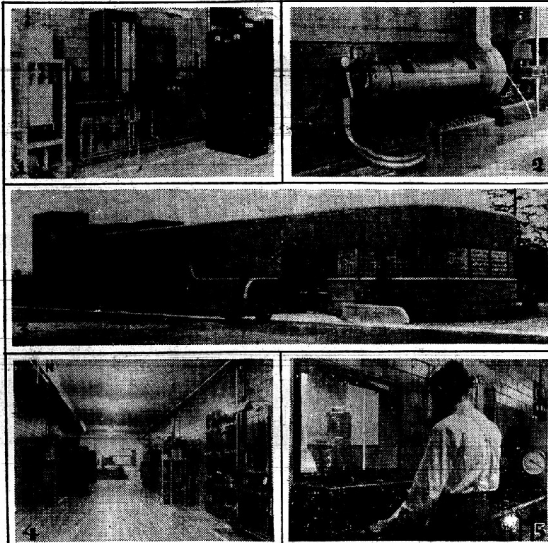
US 26E—Widening roadway between Pineville and Harboursville. Road being built under traffic.

US 60—Resurfacing between Winchester and Harboursville. Morehead-Olive Hill road. Surface being constructed under traffic.

Between Frankfort and Shelbyville, grading and bridge construction. Road closed. Passenger cars detour via KY 27 to Defore and KY 43 to Shelbyville. Adds 14 miles. Trucks detour via KY 33, 44 and 53. Adds 24.6 miles.

US 27 and KY 10—Newport-Alexandria road, three miles construction. Road being built under traffic. Caution advised.

## Wenner-Gren Airplane Testing Lab at U. of K. Unique in Field



Classes are scheduled to begin about May 15 in the new Wenner-Gren Aeronautical Research Laboratory at the University of Kentucky, according to Prof. A. J. Meyer, director of the laboratory. It will be used not only for testing aircraft engines but to improve them so that they can attain greater speed, operate on less fuel, and attain greater altitude. It also will provide specialized training to graduate engineers who desire to study aircraft engines.

Groups of United States Civil Service engineers from Wright Field, Dayton, Ohio, proving ground

for the army air force, are to be trained at the University of Kentucky laboratory. The laboratory has been designated as a subsidiary to the United States air corps power plant branch at Dayton.

The \$200,000 Wenner-Gren laboratory, which is expected to play a major role in today's international struggle for military aircraft supremacy, was financed through a grant from the Viking Foundation, whose president is Axel I. Wenner-Gren, Swedish philanthropist and industrialist. Fifteen highly-trained graduated engineers will be employed as a minimum operating force, and subsequent additions

will probably increase the number of full-time engineers to 30. In order to supply the industry with personnel that is at least familiar with its problems, methods and equipment, intensive short courses will be given students during the defense emergency. The laboratory is the only one of its kind in the United States.

The above phrase of the interior and exterior of the laboratory are: (1) Control desk for motor test room; (2) airplane engine on dynamometer test; (3) Wenner-Gren Aeronautical Laboratory; (4) main observation room; and (5) student at control desk.

## Huesville Man Dies At Lackey Hospital, Paralysis Victim

Dock B. Reed, 64 years old, of Huesville, died at the Stumbo Memorial hospital, Lackey, at 11 o'clock Thursday night, last week, a few hours after having suffered a paralytic stroke. He became ill while at the home of Sam Duncan, near Huesville.

A son of the late Amos and Jennie Reed, the victim was well-known in the Beaver Creek section of the county and was one of his community's best citizens. He was never married. Surviving him are three brothers, A. J. Reed of Huesville, W. R. Reed, Estill, and Joe Reed, of Ohio.

Funeral rites were conducted Saturday afternoon from the Duncan home, with burial being made in the family cemetery under the direction of the Ryan Funeral Home.

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## LOCKHEED INTERCEPTOR HAS SPEED OF 458 M.P.H.

An airplane which flew by so fast it disappeared before its motor could be heard has made its debut—at a speed, its pilot said, of 458 miles an hour.

Lockheed Aircraft calls its P-38 Interceptor, given its first public demonstration before 50,000 spectators at an air show recently, the world's fastest fighting plane.

Tot Pilot Milo Burcham sent the plane so fast on a level course over the municipal airport, Los Angeles, site of the show, that it disappeared into the horizon before the spectators heard the thunder of its engines.

Magoffin Fiscal Court Indicted For Failure to Publish Receipts

Salvesville, Ky.—An indictment was returned against the Magoffin county fiscal court by the grand jury of Magoffin circuit court last week on a charge of failure to publish a financial statement, as provided by statute.

## Fall From Fence Results in Death Of Floyd Woman

A ruptured blood vessel suffered in a fall from a rail fence May 13 resulted in the death Thursday, last week, at the Beaver Valley hospital, Martin, of 29-year-old Beale Sammons, wife of Hurley Sammons, of Cracker.

The daughter of Elicana and Mrs. Emma Crum Conn, Mrs. Sammons was born and reared on Prater Creek. She is survived by her husband, her parents, five brothers and four sisters. Burial was made in the family cemetery under the direction of the Ryan Funeral Home Friday afternoon, following funeral rites conducted by the Reverend Hunt, of the Christian Church.

## MAGNESIUM SHORTAGE Causes Concern As War Orders Given Priority

Washington—Informed of an acute shortage of magnesium for airplane manufacture, administration leaders asked speedy Congressional approval of legislation giving the Office of Production Management full control over the disposition of raw materials and military equipment.

Democratic Leader Barkley of Kentucky said he expected little Senate opposition to an amended House bill permitting the OPM to fix priorities for defense production and to slow down—or cut off, if necessary—the flow of strategic materials into civilian channels.

Minority Leader McNary of Oregon predicted most Senate Republicans would support the measure. The Senate military committee deleted a House provision to establish a priorities division outside the OPM, but indications were that the House would accept this change and send the measure to President Roosevelt.

The need of immediate action was urged upon Congress by Edward R. Stettinius, Jr., OPM priorities director, and other defense officials in testimony before a closed session of the military committee, printed records disclose.

## RIVALS FOR PROMOTION

Richard McGuire, Jr., and Taulby McGuire, Jr., brothers, and former residents of Bull Creek who are now in the same infantry company at Ft. Jackson, S. C., are in a race for promotion, with the former now leading, according to their mother, Mrs. P. F. Carlton, Hartley, Ky. They enlisted July 20, last year, and both became corporals in November. Now, however, Richard is a sergeant.

## Exempt Men Over 30, Urges Draft Head

The national director of selective service wants to revise U. S. draft procedure to exempt men over 30 years old.

"They are too settled after that age," declared General Lewis S. Hensley at a gathering of draft board members in recommending Congressional action to give the President the right to defer by age classes.

"They are past their physical peak and find it hard to learn new skills. That has been our experience in the draft to date."

A \$100,000 building to house the University of Kentucky's Animal Pathology Department will be constructed on the University's campus, with the WPA putting up \$41,342.

## BRITAIN GETS U.S. FOOD \$90,000.00 Worth Of Commodities Sent to Various Ports

Washington—Farm supplies worth \$90,000 already have been "sent to ports" for Great Britain, Carl Robbins, president of the Commodities Credit Corporation, said this week.

Robbins made the statement during a House Banking Committee discussion of corporation loans to other farm agencies for purchase of farm crops.

"Some emergency needs of the British have arisen for supplies that could only be met by the surplus marketing agency," Robbins said.

"They were placed very promptly and were sent to ports.

"Reimbursement will come from lease-lend funds in case the British will not be able to pay out of their ordinary dollar exchange."

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TO THE PEOPLE OF FLOYD COUNTY

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**FLOYD COUNTY GIRL WINS IN CONTEST**

The Dealers' Refrigerator Contest held recently for the Pikeville area included parts of all of the counties of Pike, Floyd, Johnson, Mingo and Morgan. High school girls and homemakers were chief contestants, but the NYA also entered the contest also.

When the contest sheets were judged these NYA girls were awarded six of the 13 prizes. More than 2,500 quiz contest sheets had been distributed to prospective contestants. Winners were Miss Neva Lee


Johnson of Paintsville, clerical worker, \$5; Miss Flora Belle Dixon, of Whitehouse, Florida Mae Ekkins, of Betsy Layne, Albigall Wireman, of Gansick, Fay Conley, of Flat Gap, and Beatrice Conley, of Falcon, received \$1 each.

**NEW LINER CHRISTENED BY MRS. BARKLEY**

Newport News, Va.—The American President liner President Van Buren, sixth of seven vessels designed for around-the-world service, was launched at the Newport News Shipbuilding and Dry Dock Company Thursday.

Mrs. Alben W. Barkley, wife of the Senate majority leader from Kentucky, christened the new liner.

**Dale Carnegie**  
*Author of "How to Win Friends and Influence People."*



**CONCENTRATION**

F. J. MacKie of the Santa Fe Railroad, Los Angeles, Calif., recently told me of a most valuable lesson he learned from the late Colonel Theodore Roosevelt. It happened back in 1912.

The country was agog over a political cyclone. Theodore Roosevelt after serving two terms in the White House, denounced the party that had made him President, formed the new Bull Moose party and started out on a hot, fighting, spectacular speaking tour. The most sensational figure in America then was Theodore Roosevelt. Wherever he went, vast crowds thronged to hear him.

Mr. MacKie traveled with Theodore Roosevelt for thousands of miles during that campaign; and the thing that astonished him most about Colonel Roosevelt was his ability to find time to read under such circumstances. And what do you suppose he read? Newspaper and magazine articles about himself? No. He read about the French Revolution.

When the train arrived at a town, Roosevelt would drop his book, rush out to the back platform, make a speech; return to his seat and go on reading about events that had happened in France more than a century ago.

How would the average person have read such a book under those circumstances? In the first place, the average man doesn't possess enough mental curiosity to read a book about the French Revolution. But even if he did want to read it, he would say it was impossible to read in the midst of such distraction.

But Theodore Roosevelt possessed the all-important ability to concentrate on whatever he undertook. When he started to read a book, he read it in spite of all the din and uproar of a political campaign.

Paderewski had this ability. His life also bristled with distractions. The biggest distraction came on New Year's Day, 1919. That day he became Prime Minister of Poland. A few days previously, he had started a book by the American writer, Henry Thoreau, dealing with the early days of our country. Great crowds gathered at Warsaw to greet him, and suddenly he was plunged into handling problems of state.

For more than one hundred years his country had suffered under alien yokes. Now freed, national shaking problems had to be solved. He worked 15 hours a day to stabilize his country. He could speak seven languages which made him a most important man at the peace conference. No other diplomat could do this. At the end of eleven months the crisis was over and he resigned. Then he had a little time for himself. So he hunted up the book of Thoreau!

Thomas A. Edison said: "The world is filled with people who start things; few who finish them." Which category are you in? If I knew, I could tell a lot about your chances for advancement.

Mrs. Izetta Jewell Miller, special assistant in the Works Progress Administration at Washington, told the Kentucky Federation of Women's Clubs meeting at Ashland that the nation depends on its women as "the second line of defense."

**NOTICE**

On June 15, 1941 the undersigned as Trustee of the estate of John Friend Auxier will file a final settlement in the Floyd County Court.

**THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF PIKEVILLE**  
 Executor of the Estate of John Friend Auxier

**Wheelwright Leads Kentucky River League Race**

Wheelwright, Floyd county's entry in the Kentucky River league, was at the top of the heap last week after having scored its second victory of the season May 11 against the Jones.

