

Thirteenth Year

## ESTIMATED 7,000 AT COUNTY FAIR HERE LAST WEEK

### Varied Exhibits, Interest in Fair Exceeds Expectations of Sponsors

## 1940 FAIR PLANNED 'THREE TIMES BIGGER'

### Prizewinners Listed; Saturday's Crowd Near Record for Prestonsburg

An estimated 7,000 persons during last Friday and Saturday visited the Floyd County Fair and viewed livestock and exhibits representative of every phase of agriculture of the county.

Though the school gymnasium was thronged by fair-visitors during the two days, crowds there did not represent the actual attendance, the livestock exhibit at the Prestonsburg stockyards, half a mile away, attracting many farmers.

Saturday's crowd, largest of the two days, was only slightly smaller, it was estimated, than the last Fourth of July through which was attracted here by a free wrestling act and parachute jump, together with other attractions.

Length and breadth of the gymnasium here was filled with samples of products of the soil, antiques, needle-

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## Trio Charged With Robbery Are Victims of Swift Justice

Shortly after the last of a trio charged with the robbery of Bennie Poe's store on Middle Creek had been jailed Tuesday, Circuit Judge John Caudill empaneled a special grand jury which promptly indicted the three, and within an hour each had been given a one-year pen term on their pleas of guilty.

It is believed that arrest of an accused man, his indictment a few hours later by a specially-empaneled grand jury and his conviction on the same day constitute a precedent in Kentucky jurisprudence.

The three—Woodrow England, Tommy Davis and Ellis Whitaker—were

## This Town... That World

### WATSON—THE NEEDLE!

Never let it be said that "Hobby" (Curtis Hobson, of Middlesboro, formerly of Prestonsburg) didn't catch anything on his fishing trip to Norris Dam.

All he did was to arch his River Runt out into the lake, and start hauling away. Yeah, he had him—a dead man!

So Hobby found himself right in the middle of a murder mystery. The body evidently had been in the water for three or four months; the feet were tied together and his mouth had been taped. To complete the gruesome details—the arms were missing, as was the skin from exposed parts of the body.

Item for Middlesboro newspapers: Curtis Hopson, Middlesboro dental laboratory owner, recently returned after a BRIEF fishing trip to Norris Dam.

### IN THE MAIL

Somebody up at Bypro took the Colyum's recent paragraph about the "Funnies" rather seriously, 'twould seem. Even if we do have to say that "the customer is always right," we enjoyed his letter, which reads:

"Town-World Editor: I agree with you (Oct. 12 edition), a funny paper is not what it used to be, but why pick on Dick Tracy in the same edition you announce his personal appearance at Martin?

"Strange action, I say, and I wonder

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## MRS. MARY ARNOLD, VICTIM OF APOPLEXY AT ALLEN SATURDAY

Mrs. Mary Arnold, 68 years old, wife of Bill Arnold, of Allen, died suddenly Saturday morning, after suffering a stroke of apoplexy.

At the time of her death, Mrs. Arnold was at the home of a neighbor, Mrs. Dick Harrison, and was preparing to come to Prestonsburg. After she had gone upstairs to get her purse, Mrs. Harrison heard her scream. By the time Mrs. Harrison had reached her side, Mrs. Arnold had died.

The victim was a native of Virginia and for the past several years had lived at Allen. Before moving there she had lived here.

Surviving, besides her husband, are two daughters, Mrs. Keller, of Cavaretta, W. Va., and Mrs. Woody, of East LaPorte, N. C.

The body was brought to the Arnold Funeral Home here, to await the arrival of her daughters. Funeral services were held there Monday afternoon, with the Revs. Campbell Jeffries and Isaac Stratton officiating. Burial was made in the Richmond cemetery here, with the Arnold Funeral Home in charge.

### SUFFERS STROKE

Fred H. Cottrell, Prestonsburg merchant sustained a paralytic stroke at his home here Tuesday. Though Mr. Cottrell's condition is serious, his many friends are hopeful of his recovery.

## SAM L. SPRADLIN CALLED BY DEATH

### City Official Succumbs at Home Here of Heart Ailment

A heart ailment from which he had suffered for the last eight years resulted in the death at his home here Wednesday morning of Samuel L. Spradlin, member of the Prestonsburg City Council and one of the town's best-loved men.

Though Mr. Spradlin's condition during the last two weeks had caused his friends and relatives much concern, his passing came as a distinct shock.

A son of the late Samuel and Elizabeth Friend Spradlin, he was born and reared here. His worth as a citizen, together with his unflinching courtesy and geniality which marked his character, endeared him to every acquaintance. He was a member of the Methodist Church and of the Masonic order.

Mr. Spradlin had been Councilman here for several terms, and was a candidate for re-election at the time of his passing. Years ago, he was connected with a newspaper here. Later, he was a traveling salesman until ill health forced his retirement. He also was a veteran of the Spanish-American War.

Surviving him are his widow, Mrs. Lydia Davidson Spradlin; three sons, Greenville R., W. A. and Joe Alex Spradlin, all of Prestonsburg; and two daughters, Mrs. J. W. Hensley, Prestonsburg, and Mrs. Mark G. Nicholls, Webster Springs, W. Va. He also leaves one brother, Alex M. Spradlin, Prestonsburg; one sister, Mrs. Rachel Robinson, Crowder, Okla.; one half-brother and one half-sister; Edward Darby, of Perry county, and Mrs. Kate May, of Oklahoma. Funeral arrangements had not been completed when THE TIMES was published.

## BLACKCATS LOSE TO RUSSELL, 12-6

### Fourth-Quarter Touchdown Defeats Local Team Saturday

Scoring a touchdown in the waning minutes of the final quarter, Coach Lloyd Patterson's Russell eleven defeated the Prestonsburg Blackcats, 12-6, Saturday afternoon on the local field.

The visitors scored early in the opening period, the result of a bad pass from Gunnels. Prestonsburg center. After the Blackcat offensive had stalled on their own 37-yard line, they elected to punt. Layne, who did most of the kicking for the local eleven, picked the pass off the ground, and the hard-charging Russell line partially blocked the punt. Angling toward the sideline, the ball traveled about 15 yards in the air. It was taken

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## Navy Star, Prestonsburg Boy

In the Navy-Dartmouth football game, according to the Baltimore newspapers (for clippings from which we are indebted to T. Y. Harmon, former Prestonsburg boy who is now a Baltimore resident), Lou (Harkey) Mayo went into the real estate business in a big way.

Says the Baltimore Sunday American:

"... he covered enough real estate to win several ball games, but Navy was always on the wrong side of the 50-yard line.

"Mayo carried the ball 18 times for a total of 116 yards and an average of 6.4 yards per carry. He made runs of 18, 20 and 28 yards. He failed to gain on only three of his eighteen tries. In short, he was the outstanding individual on the field, and it was a downright shame that he didn't get a chance to score."

The Baltimore Evening Sun:

"Lou Mayo, the Navy's smart run-

## WOMEN'S CLUBS WILL MEET HERE

### Members of Seventh District Will Convene in Prestonsburg Friday Morning

Annual meeting of the Seventh district Kentucky Federated Women's Clubs will convene at the Methodist Church here Friday morning at 10 o'clock, with state and district officers and delegates from eight Eastern Kentucky clubs in attendance.

Mrs. John W. Langley, Pikeville, district governor, will preside. The day's program follows:

Organ recital by Mrs. Chalmer Frazier; invocation, the Rev. W. B. Garriott; "America the Beautiful," by hostess club, Mrs. Chalmer Frazier, director, Mrs. J. D. Thomas, pianist; introduction of state officers and distinguished guests; greetings by Miss Minnie Grace Harris; response, Mrs. Lon Wellman; reports of committees; Nominations and Elections, Mrs. Wilma May, chairman, Mrs. Emmett Fields, Mrs. M. M. Collins, Mrs. Ruth Sowards; Credentials—Mrs. French Hawk, chairman, Mrs. Will Stewart, Miss Pearl Runyon.

Reports of club presidents: Whitesburg, Mrs. John Emerson Lewis; Jenkins, Mrs. Frank Merrill; Jenkins Junior club, Mrs. John Webb; Pikeville, Mrs. E. D. Stephenson; Prestonsburg, Mrs. J. D. Thomas; Lackey-Garrett, Mrs. W. T. Hatcher; Maytown, Mrs. W. W. Cooley; Martin, Mrs. Corrine Allen Hill.

Governor's report, Mrs. John W. Langley; address of state president, Mrs. T. C. Carroll; announcements and election of officers; adjournment for luncheon.

Group singing, high school glee club, directed by Mrs. Frazier; solo, Franklin Moore; piano solo, Miss Helen Conaway; duet, Mrs. Edith F. James, Mrs. Claude P. Stephens;

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## CLUB TO SPONSOR GOOD-WILL TOUR

### P.C.B.A. Will Send Motorcade to Beaver Sections Wednesday

A Good-Will motorcade to all Floyd communities of the Right and Left Beaver sections will be sponsored Wednesday, November 1, by the Prestonsburg Co-Operative Business Association, it was announced this week.

The trip will be marked by short programs, conducted in each town visited. Automobiles of members of the Association and other interested citizens were being enrolled this week for service during the day.

The Good-Will tour is being sponsored, business association officials explain, in pursuance of the program conducted over the last year by Prestonsburg business and professional men who have been giving concrete evidence of their goodwill to all sections of the county.

## ATTACK IS FATAL TO G. B. ONEY, WAYLAND, AT NEIGHBOR'S HOME

Returning home from church and while sitting at the home of a neighbor, reading from his Bible, G. B. Oney, 43 years old, miner, suffered a heart seizure Sunday afternoon, dying at 1 p. m. shortly afterward. The end came within a few minutes after Dr. Dillard, a nearby physician, summoned to Mr. Oney's aid, had reached him.

A native of White Oak, Morgan county, Mr. Oney had resided for the last 20 years at Wayland, where he was well and favorably known.

Surviving him are his widow, Mrs. Buncle Martin Oney, and one son, Forrest. Funeral rites were conducted Wednesday from the Church of Christ, Wayland, the Rev. Bill Sparks and the Reverend Woods officiating. Burial was made at Estill under the direction of the Ryan Funeral Home.

## LAYNE ESCAPES CRASH WITH MINOR INJURIES

Virgil Layne, Prestonsburg, truck-driver for C. H. Smith, Gulf Refining Company distributor here, escaped with minor injuries when his truck crashed into the hillside on Abbot mountain Tuesday afternoon. The truck, laden with gasoline, was badly wrecked.

It was said that the steering gear of the truck broke, making the truck unmanageable. Young Layne was taken to a Paintsville hospital. He suffered head lacerations and bruises about the body.

## 'Antique' Table Not So Old--Or It Would Have Collapsed

All right, if you never saw a shoe jack, a Congress gaiter, a dulcimer, a loom, a flax wheel, et cetera—well, it's your own fault.

These and many more you could have seen, had you attended the Floyd county fair here over the weekend.

T. S. Ratliff, Langley, brought—too late to enter the competition for a prize a vase, said to have been made in 1612—whew! how long ago!—that was an eye-puller.

Next in the line of antiquity was the 800-year-old pitcher exhibited by Glenn Robinette, schoolboy. Whose and what pretty lips have touched it! There also was the 100-year-old

## RED CROSS SEEKS RECORD ROLL CALL

### Chapters Throughout Kentucky Prepare for Annual Drive

Red Cross chapters in every section of Kentucky continued the past week their preparations for the annual Kentucky Rollcall, November 11 to November 30, in which opportunity is to be given every adult in the state to become a member of the organization, according to information coming from local and field workers.

While the local field was being prepared for the campaign, which starts Armistice Day, work in the wider field of the American Red Cross was not overlooked. For instance, Mrs. Edward B. McLean, wife of the Cincinnati publisher, opened her home in the national capital for instruction of Red Cross workers in making surgical bandages and dressings. Chairman Norman H. Davis announced at Washington an appropriation of a million dollars in Red Cross funds to finance relief needs in Europe.

Supplies for use in this European relief work will be purchased in the United States. For relief work in this war-stricken field the Polish National Alliance of America has contributed \$150,000.

John L. Lewis, president of the C.I.O., and William Green, president of the A.F.L., agree at least on one thing. Both issued the past week strong appeals to their respective organizations to back the American Red Cross to the limit of their abilities.

