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## SIX FOOT WIDENING OF COURT STREET IS BEGUN BY WORKMEN

WPA Projects Include Sidewalk, Store Room and Sewer Construction

COMPLETED SOON

Prestonsburg's WPA street widening program reached Court street this week, when workers under the direction of A. J. Archer, began excavation preparatory to adding approximately six feet of pavement to the width of the street. The extension will extend from the corner of Third and Court to the Mayo Trail intersection at the traffic light.

Mr. Archer stated that the program also called for the building of sidewalks opposite the courthouse on Court street and the widening of Front street from the Auxier hotel to the first National Bank.

Other WPA construction underway in Prestonsburg are the projects under the direction of Taulbee Hamilton, which includes the paving of Ford Lane and Westminster avenue. Waid Cross is in charge of workers now repairing sewers at the Garfield addition near Second street. Alex Hall is in charge of workers who are building a supply room addition at the city hall on High street.

All these projects are included in the \$26,287 WPA appropriation recently approved by Washington officials through the efforts of Mayor A. J. Archer and Congressman

### Wes Hicks, 76, Succumbs

Wes Hicks, 76, grandfather of 60 and great-grandfather of 26, died at the home of his son, Alex Hicks, at Mousie at 1 p. m. Sunday. Funeral services were conducted Monday by the Revs. Alex Cornburn, M. C. Wright and L. D. Moseley. Burial rites were in charge of the Ryan funeral home of Martin. Mr. Hicks had been a member of the old Regular Baptist Church for 50 years.

### DRIFT TAKES FIRST PLACE AS RAIN CANCELS GAME IN BIG SANDY LEAGUE

Despite the fact that rain stopped Drift's game with Shelby in the third inning Sunday with Drift leading 3 to 0, Drift bounced back into first place in the Big Sandy league due to Pikeville's 7-3 (5 inning) loss to Wheelwright.

Drift's game with Wheelwright Monday was called off at 10 a. m. due to rain. Next Sunday will probably decide the winner when Drift and Pikeville tangle in a double header.

## Grand Jury "Rides Range" On Three Cattle Rustlers

According to County Attorney Forrest D. Short, indictments were returned by the grand jury this week against three men on cattle rustling charges after theft of a number of cattle from a farm owned by W. L. Stumbo near Martin, this county.

Two of the alleged rustlers now in custody, are: John Lee Adkins and Arvil Crum, both of the vicinity of Martin. The third man indicted is yet not named.

Commonwealth's Attorney C. Hall, asserting an organized band of motorized rustlers had been operating in

### HALL TAKES TIME BY THE FORELOCK

Bringing his bondsmen with him, Kellard Hall, 22, called on County Judge Protem T. B. Akers, Monday, announced that he had shot Marvin Clark, 21, of Stephens Branch, and then swore out a warrant charging himself with shooting and wounding. His bondsmen companions then produced \$500 bond money, and Judge Akers set Hall's trial for Sept 27.

Hall said he shot Clark in the leg during a scuffle over possession of a pistol in his store at Stephens Branch.

### CENSUS COMPILATION IS AIDED HERE BY NYA GIRLS

Four NYA girls have for the past 10 months spent their assigned hours assisting the attendance department of the Floyd county board of education in compiling a school and pre-school census. Cards for every child in Floyd county were made by the girls, the information for each child being obtained by checking reports from school districts. Over 35,000 cards were made and filed.

The attendance officers, Messrs. Leonard Martin and Stanley Combs said: "It would have been impossible to have had the files completed by June 1, thereby meeting the state requirement, without the help of the National Youth Administration." The officials of the State Department of Attendance declared these files to be the most complete and thorough of any in the entire state.

### ALL-DAY MEET HELD HERE FOR TEACHERS

After Conference Here at High School, Teachers Sign Contracts

Teachers from every consolidated school in Floyd county were present at an all-day teachers' conference held in the high school auditorium here Saturday, previous to the signing of contracts in Superintendent Town Hall's office. Special music and interesting speeches featured the day's meeting.

The morning session began at 9 a. m. with the audience singing "America." The invocation was pronounced by the Rev. H. F. King, and was followed by special music played by Mrs. Margaret Durham, Wheelwright graded school teacher. Circuit Judge John W. Caudill then gave an address of welcome to teachers.

Two interesting speeches on "Floyd County Schools" Continued on page five

## PRaise GIVEN VOICES OF HOME TALENT IN WPA'S GYPSY ROVER THROUGH MAY'S AID

Musical Comedy Sponsored at the Abigail Theatre By WPA, Musical Success

Home talent abounded in the cast of The Gypsy Rover, a musical comedy presented at the Abigail theatre here, last week and sponsored by the recreational department of the WPA. Praise and favorable comment were heard on all sides concerning voices in the cast.

The musical comedy was under the direction of W. A. Potter, area supervisor of recreation; Carl Patrick, in charge of scenery; Snooky Cross, in charge of dances; and Edith Fitzpatrick James, project supervisor, now in California for a radio audition.

The cast of characters included Oval Bingham, Anne Allen, Dick Mayo, Jack Salisbury, Dick Dickerson, Carlos Hale, Bill Dudgey, McHone, Robert Reynolds, Vivian Caudill, and Billy Callihan.

In the chorus were Thelma Jean Africa, Shirlene Branhams, Bennie May Caudill, Jane Hamilton Clarke, Mabel Jean Conley, Judith W. Davidson, Anne Louise Hagans, Francis Hagans, Jane Carroll Hager, Peachie Howard, Emma Louise Patrick, Barbara Jeean May, Laura V. Roberts, Bobby Salisbury, Beatrice Sturgill, and Theda Thomas.

In the special chorus were, (sopranos) Mrs. Willie Mellon, Mrs. Chas. Milby, Mrs. Luther Shivel, Mrs. Claude P. Stephens, and Mrs. Merle Wilson. (Alto) Mrs. R. V. May, Mrs. Porter Mayo, Mrs. J. D. Thomas. (Tenors) Jim Davidson, Luther Shivel, (Bass) Franklin Moore.

Dancers were Alice Gray Burke, Jean Carroll Hager, Betty Jean May, Patty Rimmer and Eloise Williams. Solo dancers were Snooky Cross and Lucy Howard.

Doris Ann Clarke, Caroline Hill Jean Homes, Bill Jones and Martha Ann Keeling were gypsy children.

### 1ST TYPHOID CASE IN FIVE YRS. REPORTED

Junior Belcher, 15, Is First to Suffer From Typhoid Here In Five Years

Prestonsburg's first case of typhoid fever in five years was brought to the attention of the Floyd county health department this week when it became definitely known that Junior Belcher, 15, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Belcher, of Prestonsburg, was stricken with the disease.

Dr. Marvin Ransdell of the health department, attributed the cause to "laying in the river." The river here is nothing but an "open sewer," the doctor added.

Dr. Ransdell advises all parents to have their children immunized and kept out of the river, as he is certain young Belcher contracted the disease while swimming.

The health department is taking all necessary precautions, and expects no spreading of the disease. The case was reported to the health department Wednesday morning. Young Belcher contracted the disease last Friday. Attesting to the efficiency of the health department, young Belcher's is the first case of typhoid reported in Prestonsburg since Ike Smith suffered from the disease here five years ago.

## FEDERAL BUILDING IS TO BE LOCATED IN PIKEVILLE

Building Will Cost \$200,000 and Will Be Located in Pikeville

### BULLETIN

(The following telegram was received as The Times goes to press.)

Washington, D. C., September 9 541P

Honorable Andrew J. May, Member of Congress

The Postmaster General and Secretary of Treasury have today allotted funds for the acquisition of a site and construction of a federal building for United States courts at Pikeville, Ky.

SMITH W. PURDUM  
Fourth Assistant  
Postmaster General.

A new Federal building costing \$200,000 will, in all probability, be erected in Pikeville in the near future. It was announced this week by Congressman A. J. May of Prestonsburg.

Congressman May made the announcement after he had emerged from a meeting with a large delegation of Pike county business men relative to the annexation of thousands of acres of Pike county and Virginia timber lands to the Jefferson National Forest.

The new federal court building is to be located in downtown Pikeville and will contain about 9,050 square feet of floor space, according to an estimate released by H. C. Donaldson of the department of justice. The new building will contain a set of judge's chambers, grand jury room, petit jury rooms, two witness rooms, attorneys' consultation room, a district attorney's offices, five rooms for the United States marshal, office for the clerk of the court and offices for the federal probation officer. The courtroom as provided in the specifications will have a floor space of 2,400 square feet.

In making the announcement Mr. May stated that the

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### SEARCH FOR SLAYER GOES INTO 2ND WEEK

Posse Fired Upon While Seeking Matt Jones For Policeman's Slaying

The search for Matt Jones, 35, wanted for the Sunday night shotgun slaying of Levi Hall, police chief at McDowell, was interrupted this week by gunfire, as a posse was fired upon Saturday night by the alleged slayer's father, Andy Jones.

W. R. Frasure, member of the posse, said Monday that he and his two companions, Oliver and Wade Frasure, were awaiting the arrival of law officials at the head of Frasure's Creek, before making a systematic search down the creek. Tiring of waiting for the officers, they walked to the mouth of the creek, hoping to meet them. Not finding the officers they returned to the head of the creek. On their return trip they were fired upon as they passed the home of Andy Jones. Frasure states that the fire was not returned.

After Pike county officers, Richard Lamb, Matt Tackett, and Glenn Osborne, and Floyd county officer, Ora Blanton, arrived, the posse came back down the creek to the home of Andy Jones, who admitted firing his rifle at "chicken thieves." The posse Continued on page four



## CIRCUIT COURT AND GRAND JURORS MEET FOR SESSIONS HERE

Grand Jury Has Returned Four Indictments For Wilful Murder

296 CASES DOCKETED

As the September term of Floyd circuit court with Judge John W. Caudill presiding, convened here Monday to find itself faced with a docket of 296 commonwealth cases, the grand jury, with George Crum as foreman, began its nine day session.

In his instructions to the grand jury, Judge Caudill asked that investigations be made into all lawbreaking in Floyd county. Among other things, he cited the grand jury's attention to gambling, breaking of game laws, and breaking of election laws in the recent primary election. Judge Caudill said in his address to the jurors, that if half what he heard was true concerning the recent election, a large portion of Floyd counties should be in the penitentiary.

Of the indictments returned by the grand jury, 26 are now recorded in the circuit clerk's office. Four of these are true bills for wilful murder against the following:

Matt Jones, for the slaying of Police Chief Levi Hall at McDowell; Mary Bell George for the slaying of her husband; Marion Thompson and Phil Thompson charged with the slaying of Frank Meadows; and Jessie Vance, Eval Frasure, Ernest Frasure, for the slaying of Alex Hall. Other indictments returned are for various offenses.

To round out the busy week at the courthouse, where the fiscal court, grand jury and circuit court have already met this week, Special Judge Sanders Clay returned to hear evidence in the two contest cases which are an aftermath of the recent primary election.

### CARL STUMBO ORDERED TO REPORT FOR NAVAL ENLISTMENT, SEPT. 11TH

Carl Edward Stumbo, Betsy Layne has been ordered to report to the naval recruiting station at Louisville Sept 11, where, if he is accepted for enlistment in the U. S. Navy, he will be sent to the naval training station at Great Lakes Ill. to undergo intensive training.

Upon completion of this training Stumbo will be sent to one of the navy's trade schools for further training or to sea on one of the nation's many warships.

### MOTORIZED DETACHMENT TO EXHIBIT HERE 1 HOUR

Richmond, Ky., Aug. 31—Capt. W. W. Ford, above, field artillery, U. S. Army, member of the military staff at Eastern Kentucky State Teachers College, will be in command of a detachment of the motorized ROTC artillery unit of the college when it comes to Prestonsburg this (Friday) morning.

The detachment will stop at Prestonsburg for an hour during which the public is invited to inspect the unit. A brief demonstration of artillery practice is to be given.