The Wheelwright team defeated Lynch at Wheelwright, 7-2, as Knoll and Pemberton limited the visitors to seven hits, three of which were made by Cornett who smashed a triple and two doubles in four trips to the plate. Wheelwright made 11 hits, one of which was Logan's homer.

The box score:

WRIGHT	AB	R	F	O	A	E
Logan, 2b	3	1	3	0	0	0
Calhoun, 2b	5	1	2	1	0	0
Musick, 1b	5	3	1	5	0	0
Benedict, 3b	4	0	2	3	0	0
Rasmick, rf	3	1	2	4	1	0
Smith, c	5	0	0	1	0	0
Baker, lf	4	0	0	2	0	0
Litank, cf	4	0	2	0	0	0
Knoll, p	3	0	1	0	0	0
Pemberton, p	0	1	0	0	0	0
<b>Totals</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>0</b>

LYNCH	AB	R	F	O	A	E
Yanock, 2b	4	0	0	3	1	0
Cornett, cf	4	2	3	6	1	0
Farmer, lf	4	1	3	0	0	0
Knoll, ss	4	0	2	1	4	0
Galloway, c	4	0	0	5	0	0
Gibson, 3b	4	0	1	0	1	1
Manning, rf	3	0	0	0	0	0
W. Cook, 1b	3	0	0	6	1	0

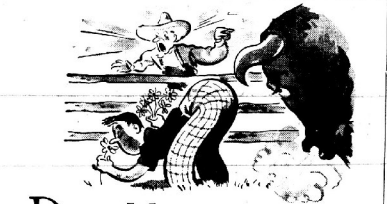
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Arrive Buckeye	6:45 AM	9:30 AM	1:30 PM	4:00 PM	5:30 PM
Leave Buckeye	7:00 AM	10:00 AM	2:00 PM	4:20 PM	5:30 PM
Arrive Prestonsburg	7:30 AM	10:30 AM	2:30 PM	4:50 PM	6:00 PM

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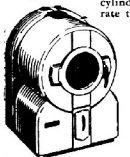
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POLICE SHOW TO BE HELD AT HUNTINGTON, MAY 29-31

The Huntington police are putting on one of the greatest combined shows ever brought to this section



of the country on May 29, 30 and 31 for five performances at the Long baseball field. It will be a rodeo, circus and motor thrill show, composed of over one hundred people, one hundred and fifty head of stock, some of the greatest high aerial acts in the business and automobile and motorcycle thrill stunt show all in one big combination. There will be over forty thrilling events on the program and the profits derived from the three days of the show will go into the police relief fund.

25-BARREL OIL WELL DRILLED IN MARTIN

The Warwick Natural Gas Company brought in a 25-barrel oil well recently on the Grace Stepp farm, three miles southeast of Inez, in a section hitherto untested. The well is seven miles from any other well. The Virginia Gasoline & Oil Company hit a dry hole at 1385 feet on the W. H. Blankenship farm on Rockcastle Fork in Martin county, and the Kentucky West Virginia Gas Company brought in an 82,000-foot gasser on the C. J. Carlisle tract on Codwater Fork in that county.

The first minimum wage and hour law violation conviction in Western Kentucky was recorded at Paducah when Gladys Shoppe, Inc., women's apparel concern, was fined \$50 for working clerks overtime.

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SENIORS GRADUATE

(Continued from page 1, section 1)

Auster—Clifford Blackford, Mary Wells, Pauline Hyden, James Evans, Nathania Burton, Darwin Patton, Lillian Wells, Carl Watson, Golda Burchett, Edith Burton, Juanita Hyden, Janet Wells, Ezra Robinson, Nevada Wells. Betsy Layne—Sylvia Stanley Helen Gearhart, Marie Blackbridge, Evelyn Layne, Fed Conn, Lucille Foley, Dan Jack Combs, Mary Douglas Stealy, Edward McCown, Essie Boyd, Clifford Boyd, O. C. Howell, Delphia Hall, R. B. Clark, Jr., Anna Laura Farmer, Madge Rice, Walter Akers, Judd Martin, L. J. Allen, Helen Marie Austin, Thomas Lewis, Jr., Eleanor Howell, Lloyd Crum, Catherine Rice, James Brewer, Lillian Perrell, Pearl Bryant, Fern Youngs, Ruby Conn, Katherine Scott, Lydia Burchett, Barbara Martin, Jennie Keathley, Eva Moore, Maggie Vance, Garrett—Junior Meade, Delcie Ann Napier, Spencer Combs, Virginia Alice Hornsby, Hazel Salisbury, Louise Allen, Blucher Allen, Jr., Estell Caudill, Calvin R. Gearhart, Helen Marie Coburn, Myranda Moore, Harriet Messer, Tomen Conley, Louise Childers, Bernice Russell, Bonnie M. Belcher, Gertrude E. Gearhart, Fernald Coburn, Grace Allen, Sylvia L. Patton, Beale L. Greene, Vivian Hudson, Matilda Martin, Ruth Pratt, Bertha Gearhart, Bertie Howard, Frank Vanderpool, Jack Music, Junior Francis, Oliver Webb, Jr., Chester Dempsey, James Daniels.

Martin—Golda Pratt, Gertrude Allen, Mervin Beckett, Otto Egan, Nestor Cann, Tom Martin, John Spruick, Jake Crisp, John Coleman, Jr., Merin Flannery, Delna Francis, Earl Branham, Ocie Crisp, Gene Hale, Esteva Leon, Bernice Crum, Palmer Dingus, Luke Ratcliffe, Mabel Crisp, Lillian Salisbury, Norma Hester, Edna Hall, Mary Helen Smith, Audrey Skene, Juanita Hayes, Helen Fretell, Barbara Skans Osborne, Charlene Thompson, Lucretia Turner, Harold Skeans Harry Goodin, Geraldine Hickman, Lenore Crisp, Barbara Salisbury, Dewey Conn, Maxine Martin, Hilma Ken, Fredia Pebley, Lee Arnold Salisbury, William Goff, Gola Hurd. Maytown—Dorthea Stambaugh, Ray Meadows, Alvia Fraure, Reid Bingham, Dorthea Cassidy, Clovis Ferguson, Mae Reed, Claude Webb, Helen Salisbury, Austin Cassidy, Virginia Osborn, Lester Northrop, Bertha Ratliff, Wynne Reffett, Frank Shepherd, Russell Patton, Trybilla Hicks, Cabornie Velt Wright, Nancy Spencer, Gerlie Prater, Edith Hayes, Virgil Reffett, Edith Mae Pitts, Marie Fraley, Beatrice Webb. McDowell—Billy Burns Martin, Johnnie Hall, Lester Tackett, Elmer Elswick, Ira Hall, Junior Hamilton, Ruthsue McCoy, Vernon Hall, Gertrude Compton, Cecil Miller, Velva Tackett, Tina Stumbo, Walter Prasure, Harold Shumberger, Irene Gibson, Edna Hall, Inezine Stumbo, Shirley Vanderpool, Marie Hall, Prestonburg—John L. Herald, Herbert Salisbury, Jr., Marian Margherita Branham, John Arnes, Sidney E. Bailey, Garnet Fay Banks, Susan Ruby Blackburn, Radeyne C. Boyd, Ernestine Brown, Lucy Mae Burchett, Joe Edward Banks, Ella Vivian Caudill, Jane Hamilton Clarke, Ethel Ann Conley, Billy Parry, Conley, Robert Goble, Alma E. Hall, Willis Harmon, Ballard C. Herald, Myra Elizabeth Hill, Reba Mae Howell, Lena Emmitt Huser, Clyde Eugene Hunt, Frederick C. Getzell, Ethel Salisbury Coss, Anna Mayo Curran, Vesta V. DeLong, Richard D. Dingus, Billy Fannin, Clyde Eugene George, Charles Ernest Hunter, Mary Margaret Hyden, Phyllis Mae Hyden, Guy L. Layne, Faye Elizabeth McEura, Violet McSurrey, Elijah Brown May, Jr., Rexford Beach Merritt, Ailie Ann Moore, Billie Virginia Moore, Nellie Music, Boyd Moore Nuckles, Joan Patton, Eddie Jo Pigman, Hershel Prater, Louise Bernice Price, Oscar Richardson, Hugh Calvert Skene, Marie Mae Steele, Nola Stephens, Sae Clay Stephens, Martha Lois Sillis, Cleopatra Stumbo, Edman Henshaw, Thelma E. Williams, E. Thomas, Carl L. Tutts, M. Elsie Williams, Ossie J. Patrick, Robert Goble. Wayland—George Hart, Seymour Crumpler, Francis A. Rose, Bill Fady, Louella Fannin, Maxine Fern, Clara Spear, Oliver Hall, Thomas Bowling, Odessa Richardson, Earl Vernon Leslie, Janice Terry, Marjorie Harmon, Dorotha Lambert, Georgia Clark, Thomas E. Dixon, Lois Hobbs, Irene Conley, Pauline Pigman, Eulian Mills, Nola E. Hobbs, Ester Eldenes, Elizabeth Gore, Doris Blair, Woodrow Williams, Ernest Wyatt, Roberta Griffith, Robert Whitaker, Jewel Morris, Eber Music, Elizabeth Kane. Wheelwright—Donald Bradley Snipe, James H. Stewart, O. N. Wilkinson, Anna Mae Babler, Blanch Supra Blackburn, Rudolph Zeitz, William E. Wright, Garnie Martin, Eliza Johnson, Eliza Jane

TWO VOLUNTEERS

Two more Lawrence county youth men volunteered with the local draft board this week for one year enlistments, making a total of 163 to volunteer in this county since selective service registration last October. The new volunteers are: Robert May, of Louisa, and Robert York, of Torenthright.

SOLDIER, ACCIDENT VICTIM

Corporal Jay Patrick Milum, 24, of Fort Gay, a volunteer assigned to the Ninth Reconnaissance Division of the U. S. army at Fort Bragg, N. C., died Thursday of last week in a Wilson, N. C., hospital of injuries suffered in an automobile accident.

IS INDICTED IN PIKE

Pikeville, Ky. (From The Pike County News)—A total of 78 indictments were returned by the grand jury for the May term of Pike circuit court which finished its duties and delivered its report to

ADAMS HELD IN SLAYING

Julien Adams, 20, of Pikeville, was in the county jail today awaiting trial tomorrow on a charge of murder following the shooting early Wednesday morning of James Arnett, 23, on Main street, near the Williamson bridge.

Governor Johnson designated

May 23 as "China Sunday" in a proclamation which asks Kentuckians to observe it as a day of prayer for the last great democracy remaining in the Far East.

Along the Big Sandy

NEW COACH BEGINS WORK

Painville, Ky. (From The Herald)—Painville high school has a new coach who went on the job Monday morning. He succeeds Leo Gruskowski who resigned a few weeks ago to accept a more lucrative position with the Boy Scout work in the state.

The new coach is Mont Weaver, who comes to the local school from Collinsville, Ala., where he has taught and conducted sports activities of the Alabama school for several years past and where he has had much success.

BANKS SCARE IN JOHNSON

There have been in the last 10 days reported to the Health Department a number of dogs who seem suspicious of being rabid. It is the belief decreed by the health department through its director, E. John Kinnel, M. D., that all dogs in this county be confined to their premises and if allowed out must be either on a leash or muzzled. It is estimated that all dogs of this county be confined in order that the presence of rabid dogs be stamped out.