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## RANSELL CALLS FOR MORE NURSES AS POLIO SPREADS

### Twenty Cases Reported Last Week Brings Malady Total to 50

## TOTAL OF SUFFERERS MAY REACH 150, SAID

### Additional Nurses Needed To Give Expert Early Attention to Convalescents

A call for additional nursing service to meet the emergency created by the infantile paralysis epidemic in Floyd county was made upon the State Board of Health this week by Dr. Marvin Ransdell, director of the Floyd county health department.

The need for more nurses became apparent last week, Dr. Ransdell said, as 20 more cases of polio were reported, bringing the total number of sufferers from the malady up to 50.

"If there ever was a public health emergency," the health director said, "this, it seems to me, surely is one. These children who have suffered from the disease and yet live must have expert attention and care till they can be taken to the Crippled Children's hospital, if they are not to be hopelessly crippled."

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## Court House Happenings

### SUITS FILED

Koppers Coal Co. vs. Lindsey Compton; Combs & Combs, attys. Ollie Jarvis vs. Elbie Jarvis; W. C. Goble, atty. Jno. C. Stephens vs. Business Men's Assurance Co.; C. P. Stephens, atty. Clara Fitzpatrick vs. Amos Fitzpatrick; J. C. Burnett, atty. Virginia Lee Mosley vs. Sam Mosley; W. C. Goble, atty.

### MARRIAGE LICENSES

Everett Spears, 21, Thealka, and Olive Lyons, 21, Thealka; marriage solemnized by the Rev. Raleigh Long, Pentecostal Church, Paintsville, October 18. Claude Hall and Wilma Keathley. Andy Cox and Lillian Osborn. George Gray and Stacey Hammonds.

### FORMER FLOYD MAN, AUTO WRECK VICTIM

Injured in an automobile accident near Upper Sandusky, O., Charles Risner, 41 years old, former Floyd county man, died recently of a fractured skull. L. E. Stacey, driver of the car, was injured.

A son of the late Haskell Risner and a nephew of John Risner, Prestonsburg, the victim had resided at Carey, O. for several years. Burial was made near Carey.

## SUNDAY SCHOOL CONFERENCE

The Free Will Baptist Sunday School conference will be held Sunday afternoon, October 29, at 2 p. m., at Cow Creek. The public is cordially invited to attend.

# DO YOU KNOW?

THAT Pikeville pays its POLICE JUDGE a monthly salary of \$80.00; Paintsville pays its Judge \$75.00 per month while Prestonsburg pays only \$50.00 per month; and that the U. S. Supreme Court has held it is illegal to pay any judge a commission on any fine, because that makes him interested in the conviction of the accused; and

THAT Pikeville pays its Chief of Police a monthly salary of \$125.00 per month; and its three deputies the sum of \$100.00 each per month; that Paintsville pays its Chief a monthly salary of \$75.00, and its two deputies the sum of \$75.00 each per month, while Prestonsburg pays its Chief a salary of only \$60.00 per month, and the two deputies the sum of only \$60.00 per month; and

THAT Pikeville pays its City Clerk \$75.00 per month; Paintsville pays its clerk \$30.00 per month, while Prestonsburg pays its clerk only \$25.00 per month; and that,

THE LAW provides that the City Council shall publish an annual statement or audit showing all receipts and expenditures by the City Council; and that the present Council did have its City Treasurer prepare and publish such an audit or statement on or about August 10. The Treasurer prepared this statement without cost to the taxpayers, and in order that the people might know what the present council has paid out. If the taxpayers make it known that they desire an audit of the city's books over a long period of time by having a certified public accountant come here and work for from one to three months at a salary of from \$20.00 to \$30.00 per day, plus expenses, then we stand ready to do it. However, we have thus far believed that the cost would be too great to justify same. We don't believe that the many Councils preceding us have ever done any great

wrong. But if they have the Statute of Limitation has long ago barred any recovery or prosecution. If any citizen has any desire to delve into the ancient records of the city, let him go to our treasurer, Mr. W. J. May, who will be more than glad to show him these old records, as well as the records of the present administration, without cost to the taxpayers; and

THAT the public is always welcome to any of the City Council meetings; and that the Council can hold no meeting without admitting the public. Of course, members of the Council, as well as members of all legislative bodies in the world, have the privilege of meeting in private to discuss what actions shall be taken when the Council is in actual session; and

THAT instead of continuing to throw your city into bankruptcy, your present administration, during its short service of less than two years, HAS ACTUALLY REDUCED THE OUTSTANDING INDEBTEDNESS OF THE CITY BY MORE THAN SIX (\$6 000.00) THOUSAND DOLLARS WITHOUT INCREASING YOUR CITY TAXES; and,

THAT our present inadequate fire protection is due to a lack of standard fire plugs, for the installation of which we have been fighting since we took office, as well as the lack of a new fire truck. We have tried to get the fire truck, but couldn't find anyone who would credit us. However, that purchase will be provided for in our new budget; and all of this better fire protection is a part of our present platform; and

THAT by distributing the tax burden AMONG THE WEALTHY AS WELL AS AMONG THE POOR, we will reduce your city taxes, while giving you continued improvement.

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## MAYTOWN

### PERSONALS

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Mrs. Lillie Salisbury underwent an examination at the Martin General hospital Wednesday.

Miss Ethel Frasure, of Garrett, was visiting her sister, Mrs. George Ratliff, here Wednesday night.

Miss Peggy Jo Allen, of Pikeville College, was at home for the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Patrick were among those attending the county fair Saturday.

Mrs. E. R. May left Sunday for the Marting hospital, Ironton, O.

Mrs. V. A. Hays was shopping in Huntington Saturday.

Mrs. Thomas Ashley, of Pikeville visited friends here Wednesday afternoon.

### SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASS PICNIC

Members of the Intermediate Sunday School class enjoyed a picnic on the big rock Monday evening, with Miss Opal May, teacher, as chaperone.

### OFF FOR THE FAIR

Mrs. Syd Begley, accompanied by Miss Jean Horner, one of Maytown's leading 4-H club members, left early Friday for the county fair, with an exhibit of the club. Members have been engaged in getting ready for the past two weeks.

### P.-T. A. HOLDS MEETING

The P.-T. A. met Wednesday evening, with a large crowd present. Twenty-nine members have paid dues to date and more are expected. Joe Dyer read the report of the program committee for the year. Mrs. Syd Begley gave the report of the membership committee, announcing that 200 letters had been sent parents. The secretary read the November program. Dr. Crooks, president of Pikeville College, will address the association Wednesday, November 15, on the subject, "How Parents Can Help Their Children to Choose Vocations."

Miss Harriet Allen resigned as secretary and Mrs. Arb Hayes was elected to fill the vacancy. Following the program Miss Opal May invited the following to meet with her to proceed with plans for community-wide cleanup week: Rev. Newsome, from the P.-T. A.; Mrs. W. W. Cooley, of the Woman's Club; Mr. Turner, school superintendent; Mr. Allen, from the trades department; Mr. Denny, of the department of agriculture, and Miss Allen, of the graded school. The movement is expected to be completed before the dedication of the new building.

### IN ASHLAND

Miss Opal May, home economist, spent the week-end in Ashland with friends, shopping in Huntington Saturday.

### IN CHARLESTON ON BUSINESS

Hansel McQuinn returned Thursday night from Charleston, W. Va., where he had gone on business.

## AUXIER

### HOT TO HANDLE

Between Melvin Webb, barber of Auxier, and Matthew Whitaker, there was a little argument as to who would be the next Governor. Mr. Whitaker explained that the Republican party had a better chance this time than they had had in many years, and that when Mr. Webb cast his vote, he would simply kill it! Mr. Webb ended the dispute by comparing his opponent to a turtle with its head cut off. He said, "You can squirm and twist about, but really you're dead and don't know it!"

Rev. Edgar R. Miller, Bays Branch, held a meeting at the Dewey school, Saturday night. Those attending from afar were Miss Bureta Clark, Brandy Keg, Miss Dorothy Goble, and Edward Hyden, of the C.C.C. camp, Paintsville.

Uncle Henry Sizemore, of Dewey, has taken away to market a larger number of cattle this year than any of his neighbors.

Among the citizens of Dewey who are taking advantage of the 1939 Soil Conservation program are, Elizabeth Sturgill, Arthur Goble, Roe Hyden and John Goble.

### BOYD POSTAL CLERK IS CLAIMED FRIDAY

Lindsay F. French, for the past 25 years a postal clerk at Catlettsburg, died at an Ashland hospital Friday morning, after a brief illness. He was 63 years old.

Receiving his education at the old Normal College, under Prof. W. M. Byington, here and at Transylvania College, he was a teacher in Boyd county rural schools before he accepted the postoffice position.

Surviving are his father, J. W. French, Raceland, seven brothers and three sisters. Burial was made in the Catlettsburg cemetery Sunday.

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### MOTOR CAR REMAKES AMERICA IN 40 YEARS

If that intrepid sportsman, the 1900 motorist, could attend the 40th National Automobile Show which opened October 15 in Grand Central Palace, New York, he would be amazed, not only at changes in the motor cars but also at the America which the automobile has remade in the past four decades.

Like public skepticism prevailing at the first show, when "horseless carriages" were driven around a track dodging barrels to prove they could be steered, the American public in 1939 takes for granted the mechanical qualities of the gleaming, streamlined automobiles which will be displayed.

At the time of the first show, no motor buses ran down Fifth Avenue in New York and only a few electric hansom cabs competed for the cab trade. Only 8,000 cars were registered in all America, less than the number which now pass the Central Palace in a couple of hours on an autumn afternoon.

The car buyer who picked out a model at the old Madison Square Garden in November of 1900 paid six times as much per pound for his vehicle as does today's motorist, whose car costs about 25 cents a pound, or less per pound than butter out of a tub.

When the 1900 car chugged down the road, without top, without headlights, without windshield or fender or bumpers, it cost the owner 30 cents per mile to own and operate. Today the average cost is down to less than three cents.

From the few mechanics and bench hands who puttered away in barns making a handful of cars at the turn of the century, present-day automobile manufacturing makes possible, directly and indirectly, an annual employment of 6,380,000 people.

Since the first show, the wages generated by the use of motor vehicles have amounted to about 85 billion dollars, or five times all the monetary gold flow held in the United States.

Business minded observers crowding into Grand Central Palace in the week of October 15 were interested in new mechanical and style features of the 1940 models, inasmuch as the business of many industries is stimulated when a new use of materials is found. With rapid improvements in cars in recent years, the automobile industry has become the nation's No. 1 customer for steel, malleable iron, nickel, lead, mohair and other commodities.

With 25,260,000 passenger cars registered in the United States, the average American family has been made free from a routine environment. A five billion dollar tourist trade, made possible by the automobile, testifies to America's desire for travel.

Farm families, 85 per cent of whom own cars, no longer are isolated, but are in the swing of things, using automobiles to go to town for marketing, shopping, Grange meetings, movies, and other purposes.

### THE MAN BEHIND CAN'T READ YOUR MIND—HOLD OUT YOUR HAND.

### KENTUCKY'S ROADS

U. S. 60—Morehead-Olive Hill road. Bridge out; 600-foot gravel surfaced detour maintained. Paving between Smithland, Paducah. Advisable to go via Hopkinsville.

KY. 1—Greenup-Grayson road. Grade, drain, and traffic bound surfacing.

KY. 52—Richmond-Lancaster road closed. Detour over narrow county blacktop roads.

US. 51-E—Closed between Bardstons and New Haven. Detour over Ky. 49 and 52; all blacktop surface but narrow and winding.

US. 25—Short detour in Corbin over city streets.

US. 62—Underpass construction two miles east of Elizabethtown; short detour. Between Greenville and Nortonville, two short detours near Graham.

### THE VALUE OF PUBLICITY

The codfish lays a million eggs. While the helpful hen lays one; But the codfish does not cackle To inform us what she's done. And so we scorn the codfish coy, While the helpful hen we prize, Which indicates to helpful minds IT PAYS TO ADVERTISE!

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**SCHOOLS TO PLAY FOR 'HAWG-RIFLE'**

**Morehead - Eastern Homecoming Game To Be Played October 28**

Morehead, Ky., Oct. 18 (Spl.)—Battle for the old "Hawg-Rifle," a "speechless" banquet and a dance are the three outstanding events arranged for Morehead State Teachers' College homecomers when they convene on the grounds of their alma mater October 28 in the school's 16th year.

