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## GUNS, CARS TAKE TOLL IN FLOYD

### WEEK-END WRECK TOLL IS ONE DEAD; SEVERAL INJURED

Orphase Frisby, 21, Wayland, Killed in Maytown Car Wreck

### OTHERS OF COUNTY GET MINOR INJURIES

Other Wrecks Occur at Emma, Cow Creek, Hazard and Allen

As a result of car wrecks within the county over the week-end, Orphase Frisby, 21, Elk Horn Coal Corporation employe, of Wayland, is dead, and many are injured. Car wrecks have occurred at Allen, Maytown, Cow Creek, and one Floyd countian was injured at Hazard.

Frisby was killed at Maytown when the car he was driving failed to cross the bridge over Right Beaver Creek, and plunged down the hillside into the creek.

In the car with Frisby were Joe Allen, 47, Lackey, who suffered scalp injuries, and Pat Whittaker, 35, of Wayland. Frisby died of a broken neck and drowning. He was taken to the Stumbo Memorial hospital and given an oxygen tent but to no avail. Allen and Whittaker were injured for minor injuries at the

It is reported that the battered car extended out of the water only a few inches. Allen, due to his scalp injury, remained in the car a few moments, without serious effect, until Whittaker had gotten out and called for help.

In Maytown's second car wreck of the day, Wesley Prater and three other youths were injured. Prater was taken to the Stumbo Memorial hospital to be treated for brain concussion. At the hospital Monday he was reported to be getting along nicely. The other youths received only minor injuries.

In a car wreck at Hazard Sunday, Ishmael Gibson, 25-year-old son of

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### This Town-- That World

#### \$40,000 ADDITION

Following one of the "blackest" Sundays in Floyd county—a Sunday replete with killings, gunshot wounding, and deaths and injuries from car-wrecks—Dr. Walk Stumbo began a \$40,000 addition to his Stumbo Memorial hospital. From where we sit, it looks as if his addition will soon be full from basement to the very rooftop, unless better law enforcement, law obedience, and safer driving is secured for Floyd county.

#### STRANGE

It seems strange that no taxpayer has filed suit against the city of Prestonsburg, for the city's failure throughout the past 20 years to publish an audit of the tax-payers' money, showing all expenditures, as required by law. November candidates for city—and all—offices might do well to make this issue part of their platform. According to law an annual audit is required also from every city school board, county school board, the county itself, every city, consolidated town, and consolidated school district. Strange, strange indeed!

#### IMPROVEMENT—

Few towns have improved in the past few years as has West Prestonsburg with its newly-paved

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### "Freight" Delivered

A new course record was made at the Beaver Valley Golf Club Sunday in the qualifying round for the Abbott Heights-Beaver Valley inter-club championship matches, by Caddy "Freight" Adkins, who shot the course in 64 strokes—six strokes under the par 70. Adkins made 8 birdies, shot 8 holes in par and exceeded par only on two of the 18 holes. Adkins shot the first round in 30, five strokes under par.

The former record of 68, which Adkins bettered, was made by Denny Blair three years ago.

### CANDIDATES FILE FOR CITY OFFICES

#### 41 Office-Seekers Filed For Offices in Four Floyd Towns

This coming November election is by no means merely a matter of races between Democratic and Republican nominees for county offices.

There's this matter of the election of three members of the County Board of Education upon which, in turn, election of a county superintendent of schools may hinge; the choice of a Mayor of Prestonsburg and members of the City Council to work with him; Police Judges for certain other incorporated towns of the county; members of town boards.

No less than 41 candidates had announced by Monday morning, this week, in these races.

The list of these candidates who are expected to make the final election more than a mere Democrat-Republican scrap follows:

For Mayor of Prestonsburg—A. C. Carter, N. M. (Bud) White and Burl Spurlock; for Prestonsburg City Councilmen—(Open Book ticket) Willie Mellon, Byron Nunnery, H. H.

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### ELECTION OFFICERS NAMED FOR NOV. 2

#### Officers To Preside at Polls Nov. 2 Selected by Elec- tion Commissioners

The list of election officers to preside at the polls on November 2 was released this week as selected by Election Commissioners M. T. Stumbo, O. H. Stumbo and Ran Spurlock.

In each instance below the names of the clerk, two judges and sheriff of election appear in order:

Prestonsburg No. 1—W. H. Layne, Bob Damron, Charlie Weddington, Jimmie Hatcher.

Prestonsburg No. 2—W. W. Burchett, Ishmael Triplett, Franklin Moore, Bob Young.

Depot No. 3—Ben Ross, Mitch Preston, Emory Hughes, Jim Meads.

Auxier No. 4—Will Reed, Johnnie Patton, John L. Harmon, Sam Wells.

Middle Creek No. 5—H. H. Reffitt, Jim Hale, Henry Justice, Graydon Howard.

Spurlock No. 6—Bill Jack Stephens, Sol Hubbard, John Henry Shepherd, Layne Compton.

Porter No. 7—Henry Collins, John Wells, Henry Laferty, Tom Burga.

Johns Creek No. 8—Norman Crider, R. T. Hunt, Jim Burchett, Darwin Hunt.

Cow Creek No. 9—Jake Weddington, L. C. Leslie, Tussy Burchett, Ef Mosley.

Mouth Beaver No. 10—Buddy Hatcher, Den Fairchild, Herman Porter, Henderson Osborn.

Jim Banks No. 11—John Hammonds, P. D. Laferty, Sheridan Kazee, Melvin Laferty.

John Possum No. 12—Claude Flannery

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### SCHOOL TEACHERS GET FIRST CHECKS

#### \$20,000 In Pay-Day Checks Are Sent to Floyd Rural Teachers

Checks for approximately \$20,000 were mailed by School Superintendent Town Hall's office this week for the first "pay-day" for rural teachers of the current year. More than 160 teachers will receive checks, most of them being substantial increase over those of last year.

The new basic scale of \$72, which began last year, is still in force, and with the extra teachers hired, and increases awarded teachers for extra college attendance, the payroll for teachers this month exceeds that of last year's average by \$10,000, Mr. Hall said.

According to Mr. Evans, director of finance at Frankfort, Floyd county is paying her teachers on a par with salaries paid by the wealthiest counties. Mr. Hall returned from Frankfort last week with the necessary funds, after days of activity compiling the salary schedule for Floyd's teachers.

Mr. Hall said that no teacher is receiving less than that of last year, and the majority, by reason of their college attendance through the summer, are receiving increases. He added that henceforth salaries will be paid promptly on the first of the month.

### LOCAL MERCHANTS WILL HEAR RUTH GILBERT AT KIWANIS MEET FRIDAY

Ruth Gilbert, field secretary of the Kentucky Retail Merchants' Association, will address a gathering of local merchants at a Kiwanis meeting Friday evening in the Valley Inn hotel, preparatory to the organization of merchants here, according to a letter received by K. W. Fife, of Anderson's Store, Monday.

Mr. Fife said that Mrs. Gilbert's talk would stress organization and cooperation among merchants, and serve as the starting point for the formation of a local organization.

Mrs. Gilbert has been with the Kentucky Merchants' Association as field secretary since 1935. Her home is in Ashland. She has been connected with the Association in other capacities since its inception.

Early this week, Mr. Fife mailed postcards to various merchants and public-spirited citizens asking that they be present Friday night at the Kiwanis meeting at 6 p. m. to hear the program.

### UNION OFFICIAL HERE

County Attorney Forrest P. Bell, of Union county, is in Prestonsburg this week on business. Mr. Bell formerly was principal of Martin high school and also practised law here.

### Blazing Home Traps Tot While Parents Do Chores

A barking dog with its hair burned off scampered into a barn at Allen, Tuesday morning at 8:30, where Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Mullins were milking, before they rushed to the barn door to see their nearby home being destroyed by fire—and realize that their five-year-old son, Randall, was burning to death.

The tot, due to the cool weather, was left alone at home for the first time, while his parents engaged in their morning chores. Two brothers and two sisters were at school at the time of the fire.

After being warned by the dog, Mr. and Mrs. Mullins rushed home to find the building collapsing. The

### 36 PETIT JURORS SELECTED FOR OCT.

#### Jurors Will Start Hearing Civil Cases When October Term Convenes

A list of 36 petit jurors for the October term of the Floyd circuit court, which convenes Monday, October 4, was released this week by Circuit Court Clerk T. B. Sturgill as selected last week by Jury Commissioners G. B. Tackett, D. M. Allen, Sr., and P. D. Laferty.

The October term of court will be devoted to the hearing of civil cases. The jury list follows:

Mrs. B. F. Elliott, Harold; Mrs. Dewey Roberts, Harold; Will Hamilton, Teaberry; Cal Clark, Prestonsburg; Mrs. Annie Hinton, Betsy Layne; J. M. Arnett, Prestonsburg; Mrs. Burns Mullins, Grethel; Mrs. Willie Goble, Prestonsburg; Mrs. Jno. Ward, Lancer; Fannie Laferty, Emma; Mrs. Mary Laferty, Water Gap; Mrs. Jane Gray, Allen; Mrs. Annie Gray, Martin; Mrs. Pearl Bingham, Water Gap; Bennie Samons, Cracker; Daisy Hammonds, Allen; Joe B. Laferty, Bull Creek; Mrs. Ella Humley, city; Mrs. Grady Hubbard, city; Worley Reed, Hueysville; Will Boggs Hueysville; Mrs. Mel Hays, Langley; Green Gearheart, Hueysville; Mrs. Annie Keel, Dock; Woods Gearheart, Hueysville; Mrs. Bertha Laferty, Water Gap; Jonathan Fitzpatrick, West Prestonsburg; Rev. A. L. Allen, Allen; Mrs. Alka Allen, Prestonsburg; Mrs. T. W. Smith, city; Russell Wallen, Bull Creek; Willie Gearheart, Prestonsburg; Lizzie Allen, Hueysville; L. A. Tackett, Melvin, Blanche Brown, city.

### TIMES TO PUBLISH MINE WORKERS NEWS

The various locals of the United Mine Workers of America in Floyd county are invited to contribute news of special interest to miners and union workmen for publication in The Times.

This newspaper, itself published in a Union shop, is anxious to cooperate with Union labor and will give liberal space weekly to Union news. Floyd county mine workers who may be interested in news preparation for their county newspaper are invited to pay us a visit when in Prestonsburg.

At the same time, this newspaper solicits all church and school news, in addition to the regular run of news-stories written in our office.

The Times is now being published on Wednesday (under a Thursday date-line), so it is imperative that all news reach us not later than Tuesday morning.

### MISS RAMEY OPERATED UPON

Miss Fanny Ramey, young Prestonsburg girl, is recovering from a major operation, to which she submitted at the Stumbo hospital this week.

frantic parents did not know in which room the child was.

Water poured upon the house was to no avail, and it was not until the building's embers had cooled slightly that a small mass of bones was found in the smoldering wreckage.

It is not known how the fire was ignited, but it is thought that the cause had its origin in the kitchen stove, which was burning while Mr. and Mrs. Mullins were in the barn.

Funeral services for the little victim were held Tuesday afternoon at 1 p. m., at Cracker, on Arkansas Creek, with the Rev. Isaac Stratton, of Banner, officiating. Burial rites were in charge of the Ryan funeral home, of Martin.

### Air-Conditioned

An iron cage is all that remains of Garrett's city jail since fire of incendiary origin, Monday night, destroyed the four frame walls and the roof. A bucket brigade combated the blaze, narrowly averting destruction of the \$60,000 commissary, located 20 feet from the blazing jail. No prisoners were in the lock-up at the time of the fire.

A miner, coming from work at 2:30 a. m., said he saw three men crawl from beneath the jail just before it started to blaze.

### DR. H. E. HUGHES CALLED BY DEATH

#### Illness of Few Days Fatal Tuesday to Prominent Business Man

Dr. Henry E. Hughes, prominent Prestonsburg druggist and business man, died at 6:05 o'clock Tuesday in a Huntington, W. Va., hospital after an illness of a few days. He was 51 years old.

Though it was known that Dr. Hughes' condition had grown critical Monday, his many friends here and throughout this section were shocked by news of his passing.

A native of Staunton, Va., he moved to Prestonsburg about 20 years ago from Matewan, W. Va. During his years in business here he gained a wide acquaintanceship and was highly esteemed by his industry and integrity.