Capt. Ford will explain the various types of equipment of the unit and outline the purposes of the ROTC training as it is conducted at Eastern.

The detachment will leave at 9 a. m. for Paintsville and 24 other cities on a 700 mile march.

### MAGISTRATES MEET IN SPECIAL SESSION

Courthouse Addition To Be Bidded For, Court Decides At Meeting

At a special meeting of the Floyd fiscal court with County Judge W. L. Stumbo presiding, and Jim Clark, G. W. Meade, M. C. Wright and Willie Hall attending, the court, in addition to the allowing of claims, made the following orders:

Forrest D. Short, county attorney, was authorized to send an engineer to make an estimate on the cost of the two approaches to the bridge at Banner. The court also ordered that the approaches be advertised for construction to the lowest and best bidder.

Forrest Short was also authorized to receive bids for the construction of the addition to the courthouse. The new addition will provide offices for the school superintendent, health department, Continued on page five

## Second Falling Meteorite Lands Near Betsy Layne

For the second time within 10 days a falling meteorite landed at Betsy Layne recently. The meteorite weighed 35 pounds, was 18 inches long, and irregular in width and thickness.

Three high school boys, Eugene Keiley, Clifford Walters and Russell Walters, had been watching for a comet when the first meteorite fell within a few feet of them. They ran to it and after it had cooled they extracted it from the earth and ran to display it to neighbors. The meteorite was oblong in shape and about the size of a brick. It resembled sandstone that had been treated with tar.

When the second meteorite fell almost in the exact spot where the first one had fallen, the boys located it while the air still smelled of burning sulphur. One of them remained to guard the find while the others went to arouse the neighbors. The meteorite was much different from the one that had fallen a few days before. It resembled a linker. Jesse Elliott, instructor in the Betsy Layne high school, in whose hands the meteorites have been placed, said they would be sent either to the state university, at Lexington, or to the Smithsonian Institution in Washington.



Ask Me Another  
A General Quiz

- 1. What is the cost of the paper used in printing United States currency?
2. In baseball what do the following letters stand for: AB, R, H, O, A, E, and BB?
3. How much is a skein of woolen yarn?
4. What is the significance of edelweiss?
5. How is the air in Carlsbad caverns kept fresh?
6. What was the bodour parliament?
7. What state collects the most money in sales taxes?
8. How much of the retail business of the United States is done on a cash basis?
9. Must "G-Men" pass marksmanship tests?

Answers

- 1. The distinctive paper used in making United States currency costs the government 37 cents a pound. It is estimated 1,743,236 pounds will be used in 1937.
2. At bat, runs, hits, outs, assists, errors and base on balls.
3. It is equivalent to 256 yards.
4. The flower is an emblem of purity in literature and painting.
5. No artificial means is necessary. Some undiscovered natural process keeps the air fresh and pure. The temperature remains about 56 degrees Fahrenheit at all times.
6. This is a reference to the great influence which Mme. de Maintenon had on Louis XIV and his advisers.
7. In 1936 California ranked first in sales tax collections, with a total of over \$70,000,000. Illinois was second with receipts of over \$61,000,000, and Michigan third with over \$45,000,000.
8. The domestic commerce division of the Department of Commerce says that 67.8 per cent of all retail sales are for cash on the counter or cash on delivery.
9. "G-Men" must pass severe marksmanship tests every month, shooting from all sorts of positions at various targets. Yet only 5 per cent of their activity has to do with criminals that shoot back. The 600 or so agents can qualify for all sorts of jobs in disguise work. There are electricians, reporters, printers, radio announcers, etc., on the list, and it's said a lively "G-man" dance orchestra could be formed on the moment, if necessary.

Electrocuting Whales

The newest method of killing whales is with an electric harpoon. The current goes by wire to the head of the harpoon, spreads through the body of the animal and returns through the water to the negative pole on the side of the ship, thereby completing the circuit and causing instant electrocution.—Collier's Weekly.

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Your husband can't possibly know how you feel for the simple reason that he is a man.

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For three generations one woman has told another how to go "smiling through" with Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. It helps Nature tone up the system, thus lessening the discomforts from the functional disorders which women must endure in the three ordeals of life: 1. Turning from girlhood to womanhood. 2. Preparing for motherhood. 3. Approaching "middle age."

Don't be a three-quarter wife, take LYDIA E. PINKHAM'S VEGETABLE COMPOUND and Go "Smiling Through."

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Watch Your Kidneys!

Help Them Cleanse the Blood of Harmful Body Waste

Your kidneys are constantly filtering waste matter from the blood stream. But kidneys sometimes lag in their work—do not act as Nature intended—fail to remove impurities that, if retained, may poison the system and upset the whole body machinery.

Symptoms may be nagging backache, persistent headache, attacks of dizziness, getting up nights, swelling, puffiness under the eyes—a feeling of nervous anxiety and loss of pep and strength.

Other signs of kidney or bladder disorder may be burning, scanty or too frequent urination.

There should be no doubt that prompt treatment is wiser than neglect. Use Doan's Pills. Doan's have been winning new friends for more than forty years. They have a nation-wide reputation. Are recommended by grateful people the country over. Ask your neighbor!

DOANS PILLS

What Irvin S. Cobb Thinks about

Cures for Communism.

SANTA MONICA, CALIF.—A certain rich man out here—rich but indulgent—got a letter from his heir, a sophomore at one of the big eastern colleges.

The lad announced he had been converted to communism and was contributing to the cause. So what about it?

The old man wrote back:

"Son, you have a perfect right to follow the dictates of your conscience.

But as a consistent communist you naturally would not continue to live on the ill-gotten gains of a wicked money-grabber.

Today I am cutting off your somewhat generous allowance. You will also vacate the luxurious apartment you now occupy because I'm not paying the rent of same any longer.

So go ahead, my boy, and commune freely—with my blessings! But from date that'll be about all from this end of the line."

Exactly four hours after the arrival by air mail of this ultimatum, the hard-hearted parent got back a rush telegram stating that the young man had been thinking things over and had decided not to take up the new doctrine.

The Art of Listening.

WE HAD a party at which there appeared what I may call the dumb poets—Sam Hoffenstein and Oden Nash. At the studios where they're both turning out epics, there's a rule that neither shall burst forth into poetry while he's under contract—no thumbing of the harp, no sounding of the lute. Cinema's gain is creation's loss.

Maybe that explains why they made such good listeners the other night. And isn't a good listener, a boon! I don't mind being interrupted, provided the interrupter chooses the right subject. Mute and rap, I can harken for hours on hours if someone is talking about me, say, or even reading from my published works. But these two minnesingers only broke in to ask that the pickled shrimp be passed or gently to suggest that another little drink or two wouldn't do any harm.

Oden Nash has attained the highest peak of distinction attainable for a writer. His chief imitator has an imitator who is bringing up his oldest boy to be an imitator.

Resurrecting Old Words.

WHEN a word gets fashionable—especially a new word which some wordsmith thought up right out of his head—it gets too doggone fashionable. The same applies to old words which have been disinterred from their forgotten tombs in the dictionary.

I seem to see grave robbers prowling through the unabridged, starting in at "aard-vark," which is an animal formerly common only to Africa but not frequently found in cross-word puzzles; and working on through to "zythum," a very strong beer drunk by ancient tribes. I guess those old-timers imbibed copiously of the brew and then named it. It doesn't sound like the sort of word a dead sober party deliberately would make up.

Do you remember the run "intrigued" had? I never got so sick of a word in my life. And then along came "provocative," and it turned out to be a pest. People went around just looking for a chance to work "provocative" into the conversation. The only way to lick 'em was to pretend to be deaf and dumb.

And now the reigning favorite is "allergic." Folks spout it everywhere, whether they know what it means or not. I don't mind saying I'm getting awfully allergic to "allergic." There must be many others like me.

Campaign Books.

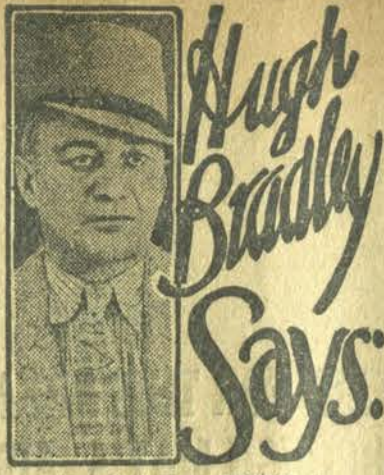
LET us not cavil too much because high pressure salesmen, working on commission, have been unloading upon the faithful, at fancy prices, the gift book put out by Washington headquarters to pay off campaign debts. In fact, 15 cents' worth would cover practically all the cavil I personally have used up in this connection.

The result tends to prove the gratifying fact that, while more Democrats may not necessarily have learned how to read and write, obviously more of us have got money than formerly was the case when the Republicans were in power.

Besides, think of what the strain would have been upon the poor postman if the national committee had been stuck with all this bulk literature and congressmen had started franking copies out to their constituents with Uncle Sam paying the freight. To give you a further idea about this franking privilege, I may state that it was named for Frank, Jesse's brother—and you'll remember how careless those James boys were with the United States mails!

IRVIN S. COBB.

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Unexpired Contract Is Barring Terry From Other Offers

BILL TERRY did ask for a new contract and a raise. He told Giant officials that he had several other good offers. They informed him that they would not stand in his way of bettering himself but refused to tear up the old agreement which has another year to run . . . Fighting Fox, two-year-old brother of Gallant Fox, is an uncle of the five-year-old Omaha and of the four-year-old Granville . . . Harry Vardon is generally considered one of the greatest of all-time golfers yet few recall the man was one of the worst putters who ever fozzled a short tap.

Sol Saperstein, who weighs 190 pounds, stands six feet four inches and is nineteen years old, will journey from his native Bronx to become a member of the University of Baltimore basketball team this year . . . Baltimoreans insist that Pitchers Vandenburg and Lohrman, who will come to the Polo grounds at the end of the International league season, will be as good for the Giants as Cliff Melton has been . . . Dixie Howell is through with baseball and has signed with Washington's pro football team . . . The Cincinnati Red Stockings, winners of organized baseball's first pennant in 1869, and also undefeated that season, had an annual pay roll of \$9,300. The season started March 15 and ended November 15. Shortstop George Wright, who died several days ago, was the highest salaried performer. He received \$1,400 for the year.

Youthful clients of this department are complaining about the baseball-bat situation. They insist the big-bat manufacturers do not make proper ones for youngsters any more. Instead they try to sell major-league models which are too heavy for the average kid to swing even if he can raise the price . . . Jackie Farrell may soon get a fall sponsor for that Jersey radio spot . . . Julius Solters of the Indians has not been much of a success with his new club as has Vosmik for whom the Browns traded him. Players say Solters is fence shy in the field and not of the winning type and that Cleveland will probably pass him on next winter.

Cobb Was Swat Champ at Age of 21

Ty Cobb was only twenty-one years old when he won the American league batting championship in 1907.



The ages of other A. L. batting champions since then, Manush and Appling, twenty-five; Lajoie and Foxx, twenty-six; Sisler, Heilmann, Goslin, Simmons, twenty-seven; Fonseca, twenty-nine; Speaker and Ruth, thirty; Gehrig and Myer, thirty-one. Cecil Travis, the Washington youngster up with the leaders now, is twenty-four.

Don't fall for any of that hokum about Pompoon being pointed for the \$100,000 Santa Anita handicap. He's definitely retired, indeed recently almost passed out . . . Did you know that Frank Moore, who is doing such a fine job as assistant to golf pro Jimmy Farrell up at Quaker Ridge, is a brother of Cards' outfielder Terry Moore?

Guys to watch this fall—Eric Tip-ton, Duke's triple threat fullback; Andy Bershak, rugged North Carolina end who should cause N. Y. U. no end of woe; Bud Toebe, a great kicker and fine defensive player who will return to one of the Princeton wings after a year's absence due to injuries. Merrill Davis, Dartmouth captain and end. He weighs 205 pounds and is heavyweight boxing champion up at Hanover . . . Sad news emanating from New Haven—Merri Scott, who should have been one of the East's best tackles, has quit Yale. Gallagher, considered a sure bet to carry on where Bob Beckwith left off at center, probably will be ineligible. Several of the best hopes from a fine frosh line also should have studied harder last winter.