Luster Oxley, president of the alumni association and an instructor in the Ashland city school system, has predicted that between 300 and 400 graduates will congregate in this quiet, little college town for the day's festivities, many of whom will witness the battle between Ellis Johnson's powerful Eagles and Morehead's oldest rival, Richmond.

Things always begin to happen when Eagle meets Maroon and Coach Rome Rankin is pointing toward removing the famed "Hawg-Rifle" from its three-year resting place and take it back with him to Eastern.

The "Hawg-Rifle" owes its origin to an idea fostered by the Campus Club men's honorary organization, and each year goes to the winner of the game between Morehead and Eastern. For the past three seasons it has been residing on Morehead soil with President H. A. Babb graciously accepting the old shooting iron from President Donovan of Eastern.

**WESTERN TO HONOR DADS OF STUDENTS AT FOOTBALL GAME**

Floyd county dads who have sons or daughters at Western Kentucky Teachers' College have been invited to attend the annual Dads' Day program, which will be held at Bowling Green on Saturday, October 28. A morning rally honoring the dads and a luncheon at noon will precede the football game between the Hilltoppers and Middle Tennessee Teachers' College, at which all visiting dads will be guests of Western.

Following is the program for the morning rally, which will be held in Van Meter Auditorium at 10 o'clock: Invocation by the Rev. Carl McGee, of Richardsville; violin solo, "The Gypsy," by Ellis Levy, played by Janice Rhea, of Whiting, Ind.; a welcome to the dads, Dr. Gordon Wilson, of the Western English Department; response by the Rev. Bedford Turner, of Madisonville; cornet solo, "Deputante" by H. L. Clark, rendered by Charles Jones, of Hobart, Ind.; main address of the morning by the Rev. R. T. Skinner, of Bowling Green; and a selection by the Men's Glee Club of Western.

Sheridan Martin and Carl Sublet are Floyd county students enrolled at Western.

**MOVE TO MAJESTIC, KY.**

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Carter have moved to Majestic, Ky., where Mr. Carter has a position with a coal company.

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**PRIVATE CONCERNS BENEFITED BY WPA**

**Cost of Materials, Equipment Totals 33 Millions In Kentucky**

Louisville, Ky., Oct. 25—Private industrial concerns and equipment contractors have received \$33,345,894 in orders for purchase of construction materials and equipment and rental of equipment for use on WPA projects, Administrator George H. Goodman announced today.

In addition to \$20,714,894 spent for purchase of materials, equipment and other supplies, WPA operations required the expenditure of \$12,531,000 for rental of equipment from private individuals and contracting concerns during the four years ended June 30. Local governments sponsoring WPA projects provided approximately half of the funds for purchases and about two-thirds of the funds for equipment rental.

The proportion of the cost of material, supplies and equipment borne by local governments has increased sharply since the beginning of the program, Mr. Goodman said, reflecting increased sponsors' co-operation and steady improvement in the quality of WPA projects and work as well as a policy of restricting federal expenditures so far as possible to project workers' wages.

Nearly every branch of the capital goods industries was stimulated by large orders for products used in public improvements constructed by WPA workers. The largest amount was \$8,095,328 for stone, glass and clay products, comprising more than one-third of the total purchases. Included in this total were approximately \$2,756,983 for cement; \$1,392,041 for sand and gravel; \$1,736,033 for crushed stone; \$728,533 for concrete products and \$772,909 for brick and tile.

Iron and steel products made up nearly one-seventh of the total purchases, or \$2,879,117; lumber and its products, \$2,168,158; bituminous mixtures used principally in paving, \$1,336,826; textiles used principally for sewing rooms, \$1,395,491; and machinery and equipment, \$1,338,163.

While local sponsors were spending \$9,902,608 to the federal government's \$20,714,894 for these purchases, the sponsors were providing \$7,881,000 for equipment rentals to the federal government's \$4,750,000.

More than half of the \$12,631,000 of rental expenditures was for trucks and more than one-third was for paving, roadbuilding and other construction equipment. An additional amount was spent for the hire of teams and wagons.

Merchants and tradesmen, according to Mr. Goodman, in practically every hamlet in Kentucky have felt beneficial effects, directly or indirectly, from WPA equipment and rental expenditures. In many instances he said, farmers have rented their teams and other available equipment to WPA in off seasons.

The foregoing figures, Mr. Goodman said, are not to be confused with more than \$81,000,000 spent by WPA which went directly into the pockets of able-bodied and needy Kentuckians in the form of wages and thence into trade channels.

**LESPEDEZA WORTH MORE THAN WHEAT**

A year ago this fall W. K. Landrum, Toliver, Wolfe county, Ky., seeded wheat in 12 acres of creek bottom land. As the land had been limed,

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**CORN**

Some of the traditions associated with corn are passing away, especially in those areas where corn is grown on a large scale and cultivated by elaborate machinery. Husking bees of the old sort are passe, but I rejoice to read every fall that a corn-husking contest is held here and there, even with a national championship as an inducement. The old husking bee was a social event, bringing together the neighbors, young and old, and spiced with cider and love-making. In spite of the scarcity of husking bees in our time, everyone still knows the reward of finding a red ear. Schoolcraft, in his books on Indian life, found this custom traditional among Indians in all parts of the country.

Home-made hominy is, like the old gray mare, hardly what it used to be. It is so much easier to buy hominy in cans that few people take the trouble to make it. It is also true that the old ash-hopper has fallen down. Home-made hominy may come to be unknown, the making of it one of the numerous lost arts. Last spring I stopped at the home of a friend of mine who still keeps a contact with the past. He took me out into his backyard and showed me a small ash-hopper that he had made especially to secure lye for hominy. I regretted that I could not stay with him long enough to see the grain soaked in the lye and then boiled for hours to perform the magic by which hard grains of corn become fluffy, snow-white hominy.

The old water mill has about disappeared, too; so that going to mill is a lost joy to boys and men in many parts of the country. In the mountain counties there remain a few of these ancient mills, picturesque enough to be enshrined in great art. Every time I travel into the mountains, I see some man or boy going to mill with a turn of corn laid across a horse and forthwith I become jealous of him for being able to function in such a quaint and ancient custom. Several years ago I ran into a small water mill in Mississippi that had preserved the flavor of the ancient times. I have since learned that this small mill, turned by the water that fell only four or five feet over a crude dam, had been "doing business at the same old stand," out in an almost unbroken pine forest, for nearly a hundred years. Just a small shed over the mill proper, a lever to lift the water gate, the minimum of machinery, but it was the essence of the old water mill of song and story.

Since more than half of our population now live in towns and cities, a large portion of Americans may grow up without knowing the distinctions between plain corn hoecake and egg bread between muffins and pan bread. It is doubtful whether a large number will ever know the flavor of potlicker and hoecake, served together. Corn meal has the strange quality of being excellent food, whether it is cooked in the most primitive way, with only water and salt added, or in the most home-economics-approved way.

Corn, how poetic is its every phase, from the planting in the spring to the harvest in the fall, from the juicy roasting ears to the cornbread or hominy!

he decided last spring to sow the field to lespedeza, although he hardly expected to get much pasture or hay. The wheat was no more than cut and shocked until the July flood washed it away. The flood, however, did not damage the lespedeza, which, to the amazement of Mr. Landrum, grew into a bountiful crop, producing 25 tons of good hay. This hay, according to County Agent Charles Gabbard, was worth more than the wheat would have brought.

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**SOCIAL SECURITY ACT IS AMENDED**  
**Family of Insured Worker To Be Considered As a Unit**

The enlarged Social Security Act considers the family as a unit, whereas the original plan provided for payment of monthly benefits only to individual workers who retire at age of 65 or thereafter. This explanation of the amended old-age and survivors' insurance program was given by M. E. Vaughan, manager of the Social Security Board field office in Lexington, Ky.

"Under the original program only the worker himself could get monthly benefits, and then after a minimum of five years service in employment covered by the Social Security Act," Mr. Vaughan said.

Under the new program a worker may retire in 1940 instead of 1942 as originally provided. If the worker has a wife over 65 his benefits will be increased 50 per cent through supplemental benefits to which the wife will be entitled.

"If an insured worker dies his aged widow, if past 65, may receive a widow's benefit amounting to 75 per cent if the benefit to which her husband would have been entitled at the time of his death. This plan becomes effective January 1, 1940. Benefits also are provided for widows with dependent children of insured workers who die.

"Late this year the Social Security Board will be ready to receive claims for benefits, payment of which will start in January, 1940," Mr. Vaughan said.

**PIKEVILLE HOSPITAL WILL BE ENLARGED**

Pikeville, Ky., Oct. 19—An addition to the Pikeville Methodist hospital to make it a 100-bed institution will be started immediately, it was announced by Dr. T. B. Ashley, superintendent. The addition, a wing at the rear, will have 26 rooms and will cost approximately \$30,000, Dr. Ashley said.

The hospital is equipped now to care for only 60 patients and, Dr. Ashley said, housing facilities long have been inadequate.

The new structure will permit opening of another operating room in the old building, which, physicians say, has been needed for several years.

The hospital, the property of the Methodist Church, was opened on Christmas Day in 1924.

The addition will be on the side

next to Pikeville College and will cover a space 33 by 48 feet. Dr. Ashley said it is planned to have the building ready for occupancy by January 1. Work on the basement will be started by the end of this week.

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**FATHER SWAPS BOY FOR GIRL AT HOSPITAL**

Pikeville, Ky., Oct. 20—Scott Dotson, of Stone, thinks he is getting more than his share of physical troubles for his family.

Late yesterday, as Mr. Dotson prepared to come to Pikeville to remove his daughter, Pearlle, 11, from the Methodist hospital where she recently underwent an operation for appendicitis, his son, Roy, 8, fell from a small shed near the home. The boy suffered a fracture of the left leg.

Mr. Dotson brought the boy to the hospital, left him, and returned home with his daughter.

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- Floyd county for Floyd counties.
- Immediate completion of the Left Beaver and Johns Creek road.
- Completion of all Farm-to-Market roads, by W. P. A. labor if possible, maintenance of these routes by the state rural road fund.
- A trade-at-home policy followed by merchants and customers alike.
- Full co-operation with all county and city officials, insisting that lawmakers and enforcement officers themselves obey the law to the letter.
- Continuance of the Floyd county health department and county agricultural agent work.

**LEND A HELPING HAND**

A drive that is news, inasmuch as it is not a putsch intended to take something away from somebody, to kill some human being or to bring some nation of the world to its knees by force of arms, fear or starvation, begins November 11—on the day when the last World War officially ended.

It is the drive of the American Red Cross in its annual Roll Call for members.

There is nothing of force about it. You are asked to join, to contribute your lot; you are thanked, if you do; you are not coerced into doing so; you are not boycotted, if you do not. Whatever you give is received in the spirit of the giver, and the Red Cross in turn gives to the succor of the stricken, the suffering as you Floyd countians and the people of all other parts of this country of ours give, enabling the organization to continue its errand of mercy.

It may be hard, sometimes, to dig down into the pocket and drag forth money for the Red Cross while sunny skies are overhead and the harbor is clear to any good ship that might sail in. But before you deny those who, without compensation, spend

their time in calling upon you for small contributions which may serve you, yours or your acquaintances, recall to mind the fact that skies were not and may not, always be clear.

This county itself has had its strokes of ill-fortune, most recent of which was the disastrous flood of 1938 in the Beaver Creek sections; neighboring counties this year were swept by "flash" floods which left death and destruction in their wakes. Those stricken cannot forget the work of the American Red Cross toward their rehabilitation.

This country and the entire world, next year, and for years to come, expect no better than the unusual in human suffering. The skies over the horizon are far from bright.

The Red Cross should not have to beg for help on its manifold works of mercy. We all should welcome the opportunity to lend a helping hand on such missions.

**AN INSTITUTION IS CREATED**

Floyd county can have a successful county fair. It has had one—which is the real proof of the pudding.

The fair, which ended here Sunday, was not only a success; it exceeded the expectations of even the most optimistic.

To farmers and their wives, the schoolchildren, members and leaders of 4-H clubs and the Future Farmers of America, and to many other interested citizens full credit belongs for the interesting exhibits. The fine spirit of co-operation shown by local women's groups in assisting in the conduct of the fair was praiseworthy.

But, after you go down the long list of those who made this fair possible, write on the honor roll in largest letters of all the names of those who dared undertake the task—the Prestonsburg Co-Operative Business Association and County Agent Isbell.

