

FLOYD STUDENTS SAFE AS SCORES DROWN IN STATE

Rowan, Breathitt County Death Toll in Flood Disaster Mounts

ROWAN BY NIGHT STRIKES MOUNTAINS

Continues for Missing Persons; 100 May Be Drowned

Although a number of Floyd county students are attending summer classes at the Morehead State Normal, many of friends and relatives for their safety were allayed Thursday as word came that all students are safe.

After a day spent in the celebration of July 4, residents of Rowan and Breathitt counties were trapped in homes by a "flash flood" which, an observer said, was more like an ocean than that of a flood.

Impaging Triplett Creek skirting town of Morehead within a few feet rose eight feet, then pushed unprecedented levels.

Rowan county's loss threatens to be that of Rowan, however, as recollections in telling of further loss.

There, Frozen Creek, near a henned in between the hills, scoured as a wall of water 20 to 30 feet higher than some houses in Rowan valley.

Identified dead are: Mary Frances Salyers, 25, and three children: Ivan Eugene, 8, Carl, 6, and Alberta Mae, 3.

Elmer Sparkman, 9, his brother Edwin, 6, and Bobby Eymouths and his sister, Thelma, 4.

Minerva Boggess, 77, Porter, 40, and wife, 45, Mahala Mae Ratliff, 49, and son, 8.

Minnie Carter, 36, and son, Bays Carter, 11.

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as Town-- That World

"JERN" LOCATION did not say if the place is for rent or hire--yet he seems to be something, if his ad, which follows "as advertised":

est business stand on the Trail. Old established place bootleg liquor and short-order restaurant. Three-year lease \$100. See John S. Layne" (you out the address).

TH OF JULY NOTES seeing the wrestling match July 4, we still say that the best are not in Hollywood--and that Knutson can out-wardt the immortal Sarah . . . it was a good show. You have paid good, hard money we seen much worse . . . Proof boys were good Thespians in the fact that one drunk who ne hardware handy had a mind ver of a mind he still had) to down on Ras-ol'-boy. "It's a ty-blank shame for a white to be treated thataway." was the opinion of the crowd . . . The who climbed into the ring and need that he was a parachute er, would, just as soon as he arrived, leap from a height of feet--well, he seemed to

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JONATHAN HICKS, 72, IS CLAIMED BY DEATH

Jonathan Hicks, 72 years old, well-known Middle Creek man, died at his home recently following a protracted illness.

Surviving him are one brother and one sister, Prof. Joe Hicks, Orange, Texas, and Mrs. Dorta Risner, Ashland; and the following sons and daughters: Arthur, Alice, Patrick, Joseph, Henry, Woodrow, Jamie and Dixie Hicks.

Funeral rites were conducted by the Revs. G. R. Fannin, Steve Whitaker, Willie Whitaker and Dan Reffitt. Burial was made in the Hicks cemetery near the home.

BUSES PURCHASED BY COUNTY BOARD

At Board Meeting Saturday; Teachers Meet Wednesday

The Floyd County Board of Education, in an all-day session Saturday, purchased two new 70-passenger school buses, at a cost of approximately \$5,000, which will be placed on the Left Beaver circuits.

At the same session, the board paid the first installment of the two twelve-room school buildings at Maytown and Martin, and authorized County Superintendent Town Hall to receive competitive bids on 400 seats, a new one-room building on Skull Fork, above Weeksbury, and a one-room building for colored pupils at Wayland. Heretofore, these pupils have been accommodated in a rented building.

The board approved the minutes of the previous meeting, at which teachers for the coming year were hired, and voted to give one-fifth of the insurance on county school buildings and property to Joe Jarrell. This insurance is now shared by five different agencies.

The all-day teachers' meeting held

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WPA WILL MARK GRAVES OF VETS

Floyd Post, American Legion Sponsors Project in County

Graves of all veterans of American Wars in Floyd county are to be suitably marked and their locations recorded in permanent files under a statewide WPA project which is being sponsored in this county by Floyd Post, 129, American Legion, W. G. Africa, adjutant of the post, announced this week. Waid Cross is commander of Floyd Post.

Work of locating the graves of all veterans of past wars is to be started immediately and data on the soldiers will be sent to Frankfort. Later, these records will be placed in permanent files to be preserved at the courthouse here, and markers will be placed on each grave.

Veterans on relief rolls will be assigned to make the survey. Four people are already employed in the work, and others are to be added later.

Adj. Africa requests that all persons knowing where veterans of the Revolutionary War, the War of 1812, the Mexican War, the Civil War, the Indian Wars, the Spanish-American War and the World War, are buried to supply the information to him in order that no veteran's grave will be overlooked.

SEPTICEMIA CLAIMS MRS. PEARLIE PRATER

Mrs. Pearl Prater, 31, wife of Ballard Prater, of Alphoretta, succumbed to septicemia at her home last Thursday.

Besides her husband, she is survived by her father, Arch Prater, of Middle Creek. Seven small children preceded her in death.

Funeral services were conducted from the home Friday, and burial was made at Alphoretta, under the direction of the Ryan Funeral Home.

Crowd Estimated At 5,000 Attend 'Fourth' Celebration

Wrestling Match, Parachute Jump, Contests Supply Full Entertainment Bill During Day--Ideal Weather Prevails for Occasion

Approximately 5,000 residents of Floyd and adjoining counties Tuesday enjoyed what is considered by many to have been not only Prestonsburg's "biggest" Independence Day celebration but also the feature Fourth of July observance of the Big Sandy valley.

Stand-out items on an all-day bill which was carried out to the letter were the wrestling match between Ivan "Whiskers" Rasputin and Gil Knutson, Swedish grappler, and a parachute jump from a stunting plane piloted by Howard Mayes, of Huntington, W. Va.

Except for a slight snow, shortly after noon, the celebration met with the most auspicious circumstances. Following an early-morning patriotic address by Wesley Campbell, of the Buck's Branch local mine union, a series of contests, together with a continuous bingo game on the campus of Prestonsburg high school, furnished entertainment until the afternoon, when featured items of the program

CAR SINKS IN LAKE FEW MOMENTS AFTER P'BURG BOY RESCUED

Two Prestonsburg boys--Paul Gene Williamson, 15, and Paul Harris, 14--barely escaped death Saturday night when the automobile in which they were sleeping on the shore of Norris Dam rolled into the water.

The two were awakened only when the water flooded the car. The Williamson boy, a son of Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Williamson, crawled through a window and swam toward the shore. Young Harris, who could not swim, was rescued by his father, "Speed" Harris, and Wilson Stepp, who had been sleeping in a nearby tent. A minute after he had been removed, the car settled in 10 feet of water.

GIRLS DEFEAT "TEN OLD MEN"

Bob Damron's "Has-Beens" lost their second softball game of the season Thursday afternoon to the Prestonsburg girls, 9 to 8, after winning the first game of the "serious" a week earlier. The girls excelled the men both at bat and afield.

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"Uncle" Jeff Is Honor Guest At John P. Meade's Annual Birthday Party On Spurlock

The sword and bayonet gave way to the knife and fork, Sunday of last week, as two tottery veterans of the Union Army, who fought side by side in the thirty-ninth Kentucky Infantry, 77 years ago, sat at a food-laden table at a reunion given annually on Spurlock Fork of Left Beaver Creek.

The host was John "Printer" Meade, and the occasion was the celebration of his 9th birthday. Once each year he invites all his relatives and friends to his home, where he has prepared an abundance of food.

The guest of honor was "Uncle" Jeff Sizemore, 96-year-old vet, of Prestonsburg. He and the host are the only survivors of the thirty-ninth Kentucky Infantry of the Civil War.

An estimated one thousand persons were on hand for the celebration, from all parts of Floyd, Pike and Magoffin counties, and they formed the largest crowd yet to attend these annual gatherings.

Activity of the last meeting centered around the two veterans, just as it has at the "get-together" for many years. "Uncle" Jeff attends them all, and the two can always find something interesting to talk about. A return engagement of the Civil War is fought every time they meet, usually with a gallery of interested listeners.

The last meeting was little different from the others which have been held for years, with the exception of

HEART AILMENT FATAL TO WEEKSBURY MAN, 82

David T. Johnson, 82, of Weeksbury, died at the Stumbo Memorial hospital, Lackey, last Thursday morning, after suffering from a heart ailment for some time.

He is survived by his daughters, Mrs. M. L. Johnson and Myra Johnson, and one son, Willie Johnson, all of Weeksbury.

Funeral services were conducted from the home Friday afternoon, with the Rev. Jerry Hall officiating. Burial was made in the family cemetery at Weeksbury, under the direction of the Ryan Funeral Home.

CANDIDATES FILE BEFORE DEADLINE

Twenty-three Registered In Race for Circuit Court Clerk

If the names of all candidates who have registered appear on the ballot at the coming August primary, Floyd county voters will encounter the proverbial "horse blanket" Then they go to the polls, just four weeks from next Saturday.

Besides 161 candidates for state-wide offices, the Floyd county ballot will have 40 candidates listed for the offices of State Senator, Circuit Judge, Commonwealth's Attorney, Circuit Court Clerk, and Representative. Voters who reside in magisterial district 3 of the county will decide upon, in addition to the 201 candidates for state-wide and county-wide offices, their favorites of the fifteen candidates for Justice of the Peace for that district. Prestonsburg voters will mark their choices for nominees for mayor and members of the city council, while voters of Wayland will select nominees for members of the Board of Trustees.

An unofficial list of candidates who had registered up until Thursday morning follows:

State Senator (Democratic ticket)--

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FLOYD INDUSTRY GOES ON THE AIR

Gas Station Near Here Is Scene of WHAS Broadcast

Sans sound effects other than the hum and clank of machinery actually at work, listeners of WHAS, Louisville radio station, last Wednesday, from 2:30 till 3 p. m., heard a phase of Floyd county's natural gas industry in action.

The broadcast, sponsored by the University of Kentucky, and arranged by Peter VanGilst, vice-president and general manager of the Kentucky West Virginia Gas Company, was made from the Middle Creek station of the company near here. Co-operating with Prof. Dave Young in preparation of the program were C. D. Hunter and P. E. Duffendach, of the gas company.

This was one of a series of unusual broadcasts being sponsored by the University of Kentucky from the actual scene of operation of various industries, with the purpose in view of acquainting the public with Kentucky's many and varied industries.

DIAL 'PHONE SYSTEM FOR B'BURG PLANNED

The Public Service Commission will conduct a hearing Tuesday, July 11, at Frankfort on the proposed change in the Prestonsburg telephone service, it was announced this week.

Changes planned would install the dial system here, with an increased rate to telephone subscribers.

Former Mayor Arthur C. Carter indicated this week that city officials will appear in protest against the change. A citizens' committee also is expected to attend the hearing.

To avoid missing an issue of The Times, renew your subscription now.

FIVE HELD HERE IN GIBSON DEATH TAKEN TO KNOTT

Floyd Court Without Jurisdiction In Mill Creek Slaying

RICHARD GIBSON SAYS HE DEALT FATAL BLOW

Death of Victim in Knott Hospital Complicates Jurisdiction Question

Because Gibson died in a Knott county hospital, officials held that Floyd county had no jurisdiction in the case, and the five prisoners were taken Thursday to Hindman for preliminary hearing.

Bludgeoned into insensibility near dusk Saturday afternoon, on Mill Creek, near Wayland, by Richard Gibson, 22 years old, Bill Gibson, 25, of Raven, died Sunday afternoon at the Stumbo Memorial hospital, Lackey, without regaining consciousness.

As a result, Richard Gibson and four others were jailed here Monday morning following their arrest by Floyd county deputy sheriff Ransom Marcum.

A fence rail, the young Gibson is said to have admitted, struck Gibson's death after being slammed down onto his head. Young Gibson claimed that the other had twinned him following an argument and was advancing upon him with a bottle when the fatal blow was struck.

Besides Richard Gibson, those jailed were Raymond Martin, Millcreek schoolboy; James Martin, 20; Bert Bryant and L. D. Stone, each aged about 45.

Earl Martin, father of James, said his son's only participation in the case was that of drinking whiskey along with the others at Wayland, sometime before the fight in which the Gibsons are said to have been engaged. He said evidence would show that his son did not come up Mill Creek toward his home until after Gibson had been bludgeoned. "I want my boy to have an examining trial as soon as possible and his innocence established," Mr. Martin said.

Raymond Martin, said by Richard Gibson to have been his companion when the quarrel broke, fled the scene of the fight when the struggle drew toward a battle to the death, it was said by Earl Martin.

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Court House Happenings

SUITS FILED Miriam R. Marting vs. Chas. G. Gilley; Combs & Combs, attys. Josephine Booth vs. Claude Booth; A. H. Spradlin, atty. Ben Adams vs. Lizzie England. Vera Taylor vs. Cecil Taylor; W.W. Burchett, atty.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Joe Hackney and Flora Lark. Morton Patton and Luna Conley. Kenneth Hurst and Edna Mosley. Archie Kinney and Opal Newsome. Samuel Mannel and Roxie Lee Adams. Elijah Collins, Jr., and Evelyn Preston. Tau Hale and Mabel Robinson. Frank Mullins and Alberta Carroll. Jack Jervis and Josephine Hatfield. Dingus Lefray and Georgia Scutchfield. James Elmer Perkins and Nina Boyd. Alfred Hall, 21, Van Lear, and Marie Blevins, 23, Van Lear; marriage solemnized by the Rev. I. A. Smiley, Baptist Church, Prestonsburg, July 1.

Walker Blackburn, 19, Drift, and Beatrice Davidson, 17, Drift; marriage solemnized by the Rev. I. A. Smiley, Baptist Church, Prestonsburg, July 1. Perry Tackett and Ella Mullins. Edward Smith and Blanche Robinson. Eli Johnson and Ida Castle; marriage solemnized by the Rev. Alex Stephens, United Baptist Church, Prestonsburg, July 4. Columbus Crisp and Lattie Isacs; marriage solemnized by the Rev. A. C. Allen, Regular Baptist Church, Prestonsburg, July 5.

LOCAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

FOR CIRCUIT JUDGE

For a safe, sound, sane business administration
-VOTE FOR-
Henry Stephens, Jr.
-FOR-
CIRCUIT JUDGE
 Twenty years' experience under four Circuit Judges.
The Taxpayers' Candidate
 Extravagance, waste and graft must go.