Surviving Dr. Hughes are his widow, Mrs. Nannie Carpenter Hughes, one son, Robert Hughes, and a daughter, Dorothy, all of Prestonsburg.

The body was returned to Prestonsburg Wednesday morning by E. P. Arnold, Prestonsburg funeral director. Funeral arrangements had not been completed when this was written early Wednesday.

### 'CATS LICK ALUMNI IN 19 TO 0 VICTORY

#### 'Cats Tackle Alumni to Pre- pare for Opener Here Saturday

Against a team composed of alumni and high school players, the Prestonsburg Blackcats Saturday in their first taste this season of real football got off to a 19-0 victory, and on Saturday, this week, they get a stronger ration of the real thing when they meet the Belfry Pirates in the first scheduled game of their season.

Belfry already has one game under its belt—a 44 to 6 licking at the hands of the powerful Williamson Wolfpack—and, though reputedly light, may give Prestonsburg more trouble than is desired at this early stage of the race for Big Sandy honors.

Prestonsburg's stock soared this week with the return to play of Dotson and Rice, the two big fellows who last week were feared lost to the team.

### FIELDS ONLY VETERAN LEFT ON BELFRY TEAM

Belfry, Ky., Sept. 20 (Sp.)—The Belfry Pirates, who play Prestonsburg Saturday at Prestonsburg, have a squad numbering 28. All are playing football for their first year, except Captain Harold Fields.

The Belfry team lost to Williamson last September 10, 44 to 6. Coach Alley's team weighs on an average of 130 pounds. Although inexperienced and light, the team is shifty and fast.

Line Coach "Ed" Jenkins has been polishing up the blocking and tackling.

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### GUNFIRE KILLS TWO IN BLACK SUNDAY'S CRIME OUTBREAKS

#### Deputy Constable Sol War- rix Slain at Allen; Jones Slain at Ligon

#### WARRIX KILLED BY .22 BULLET OVER LEFT EYE

#### Bullet-Riddled Body of Jones is Found Near Bath House at Ligon

As the result of gunfire on "Black" Sunday, two Floyd countians, Deputy Constable Sol Warrix, 31, Allen, and Bill Jones, 33, of Ligon, are dead, adding another chapter to the annals of Floyd county crime.

Warrix was killed Sunday night at Allen, as he and Town Marshal John Laferty were investigating a car wreck. Jones died of six pistol wounds inflicted a few hours later at Ligon. The coroner's jury rendered a verdict of death "at the hands of persons unknown."

According to officers' report, a pick-up truck wrecked at the Allen side of the bridge there. Officers Warrix and Laferty investigated the wreck and took two of the truck's occupants to jail.

Marshal Laferty said that he was then informed that another occupant of the wreck was seen in a coal house on the property of Pharis Porter, near the place the wreck occurred.

Officers Warrix and Laferty met Mr. and Mrs. Pharis Porter and they started to search for the missing man. The Porters informed the officers that they had no coal house, but Mrs. Porter said she saw "a tall boy running up the hill and Mr. Porter called to him that he might fall over the cliff."

It was then that a .22-calibre bullet was fired, striking Warrix over the left eye. He was taken to the Beaver Valley hospital where he died a few hours later.

Marshal Laferty said, "I know where the shot came from, but I would rather not say." He also said,

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### Courthouse News

#### 'NO COW DOGGIN' 'LOWED HERE'

Courthouse attaches got a laugh when reading in the grand jury's minutes that Harry Meeks claimed three persons "dogged his cow and tore her tail off." Indictments were recommended against three persons; after learned lawyers ascertained that such an offense might come under the statute covering "Cattle Maiming," which provides fines from \$10 to \$1,000 and imprisonment of one to 12 months.

#### SUITS FILED

T. S. Meade, vs. Cadell Construction Co., etc. H. R. Burke, attorney. C. H. Smith vs. Eney Mullins, Combs and Combs, attorneys. Lee Frasure vs. Orville Moore, Joe Hobson, attorney. G. M. Hale vs. Taulbee Hamilton, Harry Benner vs. Alberta Benner.

#### MARRIAGE LICENSES

Herston Mayo, 26, Cracker, and Laura Salmons, 26, Cracker. Ceremony performed at Martin by the Rev. A. L. Allen.

H. J. Meeks, 71, and Lillie Mullins, 46; ceremony performed by the Rev. J. K. Bolin, of the Church of Christ. Fred Stone, 28, Hindman, and Martha Wells, 22, Martin. Ceremony performed at Lackey by the Rev. James D. Compton, of the Missionary Baptist Church.

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# Divorce In The United States On A Rampage

(By W. M. LIKINS)

In 1934 there were granted in the United States 188,578 divorces. In 1929 there were granted 201,468 divorces and it is already estimated in 1936 there were granted 216,411 divorces, though these figures may be changed when a complete check-up is made.

Very few divorces are granted in any country throughout the civilized world except in the United States, Canada grants only one divorce for every 40,000 population, while the United States grants one divorce for every 638 people. In Great Britain divorce is almost unknown, also in New Zealand, Australia, Denmark, Norway, Sweden, Finland, Switzerland, etc.

## Protestant Churches Must Take a Definite Stand

Nowhere in the world does the Roman Catholic church recognize divorce and it is very rare a member of the church obtains a divorce, even in America.

If the Protestant churches would take the same stand on the divorce question that is taken by the Roman Catholic church, barring all those who obtain a divorce from further membership in their churches, in 10 years, with not a single additional restrictive law having been passed, divorces would be reduced fully 75 per cent.

## Various Causes for Divorce

The causes of divorces generally recognized by the various states are adultery, cruelty, desertion, drunkenness, and neglect to provide. These are many other minor causes and combination of causes recognized by nearly all the states. In 1931 there were granted 183,647 divorces in the United States, divided among the major causes as follows: Adultery, 13,661; cruelty, 77,275; desertion, 50,893; drunkenness, 2,819; neglect to provide, 7,398; combination of causes, 14,493; all other causes, 15,714. Of the 183,647 divorces granted that year women obtained 132,612 and men obtained 49,591. Of the 132,612 divorces obtained by women, 59,852 were obtained on a plea of cruelty and 30,930 were obtained for desertion.

## Young Folks Are Not the Most Offending

Contrary to general opinion, young folks are not the most offending in obtaining divorces. In the same year as figures taken above, couples who had been married one year and less obtained 7,452 divorces. Couples who had been married from one up to two years obtained 13,405 divorces; couples who had been married from

two to three years obtained 14,802 divorces; couples who had been married from three to four years obtained 14,536 divorces and those who had been married from four to five years obtained 13,687 divorces. We find that couples who had been married from eight to nine years obtained 8,689 divorces.

It must be remembered that as the years go upward in married life there are less and less to choose from, so the 8,689 divorces secured by couples married from eight to nine years was a larger percentage of the sum total married people that old than the 13,405 divorces secured by the couples married from one to two years. The expectancy of the duration of married life is about sixteen years, for if either of the parties die that breaks up the couple and there are two chances for one of the two to die where there is one chance for one alone to die.

## Drunkenness Is Only Minor Cause

Drunkenness, contrary to general opinion, is not a prolific cause for divorce. Most women will worry along with a husband who is a heavy drinker, feeling that by and by he will quit. In 1931, the year from which these statistics are taken, out of the 183,647 couples obtaining divorces, only 2,819 were granted for drunkenness.

In 1929 there were 201,468 divorces granted, but the first two years of the depression reduced that number to 183,664 to 1931. Every depression this country has ever experienced has decreased the number of divorces obtained.

There is one, and only one, dominating cause for divorce, though there are many contributing causes: Either the wife or husband, or both, get tired of each other and want to be free to exercise their sexual relations.

## SILVER

Mr. and Mrs. Wootson Crum, of Jenkins, spent the week-end here with Mrs. Crum's parents.

Robert Marshall, who is teaching at Ashland, spent the week-end with his family here.

Claude Hunter spent Sunday and Monday with his sister at Wayland.

The school here is progressing nicely under the supervision of Hargis Hicks, of Brush Creek.

Mr. and Mrs. Montaine Clark, of

Clark's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Clark, here Sunday.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Carl Bingham, a daughter, christened Lizzie, for Mr. Bingham's mother. Prestonsburg, were guests of Mr.

A misfortune happened to John Dixon Saturday night when his car burned.

## McDOWELL

(Last week's correspondence) Mrs. Florence Hensley, of Belfry, Mr. and Mrs. P. L. Cook, Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Cook, of Red Jacket, W. Va., were the week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Hopkins.

Miss Helen Hopkins spent a week at Red Jacket, W. Va., with relatives.

Mrs. Mildred Cook is spending the week with relatives at McDowell.

Mr. and Mrs. Foster Meade were the week-end guests of his parents here.

Noah Hamilton, Moses Hall, Estill Hall and Royce Vanderpool returned to college Monday.

## DOCK

(Last week's correspondence)

A pie social was conducted at the Conley schoolhouse, C. B. Napier and Bob Pitts, teachers. A large crowd attended. The amount collected was \$14.40, which will be spent for equipment for their school. Music was furnished by Rawleigh Barnett. Events were staged and prizes were given as follows: 50 yard dashes: 1 to 5, 6 to 8-11 and up, first, Manis Pitts; second, Curtis Pitts, third, Vangie Thompson, and fourth, Fred Tussey. The three-legged race to John Buckley and Rosa Thompson. The cracker-eating contest was won by Rainey Ousley; apple-eating contest by Fred Tussey. The potato race for women was won by Edna Bradley and Daisy Thompson. Feather catching contest by Clifford Haywood. The tag removing relay was captured by Rainey Ousley. The milk-drinking contest was won by Fred Tessey. Rebecca Compton has won a prize for the first and second month's grade in C. B. Napier's school.

Mr. and Mrs. Tol Hughes and Tommie Sizemore were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Ousley over the week-end.

## BONANZA

### CHURCH

Church was conducted by the Holiness here Sunday. As per usual, a large crowd attended.

Funeral services were held for "Uncle" Jim Whittaker near here on Sunday of last week.

### SCHOOL

School opened Monday, Aug. 24, with an enrollment exceeding that of previous years. The faculty this year is composed of Ellis Hale, principal; David Leslie, assistant; Mildred Hill, advanced grades; and Gladys Stepp, primary grades.

For the second year in succession every teacher in the community has been "placed" in a school. Aside from those employed in Bonanza school, other teachers were hired as follows:

Naomi Spradlin, Needmore; Docia Baldrige, Tram; Grace Conley, Bee Fork; Tom Hill, lower Myrtle; Tommie Hall, Mud Creek; Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Ratliff, Wheelwright.

Miss Wilson, who is connected with the radio listening centers established by the University of Kentucky, spent last week here. The listening center here (No. 131) has been established in the postoffice, and is operated by J. A. Baldrige.

### MUSIC-HARM N

Wedding bells rang recently for Miss Flossie Music and Mr. Albert Harmon, who were married in Bonnie Blue, Va. Mrs. Harmon is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Music, and Mr. Harmon is the son of Mrs. Pat Harmon. Both are graduates of Bonanza high school.

### GIRLS! GIRLS!

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Frazier recently a baby girl; and to Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Music, also, a baby girl.

Russell Lavin, of Allen, was in Bonanza Sunday.

Miss Dorcus Montgomery was the weekend guest of Miss Mildred Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. Terry Hackworth and daughter, Janice, of Ivyton, spent the week-end, guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Spradlin.

John Joseph, of West Prestonsburg, was the dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. Butler Sloan Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Ratliff moved to Wheelwright recently, where they are employed as teachers.

Mrs. Henry Baldrige, who has been ill for the past few months, is improving nicely.

The gravel road is now within a half-mile of Bonanza.

Mrs. Ray Stephens, Miss Docia Baldrige, Messrs. Jack Allen and Edward Stephens spent Saturday in Ironton, O., and were accompanied home by Mrs. Bascom Stephens, of Maytown, who for the past week was a patient in the Martin hospital. Mrs. Stephens is recovering nicely.

## MARTIN

Elmer Collins, son of Dr. G. C. Collins, this place, is leaving Friday for his second year pre-medical work at Georgetown College.

Jack Ryan, son of Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Ryan, has entered Pikeville College for a business course.

