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This Town— That World

**JURY DISAGREES—
PREACHER'S GUN FALLS**

Bill the jury disagreed. Peter Risner, last Monday night was one of the disgraced twelve pondering the guilt or innocence of Buster Brown, charged in the Magginn circuit court, of having shot and wounded the boys had fallen to agree while in the jury room and were still at longethers while under the guard duty of Frank Combs, a deputy sheriff, at a nearby home. Finally, the Reverend Combs' trusty "Thirty-Niner" slipped from its moorings and onto the floor. Bang!—and Roger Risner was shot in his thigh, the steel-jacketed bullet ranging upward to lodge against his pelvis. Then became imperative that the jury take some action, since one of its members might have to leave for a hospital. Circuit Judge Bach was summoned. The eleven unbound jurors gathered around the wounded. More debating. But no agreement.

The jury was dismissed. Risner was able to walk about, the steel missile still lodged against his pelvis.

No action is expected to be taken against Reverend-Deputy Combs.

READER PLEASE NOTICE

Here is the testimony of the editor of the Pleasant Hill, Mo., Times, a "piece" to which THE FLOYD COUNTY TIMES has referred.

"We like the people who give us news items. We adore club reporters who get their news in the day after instead of the week after the club meeting. We are fond of folks who know typewritten copy should be double spaced, and of correspondents who handwriting requires no special decoding.

"We appreciate writers who realize that no conductor is to be in the newspaper office each press day to decide which item will appear on the front page and which inside. While we do print five front page space to the several most important stories each week, there is, in our minds, an equality of importance between the departments on page 1 and the Joneses' dinner guests on page 7. We are grateful for fellow citizens who do not mistake the printing of a typographical error for a sign of our incompetence. We invariably find them cursing the printer and seldom think them funny.

"And we greatly esteem those fine souls who take the trouble to compliment us when they have enjoyed 'a piece' in the paper. There are, indeed, some very nice people in the world."

TOAST TO WATER

The following from Allan Trout's "Greetings" column in The Courier-Journal:

"I have had 'A Toast to Water' in my papers for more than thirty-five years," writes George F. Neel of Berea. "I feel it should be read for posterity; therefore would appreciate your publishing it in Greenham."

"This old Kentucky mountain classic was composed by J. M. (Melv) Flanery of Prestonsburg, home town, while under the inspiration of Dillinger rye whiskey. Melv remarked several times that Green River or Old Taylor's company would have given him the inspiration to write it." Neel concludes.

The conversation was made for the toast to water.

"Water—clear, limpid, sparkling water! I have seen it gush forth from the hills in foaming torrents. I have seen them in the form of the ocean with huge vessels riding upon its crest, and I have seen them burst into waves mountain high. I have seen them on a maiden's cheek, sometimes for joy, sometimes for sorrow. I have seen them in the form of a spring, bubbling forth to quench the thirst. I have seen them in the form of rain, bringing hope and relief to a parched country. I have seen them in the form of dew blanching the meadow in the morning light, and causing it to bloom forth its beauty and fragrance. "But water, with all its strength and versatility, I will have to relegate thee to the rear for thou art a damned thin drink!"

MORE ABOUT MOBABLE

This column has been criticized in some quarters because it published the plaints of soldiers in army posts. It has always met these complaints with what we think is "fair" argument on the other hand. We have steadfastly maintained that the U. S. army is the best-fed, best-treated in the world.

This week we learned, after all this upholding of army morale we have done, the No. 1 big thing that was wrong with the whole set-up.

This revelation, that when it was published in newspapers of the

THURSDAY ENTRIES AUGUR SUCCESSFUL FAIR HERE

SCHOOLS, SPORTSMEN JOIN IN ADDING TO EXHIBITS

As THE TIMES was being published Thursday, entries for the Floyd County Fair were being displayed in the Prestonsburg high school gymnasium and in the basement of the nearby graded school building.

Rapidly of entry arrivals indicated that the 1941 fair would be more representative of the county's agricultural and industrial development than has any preceding exhibit.

Floyd county schools and the County Fish and Game Club are contributing heavily toward success of the fair. J. J. Gilpin, Frankfort, publicity director for the Division of Game and Fish, will present a number of mounted pictures for the entertainment and education of all apartment and other interested citizens. The film will be exhibited promptly at 1:30 p. m., Saturday, in the auditorium of the graded school building. The Floyd County Fish & Game Club also will have its wildlife exhibit in the basement of the graded school.

The county schools, and athletic consolidated will vie for athletic honors which include the sack race, bread jump, 75-yard dash and chinning bar competition—all on Friday afternoon.

In other school departments the rural and consolidated schools do not compete. These departments include handwriting, drawings, maps, construction (including best ball-form map, best clay-modeling, best model, best poster, best scrap-book); spelling contest for rural schools only.

P'BURG STAVES OFF RALLY

TO LICK LOUISA HERE SATURDAY, 20 TO 13

After taking a 20-0 lead while clearly outclassing the visiting Louisa Bulldogs through 55 minutes of the encounter, Prestonsburg high school's football team will be the Lawrence countians come back in the last five minutes of play to score two touchdowns, an extra point and again Butler's kick was good.

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A blocked punt in the Prestonsburg end zone resulted in Louisa's first touchdown. Then, with 45 seconds left in the game, a 30-yard punt with the receiving company again placed the ball on the Prestonsburg 24. Line plunges from the punt on netted the second marker.

The conversion was made for the extra point.

Prestonsburg opened up in the first few minutes of the second quarter. Combs taking Butler's pass and running 20 yards for the initial touchdown. Butler's kick was good. The half ended with Prestonsburg leading, 6-0.

In the third quarter Butler passed to Heinze on the Louisa 16. At this juncture the Bulldogs were penalized half the distance to the goal, and from there on two line plunges by Butler gave Prestonsburg its second touchdown. Butler's kick was good for the extra point.

The third Prestonsburg score came in the fourth quarter when Mervis kicked a Louisa punt on the 50, the ball bounding back to the 30, where Burke, end, scooped it up and rumbled to a touchdown. Again Butler's kick was good.

And then the desperate Louisa rally.

Just for the first five minutes of the game, the visitors were stymied on all fronts, the Prestonsburg line working well and the backfield showing a clear superiority over that of the Bulldogs.

The Blackcats are away from home for their next game, which will be with Whitesburg, there Friday afternoon.

IN LOUISVILLE

Commonwealth's Attorney John Allen accompanied his mother, Mrs. Minta Allen, and other relatives to Louisville this week to visit his sister, Mrs. Van Shumate, Wheelwright, who is in a hospital there following an operation. Mrs. Shumate's condition is reported as indicating her early recovery.

Betsy Layne Mahan, Dies on Oct. 4 Of Paralysis

Funeral rites for William Aldridge, 73 years old, of Bates Lane, who died at the Stumbo Memorial hospital, Letcher, Oct. 4, were conducted by the Revs. Isaac Stratton, Banner, A. J. Jackson, Carl Layne and Dan Hughes, Betsy Layne. Burial was made in the family cemetery under the direction of the Arnold Funeral Home.

His death was attributed to paralysis. He had been ill for several weeks but had been confined to his bed only a few days prior to his death. Mr. Aldridge had resided at Betsy Layne only a few months, having moved there from Cow Creek.

Surviving him are his widow, Mrs. Maude Harris Aldridge, a six-month-old daughter, two sons, Clarence and Henry Aldridge, of West Virginia, and one step-daughter, Rebecca.

Floyd County Soldier Dies in Accident En Route Home

Rites for Morrison Combs, 21 years old, private first class, U. S. army, who was killed in an accident Oct. 5 while en route to his duty to spend a furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Combs, Garrett, was conducted Friday afternoon by the Rev. J. J. Gilpin, pastor of the Presbyterian church. Burial was made at Garrett under the direction of the Ryan Funeral Home.

Young Combs enlisted last September while a student at Caney College, Pippassee. He was a native of Magginn county, but had resided with his parents in this county for several years. Besides his parents, there are four brothers and three sisters: Arby Combs, Ft. Drake, N. C.; Pfc. Billie Combs, Marshall Field, Texas; Walter and Dewey Combs, Garrett; Elsie Combs Breck, county, Machine and Arts, of Garrett.