Hard work and unflagging enthusiasm "made" the Floyd county fair what it was this year—made it so impressively successful that it should become a Floyd county institution, not a mere innovation.

If you share the growing belief that the hills in their autumn colors are more beautiful this year than usual, don't ascribe it to your sharpened appreciation of the esthetic.

Indeed, they are more beautiful, for the reason that the usual cold rains have not come yet to strip the trees of their brilliant patchwork of leaves.

Thus we are, in some degree at least, compensated for the current drought.

**PIKE GAME CLUB COMPLETES WORK**

**Seven Fish-Rearing Ponds On Thirteen-Acre Tract, Cost 12,158**

Frankfort, Ky., Oct. 23—A project for the rearing of fish and for the purpose of adding game fish to the swift-running mountain streams of Pike and adjoining counties has been recently completed by the Pike County Game and Fish Association at a total cost of \$12,158, of which the Pike county club put up \$10,658 and the Kentucky Division of Game and Fish added the sum of \$1,500.

It has taken several years to turn the 13-acre tract of land into a series of seven fish-rearing ponds, the largest of which covers approximately 2½ acres, this undertaking being started in 1934 with the club purchasing land enough upon which to build three ponds and taking option on the adjoining land for more ponds in the future. The first tract of land contained five acres and was later increased to 13 acres.

Dr. O. W. Thompson, advisory commissioner for the Division of Game and Fish, and a resident of Pike county, was president of the club when the land was purchased in 1934. The club, at that time, had put on a drive for increased membership and did just that, bringing the total up to almost three thousand persons interested in saving the wildlife. A drive for funds was started and the club raised enough money to assure the completion of the fish-rearing ponds and that was done this summer. At a meeting of the Game and Fish Commission last month, Dr. Thompson, representing the Pike county club, turned over to the Division the completed project and the property now belongs to the state. Major James Brown, director of the division, accepted the gift in behalf of the state.

In providing sufficient water supply for the ponds a dam was constructed across Elkhorn Creek, an all-year-round spring-fed stream, 800 feet above the ponds. In order to assure a steady stream of water three eight-inch pipe lines were run to the ponds with six-inch lines leading off from these to each individual pond.

The club also constructed a nine-foot fence around the 13-acre tract and planted native shrubs and trees on the grounds. A stone building, containing displays of the program of the club and open to the public, was also built along with a residence for the caretaker. The tract also contains one dug and one drilled well.

All the work of completing the fish-rearing ponds has been accomplished through the aid of the WPA and the NYA. All construction work was done by the WPA and all planting by the NYA. The Woman's Club and the D.A.R. of Pikeville also aided in the planting.

On the grounds has also been constructed a furnace for frying fish; a grandstand for the annual meetings; benches and picnic tables. The club also went to the highway commission and succeeded in getting them to construct a road to the ponds.

Dr. Thompson stated that 39,400 fingerling bass were planted in the streams of Eastern Kentucky from the rearing pools last fall. He also stated that the ponds would accommodate comfortably 150,000 to 175,000 bass fry.

This big bit of work toward replenishing the fish supplies in Kentucky was accomplished mainly by the untiring efforts of the Pike County Fish and Game Club with the Division of Game and Fish assisting wherever necessary. This kind of work should be an incentive for other clubs and should show them that anything worth having is worth working for. Dr. O. W. Thompson and the Pike County Game and Fish Club are to be highly commended by the sportsmen of Kentucky for their faithful services toward the bringing back of wildlife to the fields and streams of Kentucky and they are a shining example of what can be done with plenty of hard work.

**PREACHER RICE**

Russell Rice, that big black-haired tackle who captains the Prestonsburg high Blackcats, preaches during his spare time.

Rice is one of the best linemen to face the Ashland Tomcats this season. He played a swell game as his team lost here, 25-0, and also has been a bulwark of strength in other Blackcat games.

All-state scouts looking for talent have him tagged for consideration for their mythical teams.

He's a swell kid and a great player. —Ashland Daily.

**CAPITOL COMMENTS**

The political outlook has changed in Kentucky.

Kentuckians love an argument and take sides on any given matter or problem but put up a united front against outside opposition.

Two months ago it seemed that the Republican party had a good chance of victory in Kentucky.

The Democrats had been in for two terms and that made it seem from past elections to be a good omen for the Republicans.

The national outlook had taken on a pro Republican aspect and all the polls gave them an edge that elections of mayors in two big cities agreed with.

Roosevelt was losing his popularity and it seemed the people of this democracy were ready for a change. To tie in with this changing outlook the Republicans had built their campaign strategy on criticism of Roosevelt and his policies, and their standard bearer in Kentucky had "gotten down to the people" and was gaining in popularity wherever he spoke.

In a few short weeks this situation has completely changed.

War started in Europe and Roosevelt's popularity shot upward. The people believe he can keep us out of war and the fact that he has four sons, who would have to go if war were declared, has made the fathers and mothers of this country believe he will continue to keep us out of war if it is at all possible. The sentiment swung back to Roosevelt and with it the sentiment of Kentuckians.

Senator M. M. Logan died and Chandler was elevated to the Senate. Keen Johnson became Governor and head of the state machine, and with this set-up and Keen's personal popularity it seems an impossible slate to beat.

Then, too, interest is dying down in the state. With the serious European war situation, the effect of it on Kentucky tobacco prices has become more important than who will be Governor, and when interest sags in an election a machine of job-holders has it all over one with only promises to offer.

Don't get excited too soon, but it looks as if, maybe, Kentucky has a real football team this year. With three victories under their belts, a wealth of reserve material, and a swell coaching staff, they may surprise Alabama and Tennessee.

Keeneland is having its most successful fall racing season. Beautiful weather and fine horses are drawing Kentuckians out in large numbers and Chaledon broke one world's record at Keeneland last week.

The state allocated \$17,075,467 for the road fund the first six months of the fiscal year.

**SIX-YEAR-OLD GIRL KILLED IN ACCIDENT**

Salyersville—One of the most tragic accidents ever to happen in this county occurred last Saturday afternoon when little Mabel Lee Risner, six years of age, was struck and instantly killed by a car driven by Wellington Arnett, of Lee City, in Wolfe county.

The accident occurred in front of the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Carty, on Maple street, at about 2:30 P. M. Mrs. Risner, who is divorced from the child's father, Virgil Risner, and who has been making her home with her sister, Mrs. Carty, for the past several weeks, was preparing to take the little one back to the home of its grandparents on Wheelrim, in Morgan county, after having had her in Salyersville for a brief visit. She called the child, who came running around a car directly in the path of the Arnett car, which is said to have been traveling at a moderate rate of speed. Unable to stop, Mr. Arnett struck the child, killing it instantly.

The body was taken to the home of the grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Kelse Risner, on Wheelrim, where funeral services were held Monday, with interment Tuesday.

Mr. Arnett is a cousin of the child's mother, and a brother of John G. Arnett, of Royalton.—Salyersville Independent.

**CLUB TO MEET**

The Prestonsburg Woman's Club meets Thursday, Nov. 2, at the home of Mrs. Ambrose Mandt. Co-hostesses will be Mrs. B. F. Combs, Mrs. G. C. Sturgill, Mrs. Claude P. Stephens, Mrs. W. W. Burchett.

**FOR SALE**

One Hoffman Pressing Machine, complete with boiler and fittings. See or write H. B. Copley, Wayland, Ky.

**SLAYER OF FATHER TAKEN TO PEN**

Louisa — Miss Emogene Thompson, 17, of near Louisa, who was found guilty of manslaughter by a jury in Lawrence circuit court last Thursday and sentenced to serve four years in the shotgun slaying of her father, taken to the state prison farm at 11:30 A. M. by Sheriff Proctor Fyffe Tuesday to commence serving her sentence.

A verdict finding her guilty of manslaughter, one of four instructions given by Judge Watt M. Prichard, was returned by a jury of 11 men and one woman after deliberating two hours last Thursday afternoon. Judge Prichard in his instructions to the jury said four verdicts were possible: murder, manslaughter, self-defense, and not guilty because of mental condition.

Miss Thompson admitted shooting her father, Mont Thompson, 56, railroad section hand, with a 16-gauge shotgun, but insisted she shot only to "scare him because he was beating up on my mother." The shot took effect over the left kidney and killed her father instantly. The shooting took place in the front yard of the Thompson home near Louisa the night of September 16.

**TO OCCUPY PULPIT**

The Rev. C. T. Barton, now serving the Prestonsburg Presbyterian Church as stated supply pastor, will be in the pulpit Sunday, October 21 for both morning and evening services.

Subject for the morning service will be, "The Heritage of the Children of God," and for the evening service, "The Faraway Purpose of God."

**HOSTESS TO BRIDGE**

Mrs. Robert D. Francis entertained with a dessert-bridge party on Thursday, October 19, at the home of Mrs. Emma Endicott. Those present were Mesdames J. R. Kelly, J. W. Howard, A. J. May, Jr., George Cohen, Chas. Hughes, Carl Riffe, Willie Melion, W. H. Jones, Jr., Newman Sharp, Hiram Brock, Jr., J. D. Harkins, Jr., Eddie Worland, Burl Spurlock, Harry Sandige, A. H. Mandt, Ralph Archer, Olga M. Latta, Misses Dona Bailey, Virgie McCombs, Zena D. Daniels, Rose Ranier, Anna Martin, Gertrude Baughard, Geraldine Allen.

**CLARKE RITES HELD FROM HOME, OCT. 19**

Funeral rites for Calvin Clarke, well-known Prestonsburg man, who died at his home here Tuesday, last week, were conducted Thursday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock from the home, the Revs. Campbell Jeffries, pastor of Irene Cole Memorial Baptist Church, Prestonsburg, and Isaac Stratton, Banner, officiating.

Burial was made in the Richmond cemetery beside his sons, Ruby and Robert, who died years ago. Interment was made under the direction of the Arnold Funeral Home.

Mr. Clarke is survived by his widow, Mrs. Hettie Jones Clarke, one son, Curtis; two sisters, Mrs. S. C. Ferguson, Prestonsburg, and Mrs. Helen Anderson, Palm Springs, Calif.; and by two brothers, W. S. Clarke, Prestonsburg, and James Clarke, Palm Springs, California.

**CARD OF THANKS**

We wish to thank those who showed many kindnesses during the illness and death of our husband and father, and also for the floral tributes. We also wish to thank Brother Campbell Jeffries and Brother Isaac Stratton for their consoling words.

MRS. CALVIN CLARKE AND CURTIS.

**ADMINISTRATRIX NOTICE**

Notice is hereby given to all persons indebted to the estate of John Meade, Jr., deceased, to settle same with the undersigned administratrix at Princeton, Ky., on or before November 15, 1939, and all persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified to present same to me, properly proven, at my residence as above stated, at once.

SALLIE MEADE, Admrx., Estate of John P. Meade, Jr. 10-12-39

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**LETTERS TO THE EDITOR**

**WELCOME, GOBLENS; AVAST, HOOLIGANS!**

Dear Editor:

It's nearing another Hallowe'en a holiday with fun, frolic, witches, and ghosts in most localities, playing only to a one-night stand. But in Prestonsburg it means throwing corn, soaping windows, and even breaking windows (that, I have actually seen). On the main highway it is dangerous for strangers who don't know what Hallowe'en in Prestonsburg means. The streets are full of logs, rocks, tubs and almost every movable object. This goes on for about three or four nights. I have seen some near-accidents as a result of all this. I just wish something could be done about it. I'm very much in favor of celebrating—just celebrate everything "celebratable," but not in such a destructive way which might cause someone to be injured. Our streets look bad enough without bringing more trash into view.

So I hope our Mayor, or our very successful Prestonsburg Co-Operative Business Association, can do something about this, even if it means employing special officers for a night or two. Don't wait for the Clean-Up ticket to do this for you this year.

Yours for a merry Hallowe'en with only the ghosts instead of the realities.

CITIZEN.

**TOWN-WORLD**

(Continued from page one)

what the management of Martin theater would have to say if he reads your stuff? Now, frankly, Town-World, don't you hope he failed to read it this time?

"Your faithful Town-Worlder." P.S. Now that we've printed this, Lawrence Keathley may get "hep" to us and also "riled" at us.

**"THE CHILD WHICH HAS NEVER ENJOYED GRANDPARENTS MISSED MOST OF CHILDHOOD"**

It struck us—squarely amidstships. It was 15 words from an obituary, and they were:

"... and one little granddaughter who was a great comfort to him in his last days."