The name Pinelli may lob up in the major league box scores once more in five years . . . It will be Ray Pinelli, who'll be a freshman at Notre Dame this fall . . . Roy, an older brother at Notre Dame, is a footballer . . . Ray is a shortstop . . . "He's a six-footer and can do everything," says Papa Pinelli.

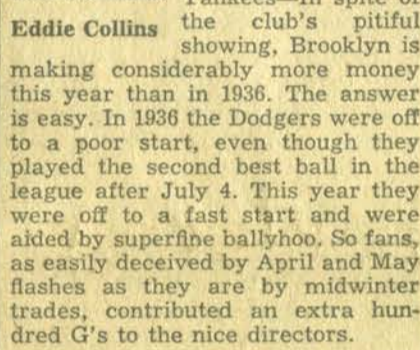
NOT IN THE BOX SCORE: CABALLERO II, the Chilean horse Hirsch Jacobs claimed for four G's at Saratoga, recently, is worth at least \$40,000 to several of the more important owners. They are bidding that much now in the hope that they can use the gee gee for breed-improving purposes—Edsel Ford, the auto magnate, is almost as red hot a Tiger fan as is Joe Louis. Likes to watch home games from the high Detroit press box, too.

Joe Tinker, Jr., son of the once-famous Cubs' shortstop, is making a name for himself as a member of a Pittsburgh dance team—The late Howie Morenz was so high strung that after a hard hockey game he never even thought of going to bed. Used to walk the streets for six or seven hours instead—Amherst alumni are uttering numerous nice words about the freshman football coaching of Charley Soleau, who used to do such brilliant blocking for Andy Kerr and the Red Raiders of Colgate.

Speaking of Amherst, keep an eye on Harry Ward this fall. The blond Minnesotan weighs 220 pounds stripped, and Lloyd Jordan will be disappointed if he does not become one of the East's finest tackles—Funny things happen at the Canarsie fights every Tuesday night. Right outside the park there is a ring—the bell, win—a cigar concession. Lots of smokes must be won, too, for the bell rings frequently. Then the fighters invariably head to their corners and have to be brought back to the center by the combined warning shouts of the referee, timekeeper and crowd.

Collins in the Grease With Red Sox Fans

Red Sox Business Manager Eddie Collins, who never has been very popular with Boston fans, is in the grease worse than ever now. The reason seems to be that he ignored the Army and Navy Legion of Valor's request for 300 seats for disabled veterans at the first of those two recent double-headers with the Yankees—in spite of the club's pitiful showing, Brooklyn is making considerably more money this year than in 1936. The answer is easy. In 1936 the Dodgers were off to a poor start, even though they played the second best ball in the league after July 4. This year they were off to a fast start and were aided by superfine ballyhoo. So fans, as easily deceived by April and May flashes as they are by midwinter trades, contributed an extra hundred G's to the nice directors.



Bellhops around the American league tell you that a highly paid Yankee has carried his own baggage upstairs for the last six years so's to duck the tip—Lou Gehrig says Baron Poffenberger will amount to a helluva pitcher some day if all that name doesn't get him down—The Yankees are willing to bet that George Selkirk is the strongest man in baseball—Bill Dietrich of the White Sox once was a Philadelphia high school sprint champion—There is a rumor that Jack Collins, who has been handling Dodgers' tickets for the past several years and who represents the McKeever faction, may succeed John Gorman as business manager—Ford Frick, National league president, dotes on working anagrams.

Jim Stewart, athletic director at Southern Methodist, will bring the S. M. U. eleven north twice in 1938 . . . The Mustangs play Marquette at Soldiers' field and Pittsburgh at Pittsburgh . . . The following season they will play Notre Dame at South Bend . . . Once upon a time a Davis cup player received \$18 a day to cover all expenses, but after several returned from trips and immediately purchased automobiles the practice was stopped . . . The Browns have another Hornsby, no relation to Rogers, on the way . . . He's a catcher for Palestine in the East Texas league, a Browns' farm club . . . Bill Tilden once said: "If Billy Johnston had my physique I never would have defeated him." . . . Trainer Dave Woodward does not allow the Green Bay Packers to drink water during practice or a game . . . He quenches their thirst by sprinkling their mouths with ice water out of an old garden spray.

Pinky Whitney, Philly third sacker, ascribes his hitting comeback to using Chuck Klein's 32-ounce bat, six ounces lighter than his own . . . Too bad he can't pay Chuck off with hits . . . Jack Doyle, brilliant old Cub scout, has been prowling through the minors all year without buying a player and is getting tired of saying "no" . . . "Looks like I'm going to be 'skunked' for the first time in my scouting career," means the hard-bitten, one-time Oriole star. "And this is my twentieth year with this ball club."

Breed improvers, who pay thousands of dollars for yearlings each season, also ought to pay more attention to how these yearlings are reared and trained. Trainers of the rich man's stables have as many as 50 horses to handle, which is entirely too much. Why not give the young trainers a break? . . . Jockey Jimmy Stout has become an ardent tennis fan, going in for racquet work each morning.

Three Maids A-Sewing Go



LITTLE lady, it's time to say adieu, so long, good-by to that flimsy but faithful friend—your summer wardrobe. But don't fret, Milady, Sew-Your-Own is right on the job with sparkling new fashions for you; fashions that will make you forget the past and be remembered in the future. So let's not tarry: let's choose the style that's got the most sock for our particular figure and join this group that's going a-sewing!

Picture yourself in the trim-waisted little model at the left, if you would have an optimistic viewpoint and a head start on style this season. There's nothing younger than this topper with its dainty collar and cuffs, its snappy row of buttons and fetching peplum. The way it takes to the weightier fall fabrics is news, and equally intriguing is this fact: it's easy to sew!

Long slender lines of the princess variety make this the lucky number for your first autumn days. Of course you see it's a style to cut in at least two fabrics because it boasts utility plus beauty. If you're going to school you'll want it in acetate jersey

or light-weight wool. Neat contrast is here, too, if you wish, in the collar, pocket flaps and buttons. (This is a simple eight-piece pattern.)

A Lift for You. There's much ado about bodices this fall and unless you have a frock that carries a stylish one you won't feel right. Sew-Your-Own caters to this vogue in its new creation at the right. It is pencil slim and carefully styled to give you that chic young silhouette that distinguishes the lady of fashion. Make this handsome model of silk crepe, sheer wool or jersey and be fit for business or pleasure in town or country.

Pattern 1376 is designed for sizes 12 to 20 (30 to 40 bust). Size 14 requires 4 1/2 yards of 35-inch material. Pattern 1347 is designed for sizes 14 to 20 (32 to 42 bust). Size 16 requires 4 1/2 yards of 35-inch material. With long sleeves, 5 1/2 yards plus 3/8 yard collar. Pattern 1258 is designed for sizes 12 to 20 (30 to 38 bust). Size 14 requires 4 yards of 39-inch material, with long sleeves, plus 4 1/2 yards of braid to finish as pictured.

Send your order to The Sewing Circle Pattern Dept., Room 1020, 211 W. Wacker Dr., Chicago, Ill. Price of patterns, 15 cents (in coins) each. © Bell Syndicate.—WNU Service.

Favorite Recipe of the Week

PREPARE a huge crock of apple sauce and your efforts will be well rewarded for this delicious concoction never fails to appeal to jaded appetites. Apple sauce is also the basis for any number of easily prepared desserts that have definite palate appeal during the summer months.

- Apple Sauce. 1 dozen apples, 1 1/2 cups apple cider, Granulated sugar to taste, 1 teaspoonful lemon juice, 1 tablespoonful butter, Pinch salt.

Wash, core and cut up apples. Put them in a saucepan with the cider and cook until tender enough to rub through a sieve. Mixture should be thick. Stir in the remaining ingredients. Pour into a bowl. Garnish with a light drizzling of cinnamon. Serve hot or cold as desired.

"Quotations"

The average woman has an innate sense of justice and for this reason will make an ideal juror.—James McGurkin. Children should be brought up to take it on the chin.—Dr. Florence Hale. The only regret one need have with age is the regret that would come from a life completely missed. I was brought up on the saying that few women are both good wives and good mothers.—Mrs. F. D. Roosevelt. When rural young people get out of high school they've lost the main social contact of their lives and have nothing to take its place.—Dr. R. E. Wakely.

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**Joe Shavely, V. G.**  
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W. J. Vaughan, Treasurer

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**Sunday School Lesson**

**A NATION NEEDS RELIGIOUS HOMES**

International Sunday School Lesson for September 12, 1937

Golden Text: "Train up a child in the way he should go and when he is old he will not depart from it."—Proverbs 22:2.

If there is any need which is growing more and more apparent in the life of our nation, it is the need of religious homes—homes in which the mothers and fathers have sound faith in God which they, in turn, give by precept and example to children which God has given them and for which they are responsible.

Of course the first necessity, before we can impart anything to others, is for us to have something within ourselves to impart. Realizing this, the children of Israel were called upon by Moses to hear the commandments, the statutes and the judgments which the Lord had commanded him to teach them and then, having heard, and heeded what God had to say, they would be proportionately rewarded.

The first thing they were to learn and keep always in mind was that Jehovah was their God and that he was their ONLY God—that it was he alone to whom they were to listen and him alone they were to obey. The next thing they were to do was to love the Lord thy God with all thine heart, with all thy soul, and with all thy might. The people were not to love God simply because of God's right to be loved, or because he wanted them to love him, but because of the effect of this love of God upon themselves.

If men and women love God as he has commanded, they naturally obey other commandments regarding their relationship to him and their fellowmen, and this would bring blessing to themselves and to others. Those who love and cherish his words in their hearts will naturally desire to pass this love on to their children and will by precept and example show them the desirability of such a relationship.

This thought is strikingly expressed in Deuteronomy 6, verse 7: "And thou shalt teach them diligently unto thy children, and shalt talk of them when thou sittest in thy house and when thou walkest by the way, and when thou liest down, and when thou risest up." They were to teach their children those commandments, statutes and judgments which they themselves had learned in every opportunity presented to them. They were not commanded to send their children to the priests for a few minutes instruction in God's word—they were to give this instruction themselves in the home.

Parents of this day are, for the most part turning over to the public school the responsibility for the mental training of their children and relinquish to the Sunday School and church the obligation of moulding the characters of their children. This is unfortunate, because the home and its influence cannot be replaced by any social agency which lacks the intimate association and close affection which should exist within the family circle.

Our national life would be greatly improved if we could increase the stability and unselfishness of our homes, which should be the controlling influence and impelling inspiration for right living and service in every individual life. Rufus M. Jones says: "The Christian home is the highest product of civilization."

In fact there is nothing that can be called civilization where the home is absent. In short, the home is the true unit of society. It determines what the individual shall be. It shapes the social life, it makes the church possible, it is the basis of the state and nation. Naturally if our homes are not what they should be, our nation will not be what we all desire it to be.

If civilization depends upon the home, on what should we say the home depends? The real home depends upon God as revealed in His Word—the Bible. Love for and practice of the teachings given in God's Word with regard to the establishment of an ideal home will bear fruit as the years go by in character and service.

It is impossible for anyone to realize the true value of the training received in a Christian home. The Bible gives, among many others, the examples of Samuel and Timothy as individuals whose lives gave evidence of the effect of a religious atmosphere from early childhood. Secular testimony is just as positive. John Ruskin, the famous Englishman, wrote an appreciation of his early home, emphasizing the meaning of peace and understanding of obedience and faith which he received there. Many of us, if called upon, could also give testimony and fervent thanks for the religious beliefs of our parents, who bequeathed us the precious heritage of a Word—the Bible.