We are authorized to announce **CLAUDE P. STEPHENS** as a candidate for **CIRCUIT JUDGE** (31st Judicial District) subject to the action of the Democratic party at the August primary. Your support and influence will be appreciated.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the Republican nomination for the important office of Circuit Judge of the Thirty-first Judicial District composed of the counties of Knott and Floyd. If given this nomination, I can win in November.
EDWARD L. ALLEN.

JOHN W. CAUDILL
 Democratic candidate for re-election as

CIRCUIT JUDGE
 Six years ago, he promised you a sober, honest, efficient, courteous and kind administration. Now, he stands on his record as an official and asks your vote to continue him in office. He seeks no man's job, but only asks for the job he has.

FOR COMMONWEALTH'S ATTORNEY
TO THE PEOPLE OF THE 31ST JUDICIAL DIST. OF KENTUCKY:
 This announces my candidacy for the office of

COMMONWEALTH'S ATTORNEY subject to the will of the Democratic voters of this district at the August primary, 1939.
JOE P. TACKETT.

I wish to announce my candidacy for the office of **COMMONWEALTH'S ATTORNEY** subject to the action of the Democratic party at the coming August primary.

I intended making this announcement some time ago, but deferred doing so out of respect to the Hon. O. C. Hall in his late illness.
J. B. CLARKE.

JOHN ALLEN for **COMMONWEALTH'S ATTORNEY** (31st Judicial District) subject to the action of the Democratic party.

We are authorized to announce **JOHN COBURN** of Langley, Ky., as a candidate for **COMMONWEALTH'S ATTORNEY** 31st judicial district, subject to the action of the Democratic party at the August primary.

I take this means of announcing my candidacy to the people of Floyd county at the coming August 5th Democratic primary for the office of Commonwealth's Attorney of the 31st Judicial District. Absolutely free from political factions of both counties and at liberty to render justice to all.
AFTON M. SMITH,
 Hindman, Ky.

FOR CIRCUIT COURT CLERK
 We are authorized to announce **MERVYN HAMILTON** as a candidate for Circuit Court Clerk, subject to the action of the Democratic party at the August primary, 1939. In making a change, give the office to one who needs it.

We are authorized to announce **TROY B. STURGILL** as a candidate for **CIRCUIT COURT CLERK** subject to the action of the Democratic party at the August primary. Your support always has been, and always will be, appreciated.

We are authorized to announce **BILL COOLEY** of Wayland, Ky., as a candidate for **CIRCUIT COURT CLERK** of Floyd county subject to the action of the Democratic party at the August, 1939 primary.

I promise the people of Floyd county all they ask and, in truth, all they need—**A SQUARE DEAL AND AN HONEST ADMINISTRATION OF THE OFFICE.**

To My Many Friends:
 This will announce that I am a candidate for the Democratic nomination for the office of Circuit Court Clerk, subject to the pleasure of the Democratic voters at the August, 1939 primary.
 Faithfully yours,
RILEY HALL
 Member Local Union No. 372, C.I.O.

We are authorized to announce **WM. HAGANS** (son of the late T. J. (Tom) Hagans) as a candidate for **CIRCUIT COURT CLERK** subject to the action of the Democratic party at the August, 1939 primary.

Those who know me best know that I will unflinchingly give the people the service they need and deserve.

We are authorized to announce **BILL SHEPHERD** Garrett, Ky.,

as a candidate for **CIRCUIT COURT CLERK** at the August primary subject to the action of the Democratic party. Charter member Local Union 5902, Garrett; promising nothing but what is right.

We are authorized to announce **RALPH ALLEN** (Son of the late M. V. Allen) for **CIRCUIT COURT CLERK** at the Republican primary August 5. Your support is earnestly solicited.

We are authorized to announce **HENRY PORTER** of Allen, Ky., as a candidate for **CIRCUIT COURT CLERK** subject to the action of the Democratic party at the August primary.

We are authorized to announce **EX-SQUIRE FRED E. DAMRON** of Weeksbury, Ky., as a Republican candidate for Circuit Court Clerk of Floyd county. He is a member of the Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen for 22 years.

We are authorized to announce **EARL A. STUMBO** as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for **CIRCUIT COURT CLERK** at the primary election August 5.

FOR SENATOR
 We are authorized to announce **MELL PETRY** for **STATE SENATOR** 13th District Knott, Pike and Floyd counties, subject to the Democratic party at the August 5, 1939 primary.

FOR REPRESENTATIVE
 We are authorized to announce **EDWARD B. LESLIE** of Emma (Son of D. B. Leslie) as a candidate for Representative, 93rd District (Floyd county) subject to the action of the Democratic party at the August, 1939 primary.

Morton (Shikepoke) McGlothen, of Drift, Ky., candidate for **REPRESENTATIVE** of the 93rd (Floyd county) district, Democratic primary, August, 1939. A charter member of Local Union No. 7078, U.M.W.A., and would have been a charter member of the Democratic party if I hadn't been born about 140 years too late.

We are authorized to announce **R. L. (BOB) PITTS** of Dock, Ky., as a candidate for **REPRESENTATIVE** of the 93rd Legislative District (Floyd county) subject to the action of the Democratic party. Primary election, August 5, 1939. Your support will be appreciated.

Defeated two years ago by a small majority for the Democratic nomination for Representative, I have decided to make the race again. I believe many who voted against me then are now for me, and I deeply appreciate this.

I pledge, if nominated and elected, the best services I have within my command to render.
BILL BIGGERS.

We are authorized to announce **G. W. ALLEN** of Langley, Ky., as a candidate for **REPRESENTATIVE** Democratic primary, August 5. Your vote will be appreciated—you will never be betrayed or sold out.

FOR MAGISTRATE
 Nominate a man who has already been tried and never found wanting. I served as Magistrate two terms—was the people's Magistrate every day of those eight years. I am willing for my fortunes to rest on that record.
MONROE HALL
 Melvin, Ky.
 Democratic candidate for Magistrate, District No. 3

We are authorized to announce **HENRY STUMBO** of McDowell, Ky., as a candidate for Magistrate in Magisterial District No. 3, subject to the action of the Democratic party at the August primary. Your support will be deeply appreciated.

We are authorized to announce **JEFFERSON JOHNSON** of Weeksbury, Ky., as a candidate for Magistrate in Magisterial District No. 3, subject to the action of the Republican party at the August primary. Your support will be deeply appreciated. I have no alliances with anyone.

We are authorized to announce **E. J. (Elbert) LITTLE** of Fed, Ky., as a candidate for Magistrate, District No. 3, subject to the action of the Democratic party at the August primary. A member of Local Union 7283, U.M.W.A., since it was organized.

We are authorized to announce **GILBERT ADAMS** of Fed, Ky., (formerly of Wheelwright, Ky.) as a candidate for the Republican nomination for Magistrate, District No. 3, at the August primary, 1939.

A member of Local Union 7282, U.M.W. of A., Fed, Ky. A poor man and a friend to the poor.

I hereby announce my candidacy for the Republican nomination for **MAGISTRATE** Third Magisterial District, at the August, 1939 primary.

I think I know the problems of Floyd county and its people, and promise you that I will do my best to solve them in the interest of all.
SAM T. (ST.) MEADE
 McDowell, Ky.

We are authorized to announce **GEORGE W. NEWMAN** of Fed, Ky., the son of W. H. (Uncle Bud) Newman, as a candidate for Magistrate in District No. 3, subject to the action of the Republican party at the August primary. A member of Local Union No. 7283, U.M.W.A. Your support will be appreciated.

We are authorized to announce **LEVI TAYLOR** of Drift, Ky., as a candidate for Magistrate in Magisterial District No. 3, subject to the action of the Democratic party at the primary August 5. Your support and influence will be appreciated.

SHIKE'S POKES

(Views expressed in this column are those of the writer and not necessarily those of The Times.)

Kentucky had its "Walking Mun" Wilson, Louisiana its "Traller" candidate, and New York had its "Limousine" candidate, but it remained for Ole Floyd county to bring forth the "thumbing Shikepoke."

By the time I work out the money to buy my campaign cards, there won't be any place left to tack them—just about all the available space is taken.

American Legion Post No. 196, Wayland, Commander R. L. May, is really pushing ahead. The boys have built a new baseball park at Wayland and are sponsoring the team in the Big Sandy league. They have a real "plant" up there, too. They take care of overflow crowds with ease.

You could tell there were Floyd county rooters in the stands at Cincinnati on a recent Sunday. Didn't you hear that "leather-lunged" cheering over your radio?

"Uncle" Henry Akers, of Ligon, says he is 80 years old and has been a Democrat 81 years.

Paging Joe Ward, Roy Keeling, Ray Cooke, Ben Martin, "Hob" Stumbo, etc. Ain't we kindo letting interest lag in our game and fish club?

The mulberry season certainly is hard on the squirrels. Seems as though we'll have lots of quail. That squirrel season should be moved to open the latter part of August or on September 1.

I nominate "Big" Jess Ratliff as the best "all time hitter" of this section. He's getting along in years as ball-players go, but he was "up" four times recently and slammed two out of the park. Even when he hits one "down the infield," you'd better be set before you tie into it. One of his smashes recently almost carried Milton Stumbo out into right field.

NOTICE

I will not be responsible for any debts made by anyone other than myself, after June 22, 1939.
J. C. MOORE,
 Orkney, Ky.
 6-22-39 pd.

LACKEY CLUB IN MEETING THURSDAY

Lackey, Ky.—The Lackey-Garrett Woman's Club met with Mrs. Frank Cooley Thursday evening of last week with Mrs. E. R. Blanton as program leader. Several papers were read by program members and brief talks on "High Lights of the New York World's Fair," were given by guests.

Members of the Maytown Woman's Club were guests for the evening. Other guests were Mrs. A. E. Brooke, of Wayland, and Mrs. J. R. Crawford, mother of Mrs. Brooke, who is president of the Zephyrville, Fla. Woman's Club; Mrs. Nat Cooley and Mrs. J. C. Wells, of Wayland, and Mrs. Arnold Cooley, of Lackey.

Mrs. J. R. Crawford gave an interesting talk on the Florida exhibition of the New York World's Fair.

After the program was over a pleasant hour was spent in social intercourse while members and guests were served delicious refreshments by the hostess, Mrs. Frank Cooley, assisted by her daughters, Mrs. J. C. Wells and Mrs. Nat Cooley, and Mrs. Arnold Cooley.

COMMISSIONER'S SALE

Notice is hereby given that on Monday, July 24, 1939, at the front door of the courthouse at or about the hour of 1 o'clock, p. m., the undersigned will offer for sale the

PRESTONSBURG RESIDENCE PROPERTY of B. M. James and Ginevra James, pursuant to the Floyd Circuit Court judgment and proceedings in the consolidated case of Board of Education, etc., vs. B. M. James, et al. This July 3, 1939.

J. D. BOND,
 Master Commissioner,
 Floyd Circuit Court.
 Cost of Advertising \$5.25

WANTED—Man who car in Prestonsburg, Paintsville. Route experience preferred but not necessary. Sales way up this year. Write Raleigh's, Dept. KYF-213-MA, Freeport, Ill., or see Andrew Wright, Watergap, Ky. 7-6 4t.

Notice of Marshal's Sale: Notice is hereby given that by virtue of an execution dated May 3, 1939, issued out of the U. S. District Court for the Eastern District of Kentucky on a judgment rendered in said court in favor of the United States and against Cross Collins, I, or one of my deputies, will sell at public auction to the highest and best bidder on Monday, July 24, 1939, at ten o'clock A. M., at the courthouse door in Prestonsburg, Floyd County, Kentucky, this being county court day, the following described property: A certain tract or parcel of land in Floyd County, Kentucky, on the waters of Left Beaver Creek, beginning at a stake in the center of the county road, a corner to Lot No. 1; then crossing the bottom with said lot No. 1 S 72 30 E 465 feet to a stake in the center of Left Beaver Creek; thence with the center of said creek S 16 00 W 40 feet; then leaving the creek and running across the bottom N 72 30 W 455 feet to a stake in the center of the county road; thence with the center of the road N 1 00 E 42 feet to the beginning, containing 42-100 of an acre more or less. Being the same property described in Deed Book 97, page 174, Floyd County Court Clerk's Office. Said sale will be made for cash. J. M. Moore, U. S. Marshal. 6-29 4t.

GUESTS OF MR. AND MRS. AL
 Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Adams, of I were guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. Allen Tuesday.

NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION

Notice is hereby given that Martin Mining Company, a corporation, will be dissolved and its business liquidated by consent of all stockholders on August 1, 1939.

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JOHN ALLEN

FOR COMMONWEALTH'S ATTORNEY
DEMOCRATIC PRIMARY AUGUST 5.

A candidate who always has stood by Labor and who has no apologies to make for the part he played in siding with Labor in the Barkley-Chandler Senatorial race last year.

A man who does not merely pay lip tribute to the New Deal and New Deal friends, but actually fights for them.

In whose camp were my opponents, Joe P. Tackett and J. B. Clarke, in the Senatorial race—for President Roosevelt's candidate or against him?

MAYTOWN

PERSONALS
Mr. and Mrs. Tom Webb, Mr. and Mrs. Thurnal Click, and Miss Theckley Click motored to Portsmouth, O., Sunday to visit Mr. and Mrs. Howard Ramey and son.

Mr. and Mrs. Steve Clarke and infant daughter, Sally Louise, of Wheelwright, were guests of relatives and friends here Sunday.

Little Miss Peggy Horner, small daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Orville Horner, was seriously injured Saturday afternoon when she fell from a truck in which she was riding and sustained a fractured skull. She is now in the Gearheart hospital, Martin.

The baby son of Mr. and Mrs. Orville Horner is ill in a Paintsville hospital.

Dr. and Mrs. J. H. Allen have visited their son, G. E. Allen, and Mrs. Allen, in Lexington.

Mrs. Ednah Gott is seriously ill in the home of her daughter, Mrs. W. W. Cooley.

Ralph Edrington, Smith-Hughes instructor here for the past year, left this week for a new post in Boyd county. Best wishes of his many friends go with him.

Thomas Patrick is in Lexington, where he is attending a special short course at the University of Kentucky.

Friends of Miss Harriet Allen, one of the best grade school instructors Maytown ever had, are pleased to learn that she is now at home after undergoing a recent operation in the Beaver Valley hospital, Martin.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hensley have named their new son, French Vernon.

Mrs. Ed Johnson, of Jonancy, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Irwin Picklemer.