JOHNSON SOLDIER DIES

The body of a county youth, Charles Castle, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Castle, Van Lear, was shipped Monday to the Partville Furniture Company for burial last Friday. Young Castle was a soldier in the U. S. army stationed at Fort Cavazos, Mich. He died following an operation for appendicitis performed three days previous.

BURNED MAIL POUCH FOUND

Louisa, Ky. (From Big Sandy News)—A partly burned U. S. mail pouch was found along the N. & W. right-of-way in Mingo county, W. Va., Monday. The pouch had been consigned to Post Gay Charred articles of parcel post, also addressed to people in Fort Gay, were found earlier at another point on the N. & W., and postal inspectors are investigating.

NO RECRUITS

Sergeant Kenneth Holmes, who headed the army's mobile recruiting truck which visited Louisa Saturday and Sunday, reported that no applications were accepted for enlistment while the recruiting unit was in Louisa. The unit is visiting other towns in the Big Sandy valley this week.

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**BONANZA**

By "DAB"  
(Last week's correspondence)  
Dear Valley Friends:  
There's not a soul to be seen out in Bonanza. I think most of the women folks are at Rucker Wright's quilting, and what men are left are about equally divided between the grist mill on the upper end and the saw mill on the lower end.

Aunt Betty Ha'e was here when I came home Monday, and we could hardly hear each other speak because those mills were "cutting such a dash."  
People around here have been working like "white heads" to get a little stuff into the ground. It looks like the crop is going to be good, and there's a fine prospect for fruit this year if frost doesn't get it.

The little school here is out. One of those big school buses comes up here and takes a bunch of young-uns to high school. Next week graduates over there this year. Arthur James started in, but quit to help install light fixtures in his rural electrification program.

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Mill Stanley is president of the firm here. He and Joe were up here in a big red truck today with "REA" on it.

Vi girls and Dorcus were down here with their boys yesterday. Those boys are a sight. Dorcus and Worth live over at her "Dad's" now.

Jim and Hazel have moved to the Roe Frazer place in the Gap. I saw Lillie and Jim go up the lane this morning and Lillie was "all dressed-up." Marie and Catherine were over a few Sundays ago.

Muriel has come back from the hospital. Mama ate dinner down there the other day, and she said Muriel looked the best she's seen her in a long time.

I saw Mildred and Nannie over in town Friday before Easter. Mildred is a "hasser." They said she's sold three cows this spring and had chickens nearly big enough to fry. She said she'd send "Red" after us if we'd come over for a week-end. I thought we'd give the chickens a little more time.

Guy Merritt is back from the Navy. He's been down to Bonanza several times wearing his uniform. He said Aunt Julia Stephens brought him home the other day. Julia's awfully good to her "people."

Jack and Biddle had a sale Wednesday. They're selling out to go to Oklahoma for Jack's health. Beatrice and Malcolm are going to live up there at the "home place."

Armenis and Mae have a new baby girl, named Leta Belle.

She said Docia Mohle has a pretty full store and gets a "heap" of trade. One of her little boys looked at my coat collar and said, "That's a water coat," and when I said it wasn't, he said, "Well, it's not hot coat."

Hazel Hill is down at "State." She and Ruth Fitzpatrick are majoring in Home Ec. Ruth said most people thought all the training that is required was a little cookin' and sewin'.

Lucille and Pauline ("Sally" and "Polly") are graduating from Stillwell Lake high school this year. They're all so "dead gone" on THE TIMES I guess we ought to give them a subscription if they send us one of their "little cards."

Tommy Hall has been going to Pikeville College. He was sick for a week or two.

Forrest passed a while ago—he "died" like he had "Larry on the brain."

Albert and Nannie have had a house built below Bud's, and are about moved in. Harry Burke had one built up the lane for Rubie and Maynard.

I think Woodrow and Mabel have gone back to Bonnie Blue. They're been visiting Wes and Mahala and George and Agnes.

Senie is working for the NYA.

Leona and Raymond have bought the Hezlie Bay's place and moved up there. Ruth and Otto went to Indiana.

"Little Sarah" was planning to go to Richmond after her school was out, but "Big Sarah" got sick and she couldn't go.

Julia and Stuart stayed nearly a week over here. Stuart hid Dad's cane and wouldn't find it for less than two cents. Mama is coming over today. We bought some products from Willie, and I baked a "batch" of pies.

Hollie B. ate dinner with us the other day. She has a sense of humor like the Governor's first name.

Dad hasn't been feeling well for a long time. Mama feels fine, and works hard—married 54 years ago last January and hasn't hardly a gray hair in her head.

Molly Short stays with Ghady. Orlis works up at Pikeville. Those red-headed boys of theirs are nearly grown.

Earl's and Geraldine's baby is "growing like a pig."

Bob's two boys are in the Navy, and Patton's two boys are in the Army.

Budie, Sis and Alice were up last Holiness Church time.

As Mama says, "There's just two more meetings until the foot-washing." We reckon we'll see all of you then.

I've written all I've "seed and heard" since here I've been and borrowed some news from the "Fur Fork."

**Prestonsburg Wins Tight Hill Duel By 4 To 3 Score**

In a game featured by fine pitching and constant bickering between pitchers and umpires, Prestonsburg came from behind Sunday, May 11, to defeat Drift here, 4 to 3.

Drift jumped ahead in the second inning by scoring two runs, added another in the fourth and held Prestonsburg scoreless until the sixth as Price completely baffled local batters, permitting only one hit in the first five innings. Prestonsburg picked up two runs in the sixth on Price and Buck Stumbo came in to pitch the last two innings. He fared slightly worse at the hands of Prestonsburg, allowing four hits and two runs during his tenure on the mound.

Each team made eight hits, but three of Drift's blows were for extra bases. A wobbly infield defense was costly to the visitors. Vance and Price completely led the hoose. Crum and Salisbury led the Prestonsburg attack, while the Drift batters garnered half of Prestonsburg's two-baggers.

The crowd was the season's largest for Prestonsburg. Drift fans followed their favorites here in large numbers. The box score:

	P	B	R	E	P	O	A	E
Prestonsburg	4	0	1	1	4	0	0	0
Drift	3	0	0	2	0	0	0	0

Summary: Earned runs—Prestonsburg 1, Drift 2. Runs batted in—Vannose, Crum, Salisbury, 2. Two-base hits—Shelton, B. Butcher. Sacrifice—Vannose, Stolen bases—B. Butcher. Let's on bases—B. Patton 3, Price 2, B. Stumbo 2. Bases on balls—none. Out B. Stumbo—2 runs, 4 hits in 2 innings. Losing pitcher—B. Stumbo. Umpires—Shoover, Bingham and Huff. Time—2:11.

**NOTICE TO VOTERS**

If you have not already registered, and desire to vote in the coming primary election, it will be necessary for you to register on or before June 4, 1941, as registration books will close on that date. Also, if anything is wrong with your previous registration, it will be necessary for adjustments to be made by said date.

A. B. MEADE, Clerk,  
Floyd County Court  
5-8-31

**NOTICE**

The Prestonsburg Liquor Store (Carl E. Brown, proprietor) is applying for license to sell whiskey at retail by the package at its location in the Harkins Big, opposite Bank Josephine, and publishes this notice in accordance with state law. 5-15-22

**MONEY TO—BUILD**

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Lying and being in Floyd county, Ky., on the waters of Left Beaver Creek, near Jump railroad station, on which H. D. Martin now resides, and D. Martin now resides, and the bounded on the North by the lands of Noah Martin's wife; on the East by the land of Maryland Martin and Monte Hughes and A. L. Martin; on the South by the land of A. L. Martin and on the West by Left Beaver Creek and Puss Hill, containing 25 acres more or less, including all improvements placed thereon. Said land being the tract of land allotted

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**BANNER**

(Last week's correspondence)  
Mr. and Mrs. James Roberts of this place, arrived in Baldwin, Colorado, Sunday to be guests of their daughter, Mrs. Vines Okrandt. They will celebrate their golden wedding anniversary there. They are the parents of four daughters and one son.

Crops are in need of rain. There are still good prospects of plenty fruit.

Mrs. Tina Meade and children were visiting Mr. and Mrs. John Jones Sunday.

Mrs. and Mrs. Leonard Jones were in Prestonsburg this week where Mrs. Jones had some dental work done.

E. W. Rice was home over the week-end from his work in West Virginia.

Condition of Jack Hunt is improving and he will not have to go back to the hospital at Huntington, W. Va.

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**NOTICE**

Notice is hereby given that Clyde Sparlock has filed application with the Floyd County Court for permit to operate a roadhouse or other place of business near the "Y" Allen, Ky., where soft drinks and beer may be sold, and publishes this notice in accordance with state law. 5-8-31

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TESTAMENT OF A REPORTER

I saw Jack Dempsey knocked out of the ring at Atlantic City and come back to win. I saw Ben Juby knocked down three times, climb back on his feet and land a haymaker. I saw Pope Ortiz tossed on the horns of a bull, land on his feet, running blood, wave his torso aside to make the kill himself. I saw the coal miners of Herrin, Ill., walk unarmed into the barking guns of the militia, fall in heaps of dead, and with their sticks...

through the trap still guffawing. I saw Joe Gans riding in an ambulance to his death bed with his fists still clenched and twitching and his chin still tucked down against Bar Nelson. I saw Chris Haggerty of the AP climb an icy telegraph pole in the Dayton food, tap out his last message: "Dayton, Ohio-AP everywhere—and slide unconscious to the earth. I heard Hugo Haase stand up at the first National German assembly at Weimer and proclaim: "I am a German who believes the might of guns will only win for us an ignominious place in the human family. If this is treason, kill me." They killed him on the Reichstag steps in Berlin...

I've seen these things and many things like them. Along with the endless saga of misfortune that hits the eye of the reporter he gets to see the queer stamens of little people in big trouble. He is given a privileged look at the undaunted moments that are the soul of human history. He sees the job of disaster and wreckage, but if he keeps his eyes open he usually gets a look at the flag of man still flapping above some corner of the shambles. I've seen this flag a hundred times where it never belonged. I've seen it come out of the many big and little holes in the hearts of people and straighten up in victory. And I'll see it again. I'll see England win.—Ben Hecht in PM.

I saw Lou Gehrig bat out his last homer with his spine tied in a knot. I saw Jesus Maria Lopez, before a firing squad in Chihuahua smoke, his last cigarette, grin at the leveled rifles and say: "You, bullets, my friends, will have no effect on the thoughts in my humble head. They will continue in our humble head. I saw Teddy Roosevelt, shot by an assassin, stand up that night in a Milwaukee auditorium and with a bullet still in his midriff, deliver the finest oration of his career. If anything happened to him as a result of the morning's accident, he cried to the throng, he hoped their mourning would be tempered by the memory of what a hell of a good time he had had out of life. I saw Ben Welch, blind as a bat, come prancing out on the Palace theater stage and crack jokes that convulsed his audience. I saw Eugene Debs, the Socialist leader, come out of the Atlanta jail and say: "America is the greatest country in the world with the brightest future. I only hope nothing happens to dim that future. I saw George Gershwin writing his last tunes for the Goldwyn Folies with a brain tumor driving an axe pick through his skull. I saw Billy Petrolle, twice beaten, come back in his old Indian blanket in Madison Square Garden and while the daylight out of Jimmy McLarnin. I saw garment workers in Chicago march singing into a double wall of mounted police, get trampled to death and win their strike. I saw a survivor of the Titanic, a servant girl from Galway, who told me how her friends in the steerage had died. Unable to find places in the life boats, they had crowded into the forbidden but now deserted precincts of the first-class cabin, taken possession of the elegant piano and played and sung Irish tunes as the ship went down, themselves with it. I saw Bill Hayward on the night he skipped bail and fled from his native U.S.A. to die in Russia. He was under sentence as a radical. I met him in the gallery of a burlesque theater. He had been touring the town, having a last look at the country he loved. "They put on a great show here," he said, chewing on a bag of peanuts. "I always like to come to places like this just to watch those bums in the audience laugh." I saw an AEF soldier on a hospital cot with both legs off and a fake jaw riveted to where his face had been, move his mouth stiffly and squeak like a mamma doll: "We won."