**AT THE CHURCHES**

**PREBYTERIAN CHURCH**  
ROBERT A. POTTER, Pastor

**Sunday Services**  
Sunday School ..... 9:45 a. m.  
Morning service ..... 11 a. m.  
Young People's Meeting .. 6:30 p. m.  
W.P.S.P. .... 7 p. m.  
Evening service ..... 7:30 p. m.  
Weekly Service  
Prayer Service  
Wednesday ..... 7:30 p. m.  
Prayer meeting  
Wednesday ..... 7:30 p. m.  
Everybody welcome.

**METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH, SOUTH**  
Harry F. King, Pastor  
Sunday School ..... 9:30 a. m.  
Morning worship ..... 11 a. m.  
Epworth League ..... 7 p. m.  
Evening service ..... 7:30 p. m.

**IRENE COLE MEMORIAL BAPTIST CHURCH**  
Rev. George W. Redding  
**Sunday Services:**  
Sunday School ..... 9:45 a. m.  
Morning service ..... 11 a. m.  
Evening service ..... 7:30 p. m.  
Mid week prayer service—  
Wednesday ..... 7:30 p. m.  
**THE BIBLE MISSION**  
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**Sunday Services**  
Men's Bible Class—9:45 a. m.  
Gospel Meeting, 7:30  
Everybody welcome.

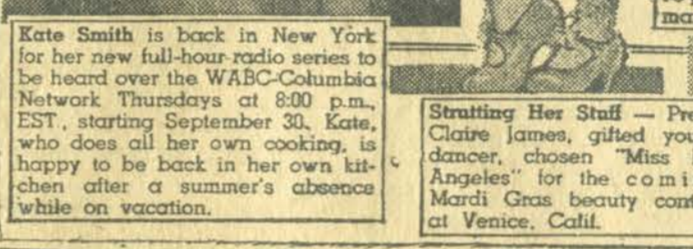
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**Booms and Depressions**  
Booms and depressions may be nothing more than tidal movements in the minds of men.

**THE TIMES SNAPSHOTS**



**Sarah Ann's Cooking Class**

In the next few weeks school bells will be ringing all over the country, and with the school comes the problem of the lunch box. It is very necessary that the child has the proper lunch, especially those who stay until late afternoon. Fresh fruit should be included regularly in school lunch.

**Ham Patties**  
1 1-2 cups minced ham  
2 eggs  
1 cup cracker crumbs  
Milk, salt and pepper.  
Mix together ham, cracker crumbs, beaten eggs salt and pepper. Moisten with enough milk to make into patties. Fry in deep fat.

**Meat Pie**  
Plain pastry  
1-2 teaspoonmeat extract  
1-2 cup hot water  
1 tablespoon flour  
1 1-2 tablespoons cold water  
1 cup diced cooked pork  
1 cup diced cooked potatoes  
1-2 cup diced cooked carrots  
1-4 cup diced cooked celery  
Salt to taste  
Make a plain pastry. To this hot water add the meat extract and thicken it with the flour mixed to a paste with the cold water. Mix the gravy with the meat and vegetables, adding salt to taste. Roll pastry 1-3 inch thick, cut in six inch circles. Place 1-2 cup of mixture on half of each piece of pastry. Fold other half of each piece of pastry. Fold other half of dough over filling and press edges firmly together. Make a tiny gash on each pastry. Place on baking sheet and bake in an oven 400 degrees for five minutes reduce heat to 350 degrees and bake 45 minutes.

**School Sandwiches**  
For filling, grind together 1 pound of baked or boiled ham, 1-4 pound of unsalted peanuts, 6 sweet pickles and moisten with evaporated milk. Combine chopped hard boiled egg, with chopped olives or pickles and mayonnaise.

**School Salad**  
Moisten diced tart apples and grated carrots with lemon juice. Add raisins and shredded nuts. Put in glass jar for school lunch.

**Cheese Sandwich**  
6 slices of cheese  
12 slices of raisin bread  
Slice the raisin bread 1-2 inch thick, spread thinly with butter. Place slices of cheese sprinkled with salt between the two slices.

**Bacon and Prune Sandwich**  
1 cup drained cooked prunes  
3 slices of bacon  
4 cup chopped sour pickle  
2 teaspoons mustard  
2 tablespoons mayonnaise  
2 teaspoons lemon juice  
Butter and bread  
Put prunes and cut in pieces. Cut bacon in small pieces, cook until crisp and drain on absorbent paper. Combine bacon with prunes add pickle, mustard, mayonnaise and lemon juice. Spread between buttered slice of bread. Makes 6 full sandwiches.

**Gingerbread Sandwiches**  
Bake your favorite gingerbread in a loaf pan. When cold cut into 1-8 inch slices. Butter the slices and on one half spread a thin layer of cottage cheese which has been mixed with a small quantity of mayonnaise and a few chopped nuts. Put together sandwich fashion. Cut in triangles.

**Tea Kisses**  
1 cup sugar  
1-2 cup butter  
2 cups flour

2 eggs  
2 teaspoons baking powder  
2 tablespoons milk  
Cream butter, add sugar and eggs. Add flour, baking powder and milk. Dip dough with a teaspoon and drop on a greased tin. Sprinkle with sugar, bake ten minutes in a moderate oven.

**Broiled Ham Sandwich**  
Broil thinly sliced ham. Place between triangles of bread spread with mustard butter, cream fresh butter with equal amount of dry mustard.

**Graham Fruit Cookies**  
1 cup butter  
1 cup sugar  
1 teaspoon ginger  
1 teaspoon cinnamon  
1 cup molasses  
1-2 teaspoon salt  
1 cup hot water  
1 cup chopped raisins  
2 teaspoons soda  
4 1-2 cups flour  
2 cups graham or whole wheat flour  
Cream the butter and sugar. Add the molasses and mix smooth. Add the water in which the soda has been dissolved. Add the flour sifted with the spices and salt. Add raisins and the graham flour. Mix thoroughly. Drop spoonfuls on a greased cookie sheet. Bake 15 minutes in an oven 375 degrees.

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**MERCHANTS HERE SHOULD ORGANIZE**

Editor's Note—Although the ideas expressed below are taken from the Paintsville Herald, they apply just as much to the affairs of Prestonsburg's merchants—and merchants everywhere.

The merchants of Prestonsburg are sorely in need of a 'central government' or clearing house where questions pertaining to the business men as a whole may be referred for settlement. Cooperation with the city council is needed in achieving this goal which should be something on the order of a chamber of commerce or board of trade. The council's part should be in passing ordinances deemed best for the merchants as a body.

For instance a practice has grown up here as elsewhere that when any individual or group feels that it might use a little extra money for some cause or other, all that is necessary is to call on Prestonsburg merchants and 'sell' them on the idea of a donation to their cause. This has been worked so successfully and so frequently that it has

become about the worst nuisance the Prestonsburg merchant has had to contend with.

There are so many advertising schemes going about over the country that it is hard to keep from being gyped by some of them if you are a merchant. Almost without exception, advertising other than newspaper advertising is absolutely wasted. The merchant is promised everything from double his money back to a guaranteed stream of cash customers 99 miles long twice a week for a year.

Glib-tongued special solicitors get away with the merchant's money and if he ever sees the advertising promised he is lucky. And of course no one else is likely to see it.

Pamphlets and programs and train and bus schedules offer the advertiser very little effective advertising. The circulation of these mediums is to begin with, very limited. You seldom see any national advertiser caught with this sort of bait. The salesmen for these various schemes often donate large space to banks or leading merchants in order to draw the little fellow into the net.

What is needed is an organization with some person at the head of it who can say NO in a great big way to the solicitors. The Ashland and Huntington merchants have such organizations. Only newspapers and radio stations are allowed to solicit merchants without a special permit. And there are city ordinances to make sure the rule is enforced.

The Floyd County Times will gladly cooperate in any way possible to help the merchants to get organized if they desire such an organization.

**REGISTERING STARTS AT U. OF KY. SEPT. 13**

Registration for Upper-Classmen Is Alphabetically Arranged

The University of Kentucky will open for the first term of the 1937-38 school year with what promises to be an all-time record enrollment. Monday, Sept. 13. Freshmen students only will be permitted to register on that day.

The schedule for registration of upper classmen has been arranged alphabetically, as it was done last year, and students in the three upper classes, planning to enter the University are urged to acquaint themselves with the registration schedule, in order to alleviate last minute entrance.

Tuesday morning at eight o'clock students whose last names end with the letters A and B are scheduled to register. From nine until nine-fifty o'clock that morning registration will be held for the C's through D's; from 10 until 10:50 E through G; and from 11 to 12 o'clock H thru J. Tuesday afternoon from 1 to 2:30 registration will be held for letters K and L; 2:30 to 3:20 for registration will be held for letters M and N; 3:20 to 4:20 miscellaneous registration for students whose names end in A through O, who failed to arrive at the appointed time for registration.

Wednesday morning at 8 o'clock registration will continue for upper classmen, with letters P through R from 8 until 8:50; the letter S from 9:50 to 10:50. From eleven to 11:50 Wednesday morning miscellaneous registration will be held for all students who have not registered up until that time, and the miscellaneous registration will continue through Wednesday afternoon.

To avoid placing at a disadvantage students registering on the second day, half of each class section will be reserved for the second day's group so that there will be no disadvantage incurred.

**U OF K FOOTBALLERS FACE TOUGH OPENER**

Blue and White Tackles Vandy For Toughest Opener In Years

Lexington, Ky., Sept. 9—Determined to give a good account of themselves this fall, some 45 aspirants for positions on the University of Kentucky football team reported September 1 to Coach Chet Wynne on Stoll field. All were in first class condition and went right to work preparing for one of the hardest schedules faced by any University team in the South.

The Wildcats have only a short time in which to get ready for their opening game September 25 with Vanderbilt at Nashville. Kentucky never has defeated Vanderbilt in football although Commodore track and basketball teams frequently have felt the might of the Wildcats.

Although the Kentucky football squad is not as large as many in the Southeastern Conference, the boys have a fine spirit and are determined to win games that mean fans pick them to lose. The squad is better balanced than usual, and with the exception of guards, there are experienced players from the reserves and freshmen of last year.

Kentucky makes no boast of being a potential Rose Bowl or even conference championship team this year. But with the spirit they have shown already, and unless injuries crop out in unusual numbers, the Wildcats will have a team of which no Kentuckian need be ashamed.

The first home game of the Wildcats will be against Georgia Tech October 9. Tech defeated Kentucky last year at Atlanta by a decisive score. It was the first time Tech ever whipped the Wildcats in football and the Kentuckians will be pointing for the Georgians in order to give their home states something to brag about.

**HALL AND CONN ORDERED HERE FROM KY. PRISON TO TESTIFY FOR GRAND JURY**

The Floyd circuit court this week ordered that M. L. Conn and Jackie Hall, now in the state reformatory at Frankfort, be returned here to appear before the grand jury as witnesses to testify for the commonwealth in the investigation of the recent death of Ballard Stratton.

Stratton's battered body was recently found on the railway tracks above the highway bridge at Allen, where it is suspected it was placed by the killer, or killers, to simulate a train accident. The coroner's jury at that time returned a verdict of death at the hand of person or persons unknown.

**SEARCH GOES INTO SECOND WEEK**

Continued from page one also found an unoccupied bed in Jones' barn loft, where it is suspected that Matt Jones had been hiding.

With Andy Jones in custody the posse came on down the creek, to the home of Bob Jones, brother of the hunted man. Nearing the house, they heard a noise inside the fence along the roadside, and began firing at an unidentified man, who made his escape into the cornfield.

Two of the officers brought Andy Jones to jail here, where he was later released after filling bond. Early this week the grand jury returned indictments against Andy Jones for shooting at without wounding, and against Matt Jones for murder.

The reward for the capture of Matt Jones increased Monday from \$100 to \$300 as the search went into its second week.

Here From Frankfort Miss Maurine Mayo, of Frankfort, arrived Saturday for a week's visit with her mother, Mrs. Anna Mayo.