Mrs. M. M. Walker, of Ashland, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. McDonald Day, and Mr. May.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Stewart, of West Liberty, are spending their vacation with Mr. Stewart's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Stewart. Mr. Stewart, who taught mathematics in the Wheelwright school the past year, will coach in Cannel City, Morgan county, the coming session. Mr. Stewart graduated from Morehead State Teachers' College with high honors several years ago.

Little Miss Elizabeth Boughton left Friday to spend three weeks with her uncle, Sam Jones, and Mrs. Jones, in Fairmont, W. Va.

Master Ned May will leave Wednesday for Ashland, where he will spend a month with his cousin, Jimmie Pilsome, also visiting his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Parsons.

Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Martin and son, Harry of Drift, were guests of H. F. May and family Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Wells and children left Sunday for an extended motor trip to points south and will vacation with relatives in Arkansas before returning.

Friends of Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Saunders are interested to learn of the arrival of their son at the Beaver Valley hospital last week. Mrs. Saunders, who was second grade instructor here last year, was one of 10 rural teachers chosen for the most outstanding work the previous spring.

Miss Marie Sexton, of Estill, known to everyone here because of her membership in the Woman's Club and her frequent visits in the home of her sister, Mrs. Orb Hays, is now touring the west with relatives and will attend the San Francisco World's Fair while visiting her brother, Tom Sexton, who resides in Hollywood.

Mr. and Mrs. Hansel McQuinn motored to Kenova, W. Va., to spend the week-end with relatives.

Dr. C. L. Allen left recently for Charleston, W. Va., where he will intern for the coming year. Dr. Allen, the younger son of Dr. J. H. Allen, and Mrs. Allen, was a member of the 1931 graduating class of Maytown high school, and was graduated from the School of Medicine in the University of Louisville, this past June. Since that time he has been assisting in the Beaver Valley hospital, Martin.

Several members of the Waroo Fis-

hing Club spent Friday night and Saturday in Pike county, indulging in their favorite sport.

Miss Audry Stumo, of Printer, was the week-end guest of Miss Ruby Elizabeth Sutton.

Mrs. Estelle Leavitt, of Charleston, W. Va., is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. C. C. Newsome.

Mrs. Thomas Patrick has made frequent trips to Salyersville this week to the bedside of Mr. Patrick's father, and to Paintsville, where a small nephew of Mr. Patrick is very ill in one of the hospitals.

MISS TURNER AND MR. COTTERELL WED

A wedding of much interest to many persons in this section took place in Winchester last week when Miss Bola Turner became the bride of Mr. Ed Cotterell, who was for many years connected with the plant of the Kentucky West Virginia Gas Company here. Mrs. Cotterell is one of Maytown's loveliest girls, and all who know Mr. and Mrs. Cotterell wish for them much happiness.

BOARD OF CHRISTIAN EDUCATION TO MEET

Mrs. H. L. May, general chairman of the church board of Christian Education, called a meeting of the board Wednesday evening at seven o'clock at the church. Members include: Mesdames W. A. Stewart, Frank May, E. R. May, and Wiley Jones, also Miss Opal May, who represents the young folks' division.

LEAGUE HOLDS SPECIAL PROGRAM

The Senior Epworth League gave a special program open to the public on Sunday night, with Mrs. Taylor Rattliff in charge.

OLD FOLKS' SERVICE SCHEDULED

Rev. C. C. Newsome announces that the service Sunday morning at 11 will be specially for old people, whom the congregation will honor at that time. Invitations are being sent by the committee in charge. Cars will go for old people who lack means of conveyance, and everyone is cordially invited to attend and to help make this service a success.

INTERMEDIATES BEGIN CONTEST

Members of the Intermediate Sunday School class chose sides Sunday and began an attendance contest to last one month. The girls will meet Monday afternoon to make posters for some special services. The teacher announced that Mrs. T. J. Webb had volunteered to give a handsome cash prize to the pupil who recites the Ten Commandments and the Apostles' Creed best on the following Sunday.

DWELLING RAISED ABOVE FLOOD LEVEL

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Stewart recently had their home raised above the water mark of the recent flood and are making numerous changes and improvements on it.

JULY MEETING OF CLUB ANNOUNCED IN ADVANCE

The July meeting of the Woman's Club will be held with Mrs. F. A. Vernon and Miss Myrtle Kessie on the lawn of the Beaver Valley hospital in Martin. Members of the Lackey-Garrett Club have been invited to attend and hear the speaker of the occasion, Dr. Paul Grannerud, who will address the two clubs on the subject, Syphilis. Every member is urged to hear this address, which will be followed by questions and a round-table discussion by Mrs. Mrs. W. W. Cooley, Maytown president, presiding.

WORK ON SCHOOL PROGRESSES

The new school building of which Maytown citizens are justly proud is rapidly going up, and attracts many visitors almost daily. The 12-classroom structure is a big improvement over the building that was lost by fire last March, and is on a foundation well above flood level. The plan is ultra-modern in every respect, and patrons of the district are truly grateful to the county board of education and to Mr. Hall, who lost no time in replacing the other building. Unfortunately, the increased size of the building will leave playground space reduced.

CLUB HAS DISTRICT GOVERNOR AS GUEST

Mrs. John W. Langley, district governor for the seventh district of the Kentucky Federated Women's Clubs, met with the Maytown Club in the attractive home of Mrs. Arb Hays on Friday afternoon and delivered a series of delightful poems, which were keenly enjoyed by all who were present. Among other out-of-town guests

were Mesdames Lon Hill and Hansel McQuinn, of Martin, both of whom won prizes in the contests conducted by the hostess, as did Mrs. V. O. Turner, Mrs. Ermost Hays, a lovely and recent bride, and sister-in-law of the hostess, was present for the first time. At the close of the business session Little Miss Berly Stewart drew the lucky ticket on an angel food cake presented by Mrs. V. A. Hayes, and Mrs. John Coburn won the cake, which netted the club treasury two dollars and seventy cents, thanks to the good salesmanship of Beryl Stewart. Mesdames W. A. Stewart, E. R. May and Ermost Hays assisted the hostess in serving a delightful salad course.

(Last week's correspondence)

PERSONALS

Little Miss Juanita Jo May returned recently from Ashland, where she has been the guest of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Parsons, for several days.

Mesdames Jack Ryan, Roger Stewart, and Fletcher May visited Miss Harriet Allen in the Beaver Valley hospital Wednesday afternoon.

Tom Marshall, of Pikeville, who was recently removed from the Methodist hospital there to the home of his daughter, Mrs. Irwin Picklesimer here, is slowly improving. Mr. Marshall suffered a paralytic stroke several weeks ago.

T. A. Combs, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Townsel Combs, is spending a few days with his parents. Mr. Combs, an outstanding alumnus of Maytown high school, is at present an engineer in Oregon and is also studying aviation.

Mrs. W. G. Francis and daughter Annalee, of Betsy Layne, and Mrs. Ellis Bailey, of Martin, spent Saturday afternoon with Mrs. E. R. May.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Jones and son, Jimmie, of Fairmont, W. Va., are visiting relatives here.

Rev. and Mrs. C. C. Newsome and Rev. H. L. Clay, presiding elder of the M. E. Church, South, were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. R. May Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Combs of Prestonsburg, were luncheon guests of Mr. and Mrs. V. O. Turner Friday.

G. E. Allen, Mrs. Allen and their small daughter, Peggy Sue, left recently for Lexington, where Mr. Allen is attending the summer term at the University. He is the new vocational instructor for the coming session and is expected to be an important member of the Maytown faculty, having made one of the best records in the history of the school, being the valedictorian in the class of 1930.

Mrs. Frank May and daughter, Miss Opal May, visited friends in the Beaver Valley hospital Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. F. A. Vernon, of Martin, was the guest of Mrs. E. R. May on Friday.

BRIDE AND GROOM ARRIVE

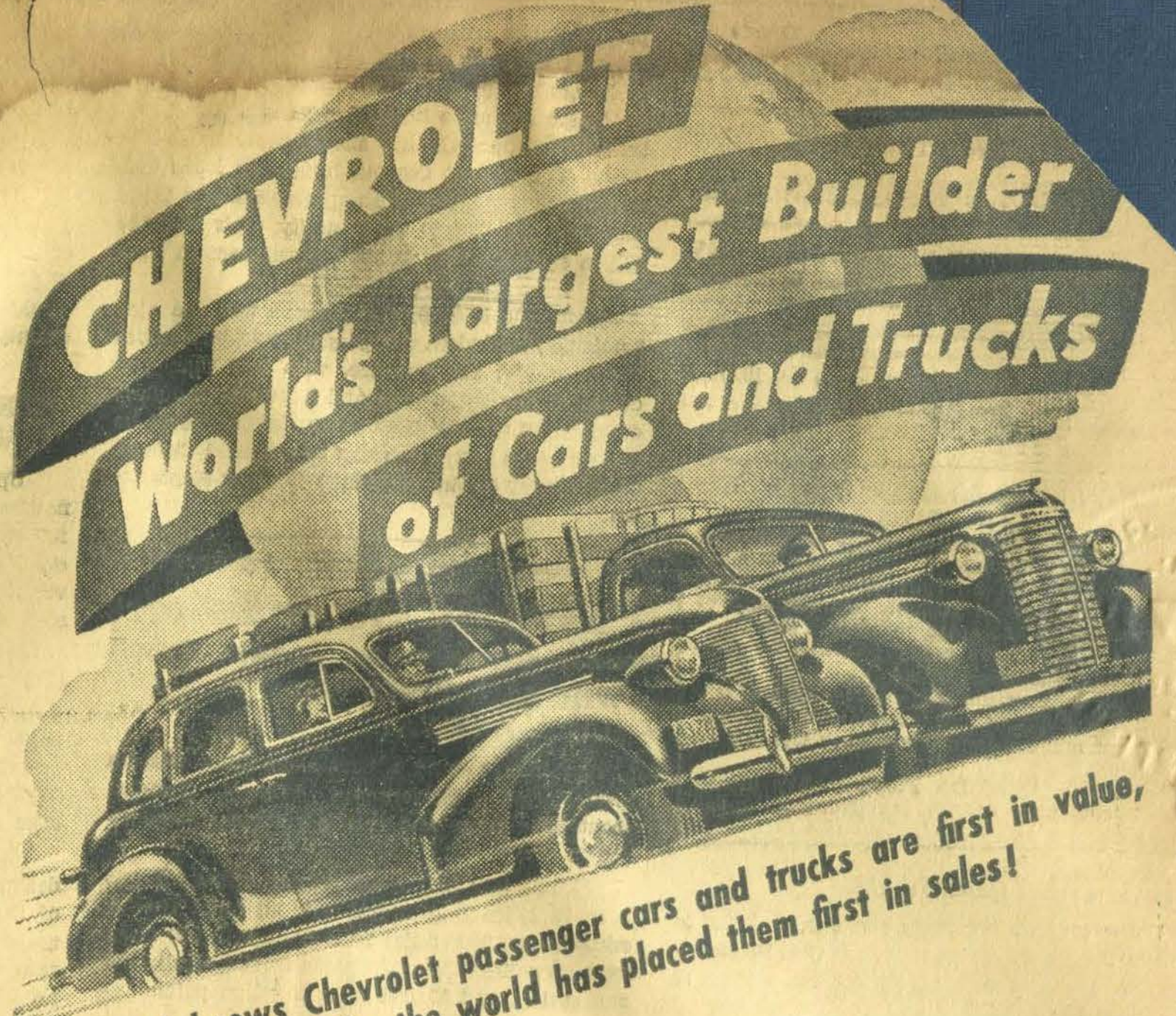
Mr. and Mrs. Ermost Hays arrived last week from Bowling Green, Ky., where they were married May 20. Mrs. Hays was formerly Miss Dorothy Smith, of Bowling Green, and a student in the Teachers' College there. Mr. Hays, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. Proctor Hays, who also received his education from Western State Teachers' College, and from Caney Creek Junior College, is a teacher in the Maytown school district for the coming year. Both young people have many friends who are showering them with congratulations. Mrs. Hays' charming personality and winsome, youthful beauty are endearing her to all who make her acquaintance.

PURCHASE HOME HERE

Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Cooley, of Garrett, bought the Boughton property near the school building last week and will take up residence in Maytown about the middle of August. It is learned, Mrs. Cooley was the former Miss Gertrude Callihan, of Prestonsburg. Members of the younger set are looking forward to the arrival of Mr. and Mrs. Cooley.

MAYTOWN WOMAN'S CLUB ENTERTAINED

Members of the Maytown Woman's Club were royally entertained by the Lackey-Garrett Club in the home of Mrs. Frank Cooley of Garrett Thursday night of last week. An interesting program by the hostess club on the New York World's Fair was presented, after which the hostess served dainty refreshments to the large crowd present.



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RED SQUILL BAIT BEST RAT CONTROL

The open winter is one reason for the large number of rats now appearing in Kentucky, according to a statement from the entomology department of the State College of Agriculture at Lexington.

A poison bait employing red squill is the method of control recommended by this department, which gives the following directions for use:

Pre-bait for three nights in succession, using fresh hamburger or salmon. Small bits of either of these are placed where rats are commonly found. This should be done in the evening. If there are any remaining pieces the next morning, they should be taken away and destroyed. On the fourth night, red squill at the rate of one part to 16 parts of the meat should be placed in the location where pre-baiting was practiced.

The red squill can be obtained at most drug stores. In mixing it with meat, avoid handling with the fingers, as rats are very wary of anything handled in this manner.

Rat extermination, say men at the College of Agriculture, is a community problem because these varmints migrate over long distances. It is a good plan to organize by neighborhoods, with each one pledged to use poison bait at a given time.

As long as rats have other feed, such as may be found in garbage cans, the poison bait method of control is not so successful as it would be if the competing feeds were removed.

BEGIN IN SMALL WAY, LIVESTOCK MEN TOLD

Begin with a small foundation of good animals, save the best females, and develop a herd or flock of sound quality, of known breeding and free from disease. Such was the advice given to farmers and stock men attending the annual livestock breeding school at the University of Kentucky College of Agriculture. Men who develop herds through large purchases are seldom certain what they have, and are always running the risk of introducing diseases.

Poultry raisers waste \$10,000,000 a year on worthless poultry disease remedies, it was said at the meeting. Prevention is now the best method of curbing diseases. The government is doing extensive work in breeding disease-resistant livestock, as has been done with plants.

Work of breed associations was discussed, including the registration of dairy cows by production rather than breeding. Experts from the United States Department of Agriculture and from several states spoke.