It is Thanksgiving as I write this. I am reminded of the good-luck value of the pullbones of a chicken or turkey. Some people say the shorter piece when two break it is the lucky part; some counter by saying the longer of the longer piece will live longer, as if that could remunerate one for not getting married sooner. Anyway, it is good luck to put your lucky piece above the door; the first eligible person walking under it will be your future partner. A few years ago when an old house was torn down, we found a double handful of chicken pullbones over the door.

'Singing Convention' At Pikeville, June 15

Annual "Singing Convention" of the Kentucky and West Virginia Singers' Association will be held in Pikeville Sunday, June 15, beginning at 12:15 p. m., and continuing till 5 p. m. Organized 11 years ago, the Association seeks to foster good vocal music among the masses and especially to encourage an appreciation of good music among the young people. If the weather is fair, the convention will be held in the city park, and in case of rain, in the Pikeville high school auditorium. Subscribe for THE TIMES—\$1.50 PER YEAR.

ANOTHER ONE GOES

Boston, May 14—George Barnicle, right-handed pitcher of the Boston Braves, has been sent to the Hartford club in the Eastern League, the Boston National League club announced today. Barnicle, who has been up with the Boston club for portions of two seasons, won four games and lost one while playing with Syracuse last year.

GOES TO LOUISVILLE

Boston, May 14—Herbert Hash, right-handed pitcher who won seven and lost seven games last season, was released today by the Boston Red Sox on option to the Louisville club of the American Association. His release brings the Red Sox to the 25-player limit required by May 15.

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TIDBITS OF KENTUCKY FOLKLORE. TALISMANS. Of our superstitions are subjective and thus cannot be seen, in origin or in practice; others are subjective and stand a much better chance of being known and perpetuated. In our time many of the superstitions customs or objects are deliberately phony, just for the fun of the thing. It is hard to tell whether some of them are to be taken seriously or not. This is especially true with objects that are supposed to bring good luck or ward off evil. RHEUMATISM. I suppose the asafetida bag is the one of widest use. There is never a year that I fail to find it in some part of the house, in the open country, in coal-mining towns, in villages of the old type, even in cities. Some of the best students I have taught have assured me that they wore an asafetida bag when they were younger, to be the same children if for no other purpose. RHEUMATISM is probably as common as formerly, but it bears little resemblance to the extraction of teeth, the removal of appendixes, and other troublesome and expensive remedies. Rheumatism, though, could be stopped dead in its tracks by the use of a buckeye carried in the pocket or by wearing a ring made of a horseshoe nail. When I was teaching my first school, in 1907, I lived on a farm where a negro cropper's daughter, otherwise above the average in intelligence, whether of white or black folk, always wore around her neck a home-made necklace containing one of her own teeth. I never asked just what it was supposed to cure or prevent, but I just supposed that it must be a charm or talisman against toothache. Later it has occurred to me that it may have been a voodoo charm, to ward off the evil eye of a rival or to prevent some witch from having power over her. After all, red flannel must have been regarded much in the nature of a talisman, for common sense and reason would have long ago condemned it. The color itself had something to do with its charm, for I cannot recall having heard of any other color that was worn by babies and by people who feared rheumatism and other fearful diseases. Infant mortality, I read is much less than formerly. I wonder whether red flannel as a passing institution may not have had something to do with this condition. Horsemanship is so common as signs of good luck that it seems almost superfluous to mention them. Rather odd, though, people do not always agree what constitutes the proper position for the shoe, with the open or closed part up. Years ago I found horses being nailed over the door of every imaginable place: stock barns, smokehouses, henhouses, pumping stations along the railroad. Undoubtedly many of these are still in their time-hallowed places.

FOR MAGISTRATE. We are authorized to announce FRENCH BOLEN as a candidate for Magistrate in Magisterial District No. 2, subject to the action of the Republican party at the August, 1941 primary. Your support will be deeply appreciated. FOR MAGISTRATE. We are authorized to announce CHARLES STUMBO (Charter member of United Mine Workers) of Printer, Ky., as a candidate for Magistrate, District No. 3, subject to the action of the Democratic party at the August, 1941 primary. I have become a candidate at the request of my friends and relatives, and will do my best to justify their support and confidence. FOR COUNTY JUDGE. We are authorized to announce DR. ORRIS GEARHEART of Martin, Ky., as a candidate for County Judge, subject to the action of the Democratic party at the August primary. I will work with the people to give the county the kind of administration we all need.

FOR MAGISTRATE. We are authorized to announce ALVIN D. TURNER & SONS CONTRACTING CARPENTERS AND PAINTERS. Phone 36-R GARRETT, KY. PERSONALIZED SERVICE. WARD'S DRY CLEANERS. Corner Third and Graham. Phone 274. PRESTONSBURG, KY. MUTE MARKS OF DEVOTION. Your last tribute to the departed loved one is the final service you can perform. Make it one that will be worthy and permanent. It is but fitting then that we commemorate the memory of a loved one by an apt mark of devotion... a fine monument. Many Fine Grave Tombs—stones as low as— \$25.00. Apalachian Marble & Granite Works. Incorporated. Highway 119. MAYKING, KY. Just above WHITESBURG.

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**New Series of Exams To Be Conducted**

Frankfort, Ky.—J. P. Glasgow, supervisor of the state merit system committee, announced this week that another series of statewide, open competitive examinations for certain positions within the Unemployment Compensation Commission and the Old Age Assistance divisions would be given in the near future. The tentative date for the examinations has been set for June 21.

Glasgow explained that due to the rapid rise of employment in private industry, especially with reference to such positions as machine operators and clerk stenographers, the present eligible list is being rapidly depleted and that it is desirable to augment the register established by a previous examination.

Applications for participation in the examination will be accepted until midnight, May 24, Glasgow said. Application blanks may be obtained by writing the Merit System Supervisor, Division of Personnel, Frankfort, Ky., or from an area office of the Kentucky Unemployment Compensation Commission. Such offices are located in Ashland, Bowling Green, Corbin, Covington, Frankfort, Harlan, Henderson, Hopkinsville, Lexington, Mayesville, Middleboro, Newport, Owensboro, Paducah, Pikeville, Somerset and Winchester.

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**CLIFF**

(Last week's correspondence)  
Mother's Day was observed at the home of R. E. Marshall, veteran Floyd county teacher, with a family re-union at his home on the Auxier road, near here.

Joining Mr. and Mrs. Marshall for the day were Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Patton and five children, Bonanza, Mr. and Mrs. Winfield Marshall and daughter, Ashland, Mrs. Norman Akers, Mr. Akers and children, Furnace, Ky.; Mrs. Oleta Snegar and daughters, Owensville, Ky.; Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Marshall and daughter, Ashland, Ky.; Mr. and Mrs. Marie Marshall, Ashland; Thomas Marshall, Ashland; Robert Harry Marshall, at home; Mr. and Mrs. Duke McKenna and children, of Auxier; Mrs. Marshall's sister, Mrs. Mary Arnett, Salsberyville.

**Auxier Wins Third Tilt of Season**

Auxier, Ky., May 14 (Sp.)—Auxier won its third game of the season by defeating Lyon Sunday, 18-9. Bickford hurried the victory.

his third this year. Auxier's four early runs came when Patton overloaded the bases with a home run.

The box score:

AUXIER	AB	R	E
Moolgomyer, ss-cf-2b	5	2	3
E. Evans, 3b-2b	4	2	0
Curritus, cp-sc-1b	3	2	0
Patton, cf-p	5	2	0
T. Hubbard, 2b-cf	4	2	0
C. Bickford, rf-c	4	3	0
B. Hubbard, 1b-sc	4	0	1
Wells, lf	1	0	0
Raney, if	1	1	0
R. Bickford, p-ob-cf	4	0	2
<b>Totals</b>	<b>35</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>6</b>

LIGON	AB	R	E
Chaffin, ss	4	2	2
Stewart, 2b	3	1	0
Chaffin, cf	4	1	0
Barbour, c	2	1	0
T. Hall, if	5	2	1
D. Hall, 3b	4	0	1
Akers, 1b	5	1	2
Henson, rf	4	1	0
Howell, p	2	0	0
Allen, p	3	0	0
<b>Totals</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>8</b>

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**FIRE DESTROYS LOUISIA PLANT**

**DAMAGE OF \$100,000 SUSTAINED MAY 15 AT LUMBERYARD**

Louisia, Ky., May 15—Firemen resorted to dynamite Thursday in an effort to control flames which caused damage estimated at more than \$100,000 at the Republic Creosoting Company.

The blaze was believed to have originated in a sawdust pile. It ignited the company's saw and planing mills, quickly destroying them, and whipped by a hard wind, bridged the gap to the nearby lumberyard containing more than 1,000,000 feet of rough and finished lumber.

Fire Chief Jim Heston directed blasting efforts, no water supply being available at the plant, which is outside Louisia.

Three charges were set off, but each time the wind whipped the flames across the gap. Emergency callers for dynamite were sent to

nearby towns.

The plant is one of twenty-two operated by the company, which has headquarters in Indianapolis. It was established in Louisia three years ago and employed twenty-five men, besides providing employment for woodcutters and farmers of the district.

D. B. White, superintendent, could not be reached, but experienced lumbermen of the district said the damage might be considerably greater than the \$100,000 estimate. The plant was the largest on the Big Sandy river.

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SOUTHERN MINES TO CONTINUE WORK

ISBELL CITES CROP NEEDS FOR MINERS

SAYS UNEMPLOYMENT STRAIN LESSEND BY GOOD GARDEN

By COUNTY AGENT S. L. ISBELL. The number of farmers in Floyd county has increased from 2,773 to 4,028 in the last 10 years and, as a result, the average size of farms in the county have been reduced from 50.6 acres down to 39.6 acres, or a reduction of 20 acres per farm.

At the present time there are 4,388 farms in the county of less than 30 acres in size or 58 per cent of the total. This size farm, under the present agricultural system, is not large enough to support a farm family, so a large number of farm families are part-time farmers and work in coal mines, with gas companies, railroads or are receiving WPA employment.

The industrial worker who lives on a small farm where he can grow a garden, keep a small flock of chickens and a milk cow is improved from a financial standpoint because of reduced cost of living, and also has a much better chance of giving his family a better food supply and his cash income will also permit him to secure things for his family that he cannot produce on his own farm.

A well-kept garden with the surplus products canned for winter use, worth on the average about \$50 per acre while the milk produced from one cow adds another \$100 worth of food to the family.

It is readily seen that a farmer who lives on a small farm can survive industrial unemployment much more easily than a non-farm family.

It should also be pointed out, however, that a farm of that size in this county will not provide steady year-around employment and that some type of non-farm work will be necessary to give this farmer a decent standard of living.