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**WOMAN'S CLUB HAS IMPORTANT MEETING**  
 Club Aids Clinic and Plans To Continue Safety Program

Mrs. H. F. King read the following poems recently written by her on occasions which the titles of the poems themselves describe: 'Mountain Tradin', 'Old Abbott (Mountain) At Night', 'Convention Hats', and 'Kentucky Hills.'

New members accepted for club membership were: Mrs. Hutsinpiller, Mrs. Inez Hereford, and Mrs. Thelma Bunting. As co-hostesses, Mrs. W. P. Mayo, Mrs. S. C. Combs, Mrs. Marvin Ransdell, and Mrs. J. D. Mayo served refreshments to the young who were present.

Mesdames E. P. Arnold, W. C. Rimmer, Josephine Harkins, Merle Wilson, Emory Clark, Ralph Davis, N. C. Boughton, Ruth Sowards, F. L. Heinze, J. D. Thomas, Bertha Wall's, B. F. Combs, C. L. Hutsinpiller, A. C. Harlowe, C. P. Stephens, R. V. May, George Cohen and her mother, Mrs. Loyce Ray as her guest, Misses Ella Noel White and Eleanor King.

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Kentucky and West Virginia  
**POWER COMPANY**

In Louisville Miss Bertha Walls, was called Monday to Louisville due to illness in her family.

**STEPHENS BRANCH**

Conducted by Evangelist Ruth Martin of Indianapolis an old time revival has been in progress for the past three weeks at Stephens Branch. An overflowing crowd has listened nightly to messages of gospel preaching. Everyone is loud in their praise of the evangelist's messages.

The two baptismal services held at Dinwood, at the mouth of Stephens Branch, were well attended. Twenty-five have already been baptized and about 10 more will be baptized next Sunday, at 2 p. m. at the same place.

The giant testimonial service last Sunday night was a huge success, gaining a large number of converts. Last Monday, at 7 p. m., a communion and footwashing was conducted in H. E. Layne's home. About 30 took part in the ceremonies. The revival meeting is continuing every night except Mondays.



# Personal Mention

### Return to Florida

Mrs. G. L. Howard and sons, Walter and Grover, left Wednesday for their home in Miami, Fla., after a month's visit with Mrs. Howard's mother, Mrs. Josie Harkins, and other relatives.

### Visits Relatives

Mrs. Bess Williams and Josephine Spradlin visited relatives at Seco and Son, Ky., over the weekend.

### Return to Virginia

Rev. and Mrs. Josef Nordenhaug returned the latter part of last week to Vinton, Va., after a visit with Dr. and Mrs. Marvin Ransdell and other friends.

### Property Cannot Sell For The Price of Improvements; That Is Why I Know These Prices Must Advance

54 A. farm, 12 miles south of Louisa on the river; 18 to 20 acres bottom; land was recently limed and in grass; 10 room house; running water, bath, smoke-house, concrete cellar, two barns, close to station, post-office, school and church.

91 A. farm on East Fork, unimproved; good grass land. Price with terms, \$1,000.

40 A. farm—small bottom, no house; 12 miles south of Louisa on the river. Price \$600.

9 1/2 A. All bottom, no improvements; lately limed and in clover; 3-4 mile from Mayo Trail on road and river. Price \$1050.

4 room house on 1 acre of land on the Point one mile from Louisa.

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### Here From Richmond

Miss Geraldine Allen has as her houseguest this week Miss Jane Case, of Richmond, Ky.

### Return to St. Albans

Mr. and Mrs. John R. Clark and children returned Sunday to St. Albans, W. Va. Mrs. Clark and children have spent the summer months here with her mother, Mrs. Osa Ligon.

### Return From Vacation

Dr. and Mrs. R. H. Messer and children, of Garrett, were in Prestonsburg last week, en route home from a week's vacation in Louisville and Herrington Lake.

### Leave For School

James and Joe Prater, of Lackey, left this week for school, James to go to Eastern College at Richmond and Joe to attend Berea College.

### Returns From Vacation

Miss Tonia Mae Samons has returned from a 10 day vacation spent visiting in Annapolis, Md., and Washington, D. C.

### Spend Week-End Here

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Ford and son spent the past week-end here with Mrs. Ford's mother, Mrs. Grace Ford. Mr. Ford is again located at Weeksbury for the school year.

### Leaves For Huntington

Rev. and Mrs. Harry F. King and family left this week for Huntington where Rev. King will attend the Western Virginia conference of the M. E. Church, South.

### At Herrington Lake

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Milby spent the past week-end at Herrington Lake, the guests of Mrs. Milby's sister, Mrs. R. C. Adams, and Dr. Adams.

### Visit Here

Mr. C. H. Nicholls and son, Nick, of Corbin, Ky., formerly of Prestonsburg, were business visitors here early this week. They returned to Corbin Wednesday. While here Mr. Nicholls announced that Mr. Holliday, of Jackson, would take over his life insurance business in this territory.

### In Danville

Mrs. W. S. Harkins, Jr. and sons, Monte, Billie, George and Donald, left Thursday for Danville, where they will spend the winter months.

### Here From Texas

Mrs. Douglas Mayo is the guest here this week of relatives. She expects to spend to spend some time here before her return to Texas.

### Visits Here

Mrs. Everett Hurt, of Gallatin, Ky., is the guest here this week of relatives.

### Here From Hueysville

D. M. Allen, Sr., of Hueysville, was a business visitor here this week.

### Women's Missionary Meets

With Mrs. Greene Allen presiding, the Woman's Missionary Society of the local Methodist Church met here at the home of Mrs. R. G. Francis Tuesday. Mrs. Ansel Culbertson was in charge of an interesting program, with the following participating:

Mrs. H. F. May and Mrs. R. V. May, who took part in the discussion; Mrs. Kathryn Frazier, accompanied by Mrs. Elizabeth Wells, who supplied the musical numbers.

Refreshments were served the following:

Mesdames Ansel Culbertson, C. B. Milby, Marguerite Harkins, R. V. May, H. F. Patton, A. B. Franklin, of Dayton, Ohio; Green Allen, H. B. Patrick, Elizabeth Wells, H. F. King, Josie Harkins, Kathryn S. Frazier, H. C. Francis, Mary Harkins Howard, B. F. Combs, E. A. Stumbo, Misses Virginia Merrill, Anna Laura May, Rev. H. F. King and Mr. Gordon Francis.

### NEW FEDERAL BLDG. FOR PIKEVILLE

Continued from page one final okeh of the interdepartmental committee composed of the the secretary of the treasury, Henry Morgenthau, James Farley, Postmaster General and Admiral C. J. Peoples, director of procurement of the Department of the Treasury is necessary but stated this okeh would be forthcoming within the next few days.

Mr. May has been working on the new federal building idea for several months. Recently Federal Judge H. Church Ford wrote Washington officials asking that a courthouse be provided at Pikeville. The Department of Justice contended that courthouses were more urgently needed at other places, but Mr. May argued that his district was entitled to its proportionate share of funds allocated for buildings and demanded that the Pikeville edifice be erected. Following Congressman May's argument the Department of Justice recommended that the federal courthouse at Pikeville be given full consideration.

No location for the new building has been selected and may not be selected for several weeks following the approval of the interdepartmental committee. The building will be located as close as possible to the postoffice, but any lot in the downtown section will be considered by the government buyers.—Pike County News.

### MAGISTRATES MEET IN SPECIAL SESSION

Continued from page one torney.

W. C. Rimmer was employed to make plans and estimate the cost of covering the bridge at McDowell, and make his report at the next meeting of the court.

As the fiscal court has no available funds to purchase materials for the PWA sewing project as required by the Works Progress Administration, the court ordered that Forrest Short and County Clerk A. B. Meade be appointed a committee to purchase certain materials for the use of this project. Their purchase will match materials furnished by the Works Progress Administration.

## BRAINARD

Several of the people here attended church Sunday at the cemetery near Tom Adams' home.

Mr. and Mrs. Malcom Johnson, of Salyersville, were visiting relatives here Sunday.

Mrs. Elisha Sparks, who was accidentally shot a few weeks ago, has returned from the Beaver Valley hospital. She is slightly improved.

Harvey and Sam Hackworth of Ivyton were visitors at Tom Adams' home Sunday.

Thomas Stone has gone to Louisville to the Hazelwood Sanitarium. He is expected to return home soon.

Several persons from here attended circuit court, Monday. They report the roads are in very bad condition since the heavy rains.

## DOCK

The funeral meeting of Mrs. C. B. Napier was conducted by Revs. Alex Stephens, H. N. Ousley, M. C. Wright and Andy Moore, last week. There were at least 600 persons attending the meeting. Flowers were furnished by her husband and friends. Thanks are expressed to the friends who were so comforting.

There will be a pie supper conducted at the Conley school house C. B. Napier, teacher, Saturday night, September 11. Everybody is cordially invited to attend.

The school, taught by R. E. Pitts, contested C. B. Napier's school recently with the pupils of each contesting in the subjects of addition, multiplication, subtraction and spelling. Napier's school was victorious. Visitors and patrons reported a good time.

Monroe Ousley, Mr. and Mrs. John Ousley were visiting homefolks in Mt. Sterling over the week-end.

Rebecca Compton made a high score and many other students of the Conley school here made high and perfect grades the past month.

### LEAVE FOR WASHINGTON

Congressman A. J. May and son, A. J. May, Jr., left Wednesday for Washington, D. C., where they expect to spend the next 10 days.

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### ALL-DAY MEETING OF FLOYD TEACHERS

Continued from page one 40 Years Ago," and "Floyd County High School's 15 Years Ago," were made by D. M. Allen and H. N. Cooley. Mr. Allen was superintendent of schools here from 1898 to 1902. Mr. Cooley was superintendent from 1918 to 1926. John Stephens, who was superintendent from 1926 to 1934, addressed the teachers on the subject "Floyd County Schools Today."

In the afternoon session, special music was rendered by Mrs. Chalmer Frazier, Prestonsburg high school teacher.

County Superintendent Town

Hall then made an address on "The Teacher and His Work."

Following the teachers' meeting, contracts were signed by the teachers for the following schools:

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**SUNBONNETS**

Sun tan is quite the thing now, but a generation ago, a tanned face, or tanned hands, when borne by a young, eligible woman, was a family or neighborhood disgrace. The poets who used to sing of lily-white hands could have found plenty of them in any neighborhood. You see, every girl or woman wore a sunbonnet and half-handed gloves to shield her tender complexion from the sun. "Come back and get your bonnet" in those times would have been uttered in much the same tragic tone that you and I would warn some one of being in the danger zone of a falling building. To go bareheaded was to invite sultan and to provoke comment. It was hardly safe for a girl to take such a chance. So ardently did the women folks seek this clear complexion that they would wear half-handed gloves when they were sitting indoors. I have seen many a pair of these gloves in the country school.

There were several varieties of bonnets. If I cannot remember them all, please attribute my mistake to my being a mere man who is trying to picture things of a third of a century ago. Little fellows of both sexes wore little bonnets often fancy ones in various colors. I still remember one which I wore: it was of gray checked gingham, I believe, however. I also recall that little boys and girls often wore their bonnets wrong side foremost, much to the amusement of older brothers and sisters. The most useful bonnet was the every-day one, gray, or blue, of checked, not especially fancy or pretty. Its purpose was to serve as a sun shade. Dress-up bonnets might be quite elaborate things especially for semi-

formal visiting among the neighbors. Starched to a degree of stiffness comparable with sheet iron, a sunbonnet could be as perky as any hat you ever saw. The split bonnet was the aristocrat of the family. I cannot tell you how to make one, but I know the splits were made of cardboard and had to be removed when the bonnet was washed, starched and ironed. There may have been other kinds of bonnets, but my memory fails me.