FOR SALE—Seven-room house and lot, with bath. Front street. Inquire at Times office. 6-29 46

SNAKES BITE WOMAN AT RELIGIOUS RITES

A woman fanatic, one of the worshippers at what has come to be known as a "snake cult" meeting on Quicksand Creek in Breathitt county last Thursday night, was bitten several times by a rattlesnake when she thrust her hand into the box containing several poisonous reptiles. At last report, she was in a Paintsville hospital in a critical condition. A man, said to have been the husband or close relative of the woman, was also bitten, and was taken to a Jackson hospital.

According to our understanding of the "modus operandi" of the cult, a box of poisonous snakes is brought to the meeting. After the participants in the "religious rites" have worked themselves up to a sufficient pitch of fervor and emotional insanity, those who consider themselves strongest in faith thrust their hands into the box of reptiles, the theory being that if their faith is strong enough they will not be bitten. To our knowledge, the one tempting fate in this manner seldom escapes being bitten.

These rites, which are evidently a revival of the old voodoo customs of the blacks and "poor whites" of the deep south, have not yet made themselves manifest in Magoffin county, but have been practiced in Knott, Perry, Breathitt and Martin, the last appearance having been just across the Magoffin county line in Breathitt. — Salyersville Independent.

LAWRENCE COUNTIAN SENTENCED TO PEN

Louisa—Two penitentiary sentences have been meted by justice in Lawrence circuit court during the past week.

Frank Adkins, 50, charged with storehouse breaking in connection with the robbery of the store of Mrs. Kitty Jordan and the postoffice at Tuscola, was adjudged guilty by a jury Saturday and sentenced to serve one year in the penitentiary. When the court overruled Adkins' motion for a new trial, his attorney filed notice of an appeal and he was released under bond of \$500. Hoss Pickens, of Zeld, plead guilty to a charge of stealing coal from a common carrier, and was meted a sentence of one year in the penitentiary, but the sentence later was probated.

FOR SALE—75 acres land located at the mouth of Branham's Creek. Price reasonable. See R. H. NEWMAN, Grethel, Ky. 7-6-39 pd.

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- 1. Floyd county for Floyd counties. 2. Immediate completion of the Left Beaver and Johns Creek road. 3. Completion of all Farm-to-Market roads...

THEY TALK ABOUT US

Other towns are talking about it, and "it" is right in Prestonsburg; so, it follows that Prestonsburg itself should talk about "it" more than it heretofore has.

The "it"—spell it, please, with a capital "I"—is the Prestonsburg Co-Operative Business Association.

Whatever status you or we occupy in the International Association of Sourpusses, neither of us can deny that this business group has yet failed in any of its varied undertakings and purposes.

The Floyd County Times has been in Prestonsburg and Floyd county, lo, the unlucky number of thirteen years, and until this thirteenth year it never had an inkling that other counties were concerned about the attention Prestonsburg business was attracting.

Within the last few weeks, newspapers of at least two neighboring counties have pointed out to their readers and business men the necessity for an organization similar to the Prestonsburg association.

Only last week, Independence Day programs published in the various county newspapers of the section showed that only Prestonsburg had two "attractions" of "big-time" proportions.

Only yesterday (this editorial being written on the morning after the Fourth), no less than five thousand persons found that Prestonsburg, these days, is advertising only what it offers—and not a soul left Prestonsburg July 4 honestly saying that the entertainment bill fell short, even in the meanest degree, of expectations.

Only last Saturday did a crowd of huge proportions see a number of customers of local meat-candle firms win handsome cash prizes. That day, one Prestonsburg business man reported, his business jumped one hundred per cent above his gross sales for any Saturday preceding the institution of this system whereby the customer is not only given his money's worth in merchandise but also a chance to win money above his expenditures for necessities.

the "public welfare" the business association has taken steps which will result in almost halving the fire insurance rates here.

Support has been given by the group to the ultimate completion of the Johns Creek dam.

A better understanding between the public and the municipal government of Prestonsburg has been attained.

A wholesome respect for those who visit the town has been engendered; ergo, a new concept of the ideals of business men here has been gained by farmers, miners, professional men, prominent citizens from all parts of the county.

Business men here and in other parts of the county now understand the motives and aims of each other better than ever before.

AND ALL THIS BEGAN WHEN PRESTONSBURG AS A BUSINESS AND CIVIC CENTER WAS AT LOW-WATER MARK.

Somebody hinted that an editorial such as this would put ideas into the heads of others coming under the classification of competitors; that it should not be written. Hide our lamps? No. Let us tell the good news while we may; then don't prate and cavil if the bad is told later. Besides, if our competitors find our example worthy and decide to emulate it, we have a notion that Floyd county folks like the original brand of progressiveness and business hospitality enough to steer away from the imitators and stay with those who are genuinely progressive and hospitable.

HUMANS ALSO NEED PROTECTION

Few communities having missed the visitation of mad dogs, there is a growing sentiment in Floyd county that THE TIMES was right when it repeatedly suggested that this "unenforced and unpayable" dog tax law be repealed and supplementary legislation which would have the sup-

port of public sentiment—an act making it mandatory that every dog in the state of Kentucky be immunized against rabies.

There are more humans than sheep in Kentucky. Therefore, the law should protect the humans. The present dog-tax legislation looks only toward the protection of sheep-growers, and these sheepmen are deep in the minority, their holdings only a small part of farmers' investment in livestock.

From the human, the humane and the economic points of view, this present law which leaves Floyd county, for instance, with less than two dollars in the sheep fund and hundreds of dollars outstanding against it in sheep claims, should be changed to a law which can be enforced through all Kentucky to the advantage of every Kentuckian.

Points By Other Editors

WHO SAID TIMES WERE HARD, ANYWAY?

An idler around a courthouse in a western town started a conversation with a stranger about hard times and this is what the stranger had to say:

"Don't talk to me about hard times. I was born 18 miles from a railroad, six miles from a schoolhouse, four miles from a church, 900 miles from New York City, 200 yards from a wash hole and spring, and 15 feet from a cotton patch.

"Our nearest neighbor lived four miles away and they were illiterates. The only books in our house were the Bible and a catalogue and I didn't know what underwear was until I was 17 years old and didn't own any until I was 21.

"There were 12 in our family and we lived in three rooms. Everybody at our house worked hard and we thought everybody else did. We thought everybody else had gravy and bread for breakfast, liver and hock for dinner, and buttermilk and corn pone for supper because we did.

"Taxes weren't as high then as they are now but they were a lot harder to get. We had a white shirt for summer Sundays, we slept on straw ticks and pillows; and some of us wore shoes occasionally in winter. I was grown before I knew that money would rattle and that was when Pa happened to get hold of two quarters at one time.

"We had one kerosene lamp; our house had a loft over two rooms and I slept in one of them on a slat bed with cords and no springs. We went to school a few weeks in the summer and we didn't ride a bus. We went to church once a month but didn't go in a car, we went in a wagon.

"We made and sopped our own molasses; we ate our own meat; we had heard of cheese but had never seen any, we knew that stores sold clothes but we never hoped to wear any; we got a stick of candy on Christmas and maybe a few apples. But we were happy.

"We loved our Ma and Pa and we did and believed in what they said. We enjoyed going naked; didn't want much, expected less, and that, my friend, is why I don't want to hear anything about hard times."—Hickman County Gazette.

FOR TIMID PEOPLE

Newspapers supply readers with news about the receipts at public events such as prize fights and world series, and the public is price-conscious about automobiles and radios and soap, but hardly any lay person knows anything about the prices paid for the advertising that all of us read and hear.

We intend to supply some of this information.

When you leaf through the first section of the Sunday New York Times, please be advised that each page of advertising that you read or don't read cost somebody \$2.980.

If you read the New York Daily News on Sunday, with a circulation of more than 3,000,000, you may like to know that each page (much smaller than the Times' page) cost \$2,000.

An advertiser has to pay the Detroit News \$1,205 a page in order to tell the 329,944 readers that he is in business.

To reach more than 3,000,000 buyers of the Saturday Evening Post with your advertisement on one ordinary page, printed in black ink, you have to lay down \$8,000. If you want to sell Coca-Cola or cigarettes, using the back cover in full colors, you pay \$15,000. Life, guaranteeing 2,000,000 circulation, gets \$5,700 for a black and white page and \$10,745 for the back cover in four colors.

If you tune in on the Charlie McCarthy hour and Charlie isn't as good as you have heard him, you may be sore but you won't be as sore as Chase & Sanborn who plunked down about \$15,000 for the hook-up. That pays only for time. The talent has to be paid, too.

The radio pay schedule is complicated. For example, the night rate on NBC basic radio network is \$8,400 an hour, but various supplementary groups are available such as the Canadian group, \$520; Southeastern group, \$1,000; South Central group, \$1,400; Southwestern group, \$1,320.

Big time advertising, whether newspaper, magazine or radio, is no game for timid or pinch-penny people.

visiting Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Feller this week.

PICNIC TUESDAY

Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Feller, Misses Grace Marrs, Anna Martin and Virgie McCombs were on a picnic at Pine Mountain Tuesday.

VISITS BROTHER HERE

Harry Basam was a guest of his brother, Phil Basam, over the week-end. Mr. Basam has been attending

school at the University of Kentucky.

ENTERTAINS TO LAWN SUPPER

Mrs. Elizabeth Wells and Anna Martin were joint-hostesses to a lawn supper Monday evening at the home of Mrs. Elizabeth Wells. Guests were Mr. and Mrs. George Cohen, Dr. and Mrs. Marvin Ransdell, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Clarke, Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Feller, Mr. and Mrs. G. P. Hall, Jr., Miss Grace Marrs, and Rev. Campbell Jeffries.

Clinton businesses and merchants don't have to be timid about their advertising. They still get advertising space in the Hickman County Gazette at only 25 cents per column inch which looks awful cheap as nearly everybody in Hickman county reads it although not everybody subscribes to it... advertising in the Gazette, just think how cheap will do a Clinton merchant or business man a darn sight nearer \$2,000 worth of good than a \$2,000 ad in the New York Daily would do him \$28,000 worth of good.—Hickman County Gazette.

HERBERT HOOVER WISHES T. V. A. WELL

Up in East Tennessee where Norris Lake nestles among the hills, Herbert Hoover spoke for the first time about T.V.A. Sunday, but the second time in that section about regional development. The other occasion was eleven years ago when he was a candidate for President.

He told a Knoxville reporter Sunday that he thought "the Government should try to persuade the metallurgical industry to come into the T.V.A. area. That is the key to T.V.A. success." He referred to bryllium deposits and a requirement of 300,000 horse-power of electrical energy to produce 10,000 pounds of the metal.

It is significant that Mr. Hoover indicated a desire for T.V.A. to succeed. He is a hostile critic of the New Deal. T.V.A. is its most monumental undertaking. No other innovation has home unrelenting enemies in high places, but T.V.A. as an enterprise, in its scope and objects, alone of all the things the Roosevelt administration has initiated is immune to criticism from Hoover, whatever he may hereafter say about the way the project is being executed.

His attitude, of course, is not unnatural. The Courier-Journal frequently has quoted Mr. Hoover's 1928 acceptance speech in which he condemned the waste of hundreds of millions on flood protection and navigation works and proposed the co-ordination of flood, navigation, power and irrigation works with soil and forest conservation and chemical research in vast watershed projects. T.V.A. is the initial experiment. It conforms to his conception as an engineer and he speaks with more authority on engineering than on other policies.—Courier-Journal.

A WORD OF PRAISE

Nobody ever got mad at anybody for saying something nice about them. Compliments give us a warm glow inside and make the whole world seem brighter for a while.

A word of praise is one of the most powerful stimulants in the world. And anyone, whose business it is to lead or direct others soon finds that he can often inspire them greatly with a few sincere words of commendation which show that their efforts are appreciated.

Most of us are a little too stingy with our praise. We don't give it to others as often as we could, or should. Of course, we don't want to make people conceited, but when somebody has done something to merit sincere approval, you should tell him about it.

Remember that nice feeling you get when you are praised, and try to give the same feeling to others once and a while. Don't be envious of the success of your friends—instead, enjoy it with them. You'll find it will make things a lot pleasanter for everybody concerned.—Union County Advocate.

A WHOLESOME IDEA

At a period when altogether too many people are mouthing altogether too much claptrap about unAmericanism, it is more than refreshing to know that a movement has been launched to mark the Fourth of July this year with a nation-wide "Declaration of Tolerance and Equality."

The idea is as wholesome a one as has been put forward in this country in a long time. Its advocates are the distinguished George Gordon Battle of New York, United States Senator Warren Barbour of New Jersey, and William Allen White, of Kansas. As co-chairmen of an organization called the Council Against Intolerance in America, they propose to have the declaration adopted at Independence Day celebrations in thousands of communities from Maine to California. They propose, further, to have the declaration signed and approved by the governors of all 48 states.

For what purpose? Let the Council's own words explain: "Forces in this country are inciting racial and religious bigotry"; the time has come for "a stirring national re-dedication to American ideals of tolerance and freedom as set forth in our Declaration of Independence."

"This sort of gesture will not please booby-hatch "patriots." It will not please people like George Van Horn Moseley. It will not please anybody who thinks that the Bill of Rights is something to be kicked around by mean little bigots spreading poison through the mails. It will not please these and others like them, but it will answer them in the best and most democratic way possible. The gesture should be made by all the governors of all the states and by every American community holding a Fourth of July celebration. It will be only a gesture, but it is the kind of thing we need to impress the crackpots and discountenance the potential men on horseback.—Pathfinder Magazine.

SPEND WEEK-END IN LEXINGTON

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Riffe were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. T. O. Montague, Racemont Place, Lexington.

IN LEXINGTON

A. B. Combs and B. F. Combs are in Lexington on business this week.

HERE FROM LEXINGTON Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Savage and Miss

Virginia Ashbury, of Lexington, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Combs this week.

SPEND VACATION IN CINCINNATI

Mr. and Mrs. Robert D. Francis and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Francis left Wednesday for Cincinnati, where they will spend a week's vacation.

GUEST OF MISS RANSELL

Miss Lillian Mitchell, of Irvine, Ky., is the houseguest of Miss Sue Martha Ransdell this week. Miss Mitchell was Miss Ransdell's roommate in the University of Kentucky.

IN HUNTINGTON

Mrs. Lyda Preston, Miss Zena Dare Daniels and Mrs. Adrian Collins were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Dick Geshing, of Huntington, W. Va.