## Today's Mansion

(By FLOYD WARRICK)

Our fathers through the years that's faded

Built the mansion of today; Laid each brick with accurate fingers In its place so it would stay.

Though pain and strife and drastic sorrow Lived in hatred o'er the land, They fought and strove to build tomorrow With solid stone so it would stand.

Did taunts of others still their working? No! They cast them all away; They built the structure of our nation From death's cold stone and scarlet clay.

So let us keep in peace, O, Maker! Or must our prayer be made in vain? O, war!—the demon of disaster Must drain our life-blood once again.

## JIM HALL DIES

Jim Hall, 42 years old, died Sunday at his home at Myrtle, a victim of dropsy from which he had suffered for several months.

Surviving him are five children and the following brothers and sisters: Mrs. Si Howell, Portsmouth, O.; Mrs. Frankie Stanley and Mrs. Hulda Adams, McGuffey, O.; R. D. Hall, Myrtle; Mrs. Alice Hale, Colie; J. H. Hall, McGuffey, O.; Mollie Holbrook and Lee Hall, both of Myrtle. His wife died six years ago and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Steve Hall, two years ago.

Funeral rites were conducted Monday afternoon at Myrtle, the Rev. R. D. Holbrook officiating. Burial was made in the family cemetery under the direction of E. P. Arnold.

## MY OLD KENTUCKY HILLS

In the golden glow of autumn, Nature's beauties are unfurled; And are shown in magic splendor To the gaze of all the world. But to me the sight most glorious— One that fills my heart with thrills, Is the beauty and the grandeur Of my old Kentucky hills.

How the sunshine loves to linger In these hills so grand and great, Lighting up with golden splendor, While its beauty we partake. Some may rave of rolling valleys, Rivers wide and tiny rills, But to me there is no beauty "Like my old Kentucky hills."

Oh! I gaze enthralled with rapture At the blending and the hue, That no artist's hand has painted, But, my master's work I view. I am filled with adoration, And my soul with music thrills, Praise to "The Great Creator" For my old Kentucky hills.

## CANDLE FLAME

Time and custom alter, The years strange, With new manners, new ways, And many a change. But I recall that here and there Were candles in every room, Made one think of golden flowers Coming back to bloom.

Here and there a candle, On a window sill Standing like a beacon Shining pure and still. No lights so clear and steadfast No flame so pure and fair, A candle in "An old house" Is like an angel there.

Candle light for corners Candle light for halls, May there be a candle burning When the last star falls.

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**Prestonsburg Lodge**  
I. O. O. F. No. 293  
Meets the first, second, third and fourth Thursdays in each month. The following officers were installed:  
**W. M. Hagans, N. G.**  
**Joe Shively, V. G.**  
F. C. Hall, Secretary  
W. J. Vaughan, Treasurer

Zebulon Lodge, No. 278, F & A. M., meets 1st and 3rd Mondays in each month. Members of sister lodges are fraternally invited to attend. Permanent quarters in our new Temple on Court street.  
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M. M. Degrees, 3rd Mondays.  
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### RECIPES FOR LITTLE COOKS

**PULLED MOLASSES CANDY**  
2 cups dark molasses 1/8 teaspoon ground nutmeg  
2 tablespoons butter 1/8 teaspoon ground cinnamon  
1 1/2 tablespoons vinegar 1/2 teaspoon soda 1 pinch salt

1. Cook molasses, butter, vinegar, salt, nutmeg and cinnamon at 254° F.  
2. Add soda and beat well.  
3. Pour into well buttered pan and let stand until cool enough to handle.  
4. Pull with candy hook or with well buttered hands until it is cream colored and hardens.  
5. Let stand until hard and cut into two-inch sticks.

**SUGAR COOKIES**  
(About 5 dozen)  
1 cup butter 1 teaspoon baking powder  
1 1/2 cups sugar 2 eggs 1/2 teaspoon salt  
3 cups cake flour 1/3 cup milk 1 teaspoon vanilla

1. Cream butter and sugar.  
2. Beat in eggs.  
3. Add sifted dry ingredients alternately with milk.  
4. Add vanilla.  
5. Chill dough.  
6. Roll out dough real thin.  
7. Cut with cookie cutter and sprinkle with sugar.  
8. Place on a lightly greased cookie sheet.  
9. Bake in a hot oven.  
Temperature 400°.  
Time: 8-12 minutes.

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# There's Only One

By  
Sophie Kerr

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CHAPTER IX—Continued

"If you really feel I'm all right, I'll go back, of course." She was glad of the interruption of the telephone bell. Mr. Terriss grabbed his hat. "I'm going along," he said. "You keep right on doing like you've been doing and you'll turn up something before long that'll give us the right steer. I'm certain of it. Let me hear from you as often as you can."

Curt had a suggestion. "We'll go see a news reel and then stop in at a nice little club I know about and have a sandwich and listen to the music, there's a wench there who sings 'Stormy Weather' like nobody's business. I'll be down for you presently."

CHAPTER X

"But I tell you, Elinor, that if he doesn't enter in February he'll have to wait over until next fall." Mr. Cayne had invaded his wife's room and stood, the picture of exasperated powerlessness, reflected by her mirrors in every direction. She was there, too, the indomitable piece of fluff, which does not combat but slips away untouched from strength and force, her peach velvet negligee lay around her shoulders carelessly and she adjusted it into a more becoming line. Rachel, every curl banished, neat as a nun in her gray afternoon taffeta, concentrated on the tiny darn she was placing over a cigarette burn in one of Mrs. Cayne's lace slips, tried to look as blank as Mr. Terriss and not miss a syllable.

"Do you like this color on me, Peter?" Elinor Cayne asked at last. "We weren't talking about that. Listen, I want Holbrook to enroll in the spring term of the university."

"But I thought this year's classes were all arranged, or enrolled, or whatever they do."

"He can take special work. Better for him than loafing and running around to parties with all these crazy kids."

Rachel wondered if Elinor's indifference could be as complete as it seemed. She stitched more slowly, must know what Mr. Cayne's wife had to say about Holbrook's friends, for so far she had been able to discover nothing significant about them.

"They're really very sweet, Peter. Of course they're young and thoughtless." Her tone implied: "And you're old and set."

Mr. Cayne caught the implication fully. "Oh, I know you think I'm in my dotage, but that's beside the point. Holbrook must have an education, this is the time of his life when he ought to be studying hard."

"Holbrook would study hard if you'd let him go to art school."

"Now, Elinor, look here, I've gone into this art racket thoroughly. What'll it get the boy? He can be an illustrator of stories for magazines, or he can draw pictures to go with advertisements or into cat-



"We Weren't Talking About That."

alogues, and unless he's a top-notch er neither one will give him anything but a poor living. If he paints portraits and landscapes and murals—well, my God, think of the square miles of canvas that are covered every year and what per cent of 'em sells? Be practical about it! An artist has got to be mighty good, in the first rank, and then he's got a long hard struggle and mayn't land anywhere."

Elinor's face twisted in rage, her voice shrilled. "You never cared anything about Holbrook, ever since he was born you've wanted to make him into a hard miserly money-grubber like you are yourself! You think that's all there is in life! There's everything you don't see—beauty—and pleasure—and—"

"No Lord, hysterics again! If you'd just talk things over reasonably."

"You don't want reason—you only want your own stupid way. But I'll fight for my child—he's not going to be ruined by your loathsome materialism."

Mr. Cayne went out of the room, banging the door; his wife burst into tears of temper.

"I'm the most miserable woman in the world," she sobbed, "I don't know why I ever married him, I was nothing but a child. I was so young—and so ignorant—oh—and now I'll have to do my face all over again! It's maddening to cry!" She turned sharply to Rachel, who was still working over her long-finished darn. "Don't sit there like a dummy. Bring me my special cream out of the bathroom—no, bring me a towel wrung out of hot water—and get some ice from Lena—hurry, hurry, I'll be as red as a lobster, and puffy—I could kill Peter Cayne when he's mean and obstinate like this."

Rachel, soon standing ready with lumps of ice wrapped in gauze, trying to look impersonal and yet concerned, was thinking in an odd, lost way: "She loves Holbrook, she loves him in that crazy possessive way I missed in Anne. I wonder why she loves him so much and didn't care enough about me even to try to keep me? I wish I could understand her better. Queer, I've almost stopped thinking about her as my mother, it only comes on now and then." Aloud, "Here's the ice, Mrs. Cayne, if you'll hold it on your eyelids—"

"Don't fidget—you're dripping it all over me. You are the most awkward girl; here, give it to me. Now go and see if Mr. Cayne's gone out. If he has, tell Mr. Holbrook I want to see him. If Mr. Cayne's still here, come back and tell me and don't speak to Mr. Holbrook."

Rachel hurried into the library. No sign of Mr. Cayne. Towers was coming from the drawing room where he had drawn the curtains for the evening. He said yes, Mr. Cayne had left just a minute ago, but he wouldn't be gone long, he had said he was going to walk around the block and buy some cigars. Towers nodded knowingly and whispered, "He's sore as a crab."

So Rachel tapped at Holbrook's door. "Mrs. Cayne wants to speak to you, Mr. Holbrook," she said, primly.

"Is that you, Rachel?" came the boy's voice. "Wait a minute."

She opened the door and he beckoned her inside. The dandified dark green and gold brocade of his lounge suit was a bad contrast for the distress on his too-old, too-weak face. "I say, Rachel," he began, "does father pay you by the week?"

Rachel's first impulse was to say, "It's none of your business," but she reflected that this was her first chance to talk to the boy. "Yes, sir," she said, "he pays me by the week."

"Well, look, I'm in an awful jam, my allowance isn't due till the end of the month, couldn't you lend me something till then?"

"How much do you want, sir?"

"How much have you got?"

Rachel seemed to be calculating. "I could let you have five dollars, I guess," she said haltingly.

"Oh, damn, I've got to have more than that. Haven't you got any savings?"

"No, sir—but Towers and Lena have."

"Yes, I know, the swine! They wouldn't let me have a plugged nickel to save my life. Can't you raise more than five dollars? When do you get paid again—Saturday?"

"I might let you have eight dollars, but I need my Saturday's money."

"I need it worse than you do! The end of the month's next week, can't you let me have the eight dollars and the money you get on Saturday—how much is it, anyway?"

"Fifteen dollars," lied Rachel, "but I need that myself. You ask your father, Mr. Holbrook, he's nice and kind, he'll let you have it. Or your mother would."

"Nice and kind like a steel trap when it comes to money! And mother's as hard up as I am. Look here, you put the eight dollars under my pillow when you fix my bed tonight, will you?"

"What'd you need it so bad for?" asked Rachel. "My gracious, you're rich people, I shouldn't think you'd need to borrow anything."

The door was flung open and Mrs. Cayne stood there. "What are you doing in here?" she said savagely to Rachel. "I sent you to tell Mr. Holbrook to come and see me—"

Holbrook broke in glibly: "I asked her to come in and look at the way that dumbbell Rosie did my new shirts, I wanted her to speak to Rosie, I never see her."

"Oh, was that all? Where are the shirts?"

"She just put 'em back in the drawer and was going. I'm sorry I kept you waiting, beautiful. Don't be cross. It spoils you." He lounged over to his mother, put his arm around her neck and winked at Ra-

chel over her shoulder. "Anyway I'm glad you came—what did father say about the school?"

"That's what I wanted to talk to you about—go ahead, Rachel, attend to your work."

Rachel went out, very straight and tall and angry. Her feelings against these two had darkened and increased. "I don't like them!" she thought with all the ruthlessness of youth. "I don't like them! Mr. Cayne's the only decent person in the family—and he's the only one not any kin to me."

She went back to the kitchen where Lena was preparing dinner. "Can I wash that salad for you?" she asked mechanically.

"I wish you would, I can't see when the stuff's clean any more. My glasses oughta be changed, but I can't seem to get round to it."

Rachel took the salad to the sink, filled a pan with water and turned on the light just above it. "Lena," she said, "I'm going to tell you something because I'd like your advice. Mr. Holbrook just asked me to lend him my wages till he gets his allowance first of the month. D'you think I ought to do it—I mean wouldn't Mr. and Mrs. Cayne be sore if they found it out?"