Clear Creek Outlays Wayland Sunday 15 to 10 Score

Fed. Ky., May 18 (Sp.)—The Great Creek Rockets came back Sunday to set their rating at 500. Moore again came through with his slow knuckle ball, though Wayland garnered 13 hits while W. Ratliff, Patton and Rollins were allowed 19.

Lambert and G. Stumbo led the hitting for Clear Creek with three for each, while Adkins led the Wayland males with four out of six hits at bat.

Line-up: CLEAR CREEK AB R H PO A E Adkins, 2b 5 0 0 2 3 2 Johnson, ss 4 2 3 3 2 Castle, lf 4 2 3 0 0 0 H. Stumbo, c 5 1 2 2 2 Newman, rb 5 2 2 10 1 G. Stumbo, 3b 4 2 3 1 2 Children, cf 5 1 0 1 1 B. Moore, p 5 2 3 0 1 Lambert, rf 4 2 3 1 0 H. Children, 2b 1 1 0 1 0

Totals 43 15 27 15 8

WAYLAND AB R H PO A E Adkins, 2b 5 2 4 1 2 Moore, 3b 5 1 1 3 7 1 Ines, rf 4 2 2 0 0 Martin, lf 5 1 1 0 1 W. Ratliff, 1b 5 1 0 1 0 Collins, 3b 5 1 1 0 1 Jess Ratliff, 1b 5 1 1 12 0 Patton, p 5 0 0 0 0 Rollins, pcf 5 0 2 0 0

Totals 44 10 13 24 16 Summary: Struck out—by Moore 5, by Patton 0; by Rollins 1, by Ratliff 3. Left on bases—Clear Creek 6, Wayland 5. Base on balls—off Moore 3, off Patton 2, off Ratliff 1. Two-base hits—G. Stumbo 2, B. Moore 1, Lambert 1, 2, H. Stumbo, Collins, Lambert—Castle 1. Umpire—Noe. Official scorer—R. McCoy.

IN CHARLESTON E. B. Mullins, of the Cox Department Store, was a business visitor in Charleston, W. Va., this week.

FROM START TO FINISH OF RAILWAY UP MIDDLE CREEK TO LICK FORK



BAND, CHORUS REHEARSE

FOR APPEARANCE AT COUNTYWIDE GRADUATION

Fifty-five members of the Floyd County Band, a composite of instrumentalists from eight county high schools, rehearsed here Saturday for the part they will play at the county-wide graduation exercises here Friday evening.

Jeese Elliott, band instructor, said that plans for a music program larger than that of last year include the possibility of presenting a short concert for the professional.

Rehearsing with the band were 70 members of the Floyd County Chorus. Mrs. Palmer Hall said approximately 100 students are expected to form the chorus appearing at the graduation exercises.

- Represented in the rehearsal were the Betsy Layne, Prestonsburg, Martin, Maytown, Garrett, McDowell, Wheelwright, Wayland and Auxier schools. Band members present for Saturday's rehearsal were: Maytown—Jean Horner, Clyde Patton, Beryl Stewart, Arthur Turner, Billy Francis Jarrell, Martin—Doyle Ross Dings, Joy Francis, John Hayes Turney, John Coleman, Glennafay Dings, Jean Reed, Rue Dings, Donald Hutchison, Mrs. Oval B. Hall, Dorothy Pratt.

- Garrett—Louise Childers, Betty B. Moore, Marie Coburn, Aynelle Chaffins, Edwin McConas, Aynelle Lemaster, Betty Roache. Auxier—Roberta Wells, McDowell—Roberta Myers, Ruebush McCoy, Betsy Layne—Edith May Combs, Laura Katherine Combs, Joan Roberts, Lois Roberts, Carlos Hale, Helen Austin, Helen Gearheart, Sylvia Stansley, Ray Colvin Davis, Oscar Fred Bink, Billy Sarrett, Barbara Bush, Sylvia Russer, Juanita Stafford, Anna Lee Francis, Nadine Compton, Ralph Egan, Gerald Roberts.

Wheelwright—Helen Beary, Eugene Elliott, Margaret McNeil, Ethel West, Bobby Porter, Gayzelle Vanover, Elizabeth McCoy. Wayland—Katherine Fox and one other (name unobtainable). Prestonsburg—Mrs. Kathryn S. Frazier, Clifford Marshall, Jane Garret Hoeger.

Todd county, which voted yesterday a majority of 500 three years ago, became the fifty-second county in Kentucky to join the dry column as a result of a local option election last week. The county had a majority of 1,524 votes. The total vote was 2,190.

WAGE PARLEY DISPUTANTS IN TRUCE

LEWIS ADAMANT IN WAGE RAISE DEMANDS

An agreement to continue production of soft coal during further negotiations between Southern Appalachian operators and the United Mine Workers of America (UMW) was announced Saturday night in New York City, by William H. Davis, vice-chairman of the National Defense Mediation Board.

Davis said conferences between the operators and the union would continue in New York and if no agreement was reached by 10 a. m. Friday, both sides would report at the time before the Mediation Board in Washington.

Negotiators had indicated previous to Saturday night's meeting with Davis that they were unable to reach agreement. John L. Lewis, union chief, had said a work stoppage might begin Wednesday of this week among the 330,000 miners in the east state Appalachian area.

After his conference with the soft coal miners and operators Saturday night, Davis announced that it should be necessary for negotiations to be resumed before the Mediation Board. It was understood that the present retroactive agreement would be in effect, that the status quo would be maintained and the mines kept in full operation.

"We are aware," he said, "of the meeting scheduled for Monday of the National Policy Committee of the United Mine Workers to receive a report from the union negotiating committee. We have been given assurance that our request will be granted."

"The mines will be kept in operation so that we can meet with production of coal going on and can continue our discussions in Washington for a reasonable time while production still continues," Davis said.

Negotiators were resumed Monday.

Davis had called Saturday night's meeting for the purpose of stabilizing the situation. He said the soft coal situation had aroused some uneasiness.

His announcement marked the second time the Mediation Board has intervened in the soft coal dispute. When the Southern operators bolted the joint Appalachian conference last month and established a separate bargaining group in Washington, the board brought to effect an agreement.

After a personal appeal by Secretary of Commerce Jesse Jones, the Southern operators resumed negotiations and the mines closed a month were re-opened under a tentative agreement.

Wage demands stood in the way of settlement in both branches of the industry.

The average wage rate in the Southern Appalachian soft coal fields is \$5.99 a day. The union is seeking an increase of \$1.40 to match the \$7.39-a-day wage agreed to by the Northern operators, who previously had paid \$6 a day. The Southern group has offered an increase of \$1 but balked at the added 40 cents.

S. T. Putnam of Beckley, W. Va., spokesman for the Southern soft coal operators, asserted in a statement Saturday that "the real issue is the continuance of the right to own and manage private property or surrender to the union's nationalization program."

John L. Lewis, president of the United Mine Workers, has contended that the operators have already raised coal prices sufficiently to cover a daily wage increase from \$5.99 to \$7.

BOYS WILL BE BOYS Wilkes-Barre, Pa.—Speaking of bottlenicks, two four-year-olds really created one at automobile parking lot. Just to pass the time, they started to collect car keys and had 15 sets before they were detected. Frightened by police, they wouldn't tell where they got the keys. It took the law an hour to straighten things out.

Mother, Babe Succumb Sunday at Martin Hospital

All four weeks of double pneumonia, Mrs. Malta Mae Ramsey, 38, wife of John Ramsey, Wheelwright, died at the Beaver Valley hospital, Martin, Sunday, at a hour following the birth of a daughter. The babe's death was almost simultaneous with that of his mother.

A native of Johnson county, Mrs. Ramsey was a daughter of Andrew Childs. She is survived by her husband, her father and the following children: Charles, Daniel, Mary, Della Mae, Ruth and Shirley Jean. The body was prepared for burial by the Evans Funeral Home and taken to Whitehouse where both mother and babe were interred in the same grave. Funeral rites were conducted by the Rev. Claude Sexton, of Wheelwright.

Garrett Senior Class Plans Production Of 'The Mikado'

During the last three weeks, Garrett consolidated school has been preparing for the coming production of Gilbert and Sullivan's "The Mikado." The set is now almost complete and the light crew is beginning to install lights. Music lovers and friends of Garrett school

have already indicated that they will not miss what promises to be one of the best productions ever given by the school. The management hopes that attendance will be improved by the fact that another Senior class production under the direction of Joe Dyer was very successful.

Remainder of the graduating schedule of the Garrett school follows: Baccalaureate sermon, Sunday night, May 26, at 8:00; "The Mikado," Wednesday night, May 28, at 8:00; Class Night exercises, Thursday, May 29, at 8:00.

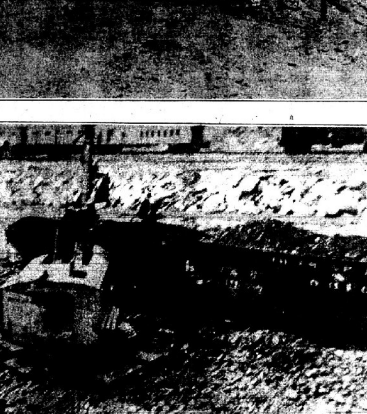
ASKS REQUISITION OF WILLIAM YOCKE

Frankfort—Governor Keen John requisitioned West Virginia for the return of William Yocke from Ohio county, West Virginia, to Floyd county, Ky., on a child desertion charge.

Top Scene at West Prestonsburg as work began last December on railroad driving into virgin coal beds on Lick Fork, Middle Creek, 10 miles away.

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# TVA Dam At Gilbertsville Ky., Is Largest Federal Project East Of The Mississippi



**KENTUCKY DAM FROM THE AIR**—This aerial view of the Tennessee Valley Authority's Kentucky Dam at Gilbertsville, on the Tennessee river in Western Kentucky shows, at the left, the navigation lock, which soon will be completed, and at the center, the dam. Visitors may view the construction work from the bridge which spans the stream.

(This is one of a series of articles sponsored by the Kentucky State Association which in 1941 would celebrate the centennial of the state's admission to the Union in 1792.)

By JOE LA GOBBE  
Managing Editor, Paducah Sun-Democrat

**UNCLE SAM'S** largest construction project in the eastern half of the country is in Western Kentucky.

At Gilbertsville on the Tennessee river 2 1/2 miles upstream from Paducah, the Tennessee Valley Authority is in the third year of the construction of its Kentucky Dam, which with its reservoir development will have cost about \$105,000,000 when completed in 1945.

Kentucky Dam, largest of TVA's system of nine dams, will be a combined flood control and power project. Its reservoir will extend 184 miles to Pickwick Dam in Tennessee, and will have a shore line of approximately 1,800 miles, providing one of the finest fishing and water recreation grounds in the country. Provision is being made for the installation of generators which will provide 128,000 KW of electric power.

The dam is drawing hundreds of thousands of workers to watch the construction operations on which 2,000 workers are engaged. The public has not been barred from the site as in other big construction projects. Paved roads lead to the dam site. It is easily accessible from Federal Highways 60, 62, 68, 45 and 51.

The dam is being built on a bed of solid limestone. Approximately 500,000 yards of overburden will be removed so that the concrete structure can be built directly on the rock, which extends to an average depth of 400 feet below the river bed.

The dam will be 8,850 feet in length, 180 feet in height, about 100 feet in width at the base and about 50 at the top. Across the top will be a railroad and perhaps a highway.