HOSTESS TO DINNER PARTY

Mrs. J. D. Harkins was hostess to a dinner party at her home Friday evening. Guests were Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Harkins, Jr., Walter Scott Harkins, Mrs. Iley B. Browning and children, Mrs. W. S. Harkins, Sr., Mrs. W. S. Harkins, Jr., and children, Mr. and Mrs. John R. Clarke, and Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Burke.

TO VISIT IN NORFOLK

Mrs. Adrian Collins leaves this week for Norfolk, Va., where she will visit her sister, Mrs. William Coyer, and Mr. Coyer.

VACATION AT INDIAN LAKE

Mrs. J. D. Harkins, Sr., and Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Harkins, Jr., are leaving this week for Indian Lake to vacation for a few weeks.

DR. AND MRS. POINTER HERE

Dr. and Mrs. Ray Pointer, of West Liberty, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Howard over the week-end.

IN HUNTINGTON

Mrs. Emma Endicott was in Huntington shopping Friday and Saturday.

TO NATURAL TUNNEL

Mr. and Mrs. Chillum Frasure and children, of Langley, motored to Natural Tunnel, Va., last week-end.

TO CLEVELAND

Mrs. W. A. Dingus, of Martin, and Mrs. E. B. Brown, Prestonsburg, left Wednesday for Cleveland, O., for medical attention at the Cryle Clinic.

VISIT HURTS HERE

Harry Fugate, of Gate City, Va., is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Hurt this week.

MR. AND MRS. FORD HERE

Mr. and Mrs. Gwen Ford and daughter, Mary Auxier, were week-end guests of Mrs. Ford's parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Auxier.

GIVES BUFFET SUPPER

Miss Sue Martha Ransdell gave a buffet supper in honor of her house-guest, Miss Lillian Mitchell, Tuesday evening. Her guests were Misses Dorothy Bond, Gertrude Baughard, Ann Allen, Gwendolyn Sturgill and Messrs. Dick Tom Archer, Monte Scott Harkins, Bill Mayo, Dick Allen, Paul Combs, and Buddy Fitzpatrick.

FOR SALE—75 acres land located at the mouth of Branham's Creek. Price reasonable. See R. H. NEWMAN, Grethel, Ky. 7-6-39 pd.

SHERIFF'S SALE

In order to satisfy execution No. 8230, from the Floyd Circuit Court, dated May 29, 1939, in the case of Archie Best, et al., vs. C. L. Osborne, I, or one of my deputies will, on Monday, July 24, 1939, at the front door of the courthouse, Prestonsburg, Ky., offer at public sale, on a credit of three months, with bond of approved surety, the following described real estate, or so much thereof to make the sum of \$172.80, with six per cent interest from October 3, 1932, \$29.30 cost, and \$30.00 probable cost of sale, viz:

All the right, title, interest and claim, both legal and equitable, of C. L. Osborne in and to the following described tract of land:

Lying and being in Floyd county, Kentucky, on Abbott Creek, and bounded and described as follows: Beginning on poplar and gum, corner of John May survey; thence to a beech, and with the line of Jonathan D. Fitzpatrick to the line of W. E. Osborne and with the same to the C. L. Osborne line, and with the same to the beginning, excluding timber and mineral.

Levied upon as the property of C. L. Osborne, this the 12 day of June, 1939.

DIAL SALISBURY, S.F.C. By Lackey Salisbury, D. S. Cost of advertising, \$8.25.

Candidates File (Continued from page one)

Mel Peary, Garrett; Doug Hay McDowell; E. D. Stephenson, Pikeville.

State Senator (Republican ticket)—S. C. Ferguson, Prestonsburg.

Circuit Judge (Democratic ticket)—Henry Stephens, Claude P. Stephens, John W. Caudill, Prestonsburg.

Circuit Judge (Republican ticket)—Edward L. Allen, C. B. Wheeler, Prestonsburg.

Commonwealth's Attorney (Democratic ticket)—John Allen, Prestonsburg; J. B. (Bascorn) Clarke, Prestonsburg; John Coburn, Langley; Joe P. Tackett, Prestonsburg; Afton M. Smith, Hindman.

Commonwealth's Attorney (Republican ticket):

W. M. Dingus, Prestonsburg; Circuit Court Clerk (Democratic ticket)—

W. M. Hagans, Prestonsburg; Hall, Bypro; Riley Hall, Allen; Shepherd, Garrett; Clayborne B. Betsy Layne; Troy B. Sturgill, Prestonsburg; Henry Porter, Allen; Cooley, Wayland; Earl A. Spinnock, Prestonsburg; Mervyn Hamilton, Prestonsburg.

Circuit Court Clerk (Republican ticket)—

Ralph Allen, Martin; Fred E. Dameron, Weeksville; I. A. Smiley, Prestonsburg; Palmer Hall, Prestonsburg; Gorman Collins, Lackey.

For Representative (Democratic ticket)—

Edward B. Leslie, Emma; Bill I. Gers, Prestonsburg; George W. Allen, Langley; Morton (Shikepoke) M. Glothen, Printer; R. L. (Bob) P. Dock; Manis Conley, Prestonsburg; Alex L. Martin, Drift; T. J. (Tom) Smith, Garrett.

Representative (Republican Ticket)

Wade Hall, Martin; James Beckham Cline, Lancer, D. P. Hughes, Martin.

Justice of the Peace, District (Democratic Ticket)—

Frank Hatfield, Bypro; Albert Melvin; E. J. (Eilbert) Little, Pierce Bailey, Wheelwright; Taylor, Drift; Henry Stumbo, Dowell; Monroe Hall, Melvin; V. Johnson, Bypro; Omerly Hall, Fed.

Justice of the Peace, District (Republican Ticket)—

Sam T. (S. T.) Meade, McDo; Gilbert Adams, Fed; Tilden H. J. Melvin; Jefferson Johnson, Weeksville; George W. Newman, Fed; Chick Moore, Drift.

Mayor of Prestonsburg—

E. P. Arnold.

Councilmen of Prestonsburg: Mont Gibson, Tom Marshall, Council No. 1 (Beehive)

Sam L. Spradlin, T. J. May, W. V. Bunting, J. M. Weddington.

Council No. 2 (Beehive)—

Johnnie P. May, Joe S. Jarrell, Council No. 3 (Open Book)—

Bill Fitzpatrick, Joe Hyden.

Council No. 3 (Beehive)—

R. T. Allen, John Osborn, Member of Board of Trustees, Town of Wayland—

John Stone, Garrett; Jake Stevan; Garrett; L. C. Pressnell, Garrett; W. Merritt, Wayland; Delbert V. Wayland; G. G. Fraley, Wayland.

Before the deadline for registration Thursday midnight, eight additional candidates for the Democratic nomination for Circuit Court Clerk registered at the office of County Clerk A. B. Meade. They were: V. Wallen, Prestonsburg; C. A. Flann; Martin; Joe Hill, Prestonsburg; C. Napier, Bonanza; Graham H. Prestonsburg; Ollie Derossset, W. Gap; Bill Laferty, Water Gap; Ben Banks, Prestonsburg.

W. B. Tackett, Craynor, registered Thursday as a candidate for Representative, on the Republican ticket.

Joe Harkins, Jr., registered in race for Mayor of Prestonsburg.

Registered as candidates for members of the council, under the emblem of "Rising Sun," of the city of Prestonsburg, were, for council No. 1, H. (Jim) Numery, Roe Layne, John G. Archer and W. A. (B. Rose); for council No. 2, Leroy Con and Robert (Bob) Harlowe; for council No. 3, Burl Spurlock and D. C. Sanders, West Prestonsburg.

BROTHER AND SISTER IN SAME HOSPITAL

Langley, Ky., July 3 (Spl).—Her six-months-old brother had taken to the Gearheart hospital, tin, critically ill with an intestinal disorder which required an operation.

seven-year-old Peggy Horner suffered a skull fracture in a fall from a tree near here and now is in the same hospital.

Recovery of Peggy is expected, but her baby brother's condition remains critical. Mrs. Horner is a sister of Mrs. Wm. Hagans, Prestonsburg.

PERSONALS

S. BROOKS Mrs. S. Brooks, of Slough-er Hall, of Madison, was in Lexington, Ky., over the week-end.

ROBERT BROOKS Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Feller, Misses Grace Marrs, Anna Martin and Virgie McCombs were on a picnic at Pine Mountain Tuesday.

VISITS BROTHER HERE Harry Basam was a guest of his brother, Phil Basam, over the week-end. Mr. Basam has been attending

school at the University of Kentucky.

ENTERTAINS TO LAWN SUPPER Mrs. Elizabeth Wells and Anna Martin were joint-hostesses to a lawn supper Monday evening at the home of Mrs. Elizabeth Wells. Guests were Mr. and Mrs. George Cohen, Dr. and Mrs. Marvin Ransdell, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Clarke, Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Feller, Mr. and Mrs. G. P. Hall, Jr., Miss Grace Marrs, and Rev. Campbell Jeffries.

TACKETT COMMITTEE ANSWERS ALLEN



JOE P. TACKETT

Mr. John Allen asked Mr. Clarke and Mr. Tackett in last week's issue of The Times where they were last year during the Barkley-Chandler campaign.

Mr. Tackett's answer to that question is that he was, most of that time, standing by the bedside of a sick son in the hospital where he had lain at the point of death for over fourteen weeks. I shall further answer that question by asking Mr. Allen the following questions:

1. Where was John Allen when JOE P. TACKETT was making campaign speeches all over this county for FRANKLIN D. ROOSEVELT when he ran against Hoover? (Whether Mr. Allen will admit it or not, he was then a staunch Republican and fighting for Hoover.)

2. Where was John Allen when JOE P. TACKETT stood before the microphone of WHAS station at the request of Sam Caddy and made a radio speech for the Mine Guard bill?

3. Where was John Allen when JOE P. TACKETT was in Harlan county with over 300 Big Sandy coal miners organizing Lynch and Benton?

4. Where was John Allen during the several weeks that JOE P. TACKETT was in the courthouse at Pikeville, and successfully defended 108 Mine Workers from Henry?

5. Where was John Allen when JOE P. TACKETT was sponsoring and securing the passage of bills to double hospital service and burial expenses for the miners and to eliminate the one week's waiting period and to give the miners a voice in the selection of their camp doctors and many other labor bills that JOE P. TACKETT, SAM CADDY and JOHN YOUNG BROWN with other labor leaders prepared and got through the legislature since he has been our Senator?

6. Where was John Allen when JOE P. TACKETT (in obedience to a personal request from President Roosevelt) sponsored and secured the passage of the child labor amendment?

7. What right has John Allen now to the support of the NEW DEAL if it was inaugurated and brought as a result of the loyal support of the Democratic party by men like JOE P. TACKETT, and against the line of Hooverism that was then advocated by the loyal supporters of that time of the Republican Party such as Mr. Allen?

8. What right has JOE P. TACKETT's loyalty and devotion to the Democratic party entitled him to this nomination?

9. DEMOCRATS AND ORGANIZED MINERS: Don't be misled by the hope it is easy to promise. Guide your votes by the actual services rendered by those who now seek your support.

TACKETT CAMPAIGN COMMITTEE. Adv.

OWN-WORLD

(Continued from page one) higher" before he got into the than the law sometimes allows.

ALACK! Jimmie Goble was the only "actor" of this column who could go when and whenever the struck him. Would that he give me the secret formula... dots (call 'em double-stops if) may mean "gone fishin'" next we'll see.

OFF OUR CHEST hope ataxia doesn't hit these of ours while the "campaign" on!

SALE—one slightly used up piano, in excellent condition. 125. See E. B. BROWN City.

SHERIFF'S SALE

In order to satisfy execution and fee bill from the Court of Appeals dated May 17, 1939, in the case of Turner-Elkhorn Coal Company vs. Lee Spencer, etc., I, or one of my deputies will, on Monday, July 24, 1939, at or about 1 p. m., offer at public sale to the highest and best bidder, on a credit of three months, at the front door of the courthouse, Prestonsburg, Ky., the following described real estate, or a sufficiency thereof to make \$29.84, plus commission and cost of sale, viz: All the right, title and interest of Lee Spencer, A. L. Spencer and Grover Spencer in and to the following described tract of land: Lying and being in Floyd county, Ky., on Left Beaver Creek, on the Burk's Turner branch of said creek, near Drift, and bounded on the east by the lands of J. D. Turner; on the west by the lands of Elk Horn Coal Company; on the south by the lands of J. D. Turner, and on the north by the lands of Mousie Martin, containing 150 acres, more or less. (Only three-sevenths undivided interest in said tract of land of Lee, Alick and Grover Spencer will be sold).

Levied upon as the property of Lee, A. L. and Grover Spencer. This the 29th day of June, 1939. DIAL SALISBURY, S. F. C. By Lackey Salisbury, D. S. Cost of advertising \$8.50.

SHERIFF'S SALE

In order to satisfy execution No. 319 issued from the clerk of the Boyd Circuit Court, dated June 8, 1939, in the case of the Spotted Wolf Tribe No. 84, I. O. R. M., plaintiffs vs. M. E. Clere and Frank Clere, administrator of the estate of D. R. Clere, deceased, I or one of my deputies will, on Monday, July 24, 1939, at the front door of the courthouse in the city of Prestonsburg, Ky., expose to public sale, on a credit of three months, with bond of approved surety, the following described real estate, or so much thereof to make the sum of \$700.00 with six per cent interest from June 30, 1931; \$85.89 with interest from January 1, 1932; \$28.95 court cost, and \$70.00 estimated cost of sale, viz:

Lying and being in Floyd county, Kentucky, on Right Beaver Creek, viz: All the mineral rights in that certain 42.81 acres, except 3 1/2 acres which were conveyed to the Superior Elkhorn Coal Company by B. M. Craft and wife by deed November 12, 1920; together with the surface and such other rights in 45 acres of land, more or less, which were conveyed to the Superior Elkhorn Coal Co., by Robert Huff and wife by deed of record in deed book 57, page 578, in aforesaid clerk's office, all of above being near Bosco on Right Beaver Creek, and also (3), that certain parcel of land at Lackey on Right Beaver Creek, which was conveyed to Superior Elkhorn Coal Co., by Charles F. Bond and wife by deed of August 21, 1929, and recorded in deed book 57, page 322 in aforesaid clerk's office; and (4) that certain parcel of land on Right Beaver Creek, which was conveyed to Superior Elkhorn Coal Co., by the Lackey Mining Company by deed of July 7, 1937, and of record in deed book 74 page 571, in the office of the clerk aforesaid. Said land was conveyed to D. R. Clere by deed of April 9, 1931, by Arthur T. Bryson, Trustee in Bankruptcy of the Superior Elkhorn Coal Company.