Lena's hand paused above the roast she was larding. "Oh, he's begun on you, has he, the little devil? Well, I don't now what this world is coming to! No, don't you let him have a nickel. You'll never get it back if you do. He's had—let's see—in the past year or so—he's had over a hundred from me and half as much again from Bert, and he's never paid back a penny."

"But doesn't he get an allowance?"

"He gets a bigger allowance than your wages or mine neither. He gets plenty! No fear of that."

"What does he spend it on, then?"

"The Lord only knows, helling around playing the Crown Prince, I guess. I told him this summer whiles we was in the country that I'd not let him have another cent, and Bert did the same, and he tried it on Yates, then, but Yates was smart, told him he was all tied up in a mortgage and said to Bert and me that he'd lose his job before he'd let that young monster put it over on him. Don't you begin it, for mark my words it'll be a gift and not a loan."

"Why don't you or Mr. Towers speak to Mr. Cayne?"

"How can we, and him so good and kind and trying to do his best for the boy and her all the time hampering him and cutting across his intentions! He's got so much trouble with them both—Bert did threaten the boy he'd tell on him, but we can't do it, we think maybe he'll grow out of it. Lotsa kids get a wild streak about this time, when their bodies've grown up and their wits are still children. See what I mean? I'd cut my hand off for Mr. Cayne, let alone bearing the loss of a hundred dollars. But you stay out of it. Let his ma wheedle the cash for him, she's done it before and she'll do it again."

Rachel dropped the clean wet remains into the salad bag, and whirled it blithely around. "Then I'm going to save my eight dollars," she said. "Thank you for telling me. I'll never mention it."

"I know you're not the kind to blab," allowed Lena, handsomely. "I knew that from the first."

It was two days later, in the afternoon, when Lena called Rachel from the laundry where she was doing some of the endless pressing required by Mrs. Cayne. "Look at here," she said, "here's the master's special curry ordered for tonight and best if I'm not out of curry powder. Skip out and get it for me, will you, that's a good girl. There's just the one shop that carries the kind I use and they'll never get it here if I phone and Bert's not

up on her jewelry. I do that every few days now. And the bracelet's gone."

Rachel followed him into Mrs. Cayne's room, watched while he unlocked the safe and took out a worn blue leather box. "There—peridot brooch, pink pearl pendant, topaz and enamel chain, moonstone cameo brooch, carved lapis bracelet and those three rings. The sapphire bracelet was here last Saturday. I haven't looked them over since." He put the colorful trinkets back in the box and closed the safe.

Rachel had never felt less like a detective, but she followed her instructions. "I'll find out who's been in the house since Saturday and—will you notify Terriss, or shall I?" As she said this she recalled Holbrook and his need of money, and the fact that she hadn't put the eight dollars under his pillow as he had asked, nor had he said anything about the omission. She had supposed that he had got the money from his mother, as Lena had said he would. But now—her suspicion came alive.

Mr. Cayne divined her double thought. "What is it, who've you got in mind?" he demanded. "Was anyone here while I was out—any of Mrs. Cayne's friends, or Holbrook's? Quick, think!"

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feeling so well today. If the madame gets in before you get back I'll explain why you're out."

"I'd love to go," said Rachel, "I need some fresh air."

The man on the servants' elevator told her her cheeks were like the pink roses of Killarney as she came in, a compliment which Rachel received with pleasure. He was a jolly soul and Rachel liked him. She unlocked the door of the apartment gaily and found Towers and Lena waiting for her, their faces drawn and doubtful. "The master wants to see you in the library," said Towers, "right off. Don't take off your things."

Still clutching the curry powder, Rachel hurried in to Mr. Cayne. He was pacing the floor. "Well, Miss Vincent," he began, "the thief's been at it again. It's a sapphire bracelet this time."

Rachel's lips parted in amazement. "Are you sure? When did you miss it?"

"Right this minute. I came home early because I knew Mrs. Cayne would be out and I wanted to check



"What Is It, Who've You Got in Mind?"

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LIFE'S LIKE THAT By Fred Neher



"He's gettin' out tomorrow . . . his sister goes out with a politician's watch dog."

### British Masked Men Operate in Secret and Specialize in Saving Scenic Cliffs

Although masked and working in secret like the Italian "Misericordia," "Ferguson's Gang" of London, unlike the Florentine society, does not wait until death calls into action their ministrations—the Ferguson's help the living. After one of their periodical eclipses, they were recently discovered, by the Land's End correspondent of the Times of London, operating in Cornwall.

At intervals in the last few years masked men and women, emissaries of the "gang," have visited the prosaic offices of the National Trust in Buckingham Palace Gardens to hand over bags or wads of currency, acquired no one outside the gang knows how or where. A recent gift was the second and final installment of the purchase price of 15 1/2 acres of cliff land, in order to keep it safe for the nation for all time.

Exactly how this money reached the Trust has not been disclosed. But it is now known that the first installment changed hands some time ago. During the annual dinner

of the Trust a messenger arrived with an urgent communication for the secretary. He found that it was a cigar, round which was wrapped a 100 pound note.

Earlier "Ferguson's Gang" presented to the Trust the Mayon cliffs, between the village of Semmen and Land's End—twenty-four acres stretching from the signal station to Mayon castle. Their new gift, adjoining that made previously, runs from the Mayon cliffs to Carn Clog, which is a quarter of a mile from the First and Last House, the hotel at Land's End. Thus the community, through the benevolent work of the gang, is now the permanent owner of virtually forty acres of Cornish coastline that ranks among the finest cliff scenery in Great Britain.

**Old Cure for Toothache**  
Before the dentists became known to early Ohioans, the men—and even some women—chewed tobacco to discourage toothaches. Those women who didn't chew just had to suffer.



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## WE'RE HOPEFUL THAT PLANS FOR A MERCHANTS' ASSOCIATION WILL BE FULLY REALIZED

All those who wish for Prestonsburg business men success, and for the community itself greater progress, are hopeful that plans to organize a Merchants' Association here will be carried to full realization.

For they know that such an organization is a distinct departure from the old lone-wolf, dog-eat-dog policy which instead of creating unity of purpose, soundness of business principles and practices, breeds discord and ill-will to the detriment not only of business but also to the town itself.

Once efficiently organized, merchants will not only benefit each other and their customers, but will benefit the town and county as a whole. The group may endorse all beneficial civic enterprises, sponsor worthwhile celebrations, even a festival for Prestonsburg as the oldest town in this section, is not too far remote.

And most important perhaps of all, such an organization with the power it could wield, can do much toward the building of roads not only on Left Beaver, but throughout the county. An organization of capable businessmen could long ago have launched a campaign that would insure that spending of Floyd county dollars—no matter how far remote—in Floyd county. Such a campaign may still be launched, for the benefit of everyone, if the merchants, with the cooperation of all public-spirited citizens, will unite.

Business men's organizations have proved their value over the years elsewhere. Communities which have flourished and grown into places larger than Prestonsburg have profited by their wholesome influence.

Kentucky merchants know better than any of the rest of us what the state association has meant to them. By the same token, they should be able to see what a local association can do for them.

Prestonsburg is growing. No town in Eastern Kentucky can claim more natural advantages. To forge ahead it needs only intelligent, planned leadership which would free its business of the rusty fetters of business antiquity.

## DEATHS

### MRS. WILLIS SUCCUMBS

Funeral services for Mrs. Warner Willis, 30, who succumbed at the Golden Rule hospital, Friday morning at Paintsville, following a short illness, were held in the Holiness Church at West Prestonsburg, Sunday, at 10:30 a. m. The Rev. Isaac Stratton officiated at the funeral services, and E. P. Arnold was in charge of the burial rites at the Fitzpatrick cemetery on Middle Creek.

In addition to her husband and five children, the deceased is survived by her parents, Police Chief Mill Spradlin and Mrs. Spradlin, of West Prestonsburg, and the following brothers and sisters: Bill and John Spradlin, Bruce Stanley, Jim Stanley, and Mrs. Penn Fitzpatrick. She also leaves a host of other relatives to mourn her loss.

### YOUNG GRADUATE PASSES

Dorothy Horner, 20-year-old graduate of the Meytown high school, died of tuberculosis at the home of her brother, Harley Horner, of Fed, Thursday.

In addition to her brother, Harley, Miss Horner is survived by a sister, Mrs. Opal Oney, of Whiteoak, and two brothers, Orville of Langley, and Elmer, of Weeksberry.

Funeral services were conducted Saturday at 10 a. m. by the Reverend Thomas, of Clear Creek. Burial rites at Eastern were under the direction of the Ryan funeral home of Martin.

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### AGED RESIDENT DIES

William Puffy, 88, Garrett farmer, succumbed Sunday at 9 p. m., of heart leakage. Mr. Puffy had been a member of the Regular Baptist Church for many years. The deceased is survived by three daughters and five sons. He also leaves other relatives to mourn his loss.

Following funeral services conducted by the Rev. M. C. Wright, burial rites were performed by the Ryan funeral home at Risner at 2 p. m.

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### INFANT DIES

Melba Carol Warren, 11-month-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harschel Warren, succumbed at the Stumbo Memorial hospital at 4:40 p. m. Monday, of a three-day illness of flux. Burial was made here in the Ballard May cemetery, by the Ryan Funeral Home. The Revs. Earl How-

### TO THE VOTERS OF MAGISTERIAL DISTRICT NO. 3:

I am your candidate on the independent ticket for Magistrate. Please kindly help yourselves and families by voting for and electing me in the coming November election. I assure you that I will be a true and faithful servant for the people.

Signed:  
LUTHER B. KISER

—Political adv.

### ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE

Notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against the estate of Levi Hall, deceased, to file same with the undersigned administratrix at McDowell, Ky., on or before October 10, 1937, and all persons indebted to said estate to settle same at once.

EVA HALL, Adm.,  
Estate of Levi Hall, decas.,  
9-24-37

### For Board of Education

We wish to announce ourselves as candidates for membership to the Floyd County Board of Education, subject to the election on November 2, 1937.

### Kelly Patton

Wayland, Ky.

### Bob Marshall

Cliff, Ky.

### Will Johnson

(Son of Doc Johnson)

Weeksberry, Ky.

Our program: Honesty, Efficiency and Economy. Your vote and influence will be appreciated.

### COMMONWEALTH PAYS HALL ESTATE \$2,153.73

H. F. Patton, general agent, Commonwealth Life Insurance Company, a few days ago paid to the estate of Levi Hall, of McDowell, death claims totaling \$2,153.73.

9-23-26

### MISS BAILEY, MR. TAYLOR NUPTIALS ARE ANNOUNCED

Announcement is made of the marriage on July 2 at Ashland of Miss Maggie Bailey, of Prestonsburg, and Mr. Demra Taylor, of Martin. The nuptial ceremony was solemnized by the Rev. O. P. Smith, of the M. E. Church, South, the bride's former pastor.

So carefully guarded was the secret of the popular couple's marriage

that except for members of their families, none knew of their union until Thursday of last week, when they left on their honeymoon in the South. The bride, the attractive daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clayborne Bailly, of Martin, is well-known throughout this section, having been employed for the last few years in the office of County Clerk A. B. Meade. She is a graduate of the Westerville, O., high school. Mr. Taylor, a native of Paintsville, holds a responsible position with the Chesapeake & Ohio Railway Company.

Mr. and Mrs. Taylor will reside in Prestonsburg, it is announced.

### Short Asks That Road Work Be Continued

County Attorney F. D. Short Tuesday told the Codell Construction Company, contractors on the Left Beaver road, to continue work, that there is nothing to hinder further operations, since he considers an injunction suit filed last week by James Meade, of Fed, against the company and Floyd county as ineffective.

The suit, filed in an attempt to force construction of an underpass near the Twin Tunnels, above Clear Creek, as was provided for in Mr. Meade's right-of-way deed to the county, struck a snag when the plaintiff was called upon to post bond to protect the defendants against damages which might be incurred by the halting of work. Mr. Meade failed to execute bond and Judge John W. Caudill, of the Floyd Circuit court, refused to issue the restraining order.

### Election Officers

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nery, C. R. Peters, Phares Crisp, Taylor Begley.

Holbert No. 13—Johnnie Osborn, Herb McGlothlin, W. A. Salisbury, George Estep.

Mouth Mud No. 14—Bill Allen, John B. Frasure, Bert Cecil, Will Martin.