There was another thing about bonnets that I must record. Young girls who wished to appear hoydenish, who grew up and became the mothers of flappers in our time, sometimes refused to wear bonnets on their heads, especially if they were pretty, or thought so. They would tie the strings loosely out near the end and let the bonnet hang down the back. That will the hair done up in a single plait and tied with a knot of ribbon made many a boy's heart skip a few beats. That was youth, beautiful youth, none the less pretty now in memory though the flashing eyes have long become accustomed to double-lens glasses. Eternal youth goes on, whether it is associated with sunbonnets and sultan and skimpy bathing suits. Lily-white hands and faces are now non-existent, but, but in their day they were as much in vogue as sun tan itself is today.

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They'll read, too, of excitement aboard a plane blaring over Mexican mountains, and of stranger planes that are not bound to earth but swing through the noiselessness of space. Readers can follow a young ex-Mountie as he searches for clues in the wild northlands, and Tierney, the pie-eating detective, on the trail of city criminals.

A new feature in THE AMERICAN BOY is picture pages that tell stories. Pictures, for instance, that vividly show a day in the life of a coast guardman, and how an Eskimo husky sled dog does his work. They transmit the thrill of battling a hundred-pound, water-churning tarpon. Tips on how it's done are also given pictorially—ranging from how to run a broken neck to how to be correct in a balloon.

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**Perspiration Regulates Body's Heat Production**

There is no human life without perspiration because it is a basic factor of the normal physical life. Dr. James O. Nall declares in an article "Perspiration—The Thermostat of the Body" in Hygeia, the Health Magazine.

It is absolutely essential to the proper regulation of heat in the body. Normally this eliminated water cools the body as it evaporates from the skin surface. The temperature of the sweat at the moment it appears at the body surface is slightly lower than the temperature of the blood. This is a natural decrease in temperature that takes place during the short time required for the sweat to traverse the sweat gland tube to the skin surface.

As the perspiration reaches the surface its temperature changes to that of the surrounding atmosphere which under most conditions is lower than the body temperature. An increase in the surrounding temperature normally stimulates an increased production of sweat. This is a compensatory response by the body and is necessary in the maintenance of its temperature at the average normal figure.

Normal sweat helps to keep the skin moist, soft and pliable. It is aided in this by sebum, the natural oil produced by the sebaceous glands of the skin and constantly secreted on to the body surface. The sweat also serves a definite excretory purpose, but the primary function of perspiration is the heat regulation of the body.

Perspiration may be classified as normal, excessive, fetid, colored and cold. Excessive sweating is common in extremely nervous persons. It may be concerned with the state of mind and often is based on fear. Some persons have excessive sweating of the palms when meeting strangers. Free generalized sweating may also occur if there is too much salt in the food, for this may cause a natural cycle of excessive drinking of water and excessive sweating. It is not detrimental to good health unless it extends to the point of weakening the body.

**Two Women Sought U. S. Presidential Nomination**

Belva A. Lockwood, who headed the ticket of the Equal Rights party in 1884 and again in 1888, was not the first woman nominated for the presidency of the United States. That honor belongs to Mrs. Victor Clafin Woodhull, who in 1872 was nominated for the presidency at Vineland, N. J., by a convention styling itself the Equal Rights party. Frederick Douglass, the negro reformer, was the candidate for vice president. The campaigns of these two women amounted chiefly to suffrage propaganda, since neither could have held the office had they been elected, asserts a writer in the Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Mrs. Lockwood, lawyer and reformer, was born in 1830, at Royalton, N. Y. She was educated at Genesee college, Lima, N. Y., and taught school for eleven years. Then she studied law and was admitted to practice before the Supreme court, under a law which she had been instrumental in getting passed.

Born Belva Ann Bennett, she was married in 1848 to Uriah H. McNall, who died five years later, and in 1868 to Dr. Ezekiel Lockwood. She died in 1917.

**Palm, Bamboo Useful**

Although the palm tree is generally regarded as the most useful plant, bamboo runs a close second. Not a tree, but a grass, bamboo sometimes grows 100 feet high, a foot thick. Chinese probably use it more than any other people. A Chinese tills his fields shielded from the sun's rays by a bamboo hat. In the evening he goes to his bamboo house and may eat the seeds of young bamboo shoots. Then he lies on a bamboo bed and rests his head on a bamboo pillow. The yellow, tough stalks even entered into sports. Once hardwood poles were used by pole vaulters. But after such a pole split and impaled a jumper on the jagged point, bamboo was substituted. Though the latter may break, it leaves no sharp points.

**The Ginseng Plant**

The ginseng plant is ten to twenty inches tall with a single stem from a spindle shaped root that is often branched. From the top of the stem three compound leaves radiate, each composed of five leaflets radiating from the top of the petiole. The two leaflets next to the petiole are much smaller than the others. From between the leaves rises a cluster of small whitish flowers followed by berries that are bright red when ripe. The roots require six to ten years to become full size. The Chinese provide the market as they believe them to be important in the cure of many diseases.

**Haircut Insult**

There are about 200,000,000 people on this earth who keep beards—mostly Mohammedans—because the Prophet laid down that it should be so. The Sikhs, too, a fine, upstanding race in northern India, will die rather than submit to the insult of a haircut or a shave, says London Answers Magazine. Their magnificent locks are curled into top-knots under their turbans, while beards, carefully waved and oiled, repose in elaborate nets under their chins.

**Mammoth Cave Described by London Magazine Man**

Mammoth cave is described by a writer in London Tit-Bits as follows: Mammoth cave, largest in the world, is situated in Kentucky. It has five levels, and included in its explored portions are 225 avenues, more than 150 miles of which have been charted; 47 domes, 23 pits, 8 catacombs, 3 rivers, 2 lakes and 1 sea. It is estimated that the actual space worked out of the limestone embraces 12,000,000 cubic yards.

The main cave is three miles long, varying in width from 40 to 125 feet. Its greatest enlargement, however, is the "Chief City" or Temple, an oval room 541 feet long, 287 feet wide, and 125 feet high. Here in days gone by the Indians either lived or else used it as a rendezvous, for many relics have been found.

Mammoth cave abounds in wonderful domes, pits and grottos, each bearing a special name, such as Cleveland's Cabinet, the Star Chamber, Bottomless Pit, Mammoth Dome, Gorin's Dome, the Maelstrom, and so on. These domes are adorned with natural decorations of crystals formed into fantastic shapes. Oval depressions known locally as "sink holes," drain the pits and chasms, forming subterranean lakes and rivers, the largest of which is Echo river, so called from the remarkable reverberations heard along its course.

The waters abound in several species of eyeless fish. Other inhabitants of the cave are blind crawfish, flies, beetles and spiders. Strange to say, the air is chemically and optically pure, even in the deepest pits, and the temperature is about 54 degrees Fahrenheit throughout the year.

**How Abnormal Object Is Made to Appear Normal**

A queer "contrariness" pervades all our sensations, according to Dr. James J. Gibson, Smith college psychologist, as reported in the Philadelphia Record.

Most of us are acquainted with one illustration of this. When the eyes look at a blue card for a long time, they develop the "desire" to see the opposite color—yellow. So a deep blue appears less blue, a weak blue appears gray, gray appears yellow, and yellow appears more yellow.

Dr. Gibson reports in the Psychological Review that he found a similar reaction where colors aren't involved.

Examples: Look fixedly for about five minutes at a slant line. Then look at a vertical line and it will seem to slant about two or three degrees.

With your eyes blindfolded, have some one draw a rough belt across your arm, then suddenly stop it. For a moment the belt will seem to have begun to move backward.

The biological explanation? Dr. Gibson suggests what we have here is a miniature version of the age-old process of adaptation to environment. We tend to become used to any persisting condition—such as slant in lines. That becomes our "normal." Now when we see a vertical line—which is ordinarily our "normal"—it appears abnormal or askew.

**Jute Plant in India**

India is the only place the jute plant has been successfully raised. Experimenters tried it in Florida, but the fiber wasn't up to snuff, says a writer in the Washington Post. Although huge machines finish the process of changing a plant into rope and so forth, native hand labor plays a big part. Stripping jute fiber from the stalks is a job for husky natives. They clutch handfuls of slender stalks, stand waist-deep in streams and flay the water until the rope-like strands are loose.

**The Roman Gladiators**

At first prisoners, slaves or condemned criminals were used to afford entertainment for the citizens of Rome by feats of swordsmanship, wrestling and other contests of strength. Afterwards free men fought in the arena and so popular did the exhibition of skill and strength become that persons of senatorial rank, and even women, enrolled in the gladiator class. At one show given by the Emperor Trajan, 5,000 gladiators were employed at one time.

**Freaks of Lightning**

Lightning has traveled down a lode of ore and shocked miners working at a depth of a thousand feet; it has removed all the hair from a man without injuring him in any other way; and it has altered the compass of a stern-struck ship. In this last case, says Collier's Weekly, the vessel itself was also "reversed" by the storm and the wheelsman steered back over his course for a considerable distance before realizing the error.

**Invented Electric Bell**

In 1736, a Scottish monk named Gordon, then teaching in Germany, invented the electric bell. It had two little gongs, between which was suspended a metal ball on a silk pendulum. The charged ball struck one gong, gave up its electricity in doing so, and, being repelled, struck the other gong, and the cycle was repeated. Then the monk invented a motor with which he electrocuted scores of chaffinches. It was the forerunner of the electric chair.

**Milkweed Supplies Milk, Poison, Dyes and Fibers**

Milk from milkweeds is used by human beings!

In its native Ceylon one such milkweed is called cowplant. The leaves of several are cooked and eaten as greens. Tender growths of others are eaten as salads. The milky sap of several is used for medicine. The juice may be tonic, emetic, purgative, or even a deadly poison.

Some aborigines use the juice to poison arrows. The names of wolfbane or dogbane have been applied to some milkweeds because they were employed to poison these and other animals. In East Africa one plant variety is thrown into pools to poison fish. Not all, however, are toxic or noxious.

Some milkweeds supply dyestuffs and others fibers. But the Sodom apple of the Bible is supposed to have been the fruit of such a plant native to India, a plant that has been grown in local gardens.

Milkweeds form a large and interesting family because of their varied uses, writes a correspondent in the Los Angeles Times. In the Americas we have kapok or silk-cotton trees, but in other parts of the world "kapok" of exports is from the pods of milkweeds.

In a family of 2,000 different individuals or species we must expect a wide range, and children who have opened ripe pods of milkweeds have been delighted with the silk floss. It is not used locally only because of lack of volume and the cost of harvesting it. But giant tree-like milkweeds fifteen or more feet high promise a rich reward to natives of India. These species have been planted in our country and, in the West Indies, have escaped from gardens to the wilds.

**St. George Dragon Myth**

**One of Many in History**

According to the Roman Acta Sanctorum, St. George was born in Cappadocia and received from his parents a careful Christian training. He early showed a fondness for war, joined the army of the Emperor Diocletian, and soon rose to high rank.

But when the persecution of the Christians became bitter, he went to the emperor and, confessing his faith, remonstrated against his cruelty. He was immediately arrested and suffered martyrdom April 23, 303.

Around the few facts of his history many traditions and myths have gathered. Among those is the story of his slaying a dragon which had haunted a certain neighborhood and carried off beautiful maidens. According to one account he said to have reappeared nearly 1,000 years after his martyrdom. He fought with the famous crusader, Godfrey of Bouillon, at the battle of Antioch, and to have revealed himself to Richard the Lion-Hearted at the siege of Acre, predicting the hero's victory. The latter narrative led to his being more highly honored than ever in England, of which he was the patron saint.

In the Saxon martyrology April 23 was held sacred to him alone of all the saints. This feast was celebrated with jousts and tournaments as long as chivalry endured, and for years afterward, until after the Reformation, when Queen Elizabeth put a stop to it.