Also the following real estate conveyed to D. R. Clere by Arthur T. Bryson by deed dated office. Mine by Bryson by deed dated January 21, 1930, and recorded in deed book 88 at page 574, formerly owned by the Zella Mining Company.

Tract No. 1: All mineral rights described in said deed. Tract No. 2: One acre formerly owned by the Zella Mining Company and described in aforesaid deed.

Levied upon as the property of M. E. Clere and Frank Clere, administrator of the estate of D. R. Clere, deceased, this the 27th day of June, 1939.

DIAL SALISBURY, S. F. C. By Lackey Salisbury, D. S. Cost of advertising \$16.50.

SHERIFF'S SALE

In order to satisfy execution No. 8220, directed to me, which issued from the office of the clerk of the Floyd Circuit Court, April 11, 1939, in the case of Ernest Boyd vs. Lee Conn, Jack Jarrell and C. C. Compton, I, or one of my deputies will, on Monday, July 24, 1939, at the front door of the courthouse, Prestonsburg, Ky., expose to public sale, on a credit of three months, with bond of approved surety, having the force and effect of a judgment, the following described property or a sufficiency thereof to

Annual D.A.R. Chapter Picnic Held At Harlowe Home Here



Fourteenth annual picnic of John Graham Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, was held June 14 on the lawn of the A. C. Harlowe home, Second avenue.

Organized June 12, 1925 and named for John Graham, the Virginian who pioneered Eastern Kentucky and at one time owned a vast domain in this section, the chapter is one of the most active in Kentucky.

Appearing in the photograph above (reading from left to right) are:

First row — Dorothy Ann Clark, Bobby Salisbury, Marian M. Salisbury, Billy Webb, Ethel Cross, Ruth Lucille Mayo, David Hereford, Dorothy Sue Allen, Sarah Clay Stephens, Charlotte Salisbury, Barbara May, Sally Gatewood Clarke, Andrew May, Henry Lewis Mayo, Jr., Mrs. Winnie F. Johns, Yancey Ligon Clarke.

Second row—Mrs. O. T. Stephens, Mrs. Harry Sandige, Mrs. S. L. Spradlin, Jo M. Davidson, Mrs. Mary D. Allen, Mrs. E. P. Arnold, Miss Sally Dingus, Sally G. Clarke, Miss Frances Jones, Mrs. W. H. Jones, Sr.

Third row—Mesdames A. C. Harlowe, J. O. Webb, Elizabeth Stephens, H. L. Mayo, Thomas Hereford, Dr. O. T. Stephens, Mrs. Joe Hobson, Mrs. Mary B. May, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Harlowe, Mrs. H. C. Francis, Mrs. Rebecca Dingus, Mrs. Grace D. Ford, Raymond Stephens, Mrs. Jo M. Davidson, Herbert Salisbury, Jr., Albert Jenkins, Mrs. E. H. Sowards, Mrs. E. A. Stumbo, E. H. Sowards, Mrs. R. G. Francis, Mrs. B. P. Friend, Miss Minerva Friend, Mrs. Dennis Vanhoose, Miss Julia Gaitskill.

Junior Holbrook and Monroe Adams returned from Silver Lake, Ind., last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Woods went to Salyersville Friday to the office of Dr. M. T. Johnson, Salyersville.

Harvey Hackworth and son, Bert, of Indianapolis, Ind., were visiting relatives here Monday.

MARTIN WINS 2, WHILE LOSING 1 Floyd Team Splits Double Bill With Boldman July 4th

Behind the three-hit pitching of Conley, Martin downed Garrett Sunday afternoon, 7-0, at Martin.

The winners began their scoring in the third inning, when they bunched three hits, with an error by Garrett, to score three runs. They scored another run in each of the next four innings, while the Garrett batsmen could do very little with the offerings of Conley. He made three of his team's 12 hits. Griffith, Martin second baseman, collected a triple and a homer. Vaughan and Dingus also made two hits each for the winners. Each team made one error.

Table with 4 columns: Name, AB, R, H, E. Rows include GARRETT (E. Murray, Childers, Nelson, Meade, Bukovich, Music, Beckelheim, W. De Murry, Lyons, Goodman) and MARTIN (Brown, Vincent, Turner, Griffith, Vaughan, Dingus, Pratt, Halbert, Conley, Click).

MAGOFFIN MAN PAID \$1,000 DEATH CLAIM Paid to Tinsley May, of Magoffin county, by the Commonwealth Life Insurance Company, Louisville, Ky., \$1,000 on the life of his wife, Ethel May.

CHILD DIES Orville, the five-year-old son of Homer Howard, died Monday of diarrhea. Burial was made in the Holbrook cemetery.

Revenue officers made a raid here Friday, trying to locate some moonshine stills, which they claim are very numerous. None was located. We hope they make another visit, and

Martin Theater Offers Grand Ole Opry Stars In Appearance Sunday

Heading one of the most popular units of the famous WSM Grand Ole Opry, Roy Acuff will make a personal appearance on Sunday, July 9, at Martin Theater.

Roy Acuff's company, the Smoky Mountain Boys, with Rachel, appear each Saturday night at 8:30 and 10:30 p. m., EST, on the WSM Grand Ole Opry at Nashville and during the week they appear in the leading theaters and auditoriums all over the country. Old-time music and songs with comedy are featured in the show and all members of the company took part in the performance.

The songs, "The Great Speckled Bird," "The Wabash Cannon Ball," "What Would You Do With Gabriel's Trumpet" and many others just as popular are sung at each performance by Roy Acuff. Roy is perhaps the best-known singer of old-time songs on the air today. He also plays the fiddle and is master of ceremonies of the entire show.

RETURN FROM WASHINGTON

Mrs. Olga M. Latta and son, Cliff, Jr., are home from Washington, D. C., where they have been with her parents, Congressman and Mrs. A. J. May, during the present session of Congress.

ANNOUNCEMENT!

We have taken the agency for the McGAHAN EXTERMINATING SERVICE—specializing in

TERMITE CONTROL

We use the TOX-EOL SYSTEM EXCLUSIVELY. Our expert and trained termite inspectors will be in your city TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY and THURSDAY of next week. Their inspection service is without cost or obligation to you. Telephone or write for further details. PRESTONSBURG PAINTSVILLE LOUISA

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PRESTONSBURG, KY. PAINTSVILLE LOUISA

AT THE MARTIN THEATRE

"Where the Crowds Go" SUNDAY, JULY 9th

ROY ACUFF AND THE SMOKY MOUNTAIN BOYS, with



RACHEL

all of WSM's famous Grand Ole Opry, featuring Old-time music and songs, interspersed with comedy. FOR ONE DAY ONLY—shows at 1, 3:30 and 8 p. m.

Follow the Crowds to the Martin Theater— GET IN ON THE FUN!

TRAVEL BULLETIN
TODAY'S ROADS



Prepared By
Eastern Kentucky Automobile Club

PENNSYLVANIA AND KENTUCKY HONOR STEPHEN FOSTER

Stephen Foster, the man whose songs are so native in character that they are generally considered to be the most American in expression, the tragic troubadour who sang for all America and all the world, has been commemorated with the finest memorial ever erected to a composer.

An interesting stop for Kentucky motorists, en route to the New York World's Fair or while touring the western part of Pennsylvania, should be the delicate Gothic Memorial to Foster.

The beloved composer of "Old Folks at Home" and "Gone With My Love Lies Dreaming" was born in Pittsburg, July 4, 1826. He lies buried in Pittsburg's historic Allegheny cemetery.

Surrounded by a "Village Green"—bright grass and native western Pennsylvania trees—such as Foster described in "Old Dog Tray"—the new year-old memorial stands in the shadow of the University's famed 42-story Cathedral of Learning. Half a million dollars for construction of the memorial was raised by the Tuesday Musical Club of Pittsburg, with the aid of music clubs and societies in 26 states. Designer of the memorial was Philadelphia's famed architect, Charles C. Klauder, who also planned the Cathedral of Learning and the Heinz Chapel for the new university campus.

Designed to serve a living musical purpose as well as to remind Pittsburg and America of their Stephen Foster heritage, the memorial is the permanent home of the Tuesday Musical Club. It is also the center of student musical activities, and public concerts are held in the building. Its auditorium seats 700 persons. Adjoining the memorial auditorium, connected by a cloistered passage, is a small shrine in which the collection of Foster manuscripts, personal belongings, and first editions are exhibited.

The shrine's collection is priceless. Gathered by Josiah K. Lilly, of Indianapolis, and presented to the University of Pittsburg "in trust for the people of America," the first editions, letters, manuscripts, pictures, and other Fosteriana attracts music lovers from every part of the world.

Included in the collection are 18 letters in Foster's own hand, most of them written to members of his own family, including his brother Morrison Foster, one of the few contemporaries to appreciate his genius. Foster's melodeon, only four and one-half octaves in range and hence not suitable to the fingering of a composer seeking a melody, is another of the priceless personal articles.

Foster's flute, too, is there. It was given to the University by the grandson of one of the composer's friends.

Some 500 phonograph recordings, embracing one of each of Foster's songs, are available in the memorial. One of particular interest is a Japanese version of "My Old Kentucky Home." Persons who visit the memorial are invited to listen to their heart's content to Foster Melodies sung or played by instrumental groups.

One of the rare personal effects in the collection is the pocketbook which Stephen Foster carried when he died. It contained only 38 cents in coins,

"shin plasters," and Civil War paper money. He was a poor man.

Few editions of Foster's songs are missing from the Lilly collection. "Old Folks at Home" is the most popular if the number of editions is to be the standard. Second most popular is "My Old Kentucky Home" and in third place is "Massa's in De Cold Ground"; for fourth place, "Old Black Joe" and "Oh, Susanna" are tied.

Josiah K. Lilly, donor of the collection, knew Foster's songs as a boy, and cherished a life-long fondness for them. He began his collection in 1930, and soon employed two research workers in the Library of Congress and eight in Foster Hall in Indianapolis. The collection is considered the most complete of its kind in the world. It will be well worth your time to include this memorial in your places to visit this summer or fall.

"Happy motoring."

KENTUCKY'S ROADS

US. 31-E—Construction southwest of Bardstown. Detour over Ky. 247 and 52.

US. 25—Closed near north city limits of Lexington.

US. 25-E—Construction between Middlesboro and Pineville; traffic advised to use 28-W.

US. 25-E—Construction from Somerset north to Science Hill.

US. 62—Underpass construction two miles east of Elizabethtown; short detour.

US. 34-W—Underpass construction in Fort Knox. Short detour.

US. 21—Bituminous surfacing between Richmond and McKee.

KY. 36—Bridge construction at Cynthiana, marked detour.

KY. 80—Bituminous surfacing from Russell Springs east to Pulaski county line.

US. 68—Benton-Eggner's Ferry road closed. Detour via KY. 98 to Hardin, KY. 95 to Benton.

KY. 35—Street construction in Lawrenceburg; 1 1/4-mile detour.

COMMISSIONER'S SALE

FLOYD CIRCUIT COURT

Frank Keathley and Cassie

Keathley, Plaintiff
Vs.—NOTICE OF SALE
Susan Parsons, etc., Defendants

By virtue of a judgment and order of sale of the Floyd Circuit Court rendered and entered at the April term, 1939, 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, on the 24 day of July, 1939, 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:

Situated on Tackett's Branch of Big Mud Creek, in Floyd county, Ky., and bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a stooped sycamore on the bank of said branch, same being a corner of John Hamilton's; thence up the hill with said Hamilton line straight to a planted stone at a black oak on a point; thence with said line up the center of the point to a planted stone on top of ridge; thence with ridge to a black oak (marked) in line of Bud and Cora Adkins; thence down the point with said Adkins line to a large rock at Tackett Branch; thence down and with said branch to the beginning.

Or a sufficiency thereof to produce the sum of \$200 with interest at six per cent per annum from August 22, 1927, and the further sum of \$75, 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 3 day of July, 1939.

J. D. BOND,
Master Commissioner,
Floyd Circuit Court.

Cost of Advertising, \$13.75

COMMISSIONER'S SALE

FLOYD CIRCUIT COURT

J. H. Nunnery, et al., Plaintiffs
Vs.—NOTICE OF SALE
Manis Conley, Defendant

By virtue of a judgment and order of sale of the Floyd Circuit Court rendered and entered at the April term, 1934, in the above-styled cause, I shall proceed to offer for sale at the courthouse door in Prestonsburg, Ky., to the highest and best bidder, at public auction, on the 24th day of July, 1939, 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:

A house and lot in the H. E. Stewart Addition to the city of Prestonsburg, known as Lot No. 7, and being the same property conveyed by the plaintiff, Hillard Goble, to the defendant, Manis Conley, on November 17, 1930.

To make the sum of \$106.08 with six per cent interest from September 17, 1932, and the further sum of \$100.00 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 3 day of July, 1939.

J. D. BOND,
Master Commissioner,
Floyd Circuit Court.

Cost of Advertising \$11.25

MARTIN

The Elliott Bible class was entertained by Mrs. Florence Crisp and Mrs. Borders in the latter's home last Tuesday. Ways and means of earning money were discussed and a bake sale was planned for July 15. Mrs. Demra Taylor acted as president in the absence of Mrs. Joe Allen.

On Friday evening several ladies met at the home of Mrs. Lon Hill for the purpose of organizing a Woman's Club here. Mrs. John W. Langley, of Pikeville, was a guest at the meeting.

Mrs. Alton Crisp has returned from Florida.

Mrs. Henry May and Mrs. Thomas Patrick were tea guests of Mrs. Joe Allen Thursday afternoon.

Miss Marguerite Culbertson and friends, of Pikeville, were guests of her aunt, Mrs. David Marrs, and Mr. Marrs and family.

Ralph Damron, Bobby Marshall and Thomas Edward Allen, with Joe Pendleton, returned from a fishing trip to Norris Dam last week.

Mrs. Chas. Marshall and Mrs. Clyde Stapleton were business visitors in Huntington.

Mr. and Mrs. Pat McQuinn spent the week-end with relatives in Kenova, W. Va.

Mr. and Mrs. Wade Hall spent Friday in Lexington.

Mrs. H. O. Wilson returned home last week after spending two weeks in Whitesburg, W. Va., with her father, who is very sick.

Kermit Allen continues to be very ill.