Little Mud No. 15—Willie Steel, Floyd Stewart, Sid Parsons, Les Case.

Tickey No. 16—Dock Reynolds, Ernest Newman, W. J. Hall, Alfred Parsons.

Betsy Layne No. 17—A. M. Layne, Ambrose Meade, Ben Maynard, Jack Branham.

Antioch No. 18—Joe Reynolds, Jarvey Hamilton, Green Tackett, Robert Newsom.

Elder Hiram No. 19—Frank Hensley, C. E. Sutherland, Paul Linkous, Ollie Ellis.

Painter Harve No. 20—Bryan Johnson, Jess Dale, Troy Hall, J. H. Mullet.

Clear Creek No. 21—Milford Caudill, J. J. Mosley, Evan Brown, J. D. Martin.

John Ant No. 22—Henry Stumbo, John M. Bentley, George Stumbo, Lee P. Hall.

Bosco No. 23—Wayne Hall, C. G. Craft, Alonzo Patton, Woots Gearheart.

Garrett No. 24—Crit Conley, Lochie Scott, C. L. Slone, John Rose.

Wayland No. 25—Noble Hobbs, J. M. Turner, Hawk Moore, F. C. Collins.

Abbott No. 26—Homer Neecey, Wayne Ratliff, Elzie Prater, R. L. Spradlin.

Little Paint No. 27—J. S. Dingus, Tom Baldrige, Willie A. Music, John Wes Music.

Rough & Tough No. 28—Add Holbrook, Tom Stone, Henry Holbrook, Norman Holbrook.

Cliff No. 29—Wiley Warrick, D. B. Arnett, Dennis Warrick, Alex M. Spradlin.

Dwale No. 30—L. P. Laferty, Abe Tial, John Branham, J. J. Thomas.

Toler No. 31—Arthur Martin, John McKinney, Wilburn Hall, G. W. Meade.

Maytown No. 32—F. M. (P. D.) Allen, Ballard Martin, Jim Click, Troy Webb.

Lackey No. 33—Jim Daniels, Milford Conley, Branch Robinson, Squire Slone.

Ivel No. 34—Hubert Layne, Abe Rice, Ollie Caldwell, Jack Hall.

Jacks Creek No. 35—Frank Hatfield, Johnnie Jones, Tommie Hatfield, Marion Martin.

Drift No. 36—Homer Whitt, German Vance, Paris Martin, Levi Taylor.

Kennedy No. 37—Gus Blevins, Wallace Burchett, Dave Hale, Ballard Prater.

Burton No. 38—Charlie Newman, Perry Johnson, J. P. Jones, Gilford Hall.

Ligon No. 39—Joe Akers, Ed Stewart, Emit Tackett, Chas. Stewart.

Melvin No. 40—J. N. Newsom, Ed G. Gearheart, Brack Hall, J. N. Hall.

Adams, John Stephens, Dan Collins. Arkansas No. 42—Melvin Frasure, Seymour Samons, Elie Click, Bonnie Samons.

Kiser No. 43—C. E. Mink, Dock Ratliff, Banner Collins, Sam P. Dingus.

Lee Alley No. 44—John Martin, Lee Alley, Amos Akers, George Rogers.

Estill No. 45—Oscar Slone, J. S. Hampton, Jeff Crisp, Harrison Castle.

Northern No. 46—S. C. Allen, W. M. Hicks, Jackson Prater, Harry Cooley.

Prater No. 47—J. A. Howell, W. W. Akers, Murphy Jarrell, Charlie Hall.

Rock Fork No. 48—Bill Petry, O. K. Wallace, B. Hall, Gilbert Chafins.

Lee Hall, Jr., No. 49—Lee Hall, Jr., Gus Little, Charley Branham, Fred Hensley.

### INSPECTS NEW BUICK

Mayor A. C. Carter returned Tuesday from Cincinnati where he with other Buick dealers, he inspected the 1938 Buick. Many improvements have been made on the Buick, one being coil springing on the rear of the car as well as in the front. One of the new models will be on display next week, Mayor Carter said.

### Enters Eastern

Miss Carlos Hale left this week for Eastern State Teachers' College, where she is majoring in music. She will graduate this year. Miss Hale has been substituting as a teacher here for Mrs. Margaret Collins.

### Photographers Leave

Mr. and Mrs. V. Strahan, Louisville photographers, left this week for their home. They will return to Prestonsburg Monday.

### Doctor Here

Dr. J. H. Liebman returned to the staff of the Beaver Valley hospital Sunday.

### Enters Morehead

Miss Agatha Oppenheimer left Sunday morning to enter the Morehead State Teachers' College at Morehead, Ky.

### Go to Eastern

Misses Marguerite May and Eula Oppenheimer this week entered the Eastern State Normal and Teachers' College, Richmond.

### Spends Week in Louisville

Mrs. Bertha Walls spent last week in Louisville.

### Leaves for Vacation

D. C. Stephens left last week to spend his vacation in Texas. He will return here in about two weeks.

### Shops in Huntington

Mrs. J. A. Spradlin spent Friday in Huntington, shopping.

### In Mt. Sterling

J. H. Nuntery spent Tuesday in Mt. Sterling on business.

### LUMBER FOR SALE

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### WORK ON NUNNERY BUILDING IS BEGUN

Construction of an addition to the J. H. Nuntery store building on the corner of Third and Graham was begun a few days ago, plans providing for a two-story annex to the present structure which will be used to house a drygoods business. Mr. Nuntery also plans modernization of his grocery store, and will operate both businesses, it is said.

### MOVES TO NEW HOME

C. E. Oppenheimer, who recently

sold his residence on Third avenue to E. P. Arnold, this week moved into the property which he purchased from George Harris.

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# Personal Mention

### MRS. DYER IMPROVED

Floyd county friends of Mrs. Lena Dyer, daughter of Knott county sheriff John Sturgill, will be glad to learn that Mrs. Dyer is recovering nicely from a major operation at the Stumbo hospital.

### TUMOR REMOVED

Stumbo hospital surgeons this week removed a 16-pound tumor from Mrs. Leona Prater, wife of Dave Prater of Blue River. Mrs. Prater is recovering nicely.

### TAKEN TO HEALTH RESORT

Col. James Hatcher, owner of the Hatcher Hotel, Pikeville, was taken last week by ambulance to a Dillsboro, Ind., health resort. Mr. Hatcher, who has many relatives and friends in Floyd county, has been ill for several days.

### CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank all our friends who so kindly aided and comforted us in the bereavement of our dear wife, mother, and daughter, Mrs. Warner Willis.

Warner Willis and Family.

### LOSES FINGERS

Henry Gray, of West Prestonsburg, Kentucky West Virginia Gas Company employe, Monday sustained the loss of four fingers of his right hand. The accident took place when his hand was caught in a wire cable which was being pulled by a truck.

### Visits Here

Mr. and Mrs. Gwynne Ford, of Pikeville, visited here over the weekend.

### Returns to Annapolis

Carthel Smith returned this week to Annapolis, Md., where he is a midshipman in the Naval Academy, upon the conclusion of a visit with his father, C. H. Smith.

### Courthouse News

(Continued from page one) tist Church, Earl Bradley and Lillie Mullins; Fred Collins and Rucy Wells; Willie Tackett and Frances Howell.

### GUARDIAN BONDS

Cleve Isbell, guardian to Scott Isbell, age 11; Joseph Howell, guardian to Charley Watson, age 17.

### SENTENCES

The Floyd circuit court this week administered the following sentences and fines:

Buster Patton, breaking and entering storehouse, 1 year. Andrew Porter, assault and battery, \$100 and 10 days. Tom Hall, petit larceny, six months in the county jail. Rod Baker, drunkenness, \$20 and 10 days. Ed Merkley, driving an automobile while intoxicated, \$125. Esau Owens, driving an automobile while intoxicated, \$100. Flem Collins and Zora Whitaker, adultery and fornication, \$50 each.

### GRAND JURY

Major indictments were returned by the grand jury Monday and Tuesday against Mims Porter, Pharis Porter, Martha Porter, Ralph Porter and Lige Porter for wilful murder; Dingus Cole for wilful murder; Harley Conn, Trimble Correll, Johnnie Conn, Fred Conn and Buck Conn, for shooting and wounding; Bee Reynolds, Will Reynolds and Ed Clay, wilful murder. Twenty-seven other indictments made are for less serious offenses.

### 'Cats Lick Alumni

(Continued from page one) ling of the linemen all week and, with the general improvement of the whole team, Belfry should play Prestonsburg a fair game.

Williamson fans were highly pleased with the performance of the Pirates, as no penalty was inflicted upon them during the entire game with the Wolf-pack. By its tackling and fighting spirit under heavy odds, the eleven proved they have the making of a good team.

Coach Jenkins was a former teacher in Floyd county, having served as principal of the Glo graded school during 1934-5 and 1935-6. Many fans of Wayland and Glo are expected to attend the game.

### Week-End Wrecks

(Continued from page one) Miles Gibson, well-known drilling contractor, of Dema, suffered a broken thigh when he wrecked his automobile in a successful effort to avoid school children. Gibson was removed to the Stumbo Memorial hospital.

As the funeral procession for Orphase Friby, who was killed at Maytown, passed through Wayland, Sunday, a youth who was riding a bicycle was struck by one of the cars. He was taken to the Wayland hospital.

Ministers who officiated at the Friby funeral were the Rev. Bill Sparks, Wayland; Rev. Moore, Grayson, and Rev. Whittaker, Estill.

The deceased is survived by his mother, Vella, two brothers, Farrell and David, and one sister, Mrs. George Castle, of Wayland. His father preceded him in death eight years ago.

### Candidates File

(Continued from page one) Holcomb, D. C. Stephens, C. L. Hyden, Sam Hale, Price Huff and D. C. Childers; (Bee Hive ticket) Art Hager, S. L. Spradlin, J. M. Weddington, T. J. May, R. T. Allen and John Osborne, J. E. (Elder) Ball and W. C. Goble.

For Police Judge of Wayland—George W. Tufts, Rev. I. N. Ousley; for Wayland City Council—A. J. Yates, Martin Moore, Everett Wil-

liams, Revis Hobbs, Ben Whittaker, Jay Salyers, Ollie Holden, George Webb.

For Police Judge of Wheelwright—Ira Cantrill; for Town Trustees, Wheelwright—J. W. Bailey, George Billups, H. M. Wilkerson, Jack McCown, Lyman Jones.

For Police Judge of Allen—Theop Salmons, J. W. Laferty.

On Monday afternoon no candidate had registered at the office of County Clerk A. B. Meade for member of the County Board of Education, but several candidates are in the making. Would-be board members have until 15 days before the election to file.

Among the new candidates there is one independent candidate for jailer—Allen Click, of Weeksbury—and two independents, J. W. Lykens, of Hunter, and Luther B. Kiser, of Martin, for Magistrate in District 3. Press Singleton, of Wheelwright, filed Monday for constable in District 3, but was too late.

### Gunfire Kills Two

(Continued from page one) "The wreck had no bearing on the shooting."

After an investigation by Sheriff M. T. Stumbo, Commonwealth's Attorney O. C. Hall, and County Attorney Forrest D. Short, Mr. and Mrs. Pharis Porter and their 18-year-old son, Mims, who claimed he was in a Martin theatre at the time of the shooting, were arrested and brought to jail here in connection with the shooting. Also brought to jail was Mrs. Porter's 11-year-old daughter, who refused to be separated from her mother.

When questioned in jail here all of the Porter family denied that they knew who did it. The death-gun has not yet been found.

At the grand jury's investigation here Monday, indictments were returned against Mr. and Mrs. Porter and son, Mims, all charging wilful murder.

Prior to the investigation Marshal Laferty revealed the source of the shot which killed Warrix, saying that the shot came from the porch of the Porter home.

In the shooting at Ligon, following the death of Warrix, Bill Jones, Payne-Baber mine foreman, was shot six times with a pistol, for Floyd county's fifth murder within five weeks. The slayer is unknown.

Jones' body, riddled with bullets, was found near the bath-house in front of "Red" Johnson's home. Six wounds from the .38-calibre gun were found in the body, one in the heart.

Jones, a former deputy sheriff, is survived by a daughter and wife who said that her husband had only one known enemy. She refused to name the enemy, however.