No more need be said to any of you who have children and take them out to your parents' homes, all too seldom, to be cuddled and blessed and given the run of the "hull plantation."

If there's anything in this world purer and sweeter than the doting of grandparents on the one hand of their grandchildren and of the utter inno-

cence of the kiddies of all the beautiful adulation they are receiving—well, come along and show this old sentimentalist.

**MAYBE HE'S A GOOD HOER HIMSELF**

According to the list of prize-winning exhibits entered in the Lawrence County Fair, published in last week's issue of the Big Sandy News, Louisa newspaper, a former Floyd county woman went home with a goodly portion of the prizes.

Collecting either first or second prizes for almost everything in the book except preserved turnips, which weren't, Mrs. Crilda Frasure, wife of "Uncle" Bob Frasure, of Busseyville, former resident of Big Mud and Left Beaver Creeks, this county, walked off with no fewer than 19 awards.

As proof of her ability as a putter-upper of canned fruits and vegetables, Mrs. Frasure won first prize with her canned peas, apples, tomatoes, stringed beans, corn, soup mixtures and peach preserves; she also took the honors with the best six tomatoes, best six beets and best six soda biscuits. Capturing second prizes were her sweet potatoes, canned peaches, raspberries, tomato juice and beets; raspberry preserves and corn muffins. To prove her skill as a wielder of the needle, she entered the most sensible kitchen apron, and her embroidered towel won second place. To make it unanimous her daughter, Miss Polly Frasure, took a couple awards in the 4-H Club fruit display exhibits.

Yessir, "Uncle" Bob must have a derved good cook. But maybe he wields a wicked hoe himself.

**DWALE**

Attending a party Saturday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Kermit R. Howard were George W. Hall, James Carey, Misses Mary Elizabeth Goble and Josephine Webb.

Claude Goble, who has been suffering from a broken thumb, has returned to his work in West Virginia.

Miss Bernice Clifton was the guest of Miss Josephine Webb Saturday night.

Miss Mary Elizabeth Goble was in Prestonsburg Wednesday on business.

Turner Branham and Gordon Lee Porter were transacting business in Prestonsburg this week.

**MIDDLE CREEK MAN IS TUBERCULOSIS VICTIM**

Walter Burchett, 40 years old, died at his home on Middle Creek Tuesday, a victim of tuberculosis. Burial was made on Middle Creek Wednesday under the direction of the Arnold Funeral Home.

**REGISTRATION OF MINERS IS URGED**

**Vacancies In Mining Industry Is Seen By Unemployment Service**

R. B. Fields, manager of the local office of the Kentucky State Employment Service, has announced that notices are now being posted requesting that all types of miners register at once with the employment service. The report of activities for the Pikeville office for the month of September reveals that placements in private industry have increased 231 per cent over the August activities, while the registration of new applicants has decreased 65 per cent. A breakdown of September placements shows 77 per cent of those placed were Production Workers, Manual; 2 per cent Production Workers, Machine; 5 per cent Craftsmen, Skilled; and 16 per cent Personal Service Workers.

Fields also said that claims filed in the local office for Unemployment Insurance benefits during the month of September were reduced by 23.2 per cent, further indicating an upturn in employment conditions. "While the greater part of placements made to date have been made in skilled and unskilled occupations in the mining industry," Fields stated, "an increased demand for clerical workers in this industry is anticipated. The requirements for such workers are exacting and it is generally required that applicants be graduates of high schools and a recognized commercial school. For this reason, our testing division is very anxious that all qualified stenographers, both men and women, present themselves as soon as possible for examination as to their ability."

**Women's Club to Meet**

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minutes of morning session, read by Mrs. Dean Squires; "Works Progress Administration Work in Kentucky," Miss Sarah Hayes; safety report, by Mrs. J. D. Mayo; Golden Jubilee report, Mrs. Wilma May; "Mother-Craft and Ethical Training," Mrs. Kenneth Arnold; "Reasons for Forming Junior Women's Clubs" Mrs. John Webb; inspirational address, Mrs. W. P. Mayo; memorial service, Mrs. R. Sowards; report of committees: Resolutions Mrs. Frank Vernon, Mrs. H. Staley, Mrs. Frank May; Courtesy Mrs. Louise Ammerman, Mrs. John R. Allen, Mrs. Frank Bell Auler; election, Mrs. Wilma G. May; installation of new officers; invitation for 1940; announcements, adjournment.

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**7,000 Visit Fair**

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work, handicraft of various kinds—and a delectable collection of canned delicacies, cakes and other products of the farm and kitchen.

School, 4-H club and Future Farmers of America exhibits comprised a large part of the display.

The livestock exhibit consisted of approximately 30 thoroughbred cattle, hogs, sheep and horses.

"We plan a fair, next year, three times as large as that of this year," County Agent S. L. Isbell announced this week. At the same time he expressed, on behalf of those sponsoring and conducting the fair, appreciation of the invaluable aid of farmers, housewives, the schools, agricultural clubs, business and professional men, members of the Prestonsburg Woman's Club, the NYA and WPA.

Prize-winners follow:

**FUTURE FARMERS OF AMERICA**

Duroc Jersey Gilt, first prize, Andrew Moore, \$2; Duroc Jersey Gilt, Thomas Clark May, second prize, \$2; Duroc Jersey Gilt, Junior Clark, third prize, R; D. J. Boar, Thomas Clark May, first prize, \$2; O. I. C. Boar, Ted Stumbo, first prize, \$2; O. I. C. Boar, Buford Bartley, second prize, \$1; Hampshire Boar, Waldo Vance, first, \$2; O. I. C. Gilt, Buford Bartley, first, \$2; Ted Stumbo, second, \$1.

**POULTRY**

White Leghorn, Thomas Clark May, first, \$1.50; White Rocks, Austin Cassidy, first, \$1.50; Barred Rocks, W. C. Adams, first, \$1.50; Buff Orpingtons, Raymond Spears, first, \$1.50; R. I. Reds, Carl Robinette, first, \$1.50; R. I. Reds, Andrew Moore, second, \$1; Capons, Ray Hamilton, first, \$1; T. J. Hagans, second, \$0; Austin Cassidy, third, R.

**FIELD CROPS**

**Corn**—Best white ear, Claude Hall, first, \$0; Austin Cassidy, second, R; Henry Frasure, third, R; best six ears (white) Arnold Salisbury, first, .75; Harold Skeens, second, R; Russell Patton, third, R; best yellow ear, Junior Lewis, first, \$0; J. J. Hall, second, .25; Martin Halbert, Jr., R; Reid's Yellow Dent, best single ear, J. J. Hall, first, \$0; Junior Lewis, second, R; Teddy Gayhart, third, R; best popcorn, Kermit Keathley, first, \$0; Teddy Gayhart, second, R; Harold Skeens, third, R; best single ear, Fred Gayhart, first, \$0; Everette Akers, second, R; best 10 Irish potatoes, Otis Crisp, first, .75; Clyde Keathley second, R; Earl Branham, third, R; best 10 sweet potatoes, Charles Rice, first, .75; William Caudill, second, R; Cecil Conley, third, R.

**Opening and Closing Ceremonies**  
Betsy Layne Chapter, first, \$3; Maytown Chapter, second, \$2; best string band, Maytown Chapter, first, \$1; Betsy Layne Chapter, second, \$1.

**LIVESTOCK**

**Hereford**—Tom Calhoun, first, \$5; Lewis Burchett, second, \$2.50; J. L. Laferty, third, \$1; Shorthorn, Jim Nunney, first, \$5; Aberdeen-Angus Bull, Emery Hughes, first, \$5; Dan Prater, second, \$2.50; Dan Prater, third, \$1; Guernsey Bull, Jake Crisp, first, \$5; Hereford Cow, Milt Stanley, first, \$3; Milt Stanley, second, \$2; Milt Stanley, third, \$1; Aberdeen-Angus Cow, Dan Prater, first, \$3; Jersey Cow, Roe Green, first, \$3; Roe Green, second, \$2; Ed Burke, third, \$1.

**Sheep**—Hampshire Ram, Malcolm Hubbard, first, \$2; Ray Adams, second, \$1; Mountain Ewe, Malcolm Hubbard, first, \$2; Ray Adams, second, \$1.

**Hogs**—O. I. C. Boar, Malcolm Hubbard first, \$2; E. P. Hill, second, \$1; John H. Spurlock, third, \$0.

Mule Colt, Dan Prater, first, \$3;

team oxen, Albert Horn, first, \$1; stallion, George Wright, first, \$1.

**4-H CLUB DEPARTMENT**

4-H booth display, Maytown, first, \$15; 4-H contests, best secretary's record book, Betsy Layne, first, \$1.

**Band and Glee Clubs**—  
**Bands**—Betsy Layne, first, \$5; Wayland, second, \$4; Prestonsburg and Auxier, third, \$3; Wheelwright and McDowell, fourth, \$2; Martin, fifth, \$1.

**Glee Clubs**—Prestonsburg, \$3; Betsy Layne, \$3; Martin, \$3; Wayland, \$3; Wheelwright \$3.

**SEWING AND NEEDLE WORK**

Modern Applique Quilt, Mrs. Ralph Archer, first, \$1; Mrs. Leva Clarke, second, R; Mrs. Leva Clarke, third, R. Antique Quilt, Mrs. A. C. Harlowe, first, \$1; Mrs. Florence Crisp, second, R.

Modern Pieced Quilt, Mrs. H. C. Francis, first, \$1; Mrs. Ralph Archer, second, R; Mrs. H. C. Francis, third, R. Bedspreads, Mrs. Marvin Ransdell, first, \$1; Miss Zena Daniels, second, R; Mrs. W. H. Jones, third, R.

Crocheted or Knitted Afghan, Mrs. W. B. Boyd, first, \$1; Mrs. Burch, second, R; Mrs. Walter S. Harkins, third, R.

**Baby Articles (Handmade Dress)**  
NYA Girls, first, \$0; Mrs. Ralph Archer second, R; Mrs. W. H. Jones, third, R.

Coat or Sacque, Mrs. Ralph Archer, first, \$0; baby quilt, Mrs. Ralph Archer, \$0.

**Clothing**—Knitted Sweater, Miss Frances Jones, second, R; dress, NYA Girls, second, R; smock, NYA Girls (Lancer) second, R; pajamas, NYA Girls (Lancer) second, R.

**Household Articles**—Hooked Rugs, Mrs. Elsie Reitz, first, \$0; crocheted or knitted Rugs, Mrs. Josephine Conley, first, \$0; Mrs. Josephine Conley, second, R; Mrs. Ralph Archer, third, R; embroidered pillow cases, Mrs. W. H. Jones, first, \$0; Mrs. Hope Spradlin, second, R; pillow tops, Mrs. W. J. Turner, first, \$0; Mrs. W. J. Turner, second, R; buffet set, Mrs. Hope Spradlin, first, \$0; NYA, second, R.

**FLOWERS**

**Roses**—Mrs. Virgie Chewning, first, \$1; Charles and Ben Ferguson, second, \$0; Mrs. E. B. Brown, third, R.

**Dahlia**—Mrs. E. B. Brown, first, \$1; mixed display, Mrs. Virgie Chewning, first, \$1.50.

**VEGETABLES**

Best six sweet potatoes, Dick Burchett, first, \$1; Dick Burchett, second, .50; Sallie Crum, third, R. Best six Irish potatoes, J. L. Laferty, first, \$1; J. L. Laferty, second, \$0; Riley Shepherd, third, R; best six turnips, Riley Shepherd, first, \$0; Dan Prater second, R; best squash, Riley Shepherd, first, \$0; Mrs. Josie D. Harkins, second, R; heaviest pumpkin, Tom Wallace, first \$0; Dick Burchett, second, R; Shirley Morrison, third, R; best cushion, Riley Shepherd, first, \$0; Eleanor Jean Shropshire, second, R; Glenn Layne, third, R.