UNTIL LAST NOVEMBER the area where this dragline is working was a part of the Tennessee river bed at the TVA's Kentucky Dam site. One of the greatest of dams ever erected in dam construction engulfs the area, which covers about 60 acres. This giant dragline removes six cubic yards of material at a bite.

## NEW VACCINE FOR INFLUENZA IS REPORTED

### 3 INFECTIOUS AGENTS SAID TO BE CAUSE OF DISEASE

A new influenza vaccine which has brought science a "step" closer to "eventual control" of one form of the disease is reported by Dr. Frank L. Horsfall, Jr., of the Rockefeller Institute for Medical Research.

He also disclosed that influenza, instead of being a disease of the two forms already known and classified as to cause, may be due to any one of at least three infectious agents and that all forms may break out concurrently during an epidemic. Cause of the newly-found type remains a mystery, he said.

The vaccine was used for the first time and the new conception of influenza was verified, Dr. Horsfall said.

said, during experiments conducted in various institutions of the country last winter when a widespread outbreak of the disease occurred in the nation.

Declaring "large groups" of persons participated in a controlled study, Dr. Horsfall told the American College of Physicians that some of the persons were vaccinated which was designed solely to offset a known form of influenza called influenza "A." Other persons in a "control" group were not vaccinated.

The vaccine was prepared from chick embryos inoculated with both the influenza "A" virus, or germ, and a strain of the virus that causes distemper in dogs.

Several months later, he said, outbreaks of influenza occurred in a number of the institutions, and it was found that the incidence of the "A" form of the disease among those not vaccinated was twice as great as that among those who had received the vaccine.

Explaining, however, that this represented a collective figure and that there was a wide range of results among the institutions, Dr. Horsfall said: "Obviously these results do not

indicate that a satisfactory and trustworthy immunizing agent against influenza "A" has been found. On the other hand, the reduction in incidence observed is not negligible and suggests that a step, however small, has been made in the direction of the "eventual control" of the disease."

He said, too, that among the cases studied, there were outbreaks of a form of influenza known as "influenza B" which, like the "A" type, is known to be caused by a submicroscopic organism known as a virus. Furthermore, Dr. Horsfall said, there were outbreaks of at least one other form of the disease

which has not been classified and is of unknown origin.

J. E. Moore is preparing to furnish to consumers in Perry county at least 1,000 gallons of strawberry jam.

Frank Browning is the eighth farmer in Adams county to enroll in the state ton-tinzer contest this year.

Members of homemakers' clubs in Johnson county attended demonstrations in making butter and cheese.

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### U. S. NAVY AVIATORS HAILED FOR HEROIC RESCUE WORK

Two naval aviators who rescued a marine parachutist from death in mid-air may receive the Navy Cross for what superior officers described as the most remarkable rescue in aviation history.

The flier, Lieut. W. W. Lowrey, 34, of Dallas, Texas, and Aviation Machinist's Mate J. R. McCanta, 41, of Jordan, Mont., looked lightly of their spectacular feat. "Any experienced navy pilot could have done it," Lowrey said.

But others differed, particularly Marine Lieut. Waker S. Osipoff, 23, Akron, Ohio. He knew that were it not for Lowrey's skill and daring and for McCanta's bravery and strength, his life would have been forfeit when he leaped with his parachute from a marine transport plane over a navy landing field.

The automatic chute release somehow failed to function. The static line snarled and left Osipoff dangling head down, below and at

the big plane.

Passengers still aboard found they could not haul him back, and Capt. M. Johnson, pilot, headed for the field to draw attention to the parachutist's plight.

Lowrey and McCanta, test pilots who had never flown together before, noticed Osipoff's predicament. They hurried into a navy biplane dive-bomber and took off in pursuit of the transport.

Far out over the ocean and up to 1,500 feet they went, for the air over land was too rough for the precise flying their rescue plane entailed.

Slowly the smaller plane nudged up under the larger. Within 20

### Willkie Says Labor Only Can Win This War

New York—Wendell L. Willkie said that "I don't think any man who has thought about the present problem, both in the United States and Britain, can do other than realize that this struggle will be won only through the work of labor."

His remarks were made in connection with his purchase of the first subscription book issued by the American Labor Committee to Aid British Labor, in a ceremony in the office of Matthew Wolf, committee chairman and AFL vice-president.

P. S. Arthur of Bell county reports a profit of \$73.50 on a flock of 238 hens in April.

McLean county farmers made a 50 per cent increase in the acreage of tomatoes for commercial canning.

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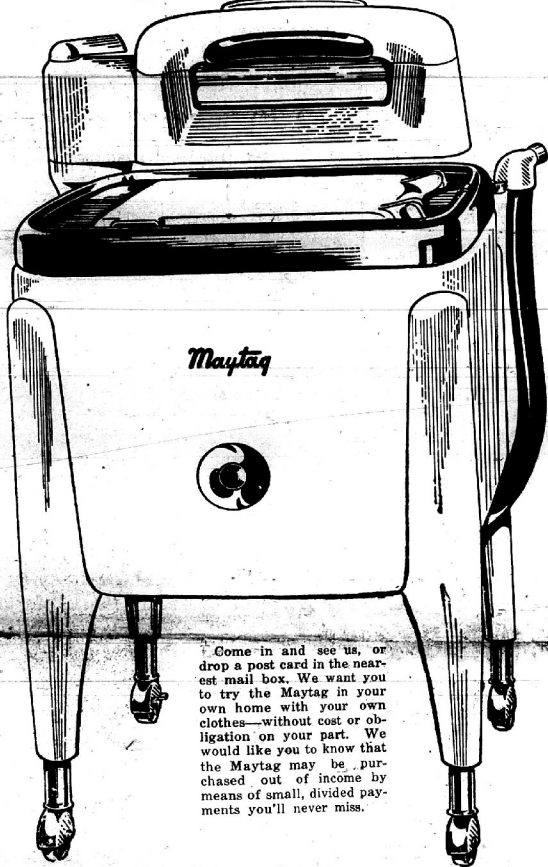
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### Flying Cadets To Be Trained At Colleges

Washington—The army, ordering an intensive campus recruiting campaign for air corps pilots, announced a decision to train flying cadets from each college as an individual unit.

The decision was admittedly intended as an incentive to qualifying points to be made by pilots. The army did not say so, but it appeared it might also mean carrying college athletic rivalries into flight training.

Cadets from the same city also will be trained together.

Instructions went to corps area commanders to concentrate recruiting efforts on students in the few remaining weeks of the college year as the air corps accelerates the training of pilots from 12,000 to 30,000 a year.

Outstanding athletes and campus leaders, officials said, will be sought as organizers of units of 20 flying cadets, each of which the War Department promised to keep intact during the training period of 18 months.

There was no promise, however, to keep units together indefinitely in the manner of the Eagle squadron of Americans in Britain's Royal Air Force of existing National Guard organizations.

### Fisherman Gets Last Laugh On Game Warden

Dallas, Texas—Here's a fish story where the fisherman had the last laugh and not the game warden as usual.

One of the state's hawkeyes was strolling around Dallas county fishing locations, and saw a negro with a tremendous catch.

"I'll give you \$2 for that fish," offered the minion of the law. When the negro demurred, the man raised the ante to \$5.

The deal was closed, and the warden, with a gleam in his eye, declared,

"Now, you're under arrest. You just sold me a fish and you don't have a license to sell fish."

"You're wrong, boss," grinned the negro.

Sure enough, he produced the necessary license. And he kept the fish, for he would be captor's protest.

### Historical Papers To Be Stored Secretly

Washington—The Library of Congress is preparing for secret storage of the originals of the Declaration of Independence, the Constitution, and George Washington's papers and other irreplaceable documents, in case the future makes such storage necessary.

The hiding of this priceless material, it was said, is part of an elaborate plan to guard the library's valuable collection from any rain of bombs and shells.

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ALLEN

A birthday party was given in honor of Beulah Ann Porter, age 4, by her aunt, Mrs. Dora Braunham, at her home here. Those who attended were: Betty Jo Estep, Pete Baldridge, Ella Fay Woods, Fay Porter, John Lee Lafferty, Randall Porter, Eugene Porter, Garland Warrick Hutchinson, Jr., Anthony Remard Hutchinson, Clifford Braunham, Mrs. W. E. Warrick, Mrs. Ruth Porter. Games were played from 3 till 5 p. m. Refreshments were served by the honoree's aunts Mrs. Flora Braunham and Mrs. Garland Hutchinson.

Mrs. Dora Braunham and son Clifford, Mr. and Mrs. Garland J. Hutchinson and Mrs. Ruth Ann Porter were Sunday guests of Mrs. Caroline Warrick of Bull Creek.

Anderson Porter and family moved to Martin Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Wright and son and Mrs. Garland Wright motored to Lawrence county to visit relatives.

James Clark is seriously ill at his home.

Seymour Mayo is greatly improved after a few weeks' illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Porter and new baby daughter, Carrie Elizabeth, of Dwaie, were Sunday guests of her mother, Mrs. Dock Wood.

Mrs. Albert Lafferty has returned to her home here from the Martin General hospital and is improving nicely.

DINWOOD

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Robinson are the parents of a baby daughter, born Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Saunders, of Caney Creek, were visiting relatives here Sunday.

Thiden Hinkle, of Huntington, W. Va., is visiting his sister, Mrs. Richard Robinson.

Miss Bernice Compton spent the week-end with relatives at Stephens Branch.

Mrs. Debby Mullins returned home last Monday after spending a few weeks with her daughter at Melvin.

Mr. and Mrs. Columbus Compton and daughter Jacqueline, of Weeksburg, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Isaac Tuesday night.

Columbus Crisp has been ill this week.

M. D. Isaac and Chas. Compton were in Prestonsburg on business Saturday.

Mrs. Dock Ratliff and Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Saunders motored to Caney Creek Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Urby Stone, of Greenup, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. N. O. Allen.

Elbert Prater, Elbert Hackworth and Kelly Hayward, of Middle Creek, were the Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Riley Shepherd.

COULDN'T BELIEVE IT Cape Girardeau, Mo.—When Mrs. James Allen, secretary of the Church of the Nazarene congregation, opened an envelope from the collection plate she called for the pastor to confirm her figures. Inside were a \$300 bill and a \$100 bill—congratulatory gifts.

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GOODLOE

Reconstruction of the Middle Creek road from the mouth of Lick Fork up Left Hand Fork began last week. County Judge E. P. Hill having \$25 worth of work done from mouth of Lick Fork to the ford of the creek below Goodloe. From there citizens made donations for completion of the road. Persons donating money were: Dr. Daniels, of Prestonsburg, \$2; from Goodloe: Jack Allen, \$2; Miley Prater, \$1; Ernest Prater, \$5; Ellis Prater, \$2; from Pyramid: Graydon Howard, \$1; Harrison Reffett, \$2; Sara Reffett, \$1; Ashland Shepherd, \$2; A. L. Shepherd, \$2; Richmond Shepherd, \$1; Ark Casle, \$1.25; Harris Hicks, of Hippo, \$1.

Persons donating work were: George Bradford, two days work with his truck; Taylor Bradford, Valance Bradford, Henry Bradford, Marvin Rice, Harrison Reffett, A. L. Shepherd, Ashland Shepherd, Willie Hale, Clyde Allen, Miley Prater, Kelly Prater, Ralph J. Allen, Jack Allen, Amos Wright, Jack Pitts Norman L. Hicks, Gould Shepherd, Ark Prater, Sam F. Prater, Fanned Castle, Albert Castle, Willard Castle, James Stone, Henry Ouseley, Ark Castle, Mitchell Prater, and Sammie Moore.