Bypro Typoid Patient Dies At Martin

Martin Risner youngest son of Tom Risner, of Ohio, formerly of Martin, died Saturday night of typhoid at Martin general hospital. He is survived by his father, one brother, Warren Risner, of Bypro, and two half-brothers, Woodrow Taylor, of Bypro, and Mae Taylor, of Martin. The funeral was held Tuesday afternoon in the school auditorium, the Rev. Bill Flanery officiating. Burial was made in Martin cemetery under the direction of the Ryan Funeral Home.

'ALL OUT' AID IS PLANNED

RED CROSS MEETS TO BE HELD IN STATE

Plans for "all out" civilian defense aid and the greater membership roll will be the objective of the three Red Cross regional conferences to be held in October. Conferences will be held in Morehead, at the Morehead State Teachers College, on Tuesday, October 22, in Danville, at the Danville Christian Church, on Wednesday, October 23, and in Owensboro, at the Owensboro Hotel, on Thursday, October 24.

Representatives of the 138 Red Cross Chapters in Kentucky are expected to attend one of the conferences, which will be the most important Red Cross meetings in Kentucky since World War days. Those who will represent the Prestonsburg Chapter at Morehead are Chalmers Frazier, Roll Call chairman, and several others.

Regional, national and state Red Cross officials who will speak include Nat. C. Wilson, assistant manager, Eastern Area, Douglas C. Hays, national director of Roll Call, and Miss Ruth Riley, Miss Annette McClaren, and C. F. Dixon, general field representatives.

Sessions begin at 9:30 a. m., and will end with the Roll Call discussion after luncheon at the hotel. The topics to be discussed are the Red Cross services to the armed forces, the role of the Red Cross in civilian defense, and the plans for the annual Roll Call.

Red Cross membership this fall must be doubled or more in order to

VETERAN OF BLUE DIES HERE AT AGE OF 99 YEARS

'Uncle' Jeff Sizemore Passes In Sleep

Thirteen days after he had entered his 100th year on a life voyage which he had hoped would carry him to the century mark, T. J. (Uncle) Jeff Sizemore died at a quiet time sometime during the early hours of Wednesday morning at his home on Town Branch, near here. Members of the family said death occurred some time after 1:30 a. m., when his bedside was last visited. They learned that he was dead at 2 a. m. The body was very warm. A heart attack is believed to have resulted in his passing.

His death leaves only one Civil War veteran, John Harris, of Letcher, surviving in this county.

"Uncle" Jeff was born Oct. 2, 1842, near Prestonsburg. He enlisted in the Union army during the Civil War, and under General James A. Garfield's command, was in the Big Sandy expedition as well as a participant in various encounters elsewhere.

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OFFICER SHOT BY MAN, 55

SLONE TO RECOVER; WEBB IS JAILED IN SHOOTING

Talk Webb, 55-year-old Middle Creek farmer, was jailed here Sunday night after he had shot Deputy Constable Henry Slope, while the latter was pursuing Ralph Webb, son of Tall, near the Webb home on Buckeye.

Slope was taken to the Prestonsburg hospital suffering from a shotgun wound in his chest. His condition indicated an early recovery. It was said at the hospital Tuesday.

In a statement made before County Judge E. P. Hill, Jr., the officer said he was chasing Ralph Webb after the latter had struck Allen Slope, that as he pursued Webb through a field near the Webb home Tall Webb came down the road, crossed the fence and came through the field, armed with a shotgun. This statement added that Webb told him to stop or he would kill him; that, as the officer jumped behind a small bush, Webb fired. Slope added that he had a gun, but that he would not hurt his son.

Another report says that Webb himself was fired upon by the officer and that he fired in self-defense.

Paul Therman, Dolson, son of Dr. M. T. Dolson, was taken to Prestonsburg General hospital Sunday afternoon, suffering from a spine injury after having been struck, he said, by an automobile crank wielded by Ralph Webb. He later returned to his home.

Supreme Court Kills Suit Filed by Miners Seeking Unemployment Pay

The United Mine Workers of America Monday lost in the U. S. Supreme Court its claim to unemployment compensation from the Kentucky Unemployment Commission.

The action, started in June 1939 in the circuit courts of this section, was heard in the Letcher circuit court, sought compensation for approximately 25,000 miners for time lost during labor contract negotiations.

The court's action on this case involved about 20,000 claims, totaling \$1,000,000, had been awarded by Kentucky before hearings were started on similar claims filed after a difference from the same cause this year.

This year's claims totaled 6,516 and involved about \$80,000 according to what Kentucky Unemployment Compensation Commission officials described as a "rough estimate." It was explained that the men were idle an average of around six weeks two years ago, but that fewer were out for a shorter time this year.

"Council for the United Mine Workers of America and for the coal operators did not state they



"UNCLE" JEFF SIZEMORE

WPA RECORD IS CITED

124 MILES OF ROAD BUILT IN COUNTY IN SIX YEARS

During the six years from July 1, 1935 to July 1, 1941, this year, it was announced recently, the Works Progress Administration has built 124 miles of highway in Floyd county.

This phase of WPA endeavor included highway work in almost every rural section of Floyd county. Other activities of the WPA during this period included the construction of:

Twenty-five bridges of a total length of 753 feet; 1,004 culverts totaling 31,268 feet in length; 2,79 miles of sidewalks; 4 miles of curb and gutter; five schools; one garage and warehouse for the city of Prestonsburg; 3.65 miles storm and sewer pipe; 72 manholes and catch basins; 1,521 sanitary privies; 5,580 feet of retaining walls.

While all this work was being done employment was provided for hundreds of unemployed men of the county.

Mayo Trail Will Be Completed In Johnson

The Mayo Trail in Johnson county will be completed, probably by the first of the year, with a contract of 1.77 miles starting at a point six miles north of Pantstville and extending toward Louisa.

The highway department has advertised for bids for construction of the section and the contract will be let on October 10.

The advisory board called for grading, drainage and high type surfacing.

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Opening Saturday of the Jackson Furniture Company in its new brick building on the Mayo Trail, Porter street, is announced elsewhere in THE TIMES this week.

The store, newest furniture firm in the county, is owned by W. E. Jackson, Neen, Ky., and will be managed by E. H. Beavers, Neen.

New Typhoid Cases, Death Reported At Bypro

Two new typhoid cases at Bypro this week brought the total there to seven, with one death. Dr. Marvin Randall, director of the Floyd County Health Department, said Tuesday.

Martin Risner, a resident of the community, died at the Martin General hospital Saturday. The new cases are children of Tahoe Prazier.

Dr. Randall said he is convinced that the outbreak did not result from a contaminated water supply, since a majority of residents of the community use water from the well of Dr. W. D. Osborne, which is well-protected from surface water, and since only three families have been affected. Had the water supply contained typhoid germs, he pointed out, a score or more of cases would have resulted. Dr. Randall expressed the theory that the disease had been spread, at first, by a human carrier.

Bond Asks \$35,000 In Action Filed Against Stumbo

For "physical and mental pain, suffering and injuries" allegedly sustained when he was assaulted by Dr. W. L. Stumbo, J. D. Bond, Prestonsburg attorney, last week in an suit filed in the Floyd circuit court clerk's office asked damages totaling \$35,000.

The petition alleges that on or about Oct. 2, 1940, Dr. Stumbo "repeatedly struck the plaintiff with his fists and hands and choked plaintiff with his arms and grasped plaintiff's hair and pulled from his hair a portion thereof, and then and there otherwise struck and kicked plaintiff and drew him, the plaintiff, to the ground and over a stone or concrete wall, that defendant, further named himself with a large rock or stone which weighed "approximately five pounds" which he threatened the plaintiff.

Dr. Stumbo, several months ago, was acquitted of an assault and battery charge filed against him by the attorney.

ALL-DAY CARD IS ENJOYED BY THROG

3,000 SEE EXPERTS IN MARKSMANSHIP EXHIBITION

With perfect autumn weather prevailing and a perfectly planned program regaling them all day long, thousands of persons Sunday attended the Floyd County Fish & Game Club's annual fish fry and con and fox chase on the grounds of the Beaver Valley Golf Club at Allen.