Mrs. Jay Hatton returned to her home in Ashland after several days spent here with her daughter and family. Mr. and Mrs. Park Francis.

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Gillespie returned to their home here after spending their vacation in Huntington.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Greer celebrated their wedding anniversary in Paintsville last Tuesday.

Mrs. Florence Crisp was a business visitor in Prestonsburg Saturday.

Misses Pattie Hatton and Marguerite Johns spent last week-end with Miss Naomi Childers, in Ashland.

Miss Charlene Vaughan returned to Ashland Sunday after several weeks spent here with her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Dingus were Sunday afternoon guests of Mr. and

Subscribe for THE TIMES.

Mrs. Logan Dingus. Mr. Dingus continues to be very ill.

Donna Jean Fitzpatrick is spending several days in Ashland with Anna Jean Hatton.

URGES BETTER USES OF PASTURE AND HAY

Pasture is Kentucky's lowest cost and most valuable feed, says the farm economics department of the State College of Agriculture. If pasture and hay crops are well managed, sheep and cattle make profitable gains with small amounts of grain. A pie is made not to over-crop, to mow small grain nurse crops to mulch the land, and to rotate pastures. Fall-seeded small grain prevents leaching and erosion and provides pasture.

Next to pasture, hay is Kentucky's most important forage. It is cheaper to provide shelter for hay than it is to bale it or leave it out in stacks or ricks. Saving of shock fodder and shredder fodder is emphasized. The man labor required for cutting, shocking and husking amounts to about 10 hours more per acre than for husking from the standing stalks. The value of the fodder for feed and bedding, the greater ease of seeding grass and small grain, and the cleaner feed for the hay crop provide good returns for the 10 hours of extra labor, it is declared.

A study which the Kentucky Experiment Station made of raising beef calves showed that the most successful farmers kept feed cost low by more fully utilizing pastures and low-grade roughage. In determining the cost of raising calves to weaning age, it was found that the cost of feeding the cow was 76 per cent of the total cost of the calf in the Bluegrass region, and 71 per cent of the gross cost in other sections of the state.

SHOWER OF NEEDLES IS STILL UNEXPLAINED

The rain of knitting needles in Harrodsburg in 1856 was one of the features of Robert Ripley's "Believe It Or Not" cartoon, published a few days ago in many of the large newspapers of the nation. Under Ripley's drawing was the following: "It rained knitting needles in Harrodsburg, Ky., in 1856. Thousands of them fell from the sky in a mysterious storm of steel. Cyclone wrecked a nearby factory."

Ripley was in error in one respect. It was never known where the knitting needles came from. There was no "nearby factory." In fact, no factory of that nature was known to be located anywhere in Kentucky at that time. With few newspapers, no telephones or telegraphs in that early day, news was slow in spreading and no account of the wrecking of a factory ever reached here.

However, there had been a hard storm during the night and it was supposed a factory had been wrecked somewhere by a cyclone and the knitting needles carried here by the wind which spent itself and dropped them over several acres of ground in the vicinity where the Lee Smock Lumber Company is now located. They were long, slender steel needles such as women of that day commonly used in knitting. Many families here had for years knitting needles gathered from the field, and used them.

Ripley secured the story from Miss Neva Williams, of Harrodsburg, who submitted it in a recent Ripley's "Believe It Or Not" contest, and received a cash award. Her father, the late J. B. Williams, as a lad of about twelve years, went to the field with his uncle, Joel Williams, and they brought back some of the knitting needles, a few of which are still owned by Miss Williams. They were recently displayed in the window of the Harrodsburg Herald office.

A number of years ago when doubts were expressed by several persons as to the truth of the story, several older men who had seen the phenomenon, such as Judge Thomas M. Cardwell, Fount Smalley, Isaac Person, Abe Stagg and others, made affidavit before a notary of the truth of the rain of knitting needles in Harrodsburg and their affidavit was published in The Herald at that time.

Many persons in other states and communities have clipped Ripley's cartoon from their newspapers and have sent them to friends here asking if the event he publicized is a fact.—Harrodsburg Herald.

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'ROBBING' NOT STEALING, NEWSPAPERMAN LEARNS

A reporter's lack of familiarity with mining terms caused this newspaper to say in last week's edition that Sherman Lawson had been "stealing" from the mine of the Southern Mining Co., when he was hurt instead of being engaged in "robbing" work in the mine.

The error resulted when the reporter re-wrote the story from another newspaper and inadvertently changed the wording and thereby the entire meaning of the story. The Sun regrets exceedingly this error and assures Mr. Lawson, who was engaged in proper work at the mines at the time he was injured, that it is taking every possible means to set the matter properly before its readers.

"Robbing" work in the mines is a term familiar to all residents of this section and to coal workers everywhere. It carries no reflection whatsoever on the worker engaged in this occupation and The Sun regrets that the term was changed so that some readers may have interpreted the story as casting reflections on the honesty and integrity of Mr. Lawson.—Pineville Sun.

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Committee Asks Addition Of Eastern Kentucky's Acreage To Jefferson National Forest

Frankfort, Ky., June 30—Dr. O. W. Thompson's suggestion in Washington today that the federal government acquire a major portion of 5,000,000 acres of Eastern Kentucky land was said by Director James E. Brown of the State Game and Fish Commission to be in line with efforts to extend the Jefferson National Forest from Virginia to take in Pike and Letcher county acreage and to develop the "Breaks of Big Sandy."

Dr. Thompson, whose home is in Pikeville, is chairman of the division's advisory commission, and is head of a committee endeavoring to interest the government in developing the "Breaks of Sandy," Brown added.

Brown said the proposed extension of the Jefferson Forest would take in more than 100,000 acres in the two

Kentucky counties. He added Dr. Thompson's suggestion to the joint Congressional committee on forestry probably was made in behalf of the Big Sandy scheme.

"However, there are more than 100,000 acres in Eastern Kentucky where the land is not fit for anything except forestry and wild life conservation," Brown declared. "There is little coal or oil on it that can be produced commercially and the land has been burned and chopped over."

"There are in all about 8,000,000 acres in that part of the state that would be ideal for a preserve for big game, such as deer and bear, requiring a wide range. Much of this land is tillable and that territory could be developed into a huge game preserve without interfering with the cultivation already there."

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SHERIFF'S SALE

Notice is hereby given that an order to satisfy a fee bill of \$8.75, and an execution of \$29.30 for cost, in the case of Layne vs. Layne, which issued from the clerk's office of the Court of Appeals, dated May 27, 1939, I, or one of my deputies will, on Monday, July 24, 1939, at the front door of the courthouse, in the city of Prestonsburg, Ky., expose to public sale, to the highest and best bidder, on a credit of three months with bond of approved surety, having the force and effect of a judgment, the following described property, or so much thereof to make the aforesaid amounts, and \$30, the probable cost of this sale, viz:

All right, title, claim, interest, both legal and equitable of Elbert S. Layne in and to the following described tract of land: Lot No. 1, lying and being in Floyd county, Ky., and just below the mouth of Tom's Creek on the east side of Sandy river; Beginning at an elm in front of the residence of John S. Layne; thence running down the hill N 8 45 W 129 feet to the state highway right-of-way; thence running down the river with the line of said right-of-way to a stake, witnessed by a very large sycamore, bearing N 85 35 W 149 feet and to the Fitzpatrick line; thence running up the old road-bed with said line, S 7 E 334 feet; S 10 30 E 213 feet; S 4 W 201 feet; S 10 35 W 277 feet; S 11 E 220 feet to the beginning, so as to include all land in said boundary.

Levied upon as the property of Elbert S. Layne this the 29th day of June, 1939.
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BY Lackey Salisbury, D. S.
Cost of advertising, \$9.00.

THE GARDEN

By JOHN S. GARDNER
Kentucky College of Agriculture

THE TURN OF THE YEAR

As do business men, so gardeners begin a new year in July; rather, in July a new phase of the garden begins. In the early spring, when the first seed was sown, the aim was to produce as quickly as possible fresh green vegetables to replace those preserved or stored for the winter, and the appetite for which has become just a bit blunted. That phase is past; production is under way to keep the daily table supplied, and the opportunity has come to look to providing for next winter.

The vegetables laid by for winter use and for which arrangements must be made now are beans, tomatoes,

cabbage, beets and white potatoes.

Beginning with beans, it may be that the custom has been followed to can a few quarts now and then as surpluses offered, but if it appears that not enough surplus will occur, the bean plantings during July may be doubled to provide it. Stringless Greenpod is an excellent variety with which to continue, but the new Stringless Refuge outyields it.

In passing the reminder should be given that as the summer advances, the campaign against the Mexican bean beetle becomes more intense, and gardeners should stay alert to spray or dust when the first egg-clusters are seen on any planting of beans, and to follow the 10-day schedule developed by the Kentucky Experiment Station. It should be unnecessary to add that only the recommended control materials be used, and always, and only, on the under surfaces of the leaves.

Gardeners who have failed to provide for later tomatoes to come in when the fruits of the present planting become small and sour, still have a fair chance to make good the oversight, but they must act promptly. Early varieties, as Break O' Day, Bonny Best, Chalk's Jewel, started "in place," July 1, in a fair season, should make a few ripe fruits before frost, and green tomatoes to ripen indoors or used in catsup, preserves or pickles.

Late cabbage, similarly, may still be started, but rather than use the standard late sorts, All-Seasons, Succession or Copenhagen Market should be the varieties. The seed should be sown in groups, "in place," to evade the hazard that sometimes attends transplanting in late July or early August.

Beets may be started in early July to make excellent roots to store, or at least "baby" beets can. Keeping in mind that the season may not be particularly favorable, and because of the late start, anyhow, Crosby's Egyptian should be the variety.

Some weeks ago, late potatoes were here discussed, but this reminder is prompted by the presence in almost all parts of Kentucky, of seed of Green Mountain, the variety then recommended. Planted before July 15, and given a fair season, Green Mountain makes heavy yields, provided, of course, that the gardener has done his part in providing all the advantages professional potato growers have learned are essentials.

The increased activity of the Mexican beetle during this phase of the garden has been touched upon, but the same is true of all insects, whose injury may be intensified by the slower growth of the vegetables resulting from the customary curtailment of rain in this season. But, alertness to use the correct measures against them should still defeat the insects.

Again, because of moisture shortage, the endeavors of gardeners should be directed to conserve what moisture there is, by cultivating only shallowly, and by refraining from making labor-wasting hills and ridges.

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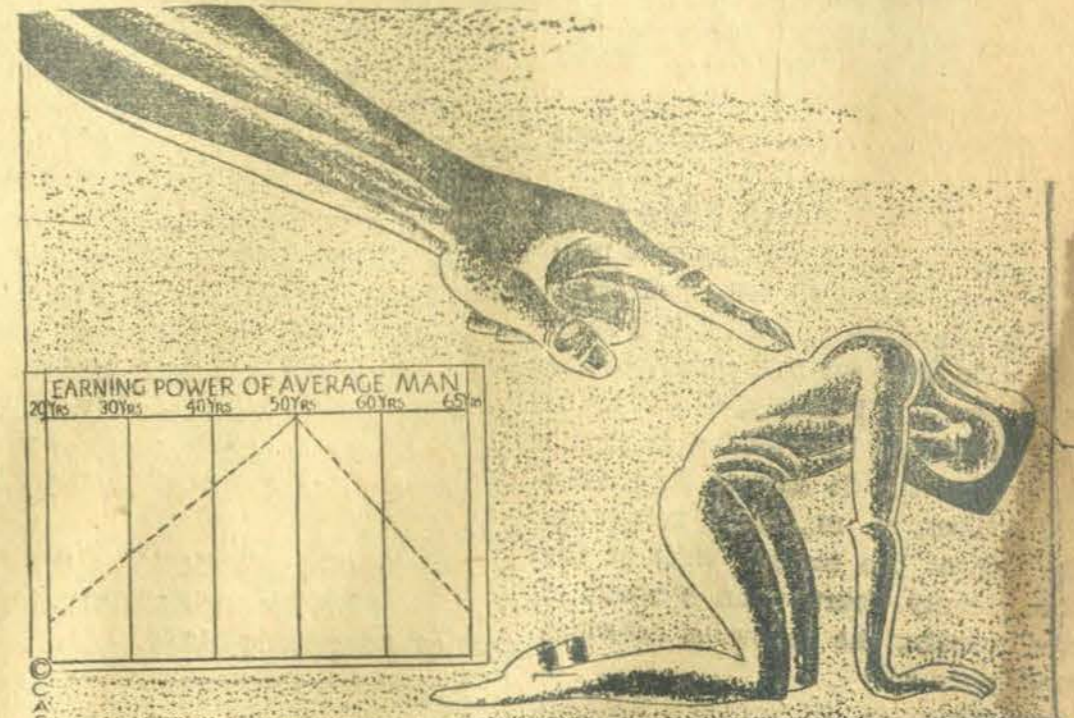
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Five Held in Gibson Death

(Continued from page one)

Though Bryant and Slone had been drinking with the others in Wayland and had followed on up Mill Creek, it was said here Monday that, if there was any claim that they had any part in the fatality, it must be supplied by the family of the victim.

Relatives of Gibson expressed the belief that he had been struck with an axe and that he had been robbed.

Mr. Gibson is survived by his widow, Mrs. Lettie Gibson; two daughters, Mrs. Margaret Hall and Mrs. Elizabeth Gibson; four sons, Hiram, Vernice, Kay, and Dave Gibson; three brothers, Dave, Jess, and Miles M. Gibson, and two sisters, Mrs. Nancy Gibson and Mrs. Nig Gibson. All his survivors live at Raven, Knott county.

Funeral services were conducted from the home Tuesday afternoon, with the Rev. Clabe Mosley officiating. Burial was made in the Gibson cemetery, under the direction of the Ryan Funeral Home.

COMMISSIONER'S SALE

FLOYD CIRCUIT COURT

Baldwin Piano Company... Plaintiff
Vs.—NOTICE OF SALE
E. C. Slade... Defendant

By virtue of a judgment and order of sale of the Floyd Circuit Court rendered and entered at the April term, 1939, in the above styled cause I shall proceed to offer for sale at the courthouse door in Prestonsburg, Ky., to the highest and best bidder, at public auction, on the 24 day of July, 1939, at 1 o'clock, p. m., same being the first day of the regular term of the Floyd County Court, upon a credit of three months, the following described property, to-wit:

One Style G Mahogany Baldwin Grand Piano No. 63726.

Said sale will be made to satisfy a judgment in the above-styled case for the sum of \$515.00 with interest thereon from April 1, 1933, until paid, and the costs of this action.