Plans are being made to keep the road passable the year round.

NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the Frontier Cannel Coal Company, a corporation under the laws of the State of Kentucky, is closing up its business and is now being dissolved pursuant to the provisions of the Kentucky Statutes.

FRONTIER CANNEL COAL COMPANY. By JAS. R. HURTE, Secretary.

Wages Quadruple Material Cost

A survey shows that wage and salary costs account for two-thirds of the total selling price of aircraft, trucks and other defense materials. Wage and salary costs in defense industries, the report said, "are four times as important as material costs."

"Because German wage levels average only one-third of American standards, and Hitler has in addition the advantage of a large 'slave labor' force, the \$36,000,000,000 United States defense program now under way will be equal to about \$15,000,000,000 to \$18,000,000,000 of German armament expenditures," the report said.

The survey was based on figures secured from plants representing from 30 per cent to 90 per cent of the various industries involved in producing raw materials, parts and finished aircraft, trucks and tractors.

According to the survey, the average United States aircraft manufacturer pays 28 per cent of his selling price for direct labor, another 12 per cent for indirect labor (supervision, designing and testing) and 39 per cent for parts and materials.

ADD BRIGHT SAYINGS

San Francisco—Mrs. William E. Mahoney was trying to explain to the judge why her husband had been speeding.

He was very tired, she said, wasn't feeling well, was in such a hurry to get home he didn't realize how fast he was going, and—

As she paused, four-year-old Anne Louise Mahoney put in brightly, "Daddy was trying to see how fast his automobile would go."

The fine was \$2.50. Subscribe for THE TIMES.

TO THE VOTERS OF FLOYD COUNTY:

I hereby declare myself a candidate for the office of Jailer subject to the action of the Democratic party at the August primary.

I am a son of old Greenleaf Stumbo who was born and reared at McDowell, on Left Beaver Creek. He was a farmer and rafted timber from McDowell to Castlesburg and was well-known up and down the Big Sandy. He never held public office of any kind.

I have but few promises to make to the people. I served as Deputy Jailer under Mr. Halbert, about one year and a half until I resigned. The prisoners who served sentences during the time I was Deputy Jailer can tell you about me, what kind of a man I was. I will promise the people that, if elected, I will give all a square deal and keep the jail in good, sanitary condition at all times. My second promise is, if elected, I will make away with those pig pens and serve the prisoners from trays and have tables in the jail for the prisoners to eat off. My third promise: When any prisoner is thrown in jail and wants bond, I will help him get bond instead of holding him there for his board. Fathers and mothers, I will treat your sons and daughters right. When they are in my care I will not blackjack them or abuse them; and, if elected, my door will be open to all to come in and visit at any time and I will be at your service at all times.

Elect me to this office for the next four years and I will not ask for the office again. I will stand back and let some other poor man have a chance.

If elected, I will make you all forget about the other Stumbos who have held office in this county. My motto is, "Live and let live."

Your friends, and Floyd county's next Jailer, J. C. W. BECKHAM STUMBO. (Fw. adv.) McDowell, Ky.

FOR REPRESENTATIVE



J. M. TURNER of Wayland, Ky. Democratic primary, August 2.

I was born and reared in Floyd county and expect to remain here all my life. I think I know the people's problems, being one of them and will do my best to solve the things that are so obviously needed.

Frontier Sells Lease To New York Man

The Frontier Cannel Coal Company recently sold its lease on approximately 640 acres of cannel coal lying on Abbott Creek to F. M. A. Leach, of New York City, it was announced by J. R. Hurt, president of the firm.

The mine is now being operated by A. B. Ewen, Charleston, W. Va. Notice of dissolution of its corporation was filed this week by the Frontier Cannel Coal Company.

The firm has for the last two years operated the mine which conveys its product by truck from Abbott Creek to railway cars at West Prestonsburg.

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Regional Baseball Teams in Meet At Wayland

Seventh grade school teams of Floyd, Johnson and Morgan counties will compete in the regional baseball tournament at Wayland Thursday, Friday, Saturday and Sunday for the right to represent the region in the state tourney next week. Schedule of games follows:

First round — Prestonsburg vs. Wayland, Thursday, 2 p. m.; Anderson, bye; Maytown vs. Paintsville, Thursday, 4 p. m.; Garrett vs. Crockett, Friday, 1:30 p. m.; Saturday, semi-finals—Ancker vs. Prestonsburg-Wayland game winner at 1:30 p. m.; Maytown-Paintsville winner vs. winner of Garrett-Crockett game, 3:30 p. m. The finals will be played Sunday afternoon at 2:30. Wiley Jones, Wayland athletic coach and tournament manager, said.

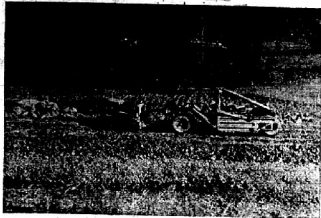
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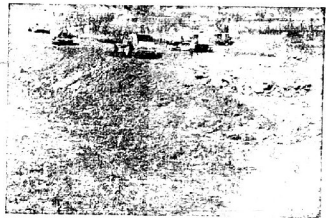
A tractor-drawn spreader at work leveling heavy stone on the fill.



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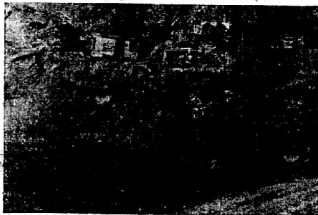
A dynamiter studies the location of his next shot.



Tank-like giant caterpillars lead the assault on rough terrain.



An "oldtimer" among the homes—some ancient, some modern—which the railway passes.



A shovel tears into the mountainside along the line.



Temporary camp buildings at the mouth of Lick Fork.



Farther up the creek during the winter mules were the safest mode of transportation.



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The late "Black Hawk" Shepherd who lived to see the forces of modern industry develop Lick Fork.



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G. R. Jenkins, resident engineer for C. & O., off the scene of operations long enough to do office work.

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## LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

### READER'S PHILOSOPHY

Sooner or later, a man, if he is wise, discovers that life is a mixture of good days and bad, victory and defeat, give and take.

He learns that it doesn't pay to be a sensitive soul; that he should let some things go over his head like water off a duck's back.

He learns that he who loses his temper usually loses out. He learns that all men have burnt toes, for breakfast, now and then, and that he shouldn't take the other fellow's grouch too seriously.

He learns that carrying a chip on his shoulder is the easiest way to get into a fight. He learns that the quickest way to become unpopular is to carry tales and gossip about others. He learns that buck-passing always turns out to be a bonfire, and that it never pays.

He comes to realize that the business could run along perfectly well without him. He learns that it doesn't matter so much who gets the credit so long as the business shows profit.

He learns that even the janitor is human and that it doesn't do any harm to smile and say "GOOD MORNING," even if it is raining.

He learns that most of the other fellows are as ambitious as he is, that they have brains that are as good or better, and that hard work and not cleverness is the secret of success. He learns to sympathize with the youngsters coming into the business, because he remembers how bewildered he was when he first started out.

He learns not to worry when he loses an order, because experience has shown that if he always gives his best, his average will break pretty well. He learns that no man ever got to first base alone, and that it is only through cooperative effort that we move on to better things. He learns that losses are not monsters, trying to get the last ounce of work out of him for the least amount of pay, but that they are usually the men who have succeeded through hard work and who want to do the right thing.

He learns that folks are not any harder to get along with in one place than another, and that the "getting along" depends about 99 per cent on his own behavior.

READER.

Keep up with the times by reading THE TIMES.

## Two Floyd Students To Be Graduated From Lees College

The fifty-eighth annual Commencement program at Lees Junior College at Jackson, Ky., opened with a colorful May Day and Home Coming on May 9. On May 15, at 5:30 to the Bertley Stadium, Dr. and Mrs. J. O. Van Meter and the faculty of the college entertained the graduates with a picnic supper which was followed by folk dancing and games. On Saturday night at 8 o'clock in the auditorium of the Jackson high school the Dramatic Club will present "Foot-Loses," a three-act comedy, directed by Fred Huber.

On May 25, at 5 o'clock in the stadium, Rev. E. D. Wooten, of the Presbyterian Church of Cynthia, Ky., will preach the baccalaureate sermon, and on Friday afternoon at five o'clock, Rev. John K. Johnson, of the Maxwell Street Presbyterian Church of Lexington, will address the graduating class. Following the commencement exercises, Dr. and Mrs. Van Meter will entertain with a buffet supper for the commencement visitors and faculty.

The graduating class numbers 122, which is one of the largest classes graduated from any junior college in Kentucky. These young people came from 84 communities in 15 counties.

Those from Floyd county who are graduating from Lees are Charlie Conn, Wayne Cox, Norma Gearheart, Willis Hicks, Jeff Howell, Eugene Kelly, Andrew Moore, Beulah Napier, Gene Starbitt, Wm. Terry, Jr.

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## HEALTH NEWS

Outbreaks of both scarlet fever and measles were reported here this week.

Homes of Johnny Hagans and V. A. Smiley were quarantined after Barbara Ann Hagans, 11, and Donald Smiley, 7, became ill of scarlet fever. The Floyd County Health department also quarantined all known contacts of the two children.

Measles were so widespread here that no estimate of the number of cases were available.

Dr. Marvin Rahedel, health department director, issued the following advice relative to scarlet fever: "Scarlet fever is a contagious and

serious disease. Grown people may catch scarlet fever, but children under 15 years are most likely to have it, if exposed. It is especially dangerous for children under five years, and for babies. Do not let your children take any chances with scarlet fever. Call the doctor for discharges from the nose and throat and sometimes from the ears of a person sick with the disease. The person just coming down with scarlet fever or in the first stages of the disease is most likely to give it to others.

How to Recognize It

"If your child is going to have scarlet fever, the first signs you may notice are that he seems tired, restless, and out of sorts. Usually there is a sore throat, chill, vomiting, or convulsion. The child has fever. His skin is dry and hot. His tongue is furred, and under this white covering it is red and swollen.

"In ordinary cases these early signs are followed in a day or two by a rash. Little flat red points, close together, appear first on the neck and chest. Soon the rash spreads over most of the body and is brilliant in color.

### WHAT TO DO IF YOUR CHILD HAS SCARLET FEVER

Put him in a room by himself at once and do not allow others to come near him.

Call the doctor. Follow his instructions as to food, clothing, and general care.

The doctor may wish to use scarlet fever antitoxin if the case is serious.

Do not let the child get up and be active until the doctor says he is able. This is very important, because the heart and kidneys are often affected by scarlet fever. Careful nursing may be necessary after the skin has peeled, and the child is apparently well.

How to Protect Others

The doctor is required by law to report the case to the Health Department. Do your part by following quarantine instructions.

"Children who have had scarlet fever or who have been exposed must not return to school until permission has been given by the health officer.

"The same precautions are necessary for a mild case as for a severe one. Remember that scarlet fever is the same as scarlet fever. "A severe or fatal case of scarlet fever may develop from contact with someone who has only a light attack."

## 'Be Sure With Pure'

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### MORE EXTENSIVE PROGRAM SEEN BY CONSERVATIONISTS

By JAMES J. GILPIN

Throughout the entire convention this tone of thought presented by the speakers dealt with the importance of wildlife habitat improvement, rather than the increased propagation and distribution of wild game and fish.