J. J. Gilpin, publicity director of the Division of Game & Fish, Frankfort, estimated the crowd at 3,000 persons.

Feature of the day's program was the shooting exhibition of 72-year-old "Ad" Topperwell and his wife who declined to state her age), representative of the Winchester Repeating Arms Company and the Western Cartridge Company. E. R. Burke, district conservation officer, estimated that 1,000 persons saw the couple perform almost unbelievable feats of marksmanship with revolver, rifle and shotgun.

During the morning, the crowd was entertained by address by County Judge E. P. Hill, Jr., Dr. O. W. Thompson, Pikeville, chairman of the state advisory council, Division of Fish & Game, and Charles Huron, Harrod, president, Floyd County Fish & Game Club, social music by Mrs. Edith Fitzpatrick James, representing the Edith James Plain-Song Chanters, and "Brother" Howard Hunsinger, singing, with the latter giving clever imitations of Amos and Andy and Lum 'n' Abner.

The real fireworks came in the afternoon with the Topperwells furnishing them at 1 o'clock. Following the con chase in which 33 dogs were entered, Hunsinger, owned by Mrs. J. C. Baker, was both line and tree winner, earning his owner two trophies and \$35 in cash. Ten hounds competed in the fox chase that followed and Jack, owned by Henry Harris, Jr., Prestonsburg, was first-prize winner, with Bob, owned by Charles Daniels, second.

The ball-casting contest was won by 15-year-old Gladys Bunting, daughter of W. V. Bunting, who competed with crack rod-and-ree artists of all ages of this and neighboring counties. For his performance he received a Marthoff reel. Second prize was won by Winston "Winkie" Burke, Prestonsburg, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Burke; his award, a cocktail smoking set. The two youngsters competed with seven dozen shiners.

Dr. Stumbo did a large percentage of the crowd viewed the wildlife exhibit of the Floyd County Fish & Game Club in the outdoor aquarium. The exhibit was a most interesting and educational one. The exhibit was open from 10 a. m. to 6 p. m. and was well attended. The exhibit was open from 10 a. m. to 6 p. m. and was well attended. The exhibit was open from 10 a. m. to 6 p. m. and was well attended.

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HUEYSVILLE

(Last week's correspondence) Mr. and Mrs. Sam Collins and granddaughter spent the week-end with relatives at Pikeville.

GARRETT

(Last week's correspondence) Carmel and Oretat Chaffins, Carl Martin, and Junior Meade motored to Huntington, W. Va., over the week-end.

Mrs. Jannean Chaffins was home over the week-end from Huntington Memorial Hospital, visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Chaffins.

Carl and Clem Martin, of Northern, were visiting in Garrett Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Clive Akers, of Drift, visited Mrs. Akers' parents here over the week-end.

Encouraged by rising prices for eggs, Elliott county farmers are culling flocks, increasing feed, and making better laying quarters.

J. I. Lyons, Lawrence county, flaked seven bushels of vetch seed from one-fourth of an acre.

PILGRIM HOLINESS CHURCH

Sunday Services: Sunday School, 9:30 a. m. Young People's Meeting, 6:45 p. m. Evangelistic service, 7:30 p. m. Prayer and praise service, Wednesday, 7:30 p. m.

It's New! It's Modern!

CITY BARBER SHOP

ELDER WRIGHT, Prop.

Next Door to Wright's Whiskey Store

SATISFACTION GUARANTEED

Expert and Courteous Service

Navy Representative To Be at Postoffice Here, Thursdays

A representative of the Navy Recruiting Service will be at the Prestonsburg postoffice each Thursday and at Pikeville postoffice each Friday for the purpose of examining men who are interested in serving in the U.S. Navy or the Naval Reserve.

Many vacancies for men between ages 17 and 30 exist at present. Qualified men between ages of 17 and 36 may be enlisted as apprentice stamen and sent to the Training Station for regular recruit training with a prospect of attending one of the specialists' schools, if desired. The pay while in the rating of apprentice seaman is \$21 month for the first four months; after four months naval service an increase to \$35 a month is authorized. Men up to 50 years of age in land, sea and professions may be enlisted in the Naval Reserve with rates commensurate with their experience and pay ranging from \$60 to \$170 a month. Medical attention is furnished and an initial outfit of uniforms, worth about \$12, is given to each recruit. The present rate of enlistments permit those accepted to be called for duty within a few days.

The naval service provides an excellent opportunity to learn any standard trade such as machinist, electrical, carpenter, boilermaker, metalmith, stenographer, radio-man, and many others.

Naval Reserve personnel are expected to serve actively during the national emergency.

Those interested in either the Navy or Naval Reserve are asked to meet the Navy Recruiter while he is in this section, or write to the Navy Recruiting Station, Ashland, Ky., for further information.

ASSEMBLY OF GOD

Sunday Services: 10:30 a. m. J. Arnold, Supr. Classes for all ages. Evangelistic service 8:00 p. m. Prayer and praise service, Wednesday, 8:00 p. m.

Notice

Notice is hereby given that Alice May has filed her petition in the Floyd County Court in which she moves the court to enter an order discontinuing the following public road, to-wit: situated in Floyd county, Ky., and running a distance of approximately 1,600 feet and approximately 12 feet in width from a connection with the public county highway up and down Stephen Branch near the mouth of said branch through the lands of Alice May. Said petition and motion to discontinue said highway will be called for a hearing on the first day of the October term of the Floyd County Court.

Witness this the 6th day of October, 1941.

EDW. P. HILL, 10-9-21 Judge, Floyd County Court

BRIAR BUCK'S SCRATCHES

(The views expressed herein are those of the writer and not necessarily those of this newspaper.—Editor.)

SOLE SPORTSMAN?

We ain't a-claimin' it for sartins but we kinda suspect that David's "local" Fish and Game club has the only woman member of the organization in Floyd county.

PROGRESS!

The struge-buggies and gasoline shovel are here—nearly all the right-of-way is cut, and by the time you read this, Wharv Glenn and his engineering crew will be heading the construction crews in the worthwhile job of building a state road to Floyd county's newest and busiest town—David, Ky.

GUEST COLUMNIST

John Oscar has, that old familiar urge—to be heard by the countless millions outside of his own little realm. So don't be surprised a week now if Briar Buck has a guest columnist to fill in this space of your good weekly newspaper.

AFFAIRS

Claude Allen has been the center of attention around here for several days, due to his involvement in a romantic episode.

Elson ("I-am-the-Law") Kendrick

said he was going to arrest Virgil if he didn't quit that necking in public.

TREE DOGS

The boys are kidding store manager Robert Sidney Walker for buying every mongrel that stops at a stump for a first-class tree dog.

But, like Little Audre, Walker just laughs and laughs—because he knows he can't get 'em at a profit.

EFFICIENT SERVICE

Superintendent Town Hall and the school board are due much credit for providing transportation costs for David students attending the Prestonsburg schools.

The new railroad, as well as the new mining center, has added many tax dollars to the school funds and is only right in proper that a part of the money be returned to the new citizens in the form of transportation facilities for their children.

DISPLEASED VANITY?

This column received a unique compliment recently at the cost (in vanity) of the writer.

After reading one of these columns, a booby was very much pleased with its statement. But said he: "I didn't believe you were capable of writing it!" Ouch!

POP & STUFF

Just imagine Charles Hooper's surprise when he opened the front door to find a woman in the middle of the floor, literally standing on her head! "Yipee!" "Jughead" Davis is the proud papa of his fourth successive son—born last Friday night. "Jug" is Boss Dumper and General Supervisor of the head-house. Good Demagogue Middle Creek says at the big Democratic rally in the burg Saturday night: Graydon Howard, Clyde Allen, Samuel Hale, and a couple Honky-Tonkers whose names I don't mention.

NOTICE OF SALE

By virtue of execution No. 8704, Floyd Circuit Court, in the case of James A. Stratton, et al., vs. Elbert Stratton, for cost, directed to me, notice is hereby given that I, or one of my deputies will, on Monday, October 27, 1941, at or about 1 p. m., at the front door of the courthouse, in Prestonsburg, Ky., offer at public sale, to the highest and best bidder, on a credit of three months, all the right, title and interest, both legal and equitable of Elbos Spradlin in and to lots No. 5 and No. 6 of dower; of Anna Stratton Noble lot No. 1 and lot No. 7 of dower; of Tetam Dials, lot No. 4 and lot No. 4 of dower.