After the inquest, Coroner Norris stated that she "couldn't reveal the names of suspects at present." She added that there were several witnesses, "afraid to talk," who would be summoned before the grand jury.

When brought before the grand jury here Monday, witnesses told County Attorney Forrest D. Short that they were afraid to talk, adding, "If you knew the truth, you wouldn't tell either."

But it was not until after repeated queries, and warnings from Circuit Judge Caudill, that sufficient evidence was supplied for the grand jury to indict Bee Reynolds, Will Reynolds and Ed Clay, all of Ligon, for wilful murder, in an indictment that also charged conspiracy, malice and forethought. It was revealed that there had been previous trouble between Bee Reynolds and the slain man.

### STEADY WORK—GOOD PAY

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### TWO YOUTHS WOUNDED BY SHOTGUN BLAST FROM WEEDED AMBUSH

A shotgun blast from the weeded roadside, Sunday, near Drift, on the Martin-Weeksbury highway, wounded Tom Conn, son of James Conn, Drift, and W. E. Stratton, of Ivel, who was visiting Conn. Conn and Stratton were driving on the highway in a truck when ambushed.

According to reports made to Deputy Sheriff O. H. Stumbo here, Stratton and Conn had been engaged in molasses making. Later their truck, parked on the roadside, needed gasoline. The men got into the

truck to drive to a filling station. En route they met a wagon, and an argument arose over who had the right-of-way. After going on and obtaining the gas, Conn and Stratton returned and were ambushed along the way. According to the report given here, the drivers of the wagon are suspected.

When taken to the Beaver Valley hospital to have their wounds dressed, doctors found 14 shotgun wounds about the face of Stratton and four about the face of Conn.

### Visit in Portsmouth

Mr. and Mrs. R. Taylor left Thursday morning for Portsmouth and Williamsburg, O., where they will spend a few days visiting relatives.

## NOTICE Gas Consumers

The gas will be cut off in Prestonsburg Sunday from 12 o'clock noon until about 6 p. m., on account of necessary repairs that must be made to the company's line. Please see that all gas is turned off in all your heaters, stoves, etc.

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### Ask Me Another A General Quiz

1. What are the seven natural wonders of the western world?
2. Where are the airplanes carried on the U. S. S. Lexington?
3. Since the word "sunset" is used, why is there no similar word, "moonset"?
4. How much more than gold is radium worth?
5. How should the width of the human ear compare with its length?
6. Is it correct to say, "I detoured my car"?

Answers

1. Niagara falls, Yellowstone park, Mammoth cave of Kentucky, Garden of the Gods, Giant trees of California, Yosemite valley and Natural bridge of Virginia. The Grand canyon is not usually included.
2. They are carried below the deck in the hangar. When the planes are ready to take off they are raised to the deck on elevators.
3. The word "moonset" is in good usage, but is not heard so often as sunset.
4. Radium is worth 25,000 times as much as gold.
5. An ear should be twice as long as it is wide.
6. No. The verb detour is intransitive and does not take an object. You can say, "I detoured in my car."

### Unbearable Suffering

I HAVE suffered much, but I am now fully convinced that no man has any right to grumble if he can be ill without experiencing the torture of feeling that if his illness continues for any length of time there will be poverty and inadequate education for the ones that he loves.

Be understanding with those who in their illness are haunted by fears for the future; seek to understand what it is that lies behind their complaining, and ask God to prevent you from being clumsy when you try to give them a message of hope.

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### Uncle Phil Says:

#### Unwanted Effect

Sometimes a soft answer can be so utterly soft as to loose one's wrath instead of turning it away.

People do not loosen up on the purse-strings until you reach their heart-strings.

Peace of mind and approximate happiness might perhaps be any man's who will live a well-nigh hermit life; but the poor chap hasn't the fortitude to do it.

#### Flattery vs. Spite Talk

All flattery is delivered with the idea of pleasing, which makes it superior to the kind of converse spread in the spirit of spite.

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## what Irwin S. Cobb thinks about:

### The Big Book Craze.

SANTA MONICA, CALIF.—We're promised a historical novel longer than any yet—say half a million words or so. Of course, the author probably uses some words at least twice, but that won't reduce the gross tonnage unless they're very short words.

I can't take it. While still convalescent from "Anthony Adverse," I was stricken down by "Gone With the Wind" and had such a relapse that even now I barely can hold on my stomach such comparatively light and trifling stuff as volume VET to ZYM of the encyclopedia.

When reading this modern bulk literature, it upsets me to find my legs going to sleep before I do. And the constant pressure makes callouses on my second mezzanine landing.

I admit these mass production books serve nicely as door stoppers and for pressing wild flowers. I also heard of a chap who detected a prowler under his window and dropped a frothy little work of fiction weighing slightly less than nine pounds on the back of the fellow's neck, dislocating three vertebrae. At last accounts, the surgeons were still picking long jagged chapters out of his spine.

In my present mood, what I crave is the romantic stuff of olden days, in which our sainted Aunt Sophie was wont to inscribe "Alas, how sad!" or "Only too true!" in pale violet ink on the margins. What happened to all the Aunt Sophies, anyhow?

### An Actor's Temperament.

WE'VE all been waiting for something to top it, but the best wheeze of the month remains the one that was emitted, not by a paid gagster, but by a simple stage-hand at one of the studios when Mr. Leslie Howard refused to go on making a picture until a group of distinguished visitors, including Mr. Charles Norris, the novelist, had been shooed off the set.

"He ain't sore at you gents," stated the stage-hand to the ousted parties, "but he's been playin' 'Hamlet' on the regular stage and he ain't used to havin' a crowd watchin' him while he's actin'."

If Mr. Norris and his friends wanted to see some really great acting they should have patronized the professional wrestling matches. That's where they put on the heavy dramatic stuff—beautifully rehearsed, perfectly done.

### Children's Education

I LIKE the way the wealthy classes in England rear their children. Little Rosemary doesn't recite for the company after dinner, and if Master Jones-Terwilliger Minor gets uppity at school, he gets thrashed.

Many a rich American has known how sharper than a serpent's tooth it is to see his daughter grow up a wanton and his boy turn out a wastrel. Yet, with few exceptions—so few that the newspapers comment on them—it never seems to occur to these fond fathers that less of coddling and pampering and spoiling in adolescence and more of wholesome discipline might produce a higher average grade of heirs.

What set me to thinking along this line was being t'other night at a party where a poor little four-year-old, having already the pitiable assurance of a veteran prima donna, was fetched in to give impersonations. She never again could impersonate natural babyhood though, more's the pity! And her pert small brother was encouraged to dominate the talk.

Mark my word for it, that kid is going to come to no good end—not even a well-spanked end, which would help.

### Mr. Pincus' Coup.

IN THESE topsy-turvy times liberal-minded patriots who are striving to steer a middle course between ultraenthusiastic left-wingers and ultraconservative rightists might do well, methinks, to follow the example set by Mr. Pincus.

Mr. Pincus had opened a clothing store. Immediately on one side of him was the clothing store of Mr. Ginsberg and immediately on the other side was the clothing store of Mr. Dreifus; and three clothing stores in a row were too many even for Essex street.

So the adjacent competitors framed a plot to put the newcomer out of business. Next morning their rival, coming down to open up, found over Mr. Dreifus' establishment a flaming legend, to wit:

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And above Mr. Ginsberg's door was this equally prominent announcement:

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## When King George Received the Big News from America

Samuel Morse, inventor of the electric telegraph, had only one ambition as a young man and that was to become an artist. He studied under Washington Allston, then the greatest painter in the United States, and with Allston went to London in 1811. There he met Benjamin West who, although an American, was president of the Royal academy, and a great favorite with the king, who later made him Sir Benjamin West.

West was actually at work on a portrait of the king when the latter was handed the Declaration of Independence. Morse heard the piquant story from West himself. Says Ernest Greenwood in "From Amber to Amperes." Here it is—

as related by Morse:  
Turning to the picture of the king, Sir Benjamin West said:  
"Do you see that picture, Mr. Morse? Well, sir, the king was sitting for me when the box containing the American Declaration of Independence was handed to him."

"Indeed!" I answered, "and

what appeared to be the emotion of the king? What did he say?"  
"Well, sir," said West, "he made a reply characteristic of the goodness of his heart," or words to that effect. "Well," he said, "if they can be happier under the government they have chosen, then under mine, I shall be happy!"

Morse stayed four years in England where he achieved considerable success as a portrait painter. Then returning to his native country, he afterwards became president of the national academy and an eminently successful painter, his sitters becoming so numerous that he was unable to meet and fill all of his orders. It was during his return voyage to America in 1832, following a second visit to Europe, that Morse got his conception of the telegraph. Twelve years later—May 24, 1844—he gave a public demonstration of his invention, sending a message from Washington to Baltimore.

The rest is well known history.—Kansas City Star.



Irwin S. Cobb

### The Scales

WHAT goes up must come down. Or if you wish to put it in more scientific language: Action is equal to reaction and in the contrary direction.

This is the law of compensation. It is the one fixed, immutable law of life and it applies to everything, everywhere. It cannot be evaded or avoided. The working of it may be immediate or it may be a matter of centuries, but if we keep ourselves aware of it we may be saved disappointment and disillusion.

The extent to which we try to restrict that law is absurd. We speak of balanced budgets, balanced rations, and the balance of trade; but we quite ignore balanced lives and balanced sociology; so, in the end, Nature takes the job off our hands, with the consequent upheavals and disturbances.

We work or play to excess, we indulge our appetites and our senses to repletion, perhaps to gluttony, and when we suffer during Nature's work of restoring balance, we rail at fate.

In monarchy and republic we allow our thirst for power and for money to overbalance our lives, both individually and socially, then blame God and man for the chaos which attends the restoration of balance.

In all the affairs of life we may evolve philosophies and devise systems; but just so long as they are out of balance, individually, socially, industrially or governmentally, just so long will the scale teeter up and down to our discomfort.

If as individuals our lives are out of balance, the structure as a whole must also be out of balance; and in time that balance must be restored—by us or by THOSE WHO FOLLOW.—Ray S. Ayers in Detroit News.

### A Worthy Object

WILL power is the mental experience exercised in bringing about a desired end. Therefore, I say that a man must necessarily have a worthy object in view to bring out the best in him—that a man must see more than a salary to be more than a salaried man. A man must see the position of ownership, partnership, management, or increased award, in order to awaken his will power.

The man who does good to another does even more good to himself.

### Funster Ought to Have Recognized His Fellow

Jones de Vere Jones decided it would be fun to spend a day in the country. Back to Nature, and all that.

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Then he noticed a scarecrow in the middle of the field.

"And is that one of the oldest inhabitants?" he went on, pointing to the scarecrow.

"Naw, zur," came the slow reply. "That be no oldest 'habitant. Just a visitor like yourself."

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**COMMISSIONER'S SALE**

**FLOYD CIRCUIT COURT**

OLGA LATTA Plaintiff  
vs.—NOTICE OF SALE  
C. B. LATTA Defendant

By virtue of a judgment and order of sale of the Floyd Circuit Court rendered and entered at the September term, 1937, in the above-styled cause, I shall proceed to offer for sale at the courthouse door in Prestonsburg, Kentucky, to the highest and best bidder, at public auction, on Monday, the 4th day of October, 1937, at 1 o'clock p. m., same being the first day of the regular term of the Floyd Circuit Court, upon a credit of three months, the following described property, to-wit:

Certificate No. 10 for 40 shares of stock in the Prestonsburg Publishing Company.

Certificate No. 11 for 5 shares of stock in the Prestonsburg Publishing Company.

Certificate No. 15 for 2 1/2 shares of stock in the Prestonsburg Publishing Company.

The par value of each of said shares of stock being \$100.00, and the total par value of the amount of stock to be offered totaling \$4,750.00. Or a sufficiency thereof to produce the amount ordered to be made, amounting to \$5,000.00, and the further sum of \$100.00 probable costs to date of sale.

For the purchase price the purchaser must execute bond with approved surety or sureties, bearing legal interest from the day of sale until paid and having the force and effect of a judgment with a lien retained upon said property as a further security. Bidders will be prepared to comply promptly with these terms.