**The Act of Thinking**

The act of thinking is extremely formidable, as neurologists describe it. Under a microscope, the cerebral cortex is seen to be made up of a vast quantity of tiny cells, some apparently the ends of long nerve-cells passing up from underlying white matter, others long cells lying parallel to the surface. These latter are believed to be paths of association. Through them, says a writer in Literary Digest, various sensory impressions stored in "memory"—that is, other cells—are connected. Something we see, hear or smell may prod a whole series of cells into consciousness, creating a memory-picture, swaying our judgment, driving to suicide or showing how to make \$1,000,000.

**Atlanta Had Other Names**

In 1821 the land which was the site of the founding of Atlanta was ceded by the Creek Indians to the state. The first cabin was built in 1833 and in 1836 engineers drove the stake which was to mark the end of the proposed state railroad. For that reason the town's first name was Terminus. In 1843 the name was changed to Marthasville in honor of the daughter of Governor Lumpkin. In 1847 it was incorporated as a city with the name Atlanta, probably suggested by the railroad which was called the Western & Atlantic. It was made the capital of the state in 1868.

**Body Must Have Salt**

Perspiration is chiefly water, but it contains a fair amount of salt which is discharged from the body. The body is constantly absorbing salt and getting rid of it again, but the operation of absorption and discharge must be so balanced as to insure a regular quantity of salt in the body at all times. Salt is necessary for the body and lack of it may be serious. Human blood contains exactly the same amount of salt as sea water—unquestionable evidence that man originally came out of the sea, says a writer in Pearson's London Weekly.

**Sports Around the Calendar**

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and later... all of them through many years of critical observation.

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Watch for Bradley's Column... You Will Find It Always Interesting and Informative!



**Uncle Phil Says:**

**And Often It Burns**  
Everyone rakes the embers under his own cake.

Credit human society with one virtue: If you had a famous ancestor, human society will remember it.

Everything is likely to prove more or less of a disappointment. Even a bass drum doesn't make as much noise as it looks as if it ought to.

Some ancestors live to enjoy the pride of their posterity in them.

**Closely Related**

Belief and conduct act and react upon each other.

It is fun to butt in if you're welcome.

People with pleasant dispositions ought to "speak their minds" oftener.

A glad-eye a day keeps the elderly gay.

When you wonder how some people get by, it may be because they do not care whether they do or not.

**It Isn't and It Is**

Though it's never too late to learn, we sometimes learn when it's too late.

Celebrations resemble each other too much. This is why they wear out with the older people.

It's difficult for a man to collect himself when his wits are scattered.

Those who knew a man back in the old home town wonder how he succeeded in the big city. They think he's changed. He is changed. The city changes everyone.

When a girl keeps her young man waiting it is only a little while.



**When Dressmaking—Keep a bottle of eucalyptus oil handy, as it removes grease and machine oil from any fabric.**

**Removing Tea Stains—Tea stains on china are best removed by rubbing with damp salt.**

**Improving Cauliflower—Cauliflower is improved by being soaked in water to which a little lemon juice or vinegar has been added.**

**Eggs and Mushrooms—Put 2 ounces of fresh butter into a stewpan, break over it 4 fresh eggs, and add 3 spoonfuls chopped mushrooms, 1/2 teaspoonful salt, 1 saltspoonful ground white pepper.**

**Rhubarb Charlotte—Wash and stew rhubarb but not to breaking point. Fill dish alternately with rhubarb and sponge cake and cover with lemon jelly. Leave to set and serve with whipped cream.**

**For Boiled Ham—When boiling ham add a small teaspoonful of vinegar and a few cloves to the water. This will improve the flavor. If the ham is allowed to cool in the water in which it was boiled it will be moist and sweet.**

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**CHAPTER VIII—Continued**

She went to the servants' entrance of the apartment, rang the bell. A middle-aged man in a houseman's coat opened the door. "Oh, the new maid," he said. "Mr. Cayne said you'd be coming. This way."

Rachel followed him into a large hot kitchen where a stout woman was arranging an elaborate tea tray. "This is Lena, my wife," he said. "My name's Towers. What's yours?"

"My name's Rachel," she said meekly, adding still more meekly, "pleased to meet you both."

"I'll show you your room," said Mrs. Towers, giving Rachel a cold prolonged stare. "And you get along with this tray, Bert, the madame's waiting. You're to go in and see her as soon as you've taken off your coat and hat, Rachel. Come right along."

Down a back hall was her room—no smaller than the one she had at Pink's, Rachel noticed—with white iron bed, unmade, a bureau with wavy mirror, a chair and table, a stationary stand.

"Bedding and towels is in the bureau," said Mrs. Towers, "but don't stop to fix anything now, the madame's waiting. There's the closet, put your hat and coat in there. Mr. Towers and me have a room two doors down, the bathroom's between. Come ahead."

With a strong sense of masquerade and warning herself to be very careful, Rachel followed Mrs. Towers again through the back hall, then at the kitchen door they turned into another hall which led to the front. At a mirrored door Mrs. Towers paused and tapped, then opening it, announced in sugary tones: "Here's the new girl, madame."

Rachel found herself in a long, too-decorated, too-crowded, too-colorful drawing room. Directly before her against the light were a smallish woman dressed in fluttery pastel chiffons and a very young man, lounging in one chair, his feet on another. And for the first time in her life she waited to hear her own mother's voice.

"Now where on earth," said Mrs. Cayne fretfully, "did Peter pick up such a great overgrown gawky creature?—she's sure to be clumsy."

The shock of the unfeeling comment sent the blood flying to Rachel's face. She couldn't speak. Then the very young man said, "Look, she's blushing!" and began to laugh.

His laughter brought back Rachel's composure. She comprehended that this was her half-brother, Peter Cayne's and Elinor's son, and she remembered that she must play her part. "Good afternoon, madame," she stammered, "I hope I hope I will be able to do the work satisfactorily."

"I suppose you haven't a uniform? Not even an apron?" said Mrs. Cayne.

"No, madame."

"There, you see, Holbrook," Elinor Cayne turned to her son. "Your father leaves everything to me. He would have it that I needed a maid and he sends one who hasn't so much as an apron."

"What color uniforms are you going to get for her? Why don't you try something interesting—soft blue or violet or bright pink?" Holbrook Cayne's voice was not boyish and he seemed older than his seventeen years, though he was slender and not very tall.

"Your father would have a brain storm!" Mrs. Cayne laughed now. Then she spoke again to Rachel. "What's your name?"

"Rachel." As she said it Rachel wondered if her mother would ask her last name, but Mrs. Cayne seemed satisfied and as she was busy with the teapot Rachel could look at her closely for the first time, the blue eyes Anne had described, the dark hair, the fair white skin, the general loveliness and an amazing youthfulness of outline and manner.

"Youthful," thought Rachel, "but obviously not young. And this is my own mother! How strange, how strange this is!" Mrs. Cayne's many rings, the bracelets clinking down her arm as she lifted the cup, the twisted bar of diamonds in the chignon at her breast recalled Rachel to the reason she had been sent there. "I must be careful, I must be awfully careful," she thought. Aloud she said: "If you don't need me to do anything right away, madame, I'll unpack my suitcase. Or if you'd like me to I could go out and buy an apron to use tonight."

"But I do need you to do something," Rachel followed the small fluttering figure down the hall again and into an astonishing bedroom, rocco pink and blue with endless mirrors. "There, look in that closet and you'll find some evening dresses that need pressing, I don't know which one I'll wear tonight, so you can press them all. That closet's for evening clothes alone. This one over here is for day things."

The evening dress closet was wide

and deep, with so many gowns of every color, every material, that Rachel paused in surprise.

Mrs. Cayne was impatient. "Take the first row and get them done before dinner, I'll wear one of them. You can do the others tonight."

"It's a tryout for me," thought Rachel. She took an armful of dresses and went back to Mrs. Towers, who indicated a small laundry beyond the kitchen with an iron and pressing board.

The dresses were expensive and elaborate, too elaborate, too showy. Rachel worked at them carefully, surprised to find herself almost without feeling. She wasn't even disappointed, she was simply numb and blank.

Mrs. Towers called her. "The madame's ringing for you."

"I'm not half done," said Rachel. "Take 'em all back and don't say nothing. She won't look 'em over," advised the cook with a shrewd, not unfriendly glance. "She don't know good work from bad. She just likes to think she's making people step."

Thus warned, Rachel carried the dresses back to the bedroom. Mrs.



**"I'll Wear That Blue Crepe, I Think," She Said.**

Cayne was sitting before her dressing table taking off her bracelets.

"I'll wear that blue crepe, I think," she said, and Rachel laid it carefully on the bed. "Silver sandals—on the rack in the evening dress closet. And I want my bath quite warm, but not hot. Heaps of scent."

Rachel brought the slippers and was sent for fresh stockings and underwear from one of the tall in-laid French chests. There seemed to be no end to Mrs. Cayne's wardrobe. The bathroom was an exotic arrangement of colored marbles, mirrors, plate glass, silver. Rachel started the water, added quantities of gardenia bath salts and was startled to see how somber and shabby she looked in her old knitted suit in the middle of the glitter and luxury. She fetched a negligee of crushed pink velvet, pink velvet mules bordered with white fur, helped Mrs. Cayne to take off her chiffons and to slip out of her girdle.

"Press every dress before you hang it up, that's most important," said Mrs. Cayne absently. She was absorbed in watching her reflection from every possible angle with open pleasure.

Rachel put the room in order while Elinor bathed. The door opened and Mr. Cayne looked in. He recognized Rachel with satisfaction. "Here you are then," he said, nodding. "Where's Mrs. Cayne?"

"Taking her bath, sir."

"Oh Elinor," called her husband, "want to see a show tonight?"

"I can't tonight. Holbrook and I are going to the movies."

Mr. Cayne came into the room, his keen glance ran over the bracelets and rings on the dressing table, he put out a cautious finger, moved them, counting. "I'll go with you," he said.

Mrs. Cayne's voice was sweet, but faintly mocking. "Dear, you won't like it, I'm chaperoning a party of Holbrook's friends."

"No, I couldn't stand that." He looked round at Rachel with a sly twinkle. "How do you like your new maid?" he called.

"She's terribly overgrown and gawky and rather dumb. I don't see why you couldn't get me someone experienced."

"Oh pooh, nobody ever suits you." Rachel realized that this remark was in the nature of explanation and apology to her. She seized another armful of dresses and escaped to the laundry. When she came back Mr. Cayne had gone to his own room and Mrs. Cayne was waiting to be dressed. She was in much better humor. Rachel tried to seem accustomed to her work, buckled the sandals deftly, manipulated the

hooks and snaps with concentrated attention. Just before the gown went on Mrs. Cayne settled herself to the prolonged labor of make-up. It was plain that she enjoyed the process and she did it skillfully. Rachel watched her with an obscure painful resentment, which she could not reason away.

When Elinor's face was tinted to her pleasure she stepped into the dress she had selected, a blue crepe exactly the color of her eyes, and Rachel drew it up over the slim hips, adjusted the intricate shoulder straps and buttoned 25 tiny buttons down the back. Then Elinor again put on her rings and bracelets and brooch, reshaped her lips, touched perfume to each wrist and behind each ear and finally, directing Rachel to move the long mirrors so that they would offer her entire reflection, she walked back and forth the length of the room, observing her effect intently.

When she was quite satisfied, she had more orders for Rachel. "I'll want my mink coat and muff and that little hat of blue velvet flowers and a blue velvet bag. Have everything ready as soon as dinner's over, and you might as well open the beds. Towers will show you, you'll have to do that regularly. But you don't need to wait up until I come in tonight."

Rachel went back to the kitchen and asked if there was anything she could do to help Mrs. Towers, an offer which pleased the woman. "No, you go on and unpack your bag and make your bed," she said. "She may think up something for you to do tonight."

"I have the rest of those dresses to press," said Rachel.

"You take them out of the closet and shake them out and put them back. She won't notice. Is she going out tonight?"

"She and—and—young Mr. Cayne are going to the movies with some of his friends."

"You better call him Mr. Holbrook, that's what they like. Mr. Cayne not going?"

Rachel reported the conversation on that subject and Mrs. Towers smiled grimly.