Said land is located in Floyd county, Ky., on Marc Creek, and is more fully described in Commissioner's report of Division filed in the county court on the 6th day of August, 1940, which report is referred to for a more detailed description of said property.

The amount to be raised by said sale is \$43.18 from each of the above-said parties, and the further sum of \$25 to cover the cost of sale.

Given under my hand and as Sheriff this the 30th day of October, 1941.

DIAL SALSBERY, Sheriff, Floyd County, Kentucky.

LACKEY SALSBERY, D.S. Cost of advertising \$7.50

TIMES WANT ADS PAY

7TH DISTRICT MEET HELD

CLUBWOMEN CONVENE AT WAYLAND OCT. 11 FOR CONVENTION

Twenty-third annual meeting of the Seventh District, Kentucky Federation of Woman's Clubs, was held in the Wayland Methodist Church, Stuart, on the 11th of October. Lackey-Garrett Club acted as the hostess club.

Members were greeted by a reception committee consisting of Mrs. M. M. Collins, Mrs. T. J. Chandler, and Mrs. Charles Sturgill. Registration, conducted by Mrs. M. M. Collins, Mrs. T. J. Spillman, and Mrs. Charles Sturgill, began at 9:30.

Approximately 75 members of the district attended the meeting. Distinguished guests were Mrs. J. Williams, president of the Kentucky Federation of Woman's Clubs, and Miss Globe Giffard, director of the Bureau of Club Community Service.

The morning session opened at 10 o'clock, with Mr. John B. Hilsenbeck, district governor, and Mrs. M. M. Collins, vice-governor, presiding. Mrs. Frank Austin acted as recording secretary and Mrs. Stevelyn Combs as timekeeper. During the morning the following program was presented:

Club Collect—Mrs. M. M. Collins; invocation—Rev. E. P. Crumpler; assembly singing—"God Bless Our Native Land"—Mrs. Fred Fray, pianist; "Appreciation of Our First Mrs. M. M. Collins"; prayer to the flag—assembly, led by Mrs. M. M. Collins; greetings—Mrs. Charles Sturgill; response—Mrs. Wedgwood Burchett.

Club reports: Hindman—Mrs. Beckham Combs; David—Mrs. John O. Cecil; Jenkins—Mrs. J. W. Jesse; Jenkins Junior Club—Mrs. William Riley; Lackey-Garrett—Mrs. Melvin Hayes; by Mrs. Charles Sturgill; Pleasant Hill—Mrs. J. Williams; Prestonsburg—Mrs. Ambrose Mandt; by Mrs. E. P. Arnold; Van Lear—Mrs. Robert M. Blake; Whitesburg—Mrs. Lee Moore.

Report of credentials and registration committees—Mrs. Marjill Lambson; reading of minutes of last year's convention—Mrs. Frank Austin; Governor's report—Mrs. John B. Hilsenbeck; recognition of Lackey-Garrett, Van Lear, Prestonsburg, Jenkins, and Whitesburg as Honor clubs; recognition of Mrs. H. H. Harris as Pioneer Club Woman address—Mrs. J. Williams, president of K.P.W.C.; work of Bureau of Club and Community Service—Miss Globe Giffard.

At 1 p. m. the meeting adjourned to the Wayland hotel, where club members enjoyed a luncheon, during which the following program was presented, with Mrs. Elizabeth Claypool acting as mistress of ceremonies:

Grace—Mrs. Oscar J. Webb; group singing—"God Bless America," led by Dan Harman; vespertine instrumental music, arranged by Jesse Elliott; song—Mrs. Sylvia Fitzpatrick, accompanied by Mrs. Fred Fray; "My Old Kentucky Home" instrumental music, directed by Jesse Elliott; reading of Paul Dunbar's "Encouragement"—Katherine Powell; duet—Vivian Harman and Lucille Crumpler; Mrs. Crumpler, by Jesse Elliott; "Art Appreciation and Flower Arrangement"—David Donahoe.

Band members who furnished instrumental music under the direction of Mr. Elbert were Katherine Powell and Irene Bryan, Mrs. Gladys May Dineen, of Martin, and Louis Roberts, Joan Stephens and Ray Calvin Davis, of Betty's Laying Arrangement; Mrs. R. H. H. Messer, Mrs. Charles Hornsby, and Mrs. W. T. Hatcher. Entertainment for the luncheon was planned by Mrs. Fred A. Martin and Mrs. Thomas Hatcher.

The afternoon session was opened with the awarding of prizes for best entries in the flower exhibit, which was under the direction of Mrs. R. H. Messer. David Donahoe, who judged the entries, awarded a blue ribbon in the art work of Mrs. Thomas Hatcher, which was awarded by his mother, and a red ribbon to Mrs. Geneva Smith; Mrs. H. H. Messer was awarded a blue ribbon and Mrs. W. T. Hatcher a red ribbon for their arrangements of wild flowers, while Mrs. Thomas Hatcher received the award for the best entry of garden flowers.

Mr. Donahoe also exhibited and gave an unusually interesting discussion on several specimens of art done by his pupils in the Breathitt county high school. Following this an impressive memorial service was given under the direction of the Whitesburg Club with Mrs. Paul Vermillion reading from Tenyson's "In Memoriam," accompanied at the piano by Mrs. Fred Fray. Brief reports were given by district chairmen for American Home, Juniors, Kentucky Club Woman Publicity, The Club Woman K.P.W.C., Webb, Lackey, who was named secretary and treasurer. Miss Upston is a member of the aptonians club and is a member of the Chi Upston Club, the college news bureau states.

The Kentucky Wesleyan Band held its first meeting Oct. 2 and under the leadership of Harold Borden, Jr. Among the new officers elected for this year is Miss Elizabeth Webb, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Webb, Lackey, who was named secretary and treasurer. Miss Upston is a member of the aptonians club and is a member of the Chi Upston Club, the college news bureau states.

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Advertisement for Sunday Meal Too Much For Mother. Text includes: 'Sunday Meal Too Much For Mother', 'The Sunday dinner often involves too much work on the part of mother. Banks home-making specialists at the Kentucky College of Agriculture and Home Economics, Mother spends most of a Saturday and much of Sunday morning preparing an elaborate meal for the family. This involves not only the mother, but the family, and the other members of the family suffer from over-eating. The family, says these experts, should be willing to eat an easily prepared meal in order that the mother may have time to relax from the week's work, go to church, and enjoy her family, friends and nature.', 'Million Dollars To 4-H Club Feeders', 'Approximately 1,000 calves are being raised by Kentucky 4-H club boys and girls for the annual fall cattle show and sale to be held at the Southern Stock Yards in Louisville, Nov. 4-7. This will be the 23rd annual show and sale.', 'Statistics gathered at the 4-H club department of the College of Agriculture and Home Economics at Lexington show that 4-H club members have received more than a million dollars from the sale of their calves and in cash premiums in the 19 years since this show and sale was started.', 'A total of 6,371 boys and girls have showed 11,614 calves, and received for a total of \$984,788, and receiving in addition \$58,947 in premiums.', 'The highest average price was \$15.94 per hundred, received in 1927, and the lowest \$3.80, received in 1933.', 'Last year 629 boys and girls showed 688 calves and sold them for an average of \$12.46 a hundred, or a total of \$70,577. They also received \$3,828 in prizes.', 'Miss Webb Elected Wesleyan Band Officer', 'The Kentucky Wesleyan Band held its first meeting Oct. 2 and under the leadership of Harold Borden, Jr. Among the new officers elected for this year is Miss Elizabeth Webb, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Webb, Lackey, who was named secretary and treasurer. Miss Upston is a member of the aptonians club and is a member of the Chi Upston Club, the college news bureau states.

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Meredith, the Militant Minority

WHETHER he wins or loses, Kentucky's one-man militant minority—Attorney General Meredith—is rendering the taxpayers of the Commonwealth a real service.