**ANTIQUES**

Chair, John Thomas, first, \$1; coffee mill, Florence Crisp, first, \$1; coffee mill, Riley Shepherd, second, \$0; coffee mill, Sue Dingus, third, R; spinning wheels, Winnie Johns, first, \$1; spinning wheel, Winnie Johns, second, \$0; spinning wheel, Mrs. Riley Shepherd, third, R; Wearing Apparel, Florence Crisp, first, \$1; Betty Stephens second, \$0; Mabelle Cole third, R; Guns, Mrs. Bud White, first, \$1; Tables, Steve Netherly, first, \$1; Dishes, Mrs. Jimmie Hatcher, first, \$1; Homer Con, second, \$0; Betty Stephens, third, R; Beds, Lewis Bur-

chett, first, \$1; Bed Spreads, Mrs. A. C. Harlowe, first, \$1; Mrs. H. C. Francis, second, \$0; Mrs. Burnham Combs, third, R; portraits, Miss Alice Harris, first, \$1; Bud White, second, \$0; H. L. Goble, third, R; Machine Betty Stephens, first, \$0; Pitcher, Glenn Robinette, first, \$0; Mrs. S. B. Begley, second, \$0.

**FIELD CROPS DEPARTMENT**

**Adult**—

**Corn**—Johnson County White, A. B. Osborne, first, \$1; Sam Music, second, \$0; single ear, A. B. Osborne, first, \$0; Reid's Yellow Dent, Sallie Crum, first, \$1; Bill May, second, \$0; single ear, Jim Stephens, first, \$0; White Corn (other than Johnson County White) W. C. Adams, first, \$1; Bill May, second, \$0; Otis Conley, third, .25; single ear, J. L. Laferty, first, \$0; Daniel Akers, second, \$0; Best Single Yellow (any variety) Sam Music, first, \$1; Bill May, second, \$0; Best Single Ear (any variety) Sam Music, first, \$0; Bunch Red Clover, Alka Hicks, first, \$1; bunch Korean Lespedeza, Walker Spears, first, \$1; Sherman Prater, second, \$0; bunch Orchard Grass, Alka Hicks, first, \$1; Sorghum Molasses (qt.) J. L. Laferty, first, \$1; Riley Shepherd, second, \$0 James Harmon, third, \$0.

**Culinary**—

Best Angel Food Cake NYA Girls (Lancer) first, \$1; best Sponge Cake, Mrs. Ruth Isbell, first, \$1; best Devil's Food Cake, NYA Girls (Lancer) first, \$1; best plate fudge, NYA Girls, first, \$0; Joan Homes, second, R; best plate Divinity, NYA Girls, first, \$0.

**Canned Fruit**—

Best quart apples, Mrs. Troy Sturgill, first, \$0; Mrs. J. D. Thomas, second, R; best quart peaches, Mrs. Ruth Isbell, first, \$0; Mrs. J. D. Thomas, second, R; Mrs. Frankie Goble, third, R; best quart Raspberries, Mrs. Hope Spradlin, first, \$0.

**Canned Vegetables**—

Best pint Corn, Mrs. Hope Spradlin, first, \$0; best quart Greens, Mrs. Emery Clarke, first, \$0; best pint Peas, Mrs. Emery Clarke, first, \$0; best quart String Beans, Mrs. Ruth Isbell, first, \$0; Mrs. J. D. Thomas, second, R; Miss Louise Goble, third, R; best quart Tomatoes, Mrs. J. D. Thomas, first, \$0; Mrs. W. S. Harkins, second, R; Mrs. Fanny Branham, third, R; best qt. Soup Mixture, Mrs. Hope Spradlin, first, \$0; Mrs. Emery Clark, second, R.

**Pickles**—

Best Peach, Mrs. J. D. Thomas, first, \$0; best pint Cucumber, Mrs. E. B. Brown, first, \$0; best pint Pepper Relish, Mrs. Dick Spurlock, first, \$0.

**Preserves and Jams**—

Best pint Strawberry Preserves, Mrs. H. C. Francis, first, \$0; Mrs. H. C. Francis, second, R; best pint Raspberry Jam, Mrs. Hope Spradlin, first, \$0; best pint Preserves (peach) Mrs. Dick Spurlock, first, \$0; canned Pork Sausage, Mrs. Bill Adams, first, \$0.

**Jellies**—

Best Apple, Sallie Crum, first, \$0; best Grape Sallie Crum, first, \$0; best Raspberry, Mrs. H. C. Francis, first, \$0; best Berry Jelly, Mrs. Fannie Branham, first, \$0; best Grape Juice, Mrs. Dick Mayo, first, \$0; Mrs. Flo Homes, second, R.

**PRIZE WINNERS—Graded School Division**

**Writing**—

Joyce Anne Hall, Prestonsburg Graded School; Jeannine Elliott, Weeksberry; Mary Ruth Owens, Harold; Willie Gray Elkins, Wayland; Betty L. Hall, Betsy Layne; Line Julian Conn; Lora Jean Clark, Harold; Billie Steve Adams, Wayland; Billie Lou Harris, Prestonsburg; Bernice Boyd, Prestonsburg; Rosella Buchanan, Weeksberry; Bernard Clark, Harold.

**Maps**—

Buddy Latta, Prestonsburg; Forrest Heath, Wayland; Jean Robinette, Harold; Opal Jean Ray, Bonanza; John Maddox, Martin.

**Drawing**—

Billy Slone, Prestonsburg; Billie Wilson, Betsy Layne; Margaret Darlington, Prestonsburg; Algie Maris Hicks, Bosco; Tharon Hobbs, Wayland; Gordon Homes, Prestonsburg; Virginia Jackson, Betsy Layne; Anna Laura Auxier, Auxier.

**Construction or Handwork**—

Clarence Robinette, Harold; Billie Jean Blackburn, Betsy Layne; Edd Payne, Bosco; Lucinda Hunter, Martin; Mary Hill, Prestonsburg; Lillie Wright, Bosco; Jack Ratliff, Harold; Tom Lee Bunting, Prestonsburg.

**General Display**—

Harold Consolidated School, Prestonsburg Graded School, Bosco Consolidated School.

**RURAL SCHOOL DIVISION**

**Writing**—

Edmund Elliott, Ligon; Spencer Hall, Estill; Edward Jarrell, Emma; Robert Laferty, Edgar; Jewel Agnes Chaffins, Ligon; Charlie Keathley, Amba; Emma Tackett, Amba; Anna

Ousley, Dock; James Colonel Cline, Edgar; Marjorie Adkins, Banner; Maggie Compton, Edgar; Gladys Spears, Osborne.

**Maps**—Mary M. Morrison, Edgar; Fred Sturgill, Amba; Keen Kidd, Dana; Mary D. Cline, Edgar; Mary Belle Justice, Amba; Junior Sellards, Wonder.

**Drawing**—

Bobby Ray Collier, Estill; Howard Sellards, Wonder; Laura Irene Fairchild, Cliff; Mary M. Branham, Emma; Juanita Henson, Ligon; Elmer Stanley, West Prestonsburg; Alvin Barnett, Martin; Mary Josephine Shell, Auxier; Helen Brown, Emma; Fred Akers, Dana; Millard Hughes Jr., Cliff; Kassaleene Woods, Emma.

**Construction or Handwork**—

Harold Shepherd, Goodloe; Zella Meade, Amba; Thomas Ousley, Dock; Roberta Laferty, Edgar; Emit Hunt, Amba; Vernon Flanery, Martin; J. B. Herald, Emma; Alvin Barnett, Martin; Fred Hamilton, Amba; Mae Ousley, Dock.

**General Display**—

Lower Cow Creek School; Forks of Toler School; Souders Creek School.

**Sack Race**—

Junior Williams, Head of Prater; Raleigh Ousley, Head of Spurlock; John Staszepki, Ligon.

**Broad Jump**—

Junior Williams, Head of Prater; Arvin Setser, Souders Creek; Oakie Castle, Head of Middle Creek.

**Dash**—

Junior Williams, Head of Prater; Edd Laferty, Souders Creek; Oliver Prater, Head of Middle Creek.

**Chinning Bar**—

Oakie Castle, Pitts Fork; Arvin Setser, Souders Creek; Charles Humphrey, Ligon.

Grand Prize—Souders Creek. Second Prize—Lower Cow. Third Prize—No. 8.

**Sack Race**—

Ben Frazier, Prestonsburg; Dan Hicks, Wheelwright; Jessie Kazee, Betsy Layne.

**Broad Jump**—

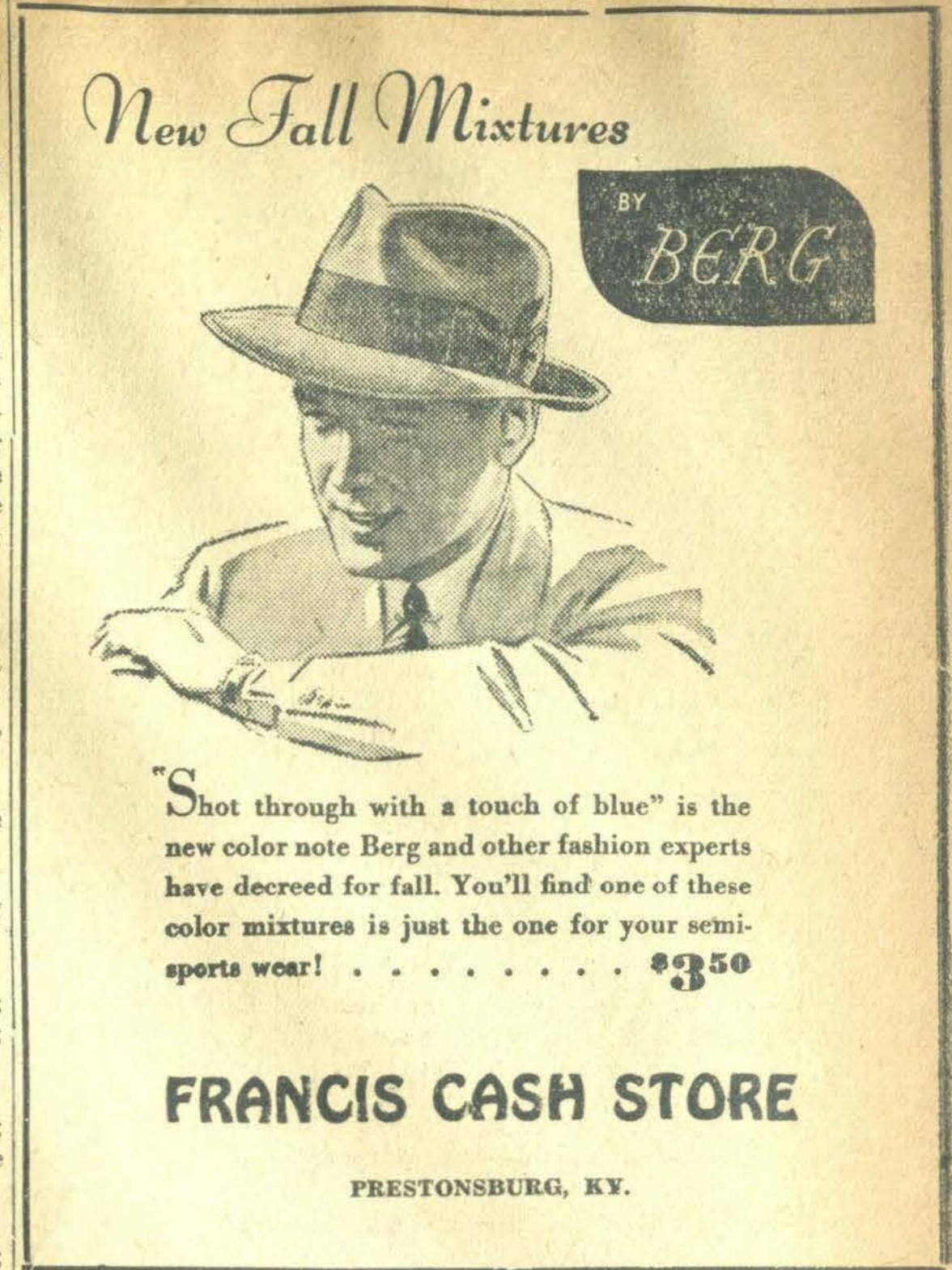
Vernon Allen, Maytown; Eugene Stephens, Betsy Layne; Creed Thacker, Prestonsburg.

**Dash (75 Yards)**—

Eugene Stephens, Betsy Layne.

**Chinning Bar**—

Eugene Deskins, Maytown; Creed



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Thacker, Prestonsburg. Grand Prize—Prestonsburg Graded School. Second Prize—Betsy Layne. Third Prize—Harold.

**ALPHORETTA FARMER IS CLAIMED SUNDAY BY KIDNEY AILMENT**

Joe Click, well-known Alphoretta farmer, died Sunday, a victim of a kidney ailment from which he had suffered for the last three weeks. The end came at 12:30 a. m.