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 3 day of July, 1939.

J. D. BOND,
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Floyd Circuit Court

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SHERIFF'S SALE

Notice is hereby given that in order to satisfy execution No. 8235, issued from the office of the clerk of the Floyd Circuit Court, dated June 7, 1939, issued for debt and cost, in the case of City of Prestonsburg, Ky., vs. Maggie Leete, Edith James and Tom James, I, or one of my deputies will, on Monday, July 24, 1939, at or near the hour of 1 p. m., at the front door of the courthouse, Prestonsburg, Ky., offer at public sale to the highest and best bidder, on a credit of three months, with bond of approved surety, the following described real estate, or so much thereof to make \$574.65 with 6 per cent interest from September 1, 1923; \$11.09 with interest from January 1, 1937; \$32.91 with interest from January 1, 1939, and \$50.00 probable cost of sale, viz:

All the right, title and interest and claim, both legal and equitable of Maggie Leete in and to the following described real estate:

Lying and being in Floyd county Ky., in the city of Prestonsburg, Ky., beginning at S.E. corner of Lot No. 14 in Block No. 2 of the Weddington property as shown by the plat of same, at the intersection of Third street (Lower Cross Street in said town), and Riverside avenue a N.W. course 203 feet to the N.E. corner of Lot No. 7, Block No. 2; thence a straight line a west course to Big Sandy river; thence a southern course up the river 203 feet to the lower line of Fifth street (Lower Cross street in said town); thence with the line of said Fifth street and east course to beginning, containing all of lots Nos. 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17 and 17 and 70 feet on the south end of lots 1, 2, 3, and 4 in Block 2 of the Weddington property.

This property will be sold subject to existing mortgages of record.

Levied upon as the property of Maggie Leete, this the 27 day of June, 1939.

DIAL SALISBURY, S. F. C.
By Lackey Salisbury, D. S.

Cost of advertising \$12.75.

SHERIFF'S SALE

Public notice is hereby given that in order to satisfy execution No. 8232, directed to me, which issued from the office of the clerk of the Floyd Circuit Court, dated July 3, 1939, in the case of T. S. Meade vs. Saille M. Stephens, Penn Fitzpatrick and J. H. Fitzpatrick, for debt and cost, I, or one of my deputies will, on Monday, July 24, 1939, at or about the hour of 1 p. m., at the front door of the courthouse, Prestonsburg, Ky., expose to public sale to the highest and best bidder, on a credit of three months, with bond of approved surety, the following described real estate, or a sufficiency thereof to make \$300.00, with 6 per cent interest from November 9, 1932 until paid; \$12.55, and \$30.00 probable cost of this sale, viz:

All the right, title and interest, both legal and equitable, of Penn Fitzpatrick in and to that certain tract of land lying and being in Floyd county, Ky., on Abbott Creek, beginning in the county road with the line of H. T. Hill up the point to the top of the ridge and with said ridge between Abbott Creek and Little Paint Creek; thence with the ridge to the line of Purity Cannel Coal Company; thence with said line to the line of Napier heirs; thence with Napier line to the line of Walter Hatcher, et. al., thence with the line of said Walter Hatcher to county road; thence down the road to the place of the beginning, so as to include all the land in said boundary.

Title recorded in deed book 98, page 555, records of Floyd county court clerk. (Only the one-half interest of Penn Fitzpatrick will be sold).

Levied upon as the property of Penn Fitzpatrick this the 3rd day of July, 1939.

DIAL SALISBURY, S.F.C.
By Lackey Salisbury, D. S.

Cost of Advertising \$11.50.

Floyd Students Safe

(Continued from page one)

Mrs. Canna Amburgey, 46, and two daughters, Marjorie, 13, and Erva Lee, 6.

Mrs. Lula Mae Perry Collins, 32, and daughter, Maggie Frances, 12.

Sylvia Lee Perry, 16, sister of Mrs. Collins.

Mrs. Walter McRoberts, 24.

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An unidentified woman about 35.

In Breathitt county,
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CLEAR CR. COPS FIRST HALF FLAG

Independence Day Victory Over Shelby, Clincher For Floyd Team

The Clear Creek "Rockets" clinched the first-half of the Big Sandy League pennant by defeating Shelby, 6-2, Independence Day. Newman pitched seven-hit ball for the winners and came through with a timely triple to drive in the first run.

Clear Creek beat Elkhorn City three 6 to 2 Sunday afternoon in a brilliantly pitched game by Buck Stumbo. The Elkhorn City twirlers were nicked for 11 hits by the Clear Creek Rockets, every local boy getting at least one hit. Teddy and Kit Stumbo led the Clear Creek line-up with two hits each, while Ramey and Swinney did likewise for the visitors. Elkhorn City scored one in the first and their last marker in the seventh. Clear Creek was held scoreless for the first four innings, jumping on Barrowman for four runs in the fifth to put the game on ice. Extra runs were added by Clear Creek in the sixth and eighth innings.

The box-score:
ELKHORN CITY AB R H E
Ratiff, rf. 4 0 0 0
Ramey, 3b. 4 1 2 0
Deskins, ss. 4 0 0 2
Roberts, c. 3 1 1 0
Mullins, 2b.-p. 4 0 0 1
Swinney, cf. 4 0 2 0
Potter, lf. 3 0 1 0
Sexton, 1b. 4 0 1 0
Barrowman, p. 1 0 0 1
Crum, 2b. 2 0 0 0
33 2 7 4

CLEAR CREEK AB R H E

T. Stumbo, cf. 5 1 2 0
I. Stumbo, rf. 5 0 1 0
K. Stumbo, 1b. 4 1 2 0
Vance, c. 4 1 1 2
B. Stumbo, p. 3 0 1 0
M. Stumbo, 2b. 4 0 1 0
Geo. Stumbo, 3b. 3 0 1 1
Glid Stumbo, ss. 4 2 1 1
H. Stumbo, lf. 4 1 1 0
36 6 11 4

ALLEN DOES IT AGAIN

Allen defeated Wheelwright in an Independence Day game, 7-4, at Wheelwright.

Allen defeated Shelby, 8-7, Sunday afternoon at Allen, giving the winners a slight chance to overtake Clear Creek in the first-half pennant chase of the Big Sandy League.

Allen took a three-run lead early in the game, scoring a run in the first and two more in the second. In the first half of the third inning, Shelby chased Sherman, Allen pitcher, off the mound, scoring four runs and taking the lead, 4-3. Allen knotted the score in the fifth, and Shelby came back in the sixth to take the lead, 5-4. Allen scored two in the last half of the sixth, giving them the lead, 6-5. Shelby went scoreless in the seventh while Allen was pushing another run across, putting them out in front, 7-5. Shelby tied the count again in the eighth, and in the last half of this inning Allen scored two runs to put them in the lead, 9-7.

Allen pitchers registered 13 strikeouts against Shelby, with Evans, who relieved Sherman in the third, fanning eight in the five innings he worked. Hall, Allen first-sacker, collected three off Venters, Shelby pitcher, and Patton got two-for-five. Calhoun, Weddle and Caudill each got two hits for Shelby.

Box-score:
SHELBY AB R H E
C. Moore, ss. 3 2 0 0
Calhoun, 2b. 5 1 2 1
Venters, cf. 4 1 1 1
Weddle, cf. 4 1 2 0
Caudill, 1b. 4 1 2 0
J. Moore, lf. 3 0 0 0
Henderson, rf. 4 0 1 0
B. Sullivan, 3b. 4 0 1 0
J. Sullivan, c. 4 1 1 0
Mullins 1 0 1 1
Tackett** 0 0 0 0
36 7 11 3

*Batted for J. Sullivan in ninth.
**Batted for B. Sullivan in ninth.

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ALLEN AB R H E
Crum, ss. 3 2 1
Stumbo, lf. 4 0 1 0
Patton, 2b. 5 1 2 0
Mosley, 3b. 3 1 0 0
Prater, c. 4 0 0 1
Hall, 1b. 4 1 3 0
Goble, cf. 3 1 0 0
Woods, rf. 4 1 1 0
Sherman, p. 1 0 0 1
Evans, p. 3 2 1 0
Gibson* 0 0 0 0
Leslie, p. 0 0 0 0
34 9 9 2

*Ran for Evans in eighth.

SENTENCE UPHOLD

Twenty-one-year pen sentence of Harry G. Hopkins, received at the hands of a Floyd circuit court jury, was upheld by a Court of Appeals decision recently. Hopkins killed Dewey Salisbury, former Floyd deputy sheriff.

Buses Purchased

Wednesday of this week, which was attended by about 150 rural teachers for the coming year, featured an address by John W. Brooker, state director of the department of buildings and grounds and candidate in the coming election for state superintendent of schools. He delivered the commencement address at the county-wide graduation exercises here a year ago. Talks also were made by Supt. Hall, Attendance Officers Stanley Combs and Leonard Martin, Police Judge Alex Spradlin, Rural Supervisor Palmer L. Hall, and H. R. Brown, secretary of the Kentucky Education Association.

Teachers at the meeting voted unanimously to join the K. E. A. and the E. K. E. A. and preparations were made for rural schools to begin next Monday. During the coming term, the five outstanding rural teachers will be selected, as they were last year. Supt. Hall said.

ABIGAIL THEATER
PRESTONSBURG, KY.

FRIDAY—DOUBLE FEATURE—
"Secret Service of the Air"
R. Reagan, John Littel.

"Zero Hour"
Freida Inescourt, Otto Kruger.

SATURDAY—
"Spoilers of the Range"
CHAS. STARRETT.

SATURDAY, 3 and 10 P. M.—
"Off the Record"
Pat O'Brien, Joan Blondell.

SUNDAY AND MONDAY—
"Dodge City"
Errol Flynn, Olivia DeHaviland.

TUESDAY and WEDNESDAY—
"The Gorilla"
Ritz Bros., Anita Louise, Patsy Kelly.

THURSDAY—
"Nancy Drew, Trouble Shooter"
Bonita Granville, John Littel, Freddie Thomas.

KENTUCKY THEATRE
GARRETT, KY.

SATURDAY, JULY 1—
"Six Gun Trail"
TIM McCoy.

"Spider's Web" No. 9 AND COMEDY.

SUNDAY AND MONDAY—
"Stagecoach"
Claire Trevor, Andy Devine, John Wayne, George Bancroft. LATEST PATHE NEWS and SELECTED SHORTS.

TUESDAY—
"Girl and the Gambler"
Steffi Duna, Leo Carillo, Tim Holt. Also DAREDEVILS OF RED CIRCLE No. 5.

WEDNESDAY—
"Slums of New York"
Mickey Rooney, Forrest Stanley, Dorothy Revier. Also CARTOON.

THURSDAY—
"Blind Alley"
Chester Morris, Ralph Bellomy, Jean Perry and Rose Stanner. Also Floyd Gibbons' True Experiences.

FRIDAY—
"In Old Caliente"
Roy Rogers, Mary Hart and Leon Errol. COMEDY.

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SHERIFF'S SALE

In order to satisfy execution No. 6 directed to me from the clerk's office of the Pike Circuit Court, dated July 17, 1939, in the case of the Kentucky Wholesale Company vs. J. W. Sturgill, I, or one of my deputies will, on Monday, July 24, 1939, at or about the hour of 1 o'clock, p. m., at the front door of the courthouse, Prestonsburg, Ky., expose to public sale, on a credit of three months, with bond of approved surety, all the right, title, interest and claim, both legal and equitable, of John W. Sturgill in and to the following described property, viz: (Amount to be raised, \$169.40, plus cost of sale).

Lying and being in Floyd county, Kentucky, on Toler's Creek, bounded by Will Sturgill; on the east by Pike county line; on the south by Pike

county line; on the north by J. W. Robinson.

Levied upon as the property of J. W. Sturgill, this the 23th day of June, 1939.

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FOR MAYOR

After the solicitation of a number of citizens of the town of Prestonsburg, I have decided to make the race for Mayor. Of course, I am asking the support of the citizens of the town.

In the language of Edgar Guest, "It matters not whether it be large or small, The home town is the best town, after all."

My platform—Justice to all, discrimination to none.

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Will give his views on the major problems before the people of Kentucky in an address over Radio Station WHAS, Louisville, at 6:45 (Central time) FRIDAY, JULY 7.

CLAUDE P. STEPHENS

—FOR—

CIRCUIT JUDGE



TO THE VOTERS OF THE 31st JUDICIAL DISTRICT:

I am a candidate in the Democratic primary for the nomination for Circuit Judge. Any rumor that I would not be a candidate is unfounded.

The people of the district are demanding a change in the court, in the hope that it will be better. A good court is the bulwark of the freedom of the individual. Every man should stand equal before the law and should have a fair and impartial trial. When our courts become corrupt under the domination of others, then the very foundation of society begins to crumble.

I promise if elected to strive with all my power to be a righteous judge, to the extent of my ability, training and experience. You can judge what I will do by my past record.

I have practiced law twenty-five years. I was trained in the school of experience and my lot has been one of toil and privation. My father died when I was sixteen years of age. I had to go to work to help those dependent on me. I served as court stenographer several years. I was appointed County Attorney by the late Beverly C. May, then County Judge, upon the death of the late Hon. W. Lee Roberts. Elected then to serve out the remainder of his term, was defeated for re-election by the Hon. W. W. Williams. I was later elected and re-elected Commonwealth's Attorney. For the past six years I have served under appointment by President Roosevelt as Assistant United States Attorney.

In all of these positions, I defy any one to show where I failed to act for the best interest of my constituents.

Do you find fault with me for doing my simple duty? Will you cripple the enforcement by denouncing those who do their duty? Will you say to all your men: Don't do your duty. If you do, the people won't stand by you.

Such a situation would be alarming indeed. I believe the fair-minded people of this district have and will applaud and uphold the hands of the officers who conscientiously do their duty.

So believing, I have no doubt of my election. The plain and humble and women of this district want to make sure this time. They want a court once in a lifetime. They are rallying to my support as never before. Before election time rolls round, the poor, the needy, the lowly, the underprivileged, the oppressed, those who labor in the bowels of the earth and on the farms, and in the counting house, who look forward for a chance and the day when he shall have a better place in which to live and better living conditions—those who do not hold a grudge above their civic duty—will form an invincible army that will march to the polls to express their will for a man they know will do his duty, who has fought a good fight and has kept the faith.

Your friend,

CLAUDE P. STEPHENS (Pol. Adv.)