He instigated the probe into the ways and wherefores of state purchases and is seeking an end to the legalized graft by which attorneys for Clifford E. Smith, state collector of "back" taxes, are paid commissions ranging from twenty-five to fifty per cent of taxes collected.

The state is already paying Clifford Smith ten per cent of the delinquent taxes he collects. This contract of his with the state, it is pointed out, provides that he is to pay assisting attorneys and all other expenses in making such collections. Yet these attorneys representing Smith go before fiscal courts of the state and county schools boards and negotiate their own contracts calling for a "split" from two to five per cent up for themselves (or for others) on taxes collected for the county or school board.

Floyd county has had experience with these attorneys. It once upon a time paid, if memory serves aright, forty per cent for their services—services the County Attorney could have done equally as well. Other counties have paid even more.

This additional "drag" of attorneys associated with Mr. Smith is pure "gravy" and a total loss to the counties with which they contract to serve. Clifford Smith has a lucrative contract with the state; his assistants would be paid by him, not by the several counties of the state.

Attorney General Meredith, it is argued before the Court of Appeals, has no right to defend the people in this case. Maybe he hasn't, if the devious windings of the law are tricked out, but somebody should have that right. It may be that the people themselves should demand that their county officials protect them from such forays into the county treasury which is, theoretically at least, theirs.

THE TIMES has no desire to attempt to analyze all the motives of Attorney General Meredith in his legal battles with other officials of the state administration. We're too far away from the scene of operations to be a qualified observer. But we're near enough to tax pay-days and schemes to get into the treasuries maintained by tax monies to see wherein this man Meredith will do us no harm in tracking such unnecessary expenditures.

Points By Other Editors

LARGE EASTERN TRUCK INTERESTS MENACE US

THERE is no mystery about Kentucky's reluctance to increase truck load limits. It simply is a matter of protecting its citizens and guarding its highways from the destructive pounding of huge east-coast Diesel-motored juggernauts lugging born-like "trailers" weighted to grinding springs with heavy freight; that common sense shows could easily, and certainly more safely for the public, be moved over steel rails away from highways.

Because of the hilly nature of the Kentucky country, road-building and maintenance is much more costly than in many other states. The up-and-down hill, curving, narrow nature of most Kentucky highways can hardly withstand stress now placed on them by the present 10,000-pound gross load limit much less the 72,000-pound rolling big trucking interests of the Wall Street sector are trying to put over on the state.

Twenty-Three Enroll At Eastern State From Floyd

Richmond, Ky., Oct. 14.—Twenty-three students from Floyd county have enrolled at Eastern State Teachers' College for the fall semester which opened Sept. 22. They are: Miss Ann Elizabeth Allen, Prestonsburg; Dick Mayo Allen, Prestonsburg; Miss Alice Gray Burke, Prestonsburg; Joe Ed Burke, Prestonsburg; William Browder, Haroldsburg; Preston Slusher Dickerson, Jr., Prestonsburg; Henry D. Fitzpatrick, Jr., Prestonsburg; Miss Helen Gayle Goussard, Haroldsburg; Miss Mary Gearheart, Haroldsburg; Miss Laura Marie Hayes, Lackey; Miss Lena Garnett Hunt, Prestonsburg; Miss Anna Mae Johnson, Auxier; Miss Mabel Rae Jones, Melvin; Miss Phyllis Marie Jones, Melvin.

Road making is a vastly more expensive undertaking in Kentucky than in such states as, for example, Florida, where the flat land and even climate make it a simple matter to lay and maintain level highways at low cost. They have none of the dangers Kentucky motorists find lurking around the next curve or hill top.

Propagandists for Eastern trucking monopolies are putting out a smoke screen now about moving freight for national defense and declaring that Kentucky should therefore drop its well-considered bars against further highway death and destruction.

The truth is that the railroads are moving most of the national defense freight, just as they did in the last great national emergency, so the answer to this is obvious.

Kentucky has shown real wisdom in making laws to protect as much as it can its citizens and highways from the menace of huge freight trucks plunging through our countryside, ruining our roads and endangering the lives of our road users.

Kentucky should stand firm and protect itself against the threatened onslaught of the trucking monopolies.—Pike County News.

GULLIBLE MR. CUDAHY

ONE of the most remarkable of all recent public utterances was the speech in which John Cudahy, former United States Ambassador to Belgium, declared that the Americans were no danger of Nazi attack because Chancellor Hitler had told him so.

Mr. Cudahy, whose naivete is such as to disqualify him for any diplomatic assignment, explained that in his recent interview with Hitler the German Chancellor professed uncertainty when the American said many of his countrymen feared a German victory because of its danger to the United States. In Mr. Cudahy's words, the Fuehrer declared that a Nazi attack upon this hemisphere was as unlikely as an attack on the moon.

Believing this important bit of information back to the United States, Mr. Cudahy was considerably peeved when the State Department gave scant attention to his report, and in some way he seems to feel that the State Department did not do right by the public when it was not impressed by the news that the State Department knew, of course, and what Mr. Cudahy in his touching trustfulness seems to have overlooked, is that the German Government was doing its utmost to infiltrate his hemisphere even as Hitler was reassuring his gullible interviewee that neither the Americans nor the moon had sought to fear from the Nazis.

Mr. Cudahy did not remain to suggest an explanation of the far-fung Nazi intrigue in this nation and South America, and of the plots at revolution and sabotage of hemisphere unity.

It is just barely possible that had Mr. Cudahy sought an interview with Chancellor Hitler a few weeks before the German dive bombers struck at Brussels, the Fuehrer would have assured him that Belgium was quite immune to harm from Germany in the light of what he had just said, since, Mr. Cudahy doubtless would have believed him.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

TERRORISM CANNOT BE TOLERATED IN AMERICA

A LITTLE BAND of vicious hoodlums attempted to disgrace Roane county, Tennessee, the night of September 15, and it appears that they have succeeded. For their act of terrorism now seems likely to be unpunished, as far as the county authorities are concerned.

Two C.I.O. organizers had just left Harriam by automobile when they were layed, stripped, flogged, smeared with tar and, according to them, given this warning: "We don't want you here. C.I.O. over here. We are organized politically and, by God, we are not going to pay no Northern wages in Roane county." Whatever anyone in Roane county or in Tennessee may think of labor unions or of "Northern wages"—though, incidentally, it is difficult to believe the masses of the C.I.O. are the subject to the latter—every Roane county and every Tennessee who is also a good American must resent this outrage.

Do these hoodlums and terrorists imagine that they can with impunity violate the fundamental laws of this country? The Chattanooga Times has asked: "That is a question which concerns Sheriff Chester Davis and the people of Roane county. It is a question which also concerns the people of Tennessee." The fact is, the question concerns all Southerners and indeed all Americans. Resorts to the methods of the Gestapo anywhere in the United States is a matter for national anxiety and failure to bring to book the cowards responsible is a matter for national protest. The union leadership, despairing of local law enforcement, has asked the Department of Justice to intervene under the civil rights statute, and the request, unaltering as its implications are to Roane county, does not seem altogether unreasonable after nearly two weeks.—The Courier-Journal.

Big Sandy-Elkhorn Coal Men Meet In Ashland

Operators from the Big Sandy-Elkhorn Coal Operators' Association fields opened their annual meeting at the Henry Clark hotel, Ashland, Wednesday morning, with election of officers and board of directors scheduled for sometime during the day.

Harry LaViers, of Paintsville, Southeastern Coal Company, is president of the association and presiding over the meeting. Other officers include L. C. Campbell, Pittsburgh, Koppers Coal Company; vice-president, H. H. Kulling, Cincinnati, Elkhorn Collieries Corporation, treasurer, and Mr. Homan.

Challenged by high prices for eggs, Spencer county farmers are culling, improving laying quarters, and feeding the birds better.

P'BURG SLAMS TAYLOR AUXIER, 20-4

SUNDAY'S VICTORY LEVELS SERIES AT ONE-ALL

Prestonsburg's baseball team slammed its Sunday back into the Big Sandy League play-off series with a vengeance, sending three Auxier twirlers for 23 hits and 20 runs while Patton, giant Prestonsburg righthander, was limiting the B-class champs to four hits and three runs.