Given under my hand this the 15th day of September, 1937.  
J. D. BOND  
Master Commissioner  
Floyd Circuit Court.  
Advertising cost \$13.50

**COMMISSIONER'S SALE**

**FLOYD CIRCUIT COURT**

NORA CASALE Plaintiff  
vs.—NOTICE OF SALE  
James Hughes Defendant

By virtue of a judgment and order of sale of the Floyd Circuit Court rendered and entered at the February term, 1937, in the above-styled cause, I shall proceed to offer for sale at the courthouse door in Prestonsburg, Kentucky, to the highest and best bidder, at public auction, on the 4th day of October, 1937, at 1 o'clock, p. m., same being the first day of the regular term of the Floyd county court, upon a credit of 6 and 12 months, the following described property, to-wit:

All the rights, title and interest in two parcels of land bounded as follows:

On the north by Willie Allen and M. Whittaker; east and south by Willie Allen and west by J. M. Whittaker, containing 20 acres, more or less, being the same lands conveyed in two deeds to Jim Hughes, one by Wm. Huff, dated September 18, 1926, recorded in deed book 75 at page ..... and from J. H. Allen and wife to Jim Hughes dated 11th day of July, 1922, recorded in deed book 62 at page 623, Floyd county court clerk's office.

Or a sufficiency thereof to produce the amount of \$2,500.00 with interest thereon from February 2, 1937, and the further sum of \$125.00 probable costs.

For the purchase price the purchaser must execute bond with approved surety or sureties, bearing legal interest from the day of sale until paid and having the force and effect of a judgment with a lien retained upon said property as a further security. Bidders will be prepared to comply promptly with these terms.

Given under my hand this 6th day of September, 1937.  
J. D. BOND  
Master Commissioner  
Floyd Circuit Court.  
Advertising cost \$13.50

**NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS TO BID**

The undersigned, Forrest D. Short as County Attorney of Floyd county is authorized by virtue of an order of the Fiscal Court of Floyd county, entered at its special session held in the courthouse in the city of Prestonsburg, Floyd county, Kentucky, on Tuesday, September 7, 1937, to ad-

vertise for bids for the construction of two fills and two approaches to the Banner bridge, located at or near Banner, Floyd county, Kentucky, according to plans, specifications and details which will be furnished on request by W. C. Rimmer, Architect and Engineer, Prestonsburg, Ky.

All bids must be sealed and filed with A. B. Meade, Clerk of the Floyd County Court on or before 12 o'clock noon on Tuesday, October 5, 1937.

The successful bidder will be required to execute fidelity bond, or personal bond, with surety, approved by the Fiscal Court of Floyd county for the faithful performance of his contract. The contractors will be required to carry compensation insurance upon employees working upon said approaches and fills.

By virtue of an order of the fiscal court entered at the time and place and on the date above mentioned, I am further authorized to advertise for bids for labor and materials in creosoting floors and all other wood works and braces used in the above named and described bridge; said floors to be creosoted both underneath and on top.

Bids may be submitted by filing with A. B. Meade, clerk of the Floyd county court on or before Oct. 5, 1937 at 12 o'clock on said day, at which time bids will be opened and contracts awarded.

Bids on the two propositions above named must be submitted in separate bids.

The Fiscal Court reserves the right to reject any and all bids. The bids will be opened and contract awarded by the Fiscal Court of Floyd county at 1 o'clock p. m. on Tuesday, October 5, 1937, unless all bids are rejected by the court.

Given under my hand this the 14th day of September, 1937.  
FORREST D. SHORT,  
County Attorney,  
Floyd County, Kentucky.

**NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS TO BUILD**

I am authorized by order of the Fiscal Court of Floyd county, Kentucky, by order entered at its Special Session held at the courthouse in the city of Prestonsburg, Kentucky, on Tuesday, September 7, 1937, to advertise for bids for the construction of a new addition to the Floyd county courthouse. Said structure to consist of 13 rooms and to be constructed of brick and tile. All bids must cover material and construction, which must be according to plans submitted.

Plans and specifications of said building will be available at the office of Town Hall, Superintendent of Floyd county schools, or at the office of Archer & Dean, Architects, Huntington, West Virginia.

All bids must be sealed and filed with A. B. Meade, Clerk of the Floyd County Court on or before Tuesday, October 5, 1937, at 11 o'clock a. m., on said date. Said bids will be opened and contract awarded to lowest and best bidder by the Fiscal Court of Floyd county on Tuesday, October 5, 1937 at the hour of 1 o'clock p. m., on said day.

The successful bidder will be required to execute a fidelity bond, in a penal sum to be determined by the court, for the faithful performance of said contract. Contractors will be required, by contract with the fiscal court, to carry compensation insurance on all employees working on said building.

The Fiscal Court of Floyd County reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

Given under my hand this the 14th day of September, 1937.  
FORREST D. SHORT,  
County Attorney,  
Floyd County, Kentucky

**COMMISSIONER'S SALE**

**FLOYD CIRCUIT COURT**

E. H. HALL Plaintiff  
vs.—NOTICE OF SALE  
ALBERT HALL AND  
LUCRETIA HALL Defendants

By virtue of a judgment and order of sale of the Floyd Circuit Court rendered and entered at the February term, 1935, in the above styled cause, I shall proceed to offer for sale at the courthouse door in Prestonsburg, Kentucky, to the highest and best bidder, at public auction, on the 4th day of October, 1937, at 1 o'clock, p. m., same being the first day of the regular term of the Floyd County Court, upon a credit of six months, the following described property, to-wit:

Lying and being in Floyd county,

Ky., and more particularly described as follows:

Being a part of the Hall Coal Company plat and bounded as follows: Beginning at a stake on the railroad right-of-way, N 25 W 50 feet to a stake; S 2 W 155 feet to a stake on the creek bank thence up same S 25 E 50 feet to a stake; thence N 72 E 155 feet to a stake on the railroad right-of-way; thence with same to the beginning.

Or a sufficiency thereof to produce the amount ordered to be made, amounting to \$275.40, and the further sum or \$125.00 probable costs to date of sale.

For the purchase price the purchaser must execute bond with approved surety or sureties, bearing legal interest from the day of sale until paid and having the force and effect of a judgment with a lien retained upon said property as a further security. Bidders will be prepared to comply promptly with these terms.

Given under my hand, this 13th day of September 1937.

J. D. BOND,  
Master Commissioner  
Floyd Circuit Court.  
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**UTILITIES STIFFEN RATE CUT BATTLE**

**Power Company in This Section Reported Threatening Court Battle**

(By J. Howard Henderson)  
(The Courier-Journal)

Frankfort, Ky., Sept. 18.—Utility companies are stiffening their fight against rate regulation by the Public Service Commission, and some, even, are beginning to deny the state has any right to fix rates that can be charged consumers.

This is in strange contrast with the eagerness of the utilities four years ago to create a state regulatory commission. Then the companies sought to strangle any tie-up of separate Kentucky communities with T. V. A., and likewise to prevent any rate reduction by cities and towns of the state.

To that end the utilities joined together, almost without exception, to promote state regulation legislation. With a state law that they had a big hand in writing, and a commission satisfactory to them, the utilities were in a fair way of preventing reduction of rates through all of Kentucky.

The Chandler-Rhea fight for the Democratic nomination upset their plans. Rhea, scheduled to win, was defeated, and in 1933 the Chandler commission got about extensive rate investigations. Through all of last year and half of this, the commission was able to effect rate reductions without litigation.

But recently the Kentucky Natural Gas Company, which sells wholesale to the Owensboro Gas Company, rushed to federal court to deny the jurisdiction of the state commission over its operations. And the Owensboro Gas Company was in Frankfort this week to resist an order of the commission for substantial reduction in consumer bills at Owensboro.

Meanwhile, the Kentucky-West Virginia Power Company this week resisted efforts of the commission to reduce rates in its territory throughout Northeastern Kentucky. Its insistence bore heavy indication that the company was ready to go to the courts to keep from lowering the rates, if that step became necessary.

Possibly this stiffening resistance of the company was back of the commission's decision this week to hurry to Knoxville for a conference with T. V. A. officials. Chairman J. C. W. Beckham, Commissioner T. B. McGregor and James W. Cammack, and J. A. Krug, chief of its technical staff, left Frankfort Thursday morning for Knoxville, where they were in conference with T. V. A. officials.

In the meantime, the commission has started proceedings that will strike at the root of one of the serious problems it faces. It will seek to require all utility companies in Kentucky to keep a perpetual inventory of all its properties.

The commission came across a unique situation this week. The Kentucky-West Virginia Company is a subsidiary of the Appalachian Power Company. The commission had documentary evidence before it that the value of the Appalachian Power Company and the Kentucky-West Virginia Power Company had been written up. In other words, that the stock had been watered.

Previously the president of one of the parent companies of the Appalachian and the Kentucky-West Vir-

ginia Company had testified that the stock had been watered. Federal authorities had uncovered a communication from the power company to the Kentucky State Tax Commission stating that although the book value of the Kentucky-West Virginia Company was above \$12,000,000 its actual value was several millions less. This communication explained that there had been a write-up in the value of the stock.

This week N. M. Argabrite, vice-president of the Kentucky-West Virginia Power Company, testified before the Kentucky commission that the stock had not been watered and there had been no write-up in its value. He testified that the testimony of the president of the company given to federal authorities had been incorrect.

If the Kentucky-West Virginia Company succeeds in having its present contention put into the record unquestioned, the Kentucky Commission will be forced to go through a long and tedious investigation before it can procure for Eastern Kentucky consumers any reduction in their electric bills.

It would have been a relatively simple matter to establish whether the stock of the companies had been watered if the records and books of the companies were in existence, but Mr. Argabrite testified before the Kentucky Commission, as one of his superior officers had previously testified before a federal investigation, that the records and books of the various predecessor companies out of which the Kentucky-West Virginia and the Appalachian Company were formed, had been destroyed.

Mr. Argabrite's story as unfolded to the Kentucky Commission that the manager of the company discovered several years ago that the records stored in the vault of a building not otherwise used by the company had been removed from the vault by company workmen who took the door from the vault to put it on a new company vault in another vault in Charleston, W. Va. The books and records had been left on the floor—the second floor—of the building.

The manager visited the building one day to show it to a prospective customer and discovered that the roof had caved in and according to Mr. Argabrite, the books, still on the second floor, were covered with "soot and manure."

These deposits had gotten onto the books and, combined with water, had rendered the books illegible, Mr. Argabrite said. Fearful that the weight of the books would cause the floor to cave in, as the roof had already done, the manager had all the records and books carted away and burned, Mr. Argabrite testified.

This closed the door to the inquiry into the amount of watered stock in the Kentucky-West Virginia Company. But the commission is still wondering how one element mentioned by Mr. Argabrite got on the records stored on the second floor of an unoccupied office building.

**Property Cannot Sell For The Price of Improvements; That Is Why I Know These Price 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.

5-room house in Louisa; modern, on paved street. Price is right and the property will sell. Terms.

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**THE FARM AND HOME**

(Kentucky Agricultural Experiment Station)  
A farm water system should have a capacity of 35 gallons per person, 15 gallons per horse, 15 gallons per cow, 2 gallons per hog, 2 gallons per sheep and 5 gallons per 100 chickens.

Sheep will eat about half an ounce of salt daily per head. Many good sheep raisers keep loose barrel salt before them, usually in a long box in a barn or shed where it is protected from rain.

Two few convenient outlets is a mistake often made in wiring houses. Three or four base receptacles in every room are none too many. Plans should include sufficient outlet for lights and all types of appliances.

Dry mash mixture for laying hens, recommended by the Kentucky College of Agriculture: shipstuff or mixed wheat feed, 300 pounds; ground corn, 100 pounds; meat scrap or tank-age, 100 pounds; salt, 5 pounds.

Rice cooked in milk, or in a mixture of half milk and half water, has

"warm" vegetables. Vegetables tend to rot following sweating.

A pocket knife or pruning shears are used by most farmers to trip the feet of sheep. Feet should be examined three or four times a year. This can be done best when sheep are corralled for shearing, drenching or culling.

Next to falls, burns cause most of the accidents in homes. Outstanding sources of burns include starting fires with kerosene or gasoline, carelessness in handling boiling water, a creamy consistency, a pleasing, delicate flavor and a higher food value than when cooked in water alone. Combined with fruits, spices or chopped nuts, it makes a good dessert.