"She likes to run around and pretend Mr. Holbrook's her beau. She can't get away with it when Mr. Cayne's along. Go ahead now, fix your bed, we don't begin our dinner till the dessert's gone into the dining room."

"I'm awfully obliged to you for helping me out, Mrs. Towers," said Rachel. "Any time you want me to do anything here please say so."

"That's all right. I guess we'll get along. You can call me Lena if you want."

Lena liked her. Rachel knew that was an asset. She hurried into her tiny room and made haste to unpack and put the bedclothes on the bed, then scrubbed her face and hands and smoothed her hair flat again for her curls were perking up—everything at top speed to be ready if Mrs. Cayne rang for her, and to keep her thoughts off the display of vanity and uselessness she had just seen. It had disturbed and hurt her in a way she could not explain nor forgive; she was shaken with disappointment which she must not yet admit.

When Rachel went back to the kitchen dinner was going into the dining room. The serving table was filled with massive silver and red and gold French china and Lena was making fresh toast, draining artichokes and stirring golden Hollandaise sauce all apparently at the same time. Towers, impressive in his dress suit, had just carried in boned stuffed squabs, he brought out the platter, seized the tray with gravy, wild grape jelly and buttered crumbs in individual dishes and disappeared again. He and Lena had the serving beautifully systematized, it was fascinating to watch, every one of the many dishes was ready for him exactly, as he needed it. Lena glanced up only

once as she spooned and garnished and turned from the stove to the serving table: "You could set our table if you want, Rachel," she said "on the side there, the dishes in the cupboard up above, see?"

So Rachel prepared the table for her first meal under her mother's roof in the kitchen with the cook and the butler. She did it carefully, anxious to win Lena's approval, but it took only a few moments, she had it finished before the salad was served. It was a marvelous-looking salad, white endive wreathed with green cress, and it came chilled from the icebox with its plates. The sight and smell of the food made Rachel very hungry and Lena guessed it. She ladled out a bowl of soup and handed it to her: "They take their time," she said, "but that's no reason why you should starve."

Towers hastened in. "They're going to have coffee at the table on account of her and the boy going out." He looked at Rachel: "You better be ready to jump."

Rachel slipped down the hall past the dining room door to Mrs. Cayne's bedroom and took out the coat, hat and gloves, but she could not find a blue bag and was wary of rummaging. Presently Mrs. Cayne came in, head in the air, bright with triumph. "The blue bag's in that chest, top drawer—no, no, stupid, the bag with the lapis top's the one I want!"

She flung that direction at Rachel but otherwise hardly noticed her, for she was again intent on herself in the mirrors. But when she was ready, the little blue velvet hat set exquisitely on her exquisite little head, her slim body wrapped in the softness of her furs, she had one thing more to say and she said it with thoughtless cruelty: "Borrow an apron from Lena before I see you again, you're too depressing in that dreadful old rag."

The atmosphere in the kitchen had greatly changed when Rachel went back for the rest of her dinner. Towers had taken off his coat and he and Lena were leisurely and thoroughly eating their way through the generous remainders of the family's meal. They piled Rachel's plate, but she had lost her hunger. "I'm tired," she told them, wishing they wouldn't chew so audibly and visibly.

"Got to wait up for her?" asked Towers, taking another squab.

"No, she said not to, tonight. But she said I was to open the beds, that you'd show me how she likes it done and then I'm to do it regularly."

Towers and Mrs. Towers exchanged meaningful looks. "She don't want Mr. Cayne to know what time she gets in. She wouldn't take the car, she knew Yates would keep tabs on 'em." This was Towers' explanation.

"What was she nagging him for tonight?" asked Lena.

"Wants an ermine cape and some jewelry, pair o' clips, I think. They only cost seven thousand."

"She's got enough jewelry now to stock a shop," said Lena to Rachel, "and she takes no more care of it than if it came from the five-and-ten. Did you see where she keeps it?"

"No, I didn't." Rachel hid her now stimulated interest.

"It's all in a little wall safe behind her dressing table and half the time she don't remember to lock it. If Mr. Cayne didn't look after it she wouldn't know what she's got, nor where she'd put it."

"She don't keep track of anything," added Towers.

"I don't see how she can," said Rachel. "I never saw a place so full of ornaments."

Towers wagged his head. "It's a junk shop, that's what it is. Mr. Cayne used to have the nicest neatest bachelor apartment before he got married! But she likes things fancy, everything."

(TO BE CONTINUED)

**Mathematics Book by Babylonians in 2000 B. C. Shows Existence of Experts**

A "math book" written by Babylonians 2000 B. C. has been deciphered, and scientists are deeply impressed by the amazing early progress of those ancients in higher mathematics. The mathematics book, written on 44 clay tablets, shows that 15 centuries before Greek math wizards were born, Babylonians were already doing many tricks with figures that Greeks have been credited with discovering. Babylonian mathematics included multiplication tables, a symbol for zero, negative numbers, tables for calculating areas and volumes, tables of squares and cubes and reciprocals.

For 25 years, all but two tablets of the book have lain unread in Yale's Babylonian collection. Now, Prof. O. Neugebauer of the University of Copenhagen has deciphered them, working from photographs and hand-made copies of the cuneiform inscriptions. The two missing "pages" of the ancient book have

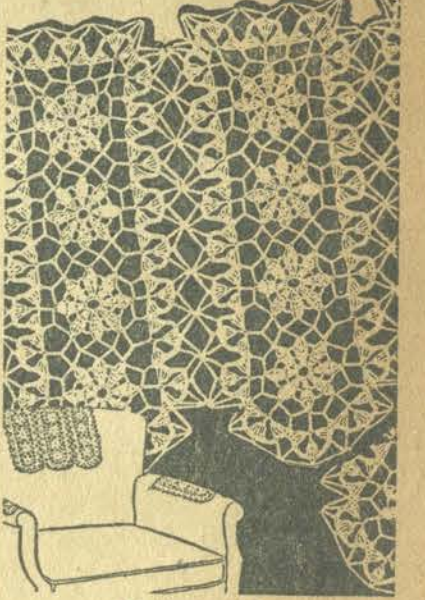
just recently been located in Paris.

Babylonians were more practical in their mathematical science than Greeks, the ancient book indicates. Many of their tables would be useful in surveying and building, in digging dykes and constructing walls. But when it came to theoretical problems, the Babylonian math sharks understood quadratic and even higher degree equations and solved them by tables, as they are still solved.

The small mathematics book, written in clay, clears up for mathematicians the puzzle of how the Greeks made such swift progress in this science. "It seems now that a large body of facts must have been inherited by the Greeks from Babylonian sources," says Prof. Oystein Yale mathematician. "The manner in which this knowledge was transmitted is not yet clear. The theorem of Pythagoras, for example, was known to the Babylonians."

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### MINUTES OF UMWA SPECIAL MEETING

A special meeting of the Floyd county United Mine Workers of America was held in the circuit court room Saturday, pertaining to the contest suit of Bro. Wayne Stumbo, Democratic candidate for sheriff.

W. M. Bomer, Garrett, Ky., was elected chairman; Joe Hicks, Wayland, secretary. First speaker on the program was Wayne Stumbo, second, U. C. Hall. Other speakers, G. C. Baisden, Mell Petry, Martin Case, Joe Hicks and Wesley Campbell. Regular move and second to adopt the following resolution (carried unanimously): Resolution—We the United

## Bombs Burst About Floyd County Girl In Shanghai

Miss Lyda Francis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Francis, of Prestonsburg, while serving in the American consulate in war-torn Shanghai, China, witnessed actual warfare, all around her. Her letter, printed in part below, and forwarded to the United States via the China Clipper, is the first news from her received here concerning Miss Francis' welfare.

Dear Folks—  
Well, I wonder where I will land next. Here I am in Mani'a again. Left Shanghai last Friday and arrived here early Monday morning. Mr. Gauss, the Consul General, made us leave—that is all the women-folks of the consulate, so two other girls and I, the last women of the consulate, came down on the S. S. Hoover.

I felt terribly blue going away and leaving the men behind. They were working day and night and if they ever need help it is now. I told the boss I was staying (honestly I had gotten to the point that I didn't care) and he said he would fire me if I didn't go. Later he came by my desk and laughed and then explained how much better it would be to get all the women out.

Just before we shoved off on a small boat at Shanghai, to go down the river and get on the S. S. Hoover, a big air raid started right over us and all around us. The Chinese planes swooped over and started bombing and then the Japs opened up with their anti-aircraft.

Well, it just sounded like the bottom of the world had dropped out. All the women and children were rushed below deck. One of the girls with me said if her name was on a bullet she couldn't help it. Somehow or other that helped the old state of mind

a lot. So we just sat down on the top deck to take our medicine in case it was coming to us until we could get below deck.

Both sides (Chinese and Japs) were notified of the hour of our departure and were asked to cease firing at that time—but that was when they took advantage of the situation. It was terrible, but three cheers for the American women and children. You have never seen such a composed bunch.

Finally we started. There were marines and navy men on the top deck and sides with guns, and two destroyers followed us with other people. The U. S. S. Augusta, the big flagship was anchored right across from us and she let out several big shots for the Chinese and Japs to be ward and not fire on us. I think that scared them off some.

Sherman is right about this war business, 'it is hell.'

Honestly, I have never in my life had such a helpless feeling as I did that morning looking out the office window and seeing bombs fall so bad enough, but to have it all over you and all around my, my.

I have been assigned to the American Consulate down here, (Mani'a, P. I.). Mr. Anderson, manager of the hotel is from La Grange, Ky. He is so nice to me. I met him on the boat when I came out to China two years ago.

A Mr. Fairchild called me yesterday. Said he saw my name in the paper and that I had arrived from Shanghai and was from Kentucky. He is Kirley Fairchild, son of Preacher Joe Fairchild of Whitesburg. He has been in Mani'a about 18 years.

Love to you all,  
LYDA.

Mine Workers of America have run Wayne Stumbo for sheriff and nominated him to the office by a majority of 765 votes; and Be It Resolved, that the U. M. W. of A. of Floyd county go on record 100 per cent for electing him for sheriff; and

Be It Further Resolved, that we are against any man or men who take any part in this contest suit against Wayne Stumbo; and be it further resolved that every candidate in Floyd county who is running for office or wish to ever run for office are asked to take part in assisting us in this battle. If you are a friend to the union, "show us," so we can remem-

ber you.  
Signed—  
HENRY CAMPBELL,  
HOWARD SAMONS,  
G. B. BAKER.

Regularly moved, seconded and carried that this resolution be published in The Floyd County Times to let the public know the stand that the United Mine Workers of Floyd county have taken in behalf of our miner for sheriff—Brother Wayne Stumbo, of local union 7078.

Signed—  
JOE HICKS,  
WM. BOMER,  
MARTON MCGLOTHEN,

### THE FARM AND HOME

(Kentucky Agricultural Experiment Station)  
When vegetables are boiled with a large piece of fat for a long time they become saturated with fat, and on this account are hard to digest. A better way is to cook vegetables and meat separately, and then combine to secure the desired flavor of bacon or other meats.

Roup, chickenpox and canker are poultry diseases that result from damp, poorly ventilated houses, drafts or overcrowding. Since these diseases are contagious and spread rapidly, flocks should be observed closely and sick birds isolated or killed.

Milk is filling, and may impair a child's appetite when drunk early in the meal. If such is the case, it should be reserved until well into the meal, or even until the end. Food should not be washed down with milk or other fluid.

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### Grand Jury 'Rides Herd' On Cattle Rustlers

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been reading too many Wild West stories."

Hall said modern transportation methods have made the present day rustler more of a menace than his historical counterpart.

"They usually drive off cattle in the evening and hide them in the hills," he said. "When they don't come up at milking time, the owners usually decide to wait until morning to check up. Meanwhile, the rustlers have trucked the cattle off."

Hall said cases have not reached court because owners have been quick to compromise—sometimes for double the value of the cattle—when they discover who has been stealing from them.

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