Result of this game, a complete about-face from that of the preceding Sunday when Auxier pumped Prestonsburg for a 11-5 victory, left the series even at one win for each team and two tie games. The final and deciding encounter of the series will be played here Sunday afternoon.

Patton had his fast ball under control walking out two men and the two of the three runs scored off his delivery resulted from errors. He struck out 11.

"Red" Buckner, who twirled Auxier to two tie games with Prestonsburg, on a 13-inning 2-4 thriller, was no puzzle to Prestonsburg batters. He allowed 11 hits and eight runs in four innings. His successors, "Yankee" Wells and "Snail" Lambert fared no better. Crum, Brock and Crum hit homers for Prestonsburg. P. Butcher slammed out a triple, and Brock Crum and P. Butcher also hit two-baggers.

Box score for P'BURG vs AUXIER. AB R H PO A E. Crum, ss 4 1 0 2 1 0. Prater, 3b 6 1 1 0 1 0. May, of 0 0 0 1 0 0. Vance, rf 6 2 3 2 0 0. P. Butcher, 2b 5 4 1 2 0 0. Valdes, cf 5 4 1 1 1 0. C. Patton, 3b 5 4 2 1 1 0. B. Buehler, if 5 3 3 0 1 0. R. Patton, p 5 0 0 14 0. Totals 49 20 27 21 4

Summary: Two-base hits—Crum, Brock, Crum, P. Butcher, three-base hit Crum. Bases on balls—off Bickford, 1; off Lambert, 2; off Patton, 2. Struck out—by Lambert, 2; by Patton, 11. Hits—off Bickford, 11 in 4 innings; off Wells, 3 in one inning; off Lambert, 9 in three innings.

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ALL RIOT ALONG THE POTOMAC

Hi—There was serious accident in Washington yesterday. Six bus loads of eastbound co-ordinator motorists with four buses full of westbound federal administrators. Six trucks carrying defense program allocators, priorities fixers, etc. Inched into the wreckage. It is believed the defense program will be greatly speeded up, due to the crash.

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FOR COUNTY JUDGE

I come to you as a candidate for County Judge, asking for your support believing that I merit this office on the following grounds: I was born and reared in Floyd County, and am now 48 years of age. My father, Hiram K. Begley, Jr., and mother, Emily Sizmore Begley, lived at the time of my birth on Right Beaver Creek, where my grandmother, Cynthia Allen, lived her life and her generation before her, who are the Pattons, Georhearts, Osborns, Stephens, Martins, Coopers, Stumpos, Balberts, Hall, Cookers, Fraters, Mays, Prestons, and many other pioneer families lived and now constitute the county's largest families today.

The first settlers and forefathers of these my people were George Allen who came to Floyd county and settled on Right Beaver Creek, near Northern, from Virginia in 1793 and his brother, Bill Allen, who came from Virginia in the same year and settled on Middle Creek. My mother was the daughter of Bill Sizmore, who was closely related to "Uncle" T. J. (Left) Sizmore, the Derosettes, Stones and many others I cannot recall. I mention these relatives of mine in this county, that you may know who I am.

I have worked for 26 years on the railroad on right Beaver this county, and know what it is to work day and night in all kinds of weather to earn a livelihood for my family "BY THE SWEAT OF MY BROW." It is a natural inheritance of mine to work for the moral, progressive and educational improvement of my fellow citizens. I have been taught from my childhood, I know what it is to struggle 26 long years with my brother-workers, striving to better the living conditions of the laboring man. I have always tried my best to be loyal, faithful and honest in all my dealings with my fellowmen. I am a World War No. 1 veteran.

With this background and upon the following platform, I ask for your vote.

BUSINESS OF THE OFFICE 1. I intend to respect the people at all times, day or night, in all matters, ability showing no respect of persons.

2. The County Judge must approve an appointment of all peace officers and I will approve no appointment to the office of DEPUTY SHERIFF, CONSTABLE OR DEPUTY SHERIFF who does not meet with the approval of the good citizens, and who is NOT SOBER, HONEST AND SENSIBLE.

3. IN THE MATTER OF JOBLESS WORKERS, I propose to use all the power at my command to get our unemployed men and women working on the P. O. R. in any other employment which may be in my power to aid them. I will insist that the Certifying Agent, who is paid by the county, immediately interview our poor people and get them in line for employment and I will use every effort to have the fiscal court do its full share in obtaining NEW ROAD JOBS AND OTHER PROJECTS in operation in order to employ more people. WE HATE THE POOR WITH US ALWAYS AND THEY DESERVE MORE THAN THE CRUMBS FROM THE TABLES OF THE RICH.

LAW ENFORCEMENT This is a duty imposed upon all good citizens, and I intend to see that the law is enforced to the best of my ability. It SHOULD BE ENFORCED—in its SPIRIT as well as in its LETTER; but not as a RACKET, permitting undesirable and unscrupulous PISTOL-TOTING officers to prey upon the innocent and poor people, just to MAKE THEM PAY FINE TO PROTECT THE PROTECTION OF SOCIETY and not a MONEY-MAKING PROPOSITION.

TAXATION This should be a fair and equal assessment of all property in this county, made by the Tax Commissioner or one of his deputies calling upon the proprietor-owner, his home or place of business and having him or her to list his property, with the tax direct, to be sent to the TAX COMMISSIONER does this or NOT BE PAID. This will save the taxpayer from useless and exonerated from unlawful assessments and rates.

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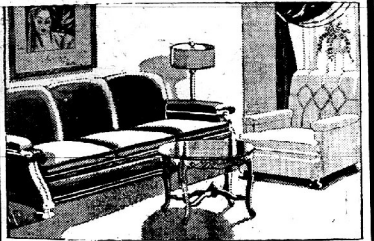
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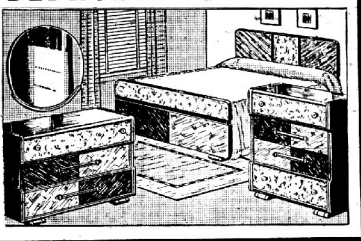
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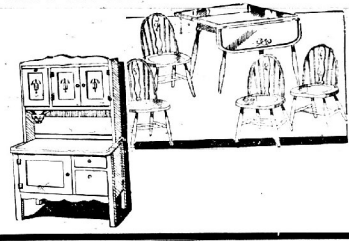
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TO THE VOTERS OF FLOYD COUNTY:

In view of the fact that it is only a few weeks until the November election, and it will be impossible for us to see all the people of our county, we are taking this means of communicating with you, in the sincere hope you will not consider this as just another electioneering appeal.

dentists are teachers in the public schools of this county at this time. Ralph is related to practically all the old-time families of this county, the Allens, Stambos, Gibsons, Sizemores, Halls, Collinses, Fitzpatrick, Mays, Stephens, Gearheartes, Dinguess, Turners, Cropps, Sallsburgs, Osbornes, Martins, Mayos, Ratliffs, Begleys, Prestons, Hales, Moores, Shepherds, Howards, Modders, Newmans, Huffs, Hickoses, Hayesses, Goodman, Hoovers, Cullises, Scotts, Webbs, Stewarts, Fattions, Sertons, Fraters, and many others. He grew to manhood on Beaver Creek and is in every way fully qualified to fill the office of County Court Clerk. This is his first time to ask his relatives to aid him in seeking office. While it is true that his opponent, Banner Meade, is a rich man and as such is generally known to have bought his nomination, yet we feel that the good people of Floyd county are not for sale this time and Banner's money will not do him any good. He has held office TWELVE LONG YEARS and has grown rich while in office. Don't you think it is only fair that he step aside and give another young man a chance? To keep one man in office all the time, we say to our young men and women that they shall not aspire to hold office. Is this right? We call on all of Ralph's relatives, and to all friends of a square deal, to set behind Ralph Allen in this fight. He can and will win with your help.

Mr. Meade belongs to the courthouse crowd, who for years have kept the young men and women of this county out of office and kept in office just certain ones who "deliver the goods." He belongs to the crowd who goes to the Farmers and Miners and makes them believe that they will be given a place on the so-called "ticket." However, when the primaries are over they who have trusted, find to their sorrow that they have been left off the so-called "Big Slate." How many farmers and how many union men did Banner Meade support in the last primary? You know as a fact he did not support one of such.