Storage places for vegetables require ventilation. It is especially important for "cool" vegetables in the fall, and to prevent sweating of open grate fires, inflammable cleaning fluids, and the careless use of matches.

Reed's canary grass is being tried with some success in Union and adjoining counties in Kentucky for pasture and hay on wet land. Kinds of grass to sow, grazing and management of bottom land pastures must be varied to suit individual conditions.

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Alan Baxter. Comedy.

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**"MAKE A WISH"**

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TUES.-WED.

**"SHIEK STEPS OUT"**

Ramon Novarro and Lola Lane.

THURSDAY—

**"WILD MONEY"**

Edward Everett Horton. News and Comedy.

Coming Saturday, OCT. 2—Gene Autrey in

**"PUBLIC COWBOY NO. 1"**

## Floyd Judging Team 6th Among 23 Teams At Kentucky's Fair

Competing with 23 teams, entered in the poultry judging contest for 4-H club teams at the State Fair in Louisville last week, the Floyd county team composed of Betsy Layne youths Corsie Kidd, Carl Robinsonette and Joe Archer Clarke, placed sixth. In the individual competition among 69 boys in the judging event, Corgie Kidd placed twelfth.

The team was accompanied to the fair by County Agent S. L. Isbell, under whose tutelage Floyd county 4-H clubs within recent years have made exceptionally fine records at both state fairs and the annual 4-H club Junior Weeks in Lexington.

In addition to the team members above, Thomas Clarke May and Herman Osborne are alternates. The team roster also includes Vernon Clarke, who assisted Agent Isbell in training the lads for the stiff competition at the fair.

Among other Floyd countians who attended the fair were Mrs. S. L. Isbell, Mrs. Mary Spears Hatcher, and Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Fitzpatrick.

## ANDY MITCHELL KILLED BY TRAIN WHILE LYING ON R. R. AT CLEAR CREEK

Struck by a train as he lay on the railroad tracks near Clear Creek Junction Sunday morning, Andy Mitchell, 41, miner for the Payne-Baber Coal Company, suffered injuries that resulted in his death two days later at the Beaver Valley hospital in Martin.

The train, driven by engineer Ben Norris, was unable to stop, the engine traveling 10 car-lengths past Mitchell's body. The tragedy occurred at the Clear Creek curve near the water tank.

Funeral services were held at Beaver Wednesday. The Arnold funeral home was in charge of the burial rites.

## SHOOTS SELF ACCIDENTALLY

Frank Justice, negro, Tram, accidentally shot himself with a .45-calibre pistol, Monday, which dropped out of his car at Tram. The bullet entered his left knee and went into his right shoulder. It was removed at the Stumbo Memorial hospital.

## MEMORIAL SERVICES

Memorial services will be conducted by various ministers for A. J. Allen, known as "General Jack," his son, R. S. (Sage) Allen, and the wife of the latter, Nellie Allen, at the family cemetery at Hueysville, mouth of Salt Lick Creek, on the first Saturday and Sunday, October 2 and 3. The only two surviving comrades of General Jack during the war between the states, Uncle Jeff Sizemore and John P. Meade, will attend this memorial service in honor of their deceased comrade.

"Preacher Sage," as he was known, and his wife died several years ago, and hundreds of his church brethren and friends have announced their intention of attending this funeral. The children, brothers and sisters, grandchildren and many friends of these deceased have announced their willingness to accept as guests and entertain any and all of the many friends who may care to attend.

## REVIVAL SCHEDULED

A revival meeting in the near future will be held in the Baptist Church at Porter Jct. at Garrett. Lumber is now being taken from the Beaver Creek bridge to be used for seats, as the Floyd fiscal court recently ordered that the bridge be repaired.

## HI-TIMES STAFF NAMED

The editorial staff of the "Hi-Times," Prestonsburg's high school's mimeographed, twice-a-month publication, was named last week, preparatory to printing the first issue.

Dick Dickerson was named editor; Margaret Stephens, society editor; Ann Allen, business manager; Dick Mayo, sports editor; Sue Martha Ransdell, literary editor; Floyd Warrick, joke editor; Russell Rice, art editor; Russell May, advertising artist; Linda Lynch and Texas Hamilton, reporters; P. D. Clark and James Spurlock, printers; and Virginia Murrill, faculty editor.

## A Tooth For Janice

Probably the first baby ever born in Johnson county with part of its teething already done, is Janice Lee Jones. She was ushered into the world Thursday by Paintsville hospital physicians through a Caesarian operation. The child has one tooth through and another almost through. The baby weighed seven and a half pounds. The mother, Mrs. Virginia Jones, 21, of Wayland, Ky., is getting along nicely.—Paintsville Herald.

## VISITATION DAY TO BE OBSERVED HERE

### Presbyterian Church Plans for Novel, Significant Program

Important days in the work of the local Presbyterian Church are being observed this Sunday, September 26, and the subsequent Sunday, October 3, in line with a nationwide program of the Presbyterian Church, United States of America.

The coming Sunday is to be observed as Church Visitation Day, with teachers from the Sunday church school and others visiting in the homes of members of the church. A sermon appropriate to the visitations is to be preached at the morning worship hour by Robert A. Potter, minister. E. E. Clark is chairman of the visitation committee.

Two significant programs in the life of the Presbyterian church are to be observed October 3. At the Sunday School hour, 9:45 o'clock, Rally Day will be celebrated. An attendance goal of 125 was set by the Sunday church school last Sunday, in an effort to go beyond the modern record of 120.

A short program, "Marching Forward," under the direction of Mrs. Everett H. Sowards, superintendent, is to be given by Sunday School pupils.

At the morning church hour on the same day a world-wide communion service is to be held. Presbyterians observed the day last year. This year the world-wide sacrament is especially fitting, for it is the hundredth anniversary of the foreign mission movement of the Presbyterian church U. S. A. Two million Presbyterians in America, and thousands of the church in mission lands are invited to these services being held on the day throughout the world.

Members of the church in Prestonsburg are urged to gather at the church on this occasion for communion with the living Christ and with one another.

## ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION OF LOCAL CITIZENS IS PLANNED FOR P'BURG

At a meeting of local citizens interested in Prestonsburg high school and the future of athletics in the school, plans were laid Tuesday evening for the organization of a permanent athletic association here.

The association is being formed in order to stimulate interest in athletics, to work for the progress of the school generally and to provide transportation for the athletes who live out of town and who cannot return home by school bus because of late practice periods.

A membership drive will be started this week, it was announced, with a goal of 50 members before a permanent organization is effected. Approximately 20 persons attended Tuesday evening's meeting.

## City of Prestonsburg Must Pay \$18,000 To People's State Bank

A new entry was made in the long record of the City of Prestonsburg's litigation with the People's State Bank of Frankfort Saturday when an order of the Floyd circuit court directed that the bank recover from the city a total of \$18,000 with interest on Prestonsburg bonds purchased by the banking institution.

The court held that the bank has 36 \$500 bonds on the town dated August 1, 1921 and 8 bonds of the same denomination, dated Sept. 1, 1923, all of which are unpaid. The case remains on the docket for further adjudication on questions not decided in the opinion.

The suit has been in the courts for some time and was returned here for another hearing by the Court of Appeals.

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**"STEP LIVELY, JEEVES"**

Arthur Treacher, Patricia Ellis. Serial and Comedy.

SATURDAY—

**"BLACK ACE"**

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Saturday night at 10 p. m.—

**"Sing And Be Happy"**

Anthony Martin, Dixie Dunbar.

SUNDAY AND MONDAY—

**"SLIM"**

Pat O'Brien, Henry Fonda. News and Comedy.

TUES. and WED.

**"WHEN THIEF MEETS THIEF"**

Douglas Fairbanks, Jr., V. Hobson.

THURSDAY

**THEY MET IN A TAXI**

Chester Morris and Fay Wray.

## Town-World

(Continued from page one)  
streets. After a few sidewalks are constructed "yon-side of the river," West Prestonsburg, will look her finest.

## SQUABBLES

For long years Floyd's citizenry have waged a fight for the completion of Left Beaver roads. It seems strange now that the highway department is ready to start work, that two or three Left Beaverites should seek court injunctions over petty details that will delay the greatest improvement ever attempted in this part of the county. Floyd countians have fought shoulder to shoulder for a common purpose—let's continue to do so.

## WHO CARES

The sun, our nearest star, is so far from the world that if the world's best driver in the world's best automobile, began driving at 60 miles an hour on a straight road to the sun, he would have to continue that speed day and night until about 1949—12 years hence—before reaching the sun.

## WOE, WOE, WHOA!

The following, which is taken from a weekly newspaper issued in Florida during the land boom, speaks for itself—perhaps too much. With the forgotten author's profuse apologies, the piece is entitled, "Woe Is Kentucky."

Man born in the wilds of Kentucky is of feud days and full of benzine. He fiddlith, fisheth, fussedeth, and fighteth all the days of his life.

He riseth up from the cradle to seek the scalp of his grandsire's enemy and taketh home in his carcass the ammunition of his wife's uncle's brother's cousin's father-in-law, who avengeth the dead.

When he desireth to raise hell, he planteth a neighbor, and lo, he reapeth fourfold.

Yea, verily, his life is uncertain; and he knoweth not the hour he may be jerked hence.

He goeth forth on a journey half-shot and cometh home on a shutter all-shot.

He riseth in the night-time to let the cat out and it takes nine doctors three days to pick the buckshot from his person.

He goeth forth in joy and gladness and cometh back in scraps and fragments.

He calleth his fellowman a liar and getteth himself filled with scrap-iron—even unto the fourth generation.

A cyclone bloweth him into the house of his neighbor's wife and his neighbor's wife's husband bloweth him into the bosom of Abraham before he hath time to explain.

He emptieth a demijohn into himself and a shotgun into his enemy and his enemy's son keth in wait on election day and lo, the coroner ploweth up a forty-acre field to find

the remains of that man.

Woe, woe, is Kentucky!  
Selah, whoa, and so much for that!

## ALL-STATE

Regardless of how the local football heroes play in their Belfry opener here Saturday, we expect great things from husky all-conference Jim Dotson when the Blackcats journey to Louisville to tackle the mighty warriors of St. X. the following Saturday. Dotson gained honorable mention last year on several all-state selections, and by playing bang-up ball in the St. X. game, the publicity that will result from the Louisville newspapers will do much toward assuring him of an all-state berth this year.

## HIGHWAYS—

Sometimes we wonder if highways in our part of the state should not only be divided by a white line down the center, but have a different colored line in the center of each driver's lane as well. It might psychologically persuade autoists to stay in their own driving lanes on curving hillside roads.

## PHILOSOPHY

The shortest and most complete philosophy of life we ever read was Johnson's statement, "Big bugs have little bugs that bite 'em; and so on, ad infinitum." If readers pause to realize that much more than half the human race dies from the bite of little bugs (germs) an inkling of the far-reaching meaning of Johnson's humorous words will be realized.

## Zeolites

Zeolites, useful in water treatment and other industrial operations, can be made synthetically, says the American Chemical society.

## BOB NEWSOME SLAIN AT VIRGIE SUNDAY; SHOTGUN IS WEAPON

Bob Newsome, 30, of Virgie, well-known in Floyd county, was shot in the head with a shotgun fired at close range Sunday, at Virgie. Coroner John W. Call, of Pikeville, said that officers were seeking John Wright, of near Virgie, in connection with the shooting.

Officials said that Newsome had been acquitted of murder charges twice within the past five years, but did not reveal if they believed the slaying charges had anything to do with this killing.

## Twins Born By Caesarean Operation Six Weeks Ago, Succumb Within An Hour

The twin sons of Mr. and Mrs. John H. Ramey, who were born by Caesarean operation six weeks ago died within an hour Friday from an intestinal disorder.

Burial was made in the Baldridge cemetery. Among those attending the funeral were Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Daniels, Millstone, Ky., Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Hunt, Emma, Ky., Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Stapleton, of Paintsville.

## HARLOWE NAMED TO DENTAL COLLEGE POST

Dr. J. C. Harlowe, who with Mrs. Harlowe was a recent guest here of his parents, Rev. and Mrs. A. C. Harlowe, has been named to a chair in the College of Dentistry, University of Louisville. He resigned an important position with the dental clinic of General Hospital, Louisville, in order to accept this appointment.

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