Governor Keen Johnson, in his address before more than 200 delegates and members at the convention banquet of the League, praised the work of S. A. Wakefield as director of the Kentucky Division of Game and Fish.

He stated that "the Commission is functioning with greater efficiency and better results than ever before."

He added that not all of the credit was due to Mr. Wakefield as director, because the aid and interest of the sportsmen had a great deal to do with the results.

The Governor said that "the League's magazine, 'The Kentucky Sportsman,' and Mrs. Gooch was named business manager."

field is "destined to be the best game and fish Commission director the state has ever had."

Addressing the assemblage Wakefield said that "the director of the Game and Fish Commission must have the help and co-operation of the sportsmen regardless of who the director at Frankfort might be."

He said that the state was hampered in enforcement of game and fish laws because it now has funds for only 40 wardens, each of whom must handle three counties.

He added, however, that three federal agencies, the Fish and Wildlife Service, the Division of Forestry and the Soil Conservation Service, were working in Kentucky for the conservation of game and fish.

Dr. Ira N. Gabrielson, director of the Fish and Wildlife Service, of Washington, D. C., said that feed-washing, and re-stocking were of equal importance in the conservation of migratory water fowl and fish.

The population of migratory waterfowl, he said, is beginning to show a "substantial increase."

The 1942 convention was voted to Frankfort with no other bid being submitted. Either Paducah or Owensboro, or both, are expected to bid next year.

Three "request" resolutions were adopted by the delegates:

1. For a substantial increase in the appropriation for the State Division of Forestry.
  2. For the consideration of recreational possibilities in all matters of water-use in Kentucky.
  3. For the use of the entire funds available for federal aid to wildlife projects which come under the provisions of the Pittman-Robertson Act.
- Five matters were referred to the legislative committee for disposal:
1. A spawning season close on the taking of frogs.
  2. A closed season on fishing in navigable streams.
  3. A restriction on the possession of ferrets.
  4. More adequate protection for squirrels.
  5. A provision that the men in the U. S. armed services stationed in Kentucky be allowed to fish and hunt with resident licenses.

Three endorsement resolutions were passed:

1. For the pure water bills pending in Congress.
2. For the Buck bill also pending in Congress, which would set up federal aid for fish restoration.
3. For the co-operation of Governor Keen Johnson and the agencies in the state government with the League.

The list of 40 directors for the state will not be completed for several weeks.

Delegates to the convention represented the 15,000 members of the 120 local clubs in 87 of Kentucky's 120 counties. It was resolved that by the time the eighth convention of the League is assembled in Frankfort next May the remaining 23 counties will have game and fish organizations within their boundaries and the entire state will be organized behind the program of the Division of Game and Fish.

### George W. Chapman, 62, Former P'burg Resident, Dies in Huntington

George W. Chapman, 62 years old, former resident of Prestonsburg, died at his home in Huntington, W. Va., Tuesday afternoon after a paralytic stroke.

Mr. Chapman is remembered here in connection with previous gas developments in Floyd county and had many friends in this section.

Mr. Chapman was born in Lawrence county, a son of the late George Ed and Rebecca Dobbins Chapman. He had lived in Huntington the past three years.

The body was taken to the State Funeral Home in Huntington where funeral services were held last Thursday afternoon with interment following in Woodlawn cemetery, Huntington.

Mr. Chapman is survived by his widow, Mrs. Pricie Chapman; two daughters, Mrs. A. J. Kitchin, Huntington, and Miss Mabel Chapman, of Charleston; one son, George Ed Chapman, of Louisa; three step-daughters, Mrs. W. G. Chapman and Mrs. A. H. Snyder, of Louisa; and Mrs. M. Miller, of Huntington; two sisters, Mrs. Thomas Curry, of Huntington, and Mrs. G. K. Compton, of Madison, W. Va.; and three brothers, Tom B. Chapman, of Williamson, W. Va., and L. C. and P. T. Chapman, South Portsmouth, Ohio.

### Auxier Men Graduate From Air Corps Radio School

Scott Field, Ill.—Pvt. Lloyd Burston, of Auxier, Ky., is included in the list of 855 flying cadets and enlisted men of the U. S. Army Air Corps who have just been graduated from the radio communications school at this post, according to Col. Wolcott P. Hayes, commanding officer.

Scott Field is the home of the radio school for the entire air corps and now is undergoing an expansion program designed to provide training for more than 12,000 students, 1,000 of whom will be selective service men, Col. Hayes said.

Pvt. Charles W. Hubbard, of Auxier, also is a graduate of Scott Field's radio communications school.

### NOTICE TO BIDDERS

Bidders are hereby notified that the Floyd County Board of Education will receive, up to and including 11 a. m., June 3, 1941, bids on the following:

1. A two-room brick school at Dwale, Ky., pursuant to plans and specifications approved for said job. Said plans and specifications are obtainable at the County Superintendent's office. Each bid must be accompanied by a certified check or bidder's bond in the amount of 2 per cent of the base bid.
2. d Two new school buses meeting state standards and specifications for school transportation, ranging in capacity from 50 to 55 (approximately).
3. Removal of the Stamper Branch school building in the Wayland district, hauling to new site on Middle Creek and reconstruction of said building according to present plans.

Bidders' blanks and plans for above jobs may be obtained at the County Superintendent's office.

The Floyd County Board of Education reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

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### Lawrence County Enters 'Dry' Column

Lawrence county Saturday became Kentucky's 53rd county to go back into the "dry" column. Voting in a special local option election, the dry forces carried 15 of 23 precincts and totaled 2,068 votes to 1,335, a majority of 733 for local option.

The county has had the sale of liquor and beer since 1896, when the election returned favored the "wet" by a margin of 186 votes.

The five Louisa precincts voted 763 for local option, to 443 against. A petition was filed in March by the Louisa W. C. T. U. to secure the special election.

Tomatoes are helping replace some of the cotton and tobacco acreages in Hickman county.

To be the right man in the right place is good enough for anybody.

### FOR REPRESENTATIVE J. M. TURNER

Democratic primary, August 2. I was born and reared in Floyd county and expect to remain here all my life. I think I know the people's problems, being one of them, and will do my best to do the things that are so obviously needed.

Sales of potato seed in Montgomery county were 35 per cent larger than in 1940.

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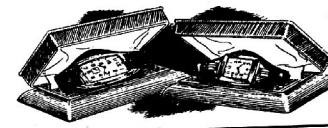
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HIGH PRICES NOT NECESSARY IN WAR, DECLARES ECONOMIST

By DANA G. GARD University of Kentucky College of Agriculture Although in the past our periods of extremely high prices of both agricultural and non-agricultural products have been associated with war, they are not a necessary part of war-time activity. Memory of the hardship suffered by many farmers from falling prices following the World War of 1914-18, stimulates interest in avoiding similar hardships in the future. If prices can be kept from going up, they will not have to come down.

Rising prices in times of war come largely from three causes: (1) Competitive bidding for goods and raw materials between private citizens and their government; (2) Disrupted supplies as a result of decreased production, interrupted shipping, or greater risk in transportation; (3) Depreciation of currency as a result of extended government credit, or the attitude of the people.

Already competition between citizens and government has started in automobiles, equipment made from aluminum, etc., but steps are being taken to minimize its effect. The placing of heavy taxes upon the average citizen in times like these not only provides for expenses of defense, but decreases the power of individuals to compete with the government in the open market. Patriotic citizens can do much to aid in national defense by refraining from purchasing commodities which require the raw materials needed for armaments.

Disruption of supplies is an almost inevitable result of war in these times when countries of the world are so interdependent, but the use of substitutes and plans for domestic production of goods which normally are imported can do much to alleviate the situation. Munitions, armaments and military supplies, however, require unusual quantities of special products without corresponding increases in consumption by private citizens. This creates shortages which are apt to start an upward spiral of prices. Disruption of normal food supplies for England, is now placing special demands upon this country for such products as pork, dairy products, and eggs.

Annual Junior Week To Attract 800 4-H Club Boys and Girls

Approximately 800 4-H club boys and girls, representing every county in the state, are expected to attend the annual Junior Week at the University of Kentucky June 9-14.

WANNA KNOW ABOUT HESS?—C. J. WRITER REVEALS ALL

BY SAM BRIGHTMAN (In The Courier-Journal) UNTIL Friday night I enjoyed the dubious distinction of being the only journalist in the United States who had not written a piece giving the true inside facts on the Hess affair, or l'affaire Hess, as the more experienced war experts call it in their fluent French.

That is the crux of the whole matter. Hitler is a very nervous man and he bites his toenails so that they never grow long and attractive like Hess'. Furthermore, Hess favors red toenails and Hitler thinks coral pink is a nice shade.

Now, Hess' chief rival as a successful war expert call it in their fluent French.

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While many commodities now are favorable for rising prices of industrial products, the federal government is making definite efforts to prevent runaway markets. Large supplies of corn, wheat, tobacco and cotton make sharply rising prices of agricultural products particularly impractical. Dairy products most likely to benefit are the ones which laboring men, whose incomes are sharply increased by higher wages and full employment, will purchase, such as fresh fruits and vegetables, poultry and the better cuts of beef, pork, and lamb. Dairy products, eggs and pork also are likely to benefit from purchases for England. Cotton, tobacco, and wheat, on the other hand, continue to face lost foreign markets and excess supplies in the domestic world.

Officers of the Kentucky Association of 4-H Clubs are Elmer McBride, Barren county, president; Mildred Ray, Garrard county, vice-president, and Lyda Mae Sutherland, Graves county, secretary.

Friday night I got tired of arching following me and jutting. "Yah, he don't know the inside of l'affaire Hess!" I started breaking over my qualifications to write the inside story on Hess, and I found they were pretty good.

I had never seen Hess, the Duke of Hamilton, Hitler or any of the other persons involved in the case and all the information I had was what I read in the newspapers. This put me on a par with the other experts except for the fact that I spent a little time in Germany before the war. However, I fiddled away most of this time in museums and beer halls, and didn't learn much of anything—so I figured that the mere fact that I had been in the country shouldn't rule me out as an expert. I am now an expert, please.

The result of all this was that Hitler and Goering, whom Hess called "Dutch", got fed up with Hess and his red nail polish. This brought on a quarrel, and Hess flew into a rage and into Scotland to get some red nail polish. In asking for a few words from his account gave him away and he was captured.

That is the story I get from my German underground source close to high places and it definitely disproves the theory of other experts that the red on Hess' toenails was poison and that he meant to take off his shoes and poison Churchill if he could secure an interview with the British Prime Minister.



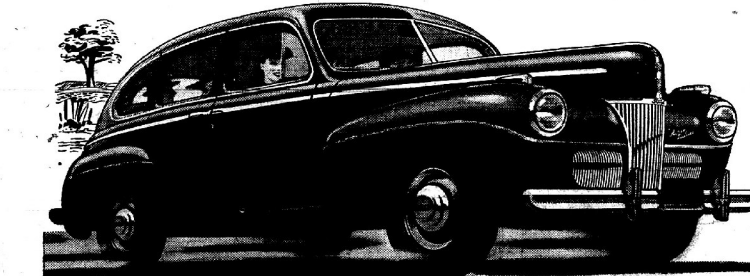
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- 1938 Ford 1-Ton Stake, green
- 1938 Chevrolet Pick-up, red
- 1938 Ford Pick-up, black
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