We all could help this young man when he needs help and at the same time help ourselves and the county by so doing. We respectfully ask you to give this your earnest consideration.



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Recent Bride Honored At Miscellaneous Shower

Mrs. W. C. Goble and Mrs. J. G. Archer were joint-hostesses at the home of the former on Thursday evening, Oct. 9, to a miscellaneous shower honoring Mrs. James E. Goble. The home was attractively decorated in autumn flowers. After the presents were opened, refreshments were served. These attending or sending gifts were: Madeline Cecil Kendrick, Laura Lawson, Curtis Clark, Len Miles, Ray Allen, Luther Shivel, Mary Branham, Victor Hale, A. C. Harlow, Elizabeth Wells, Maud Herford, Norman Allen, John Butler, Virgie Cheuning, F. L. Helme, Richard Hall, Edw. L. Allen, B. P. Combs, Thomas Hereford, Laura Allen, H. L. Goble, Price Huff, Elizabeth Goble, Guy Horn, T. W. Smith, Cora Farnin, E. S. Ferrell, Ernest Hopkins, E. J. Hopson, Mollie Johnson, W. C. Rimmer, E. B. Brown, F. C. Hall, Fannie Runnels, Dorey Collins, W. B. Boyd, Robert Holcomb, James E. Allen, Ouis Cooley, Henry Stephens, Ballard Branham, James Prater, J. M. Parsley, Henry Wright, Orville Coole, George F. Archer, Florence LeMaster, Ernest Osborne, Belva Quisenberry, Richard Sparlock, J. J. Hatchler, Chas. Cautell, John C. Hill, Farmer Hopkins, Cal Clarke, Chas. Hughes, Sadie Price, Jo M. Davidson, Bert Porter, George Baldridge, James Morill, Jr., Wm. A. Goble, Martin Lee May, Fanny Collins, W. V. Bunting, Myrtle Wedington, J. D. Thomas, Leonard Martin, W. H. Jones, Harry Seidige, Woodrow Greenwade, P. P. Howard, Jack Spruin.

Madames Phineas Hall, E. P. Hill, Woodrow Burchett, Reuben Taylor, H. F. Patton, Clayborne Stephens, James Y. Goble, R. H. Koch, Mrs. Stern, Leonard Oppenheimer, M. J. Leslie, Sr., Ruth Sowards, Frank H. Layne, E. R. Burke, Ike Lockwood, C. V. Kishpaugh, Olga M. Latta, Lydia Spradlin, Josie B. Harris, Graham Harris, A. B. Combs, John R. Baldridge, Robert D. Francis, K. J. Whaley, W. H. Layne, E. Clarke, Ray Howard, and Misses Alta May, Imogene Herald, Owen Lee Harris, Josephine Davidson, Frances Jones, Marie Spradlin, Naomi Goble, Betty Mae Parsley, Louise Goble, Betty Archer, Hildred Baldridge, Melba Baldridge, Louise Price, Minnie Grace Harris, Cole Martin, and the Presbyterians Sunday School.

CHILD, MEASLES VICTIM

Three-year-old Hazel M. Baldridge, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Baldridge, of Osborne, died this week a victim of measles. Surviving are the bereaved parents, three brothers and three sisters. The funeral was conducted by the Rev. Mansford Davis, of Dwaile, and burial was made in the family cemetery.

Former C. & O. Employee At Martin Succumbs

W. A. Straughan, former chief mechanic for the Chesapeake and Ohio Railway Company at Martinsburg, died at the age of 71 at Huntington, W. Va., Oct. 8. Mr. Straughan, an uncle of Mrs. C. H. Corbin, Prestonsburg, had many friends throughout this section. He retired from C. & O. service about three years ago. Surviving are two sons and two daughters. His wife preceded him in death. Funeral rites were conducted Friday last week and burial was made at Huntington.

Wayland Girl, Member Of Wesleyan Singers

(By the Kentucky Wesleyan News Bureau) Winchester, Ky., Oct. 13 (Sp.)—Rehearsals have started for the Wesleyan Singers of Kentucky Wesleyan College here and prospects for the year's work is very promising. Mrs. Ruth Stallings, teacher of piano for Kentucky Wesleyan College, will direct the singers this year. The organization is composed of 39 members. Miss Marjorie Harman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dan J. Harman, Wayland, is a member of the Wesleyan Singers. Miss Harman is a freshman at Kentucky Wesleyan.

HAYWOOD RECOVERING

Ballard Haywood, who was seriously injured recently while driving a shuttle car inside the Princess Ekibhorn Coal Company mine at David's recovering, his father, W. M. Haywood, Dock said this week. Mr. Haywood was at first believed fatally hurt. Amputation of his arm, which was badly mangled, was not necessary.

VISITORS IN COUNTY

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Peaback, of Portsmouth, Va., were guests this week of friends and relatives at Wayland.

Courthouse Happenings

(Continued from Page 1)

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Andy McClanahan and Stella Warrick, J. C. Cooley and Bess Wierk, Jack Morrison and Margie Ward, Thomas George, 25, and Mary Lou Rice, 19, both of East Point; marriage solemnized Oct. 11 by the Rev. A. C. Harlowe, of the Baptist Church, Prestonsburg. Alex Hackworth and Ruth Hale, Stewart Adams, 21, Paintsville, and Geneva Honeycutt, 21, Ankier; marriage Oct. 12, the Rev. Tip Preston, United Baptist Church, officiating. Lee Sweeney, 56, McCarr, Ky., and Mary Nelson, 20, Prestonsburg; marriage ceremony performed Oct. 13 by the Rev. T. J. Smith, United Baptist Church, Bert Hamilton and Ester Bradford, Burley Caudill, 18, and Hester Hale, 14, both of Martin; marriage solemnized Oct. 15 by Magistrate Daniel Akers. Rastus Collins and Reba Kidd.

Notice To Contractors

Sealed bids will be received by the Department of Highways at its office, Frankfort, Kentucky, until 10 A.M., Central Standard Time, on the 31st day of October, 1941, at which time bids will be publicly opened and read for the improvement of: Floyd County SP 26-156 The Saltyersville-Prestonsburg Road. Triple 1000 concrete culvert at State Road Park, approximately 0.3 mile east of the Magoffin county line. The attention of prospective bidders is called to the pre-qualification requirements and necessity for securing certificate of eligibility; the special provisions covering submitting or assuming the contract and the Department's regulations which prohibits the issuance of proposals after 4:00 p.m. the day preceding opening of bids.

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Further information, bidding proposals, etc., will be furnished upon application to the Frankfort office. The right is reserved to reject any and all bids. DEPARTMENT OF HIGHWAYS, Dated at Frankfort, Kentucky, October 9, 1941.

New Hudson Dealer Holds Open House

The Floyd County Motor Company, newly appointed Hudson dealers, is holding a formal opening and "housewarming" celebration all this week at the new sales and service headquarters for the line located in the Blevins building, Graham street, Prestonsburg. Alex Derossert, manager, announced. A cordial invitation was extended to all motorists to inspect the facilities of the new Hudson home, said to be one of the most complete automobile retailing establishments in this part of the state.

"We are proud of the service facilities we can offer all motorists and Hudson owners in particular," Mr. Derossert declared, "and I hope we will have the opportunity of greeting old friends and new at our housewarming."

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OFFICE HOURS: WEDNESDAY OF EACH WEEK 9 A. M. TO 5 P. M.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT OF THE CITY OF PRESTONSBURG, KY. AS OF SEPTEMBER 30, 1941

Table with columns: Date, Receipts, Disbursements, Amount. Includes entries for July 3-30 receipts and July 1-31 disbursements.

SHERIFF'S SALE

FLOYD CIRCUIT COURT

A. H. Greene, Plaintiff vs. F. M. Fitzpatrick, Defendant

Notice is hereby given that by virtue of execution No. 8745, which issued from the office of the Clerk of the Floyd Circuit Court, and directed to me, in the above styled case, I or one of my deputies will, on Monday, Oct. 27, 1941, at or about 1:00 p. m., at the front door of the courthouse, Prestonsburg, Ky., offer at public sale, to the highest and best bidder, for and to the following tract of land:

Lying and being in Floyd County, Ky., on right hand fork of Middle Creek, containing about 300 acres, more or less, and bounded on the East by Sallee Short; on the West by Ford Holbrook heirs; on the North by Holbrook heirs; and on the South by Charlie Hackbert, this being the same tract of land on which Penn Fitzpatrick now resides, and is known as the Steve Fitzpatrick farm.

A sufficient amount of said tract of land will be sold to satisfy said execution in the amount of \$300.00, subject to a credit of \$28.50, 8-5-40, until paid; \$15.00 court cost, interest on debt from the 28th day of June, 1940; \$18.23 Sheriff's commission; and the cost of this sale. Levied on as the property of Penn Fitzpatrick, this the 6th day of October, 1941.

DIAL SALISBURY, S. P. O. By LACKEY SALISBURY, D. S. Cost of advertising \$11.25

Table of Sheriff's Sale items with columns: Warrant No., Amount. Lists various warrants from No. 1765 to 1832.

Total disbursements for July, Aug. and Sept. \$ 4,571.40 Cash on hand October 1, 1941 4,812.43 \$ 9,383.83

MARTIN Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Dings left last week to visit relatives in Little Rock, Ark.

Mr. and Mrs. Archie Moore are the parents of a 6 1/2-pound daughter, born Wednesday, Oct. 8. This is the first grandchild of Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Moore.

Pvt. Clyman Hunter, who is stationed at Fort Thomas, spent the week-end in Martin.

Pvt. Jesse Hampton, of Fort Knox, was home over the week-end. He has been on maneuvers in Louisiana.

Edward Becket and Bobby Marshall spent the week-end in Huntington with relatives. They attended the Marshall-Toledo and Ashland-Huntington football games.

T. E. Allen spent the week-end in Lexington.

Milton Ryan spent the week-end in Lexington.

Miss Patty Hatton, of Frankfort, spent the week-end with her parents.

Miss Dixie Ratliff spent Saturday night with Miss Pannette Halbert.

Mrs. James Setzer has returned home after a week's visit with her mother, Mrs. K. L. Varney, of Stone, Ky.

Auto of Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Green was wrecked Saturday night as they were leaving Pikeville.

(Last week's correspondence) Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Lynch celebrated their eighth wedding anniversary Sept. 24.

Mrs. John D. Adams has sold her restaurant to Mr. Tackett from Virginia.

A. B. Osborne, Jr., has returned from Charleston, W. Va., where he has been attending business college.

Mrs. J. W. Grant, of Huntington, W. Va., spent the week-end with her husband, C. & O. electrician here.

Mrs. Joe Crisp visited her husband Monday in the C. & O. hospital, Huntington, where he underwent a minor operation last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Hayes and

Miss Cecil Ratliff have returned to Martin, without reaching their destination, Salt Lake City, Utah. A car ran into them in Colorado, completely demolishing their car. Mrs. Hayes received a serious cut on the forehead and several bruises. Mr. Hayes and Miss Ratliff miraculously escaped with only minor bruises.

Denzil Halbert and "Babe" Goodin, who attend Kentucky Wesleyan College, Winchester, spent the week-end with their parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Vol Risner and son, Clarence, who are now residing in Michigan, spent several days visiting relatives in this vicinity.

Martin Risner, youngest son of Tom Risner, of Michigan, is seriously ill at the Martin General hospital with typhoid. He has been living with his half-brother, Woodrow Taylor, at Hypro. Mr. Taylor is also ill with typhoid.

The F.P.A. boys are planning to have a square dance in the Martin gymnasium Saturday night.

Miss Ola Key went to Louisville last week. Her sister Magda returned with her mother.

Pvt. Sandy Martin, Jr. who is stationed at Fort Knox, was home over the week-end.

Willis Van Meter, Clark county, cured his tobacco crop by burning charcoal briquets.

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TODAY'S ROADS—KENTUCKY US. 23—Louisia Paintville road—6 1/2-mile section of US. 23 south of Louisia has been completed and is now being used for local traffic.

US. 23 is closed to through traffic to Paintsville and points south with as contracts have been let for additional grading and drainage and other, some of these new fills will become impassable.

US. 25—Construction south of Mt. Vernon. Caution advised. Delays of approximately 15 minutes. Suggest use of KY. 160, Mt. Vernon to Stanford; US. 27, Stanford to Somerset; KY. 80, Somerset to London.

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11 and US. 60, 10 miles gravel, balance surfaced. Newport-Alexandria road, three miles construction. Detour marked via Brent.

KY. 10—Vanceburg-Fullerton road—15 miles black-top surfacing. Half-width construction.

US. 31-W—Construction between Bowling Green and Franklin. Detour. Through traffic use 31-E from Glasgow south.

US. 41-E—Construction from Hopkinsville southeast to Pembroke road. Through traffic detour over 31-E to Nashville.

US. 60—Between Frankfort and Shelbyville, grading and drainage construction. Road closed. Passenger cars detour via KY. 37 to Deane and KY. 43 to Shelbyville. Adds 14 miles. Trucks detour via KY. 35, 44 and 53. Adds 24 1/2 miles.

US. 62—Beaver Dam-Caneville road, under construction. Detour. US. 227—Paris-Winchester road. Roadside improvement construction.

DINWOOD

Charles Shepherd is reported very ill this week.

Mrs. Jobie Prater has returned home from the Beaver Valley hospital and is convalescing nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Gregory, of Virginia, were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Gregory's brother, Thomas Gregory.

Wilson Frause, of Pond Creek, was visiting friends here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Stone have moved to their new home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Gregory, of Virginia, were visiting relatives here last week.

Miss Ocle Isaac is convalescing very nicely.

Mrs. C. C. Crisp, of Bosco, was visiting her sister, Mrs. M. D. Isaac, Sunday.

S. C. Allen was the Sunday guest of Mr. and Mrs. N. O. Allen.

Mr. and Mrs. Lucian McCoy have moved to an apartment owned by Harry Gregory.

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Everett Chilwood has returned home after a short visit with his mother, down South.

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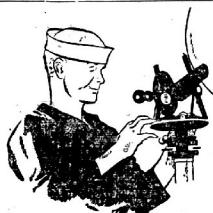
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Mrs. N. O. Allen spent Saturday on Johns Branch.

Gordon Carroll wrecked the Beaver Valley hospital ambulance Sunday night near the "twin bridges."

Mr. and Mrs. Vincent Adams and family visited relatives in Dinwood Sunday.

C. P. Moore and Scott Compton were in Prestonsburg on business Saturday.

F. M. Allen, of Lander, visited his brother, N. O. Allen, Saturday.

Townsend Combs of Lander, was a business visitor here Wednesday.

The portable clipping vat bought by the Carroll County Sheep Protective Association has been used for 3,000 head of sheep.

Trouble with houseburning of tobacco was not experienced by Warr county farmers who fired their crops.

BETSY LAYNE

By JAMES BEVINS The boys' and girls' club clubs enjoyed a party Wednesday night, Oct. 8, at the high school gym. The attendance was about 50. Music, dancing, games and refreshments were enjoyed. New members were initiated.

The Betsy Layne Chapter, Future Farmers of America, initiated the new members on Monday night, where games and refreshments were served at an open fire. About 40 were present.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Caldwell and family, of Man W. Va., were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Layne, Sunday, at Justell.

Thelma Burchett and Opal Porter, of West Virginia, visited their parents here over the week-end.

Dr. C. L. Pritchard, of Harold, is seriously ill.

(Last week's correspondence) Mrs. W. C. Hews, who has been in the hospital at Pikeville, has returned to her home here, and is reported improving.

Memorial services were held at the Lear and Ceil cemetery Sunday, with services conducted by the

Rev. Isaac Stratton, of Banner, and the Rev. A. L. Jackson, Betsy Layne.

W. H. Stratton, of Betsy Layne, will leave Thursday for the Veterans' hospital, Huntington, W. Va., for treatment.

Mrs. Jane Layne, who has been attending school at Pikeville College, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Stratton.

Mrs. Maude Baidridge of Betsy Layne visited her sister at Boldman Tuesday.

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