Born near Langley, the victim was a son of the late Sam and Susie Patton Click. His wife died two years ago. Surviving him are his six children, three sons and three daughters: Mrs. Tavis Flanery, Martin; Mrs.

Berta Akers, West Garrett; Mrs. Rutla Hale, Alphoretta; H. D., Jake and Robert Click, all of Alphoretta.

Funeral rites were conducted Monday from the Click home, the Revs. M. C. Wright and Alex Coburn, of the Regular Baptist Church, officiating. Burial was made in the family cemetery under the direction of the Ryan Funeral Home.

**CELEBRATES BIRTHDAY**

Mrs. Allen Slone, of Lackey, celebrated her 36th birthday anniversary with a prayer meeting at her home last Thursday. Dinner was enjoyed by several guests.

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**DAY AND NIGHT AMBULANCE SERVICE**

**TEACHERS' AVERAGE SALARY IS REDUCED, U.-K. STUDY INDICATES**

Although Kentucky school services have expanded and improved to a marked degree in recent years, available school funds have provided smaller average salaries for teachers and less money per child, it is revealed in a study on "Financing Public Elementary and Secondary Education in Kentucky," just published by the University of Kentucky.

The authors, Prof. Maurice S. Seay, director of the Bureau of School Service at the University, and Lr. Leonard E. Meece, assistant director of the bureau, point out that many phases of Kentucky's school system, including financial support, were greatly increased before 1929-30. "At that time economic conditions disturbed the trend, especially with regard to financial support," says the publication. Although some school activities were curtailed, the report shows that the school population continued to increase and that the public soon de-

manded again and received large educational services. This was true, even though the total revenue per child was considerably less than before the beginning of the depression.

Two important findings of the study are, first, that there is no hope of large increases of revenue derived from local sources in many districts of the state to make possible an acceptable foundation program of education, and second, the state's interest in and obligation for efficient schools throughout the commonwealth are so great that increased state support must be granted.

This latest publication of the University's Bureau of School Service contains much information concerning Kentucky's elementary and secondary schools. It was made at the request of the Planning Board of the Kentucky Education Association and contains an introduction written by Dr. W. S. Taylor, dean of the University College of Education.

**CHURCH ANNOUNCEMENTS**

(All the churches of the county are invited to publish in this column, without charge, their announcements.)

**ST. CASIMIR CATHOLIC CHURCH AND MISSIONS**

Masses for the month in Floyd county: Second Sunday, Estill, 10 a. m. Third Sunday, Wheelwright, 8 a. m.; Weeksbury, 10 a. m.

**PRESTONSBURG BAPTIST CHURCH**

Rev. Campbell Jeffries, Pastor  
Sunday School, 9:45 a. m.  
Morning worship, 11 a. m.  
Sermon: "David Slings a Stone."  
Evening worship, 7:30 p. m.  
Sermon: "The Fall of Man."

**PILGRIM HOLINESS CHURCH**

G. R. Fannin, Pastor  
Service at 10 a. m.

**METHODIST CHURCH**

Rev. W. B. Garratt, Pastor  
Sunday School, 9:45 a. m.  
Morning worship, 11 a. m.  
Sermon: "Jesus' Method of Teaching."  
Evening worship, 7:30 p. m.  
Sermon: By pastor.

**PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH**

Rev. Barton, Pastor  
Sunday School, 9:45 a. m.

**FREWILL BAPTIST CHURCH**

Rev. Will Horn, Pastor  
Services at 10 a. m.

**ARRESTS FOLLOW CORN HARVESTING**

**Perry Deputies, Acting On Court Order, Arrested By Breathitt Sheriff**

Hazard, Ky., Oct. 20—Three Perry county deputy sheriffs who, on court order, harvested corn from an acre of land of disputed ownership near the Perry-Breathitt county line, today were arrested on Breathitt county warrants charging them with stealing corn.

The order was issued by Magistrate Campbell of Perry county. The deputies who gathered the corn were Bill Cornett, Harrison Stidham and Floyd Stidham. The three gave bond of \$500 each today for appearance in Breathitt circuit court at Jackson November 8.

The corn was harvested October 13 from an acre plot claimed by both Robert Strong of Perry county, and Jim Denton, of Breathitt county.

According to Deputy Cornett, the Perry circuit court and the Kentucky Court of Appeals had awarded title to the land to Strong, but after the courts had declared the land was in Perry county, Denton grew a crop on it. Mr. Cornett said that the officers stored the corn for four days awaiting legal action by Denton and then the corn was turned over to Mr. Strong.

Walter Denton, Breathitt county sheriff, arrived in Hazard this morning with warrants for the three deputies, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Strong and six others who aided in gathering the corn. The deputies each filed \$500 bond to appear in Breathitt circuit court November 8.

**THIEF PICKS LOCK, ROBS SAFE**

Pikeville, Ky., Oct. 19—A thief, evidently no amateur, picked the lock on the door to the offices of Francis, Francis & Trivette Insurance Agency here at noon while all employees were at lunch. He then worked the combination on the safe and made away with \$40 in cash, a few stamps and \$1,600 in checks before the employees returned.

**MINE OFFICERS UNDER ORDER**

**Judge Holds Them To Have Drawn \$54,550 In Excess Salaries**

Lexington, Ky., Oct. 19—Held by Federal Judge H. Church Ford to have drawn \$54,550 in excess salaries during a seven-year period ending March 1, 1937, four officers of the Blue Grass Mining Company, Inc., of Perry county, were under court order here today to repay the money to the corporation and its affiliates.

Judge Ford issued a 26-page opinion yesterday favoring a group of Tennessee stockholders and W. E. Richardson, trustee for the group. Defendants were the company and a group of Kentucky stockholders.

The jurist also upheld the Tennessee group's claim to one-half of the capital stock of each of the corporations involved in the suit, an equal voice in the management of the companies and a judgment against the Kentucky group for one-half of the dividends paid the latter, together with interest.

The opinion did not state why the Tennessee stockholders failed to receive dividends.

The company officials and amounts they were ordered to repay are J. E. Johnson, Jr., \$18,900; William Pendleton, \$15,150; Arch Pendleton \$13,000 and J. E. Johnson, Sr., \$7,500. Judge Ford ruled, however, that a balance of \$9,373.12 was due J. E. Johnson Jr., from the company because of expenditures he had made personally.

**'DRUG' MIGHT BE FLU PREVENTIVE**

**Sulfapyridine Is Possible Conqueror of Influenza, Says Physician**

Washington, Oct. 10—The possibility that medical science at last has found a method of conquering influenza was disclosed today by the public health service.

The new "miracle drug" called sulfapyridine, already widely used in treating pneumonia, may come to be used as a preventive of the flu, according to Miss Margaret Pittman, associate bacteriologist at the National Institute of Health.

An eight-months-old baby gave the clue to the sulfapyridine method of controlling the disease, said Miss Pittman in her report. The infant developed inflammation of the eyes and ears and pneumonia. In addition to pneumonia germs, he had a heavy infection of the flu germs in his lungs, throat, eyes and ears.

Dr. J. H. McLeod, of Washington, who reported the case to the Institute, administered sulfapyridine immediately.

"Within 24 hours the child showed marked improvement, followed by a rapid and uneventful recovery," Miss Pittman said.

Such success led Institute scientists to begin immediate experiments on mice. Their results were summarized in these statements:

"Sulfapyridine was effective in protecting mice against experimental infections of non-type-specific hemophilus influenzae," the bacteria which causes influenza.

"The drug did not prevent the bacteria from entering the blood stream, but it apparently retarded their increase in the blood" until the natural defense forces could overcome the germs.

**WEEKSBURY MINER KILLED INSTANTLY BENEATH SLATEFALL**

William Norris, 44, of Virgie, an employe of the Koppers Coal Company, Weeksbury, was killed instantly Wednesday night, last week, when he was caught beneath a heavy fall of slate.

The victim and Ernest Preston were working together on a machine when the slate fell. He was crushed about the upper part of the body.

A miner with 29 years experience, Norris was a native of Alabama. He had been employed at Weeksbury for the past three years.

Surviving are his widow, Cordie Dykes Norris; three sons, Robert Norris, Stelman, Va.; Grady and Willard Norris, of Virgie; two daughters, Mrs. Elnore Harbin, Dunbar, Va., and Imogene Norris, at home.

The body was taken to Carbon Hill, Alabama, where burial was made Sunday afternoon.

**REACH AGREEMENT ON CENSUS TAKERS**

**Barkley, Chandler To Ap- point For Ninth Dis- trict Only**

Washington, Oct. 18 — Kentucky's two Senators are permitted to recommend appointment of district census supervisors in only one Kentucky district, the Ninth, the state's only district represented by a Republican Congressman, it was disclosed today.

In the eight other districts, the Census Bureau said, appointments are to be recommended by the Representatives. John M. Robson, Republican, represents the Ninth.

Senator Alben W. Barkley said he had recommended Alex Logan, Williamsburg, and Woodson May, Somerset, as Ninth District census supervisors. Senator A. B. Chandler said he probably would make his recommendations shortly.

The Census Bureau makes appointments from persons recommended by Congressmen.

Earlier in the day Chandler announced he and Barkley had reached "an agreeable understanding" on patronage matters affecting their state and denied reports he had served "an ultimatum" on Barkley, senior Senator, to the effect Chandler must be consulted on all Kentucky patronage matters.

"We are getting along fine," the former Kentucky Governor said of his relations with the man who defeated him for the Democratic senatorial nomination last year.

Chandler was presented a first baseman's mitt today by W. Schaeffer, trainer for the New York Giants. Chandler was a minor league infielder before he started his political career.

**URGES BLACK WALNUT GROWING IN KENTUCKY**

Black walnut trees do so well in Kentucky, and produce so many nuts and such valuable wood, that they should be grown on every farm, large or small, thinks W. E. Jackson, extension forester for the State College of Agriculture.

Instead of setting seedlings, Jackson suggests that nuts be planted either in the fall or spring. Plant nuts either with or without hulls, 3 to 4 inches deep. Put down three nuts for each tree wanted, placing them about three inches apart, and when the sprouts are about eight inches high remove the less-thrifty two. Seedlings can be transplanted from nearby areas with a fair assurance of growth. Protection from livestock is necessary. Hogs will root up the nuts.

Says this forester: "Farmers should endeavor to grow all the black walnut possible, considering the ease of propagating the tree from nuts, the fast rate of growth, the salability of the kernels and, after the tree is mature, the excellent price to be secured from selling the tree itself."

**THESE MEN FOUND HOGS PROFITABLE**

Want to make money raising hogs? Two farmers in Metcalfe county, Ky., told County agent Raymond O. Johnson how they did it.

A litter of nine purebred pigs fed by L. A. Fraser gained 1.4 pounds each daily, weighed 2.150 pounds when 165 days old, and returned a profit of \$74.69. Corn, skimmilk, tankage, cottonseed meal and bran were fed, with pasture of orchard grass, lespedeza and clover. Plenty of water and shade were provided.

A litter of nine purebreds owned by R. Bruce Demumbrum was self-fed corn and wheat, supplemented with tankage and whole milk. At 165 days, this litter weighed 1,891 pounds and produced a profit of \$102.75.

**TO CELEBRATE 25TH ANNIVERSARY OF 4-H CLUB WORK IN STATE**

Kentucky 4-H club members on November 4 will hold their annual achievement day programs and also celebrate the 25th anniversary of club work. Beginning with a few hundred members, enrollment in Kentucky this year totals about 45,000 farm boys and girls.

The celebration will include a radio program from 12 to 12:30 o'clock, originating in the WHAS extension studios at the University of Kentucky; also a national program beginning at 11 o'clock. Many counties will have local programs where certificates of achievement will be awarded. It is es-

**POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**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.  
E. P. ARNOLD

**FOR CITY COUNCIL**  
We are authorized to announce—as an independent—with special favors to none—  
TOY SAMMONS  
for City Council, Ward No. 2, Prestonsburg, Ky.  
Your support will be appreciated, your trust will not be betrayed.

**POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**FOR CIRCUIT JUDGE—**  
We are authorized to announce HENRY STEPHENS, JR., as Democratic nominee for CIRCUIT JUDGE (31st Judicial District)

We are authorized to announce EDWARD L. ALLEN as Republican nominee for CIRCUIT JUDGE (31st Judicial District)

We are authorized to announce C. B. WHEELER as Independent Judiciary nominee for CIRCUIT JUDGE (31st Judicial District)

**FOR COMMONWEALTH'S ATTORNEY—**  
We are authorized to announce JOHN ALLEN as Democratic nominee for COMMONWEALTH'S ATTORNEY (31st Judicial District)

**FOR CIRCUIT COURT CLERK—**  
We are authorized to announce BILL COOLEY as Democratic nominee for CIRCUIT COURT CLERK of Floyd County

We are authorized to announce FRED E. DAMRON as Republican nominee for CIRCUIT COURT CLERK of Floyd County

**FOR REPRESENTATIVE—**  
We are authorized to announce EDWARD B. LESLIE as Democratic candidate for REPRESENTATIVE (93rd District Floyd County)

**FOR MAGISTRATE—**  
We are authorized to announce HENRY STUMBO as Democratic nominee for MAGISTRATE (District No. 3, Floyd County)

We are authorized to announce SAM T. (S. T.) MEAD as Republican nominee for MAGISTRATE (District No. 3, Floyd County)

**Do You Want a BETTER Prestonsburg? IF SO, THEN**

**VOTE FOR THE PROGRESSIVE TICKET ON NOVEMBER 7, 1939**

- For Mayor of Prestonsburg: JOSEPH D. HARKINS, JR.  
For City Council: Ward No. 1 JIM NUNNERY  
DR. JOHN G. ARCHER  
ROE LAYNE  
W. A. ROSE  
Ward No. 2: LEROY COMBS  
ROBERT HARLOWE  
Ward No. 3: (West Prestonsburg) BURL SPURLOCK  
DON CHILDERS

estimated that 35,000 club members will receive certificates for completing their work this year.

It is announced from the state College of Agriculture that 4-H club work now reaches about 40 per cent of farm boys and girls between 10 and 18 years of age. Learning by doing, these club members raise livestock, grow crops, make clothes, cook and bake. Approximately 15,022 girls are enrolled in home-making projects. Seven thousand boys are learning the best methods of growing, curing and selling tobacco, and about 1,200 beef calves are being fattened by club members.

# KENTUCKY DEMOCRATS LET'S SHOW THE NATION

We are PROUD OF and APPRECIATE the RECORD of ACHIEVEMENT  
Made By Our  
STATE And NATIONAL ADMINISTRATIONS

THE FORGOTTEN MAN during the last few years has come into his own, with the New Deal's Social Security program working in his behalf, WPA, PWA, the CCC, Old-Age Assistance and other agencies are DEMOCRATIC in origin and the Republican Party has never put forward anything to take their place, although criticizing and seeking to curtail or eliminate these governmental relief organizations.

THE FARMER, through the Agricultural Adjustment programs, has been greatly aided, his income materially increased, in many instances his farm saved by the DEMOCRATIC NATIONAL ADMINISTRATION.

THE LABORING MAN has won recognition of his honorable contribution to the nation's welfare during the DEMOCRATIC administration of Franklin D. Roosevelt as never before. Hours and wages have been regulated for the benefit of the Laborer, Job Insurance has come about, the right to bargain with employers is guaranteed and Labor's cause greatly advanced.

BUSINESS AND INDUSTRY have been safeguarded and regulated by the DEMOCRATIC administration at Washington. Wall Street has been regulated for the protection of small investors.

BANK DEPOSITS have been INSURED by the DEMOCRATIC national administration and essential industries have been aided by government loans during this DEMOCRATIC national administration.

KENTUCKY HAS MADE MORE PROGRESS during the last DEMOCRATIC STATE ADMINISTRATION than in the previous generation and a half. The State Debt of more than \$28,000,000 has been reduced to \$6,000,000 during the present STATE DEMOCRATIC ADMINISTRATION.

KENTUCKY HAS A BALANCED BUDGET and is living within her income, a great accomplishment of the present DEMOCRATIC STATE ADMINISTRATION, at a time when governmental units everywhere are staggering under huge debts and people of other states and nations are heavily burdened by taxes.

KENTUCKY'S SCHOOL CHILDREN are receiving the highest per capita allotment in the history of the State under this DEMOCRATIC ADMINISTRATION.

COMPLETE REHABILITATION of the State's penal and charitable institutions has been undertaken under this DEMOCRATIC STATE ADMINISTRATION and Kentucky will rank first among the States in caring for her unfortunate citizens when this program is completed under another Democratic administration.

KENTUCKY HAS COME A LONG WAY forward under DEMOCRATIC administrations in recent years. The progress thus begun should be continued and this can be guaranteed only by a continuation of DEMOCRATIC control of the State's affairs.

FAR FROM OFFERING SOMETHING BETTER than the accomplishments which have come to the Nation and Kentucky under DEMOCRATIC ADMINISTRATIONS, the REPUBLICAN party, in the State and Nation, has not presented any program for meeting the great needs and emergencies of the hour and has "ONLY A STARK AND NAKED POLITICAL APPETITE" as its excuse for asking political preference in Kentucky this year.

THE EYES OF THE NATION are upon Kentucky and the result of the Election Tuesday, November 7 will have great influence upon the Presidential election in 1940.

## Keep Kentucky and the Nation Safe, Sound and Progressive

VOTE THE STRAIGHT  
Democratic Ticket Tues., Nov. 7

# PROGRESSIVE TICKET PLATFORM

The undersigned candidates on the Progressive Ticket for Mayor and City Council of the City of Prestonsburg, being of the opinion the voters are entitled to know just where they stand, hereby announce their platform as follows:

1. A thorough and complete audit of the financial affairs of the town as soon as possible, with regular quarterly audits thereafter, and the publishing of quarterly statements showing all monies collected and all monies expended.
  2. The fixing of the salary of the mayor and members of the council at \$1.00 per year.
  3. Budgeting of all expenditures and strict compliance with the budget which will be published each year.
  4. Establishment of a sinking fund for the retirement of the town's debt.
  5. Thorough investigation and consideration of the town's water system.
  6. The appointment of all officers and employees will be carefully considered and appointments made solely on merit.
  7. Immediate and appropriate action toward the reduction of the rate for fire insurance, and the establishment of an adequate fire department.
  8. Maintenance of the streets and sewers in a clean and sanitary condition.
  9. Strict enforcement of the law in order that our streets will be safe for women and children.
  10. All meetings of the city council to be held after public notice and the public invited to attend.
  11. Establishment of garbage disposal system and elimination of dump heaps within the town.
  12. Full cooperation with the Federal Government on WPA Projects and the Johns Creek dam.
  13. We favor reduction of all taxes and will in no event raise taxes.
  14. Abolition of the present custom of hiring kinfolks for city jobs.
- All these things can be done without any increase in taxes and when we are elected we promise to do them.

**For Mayor—**  
**JOSEPH D. HARKINS, JR.**

**For City Council—Ward No. 1:**  
**J. H. NUNNERY**  
**DR. JOHN G. ARCHER**  
**ROE LAYNE**  
**W. A. ROSE**

**Ward No. 2:**  
**LEROY COMBS**  
**ROBERT E. HARLOWE**

**Ward No. 3 (West Prestonsburg):**  
**D. C. CHILDERS**  
**BURL SPURLOCK**

## Table Not Old

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meal shorts, and sech-like things. The implements on display were 125 years old, so we are told.

That dish, "in use daily for 50 years," was 90 years old, and the heart of its owner, Homer Conn, Dana must have jostled with it as folks teetered the "Antique" table about in their eagerness to touch the various exhibits. Not a crack was seen in the dish up till Saturday afternoon—hope the owner returned it home safely.

The 112-year-old spinning wheel sent to the Fair as an exhibit by Mrs. N. M. White, Sr., was a "sight" for modern eyes, as also was the flax wheel which was, once upon a time, owned by the grandmother of Mrs. H. C. Stephens, Jr.

A bedstead, made by John Music in 1825, put some of the furniture-makers attending the Fair to shame, even if it was of the "cord" variety. Then along came a man who told this goggle-eyed spectator of having at his home a bedstead given him only recently by his mother—and, therefore, priceless—which ante-dated the Music bed by at least a quarter of a century. (Maybe he'll be with us next year, carrying his bed with him!)

And from here we take off into space—white space, as printers call it—leaving all those other dainty bits of crockery, a certain and very aged dress that was intended for a little girl, way back then, swords, old shoelasts et cetera—unmentioned. Most of these unmentioned items won prizes, anyhow!

## Ransdell Calls Nurses

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He explained that the present nursing staff of the health department cannot reach all the sufferers regularly because of the isolation of certain patients. Almost an entire day would be required for a nurse to reach some of the more remotely located patients and to return, it was said.

After making a brief but comprehensive survey of the situation here last week, Dr. Fred Caudill, epidemiologist, State Board of Health, said he would recommend additional nursing help to care for polio patients.

It was pointed out that, if immediate expert attention is not given to children left paralyzed by polio, their condition may reach such a stage, before they can be received at a Crippled Children's hospital, that a permanent, crippled condition cannot be avoided. If given prompt and scientific attention until such time as they can be taken to a hospital, it was said that to every sufferer of the disease, may in many cases be avoided.

In the hope of bringing such attention to every sufferer of the disease,

Ransdell said, from nine months to three years, though older persons occasionally are stricken.

## Blackcats Lose

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by a Russell back near the midfield stripe and returned through the entire Blackcat team for the first score. The try for extra point was no good.

Neither team was able to threaten seriously during the second quarter.

The only successful sustained drive of either team got underway in the third period, when the Blackcats carried the ball for over 70 yards and a touchdown. Russell punted to the Prestonsburg 20 and the ball was returned eight yards. On successive plays Layne and Hunter, each of whom played an outstanding game for the Blackcats, carried the ball over the Russell goal line for the only Prestonsburg touchdown, knotting the score at 6-6. Bailey, substitute tackle, was sent into the game to kick for the extra point, which was wide.

Russell's winning touchdown came late in the fourth quarter as the result of an intercepted pass. With the Blackcats in possession of the ball deep in their own territory, Hunter faded back to his three-yard line for a long pass. A Russell back intercepted and on a sweeping end run, after evading several tacklers and finally shaking Gunnels, backing-up the line for the Blackcats, went over the Prestonsburg goal standing up for the final score. Again the placement kick was no good. In the few remaining minutes of the game neither team threatened to score.

Saturday afternoon the Blackcats will meet the Pikeville Panthers at Pikeville.

P'burg (6)	Pos.	Russell (12)
Burdal	RE	Lewis
Rice (c)	RT	Stephens
Stanley	RG	Mourer (c)
Gunnels	C	Howell
Butler	LT	Fredeking
Blackburn	LT	O. Fannin
Damron	LE	N. Fannin
Layne	CB	Hackworth
J. Heinze	HB	Low
Clarke	HB	Caudill
F. Heinze	PB	Ratliff

## MARTIN

David Marrs, Jr., and Bill Reynolds were home for the alumni basketball game, held in the Martin gymnasium Saturday night.

## ABIGAIL

THEATRE  
PRESTONSBURG, KY.

THURSDAY—

**"A Woman Is the Judge"**  
Frieda Inescort, Otto Kruger.

FRIDAY—DOUBLE FEATURE—

**"Flight at Midnight"**  
Phil Regan, Jean Parker.

**"Nancy Drew and the Hidden Staircase"**  
Bonita Granville, John Litel

SATURDAY—

**"Chip of the Flying U"**  
Johnny Mack Brown.

SATURDAY, 3 and 10 P. M.—

**"Everything's On Ice"**  
Irene Dale, Roscoe Karns.

SUNDAY AND MONDAY—

**"Dust Be My Destiny"**  
John Garfield, Priscilla Layne.

TUESDAY—

**"Home Town Movies"**  
—also—

**"Five Little Peppers and How They Grew"**

WEDNESDAY—

**"Man of Conquest"**  
Richard Dix and cast of thousands.

The story of Sam Houston.

## Dean of Pharmacy Perfects Remedy for Cold Coughs

Nine ingredients, including cold-resisting vitamins A and D, are combined into one great medicine—Mentho-Mulsion—by the dean of pharmacy of a large mid-western university. This remarkable medicine stops coughing and relieves that terrible stuffed-up feeling immediately. Mentho-Mulsion is guaranteed to rid you of your cough due to colds quicker than any medicine you ever tried, or every cent will be refunded without question.

Besides vitamins A and D, Mentho-Mulsion contains seven soothing, healing oils and unguents including highest quality beechwood

creosote for penetration. A base of genuine California fig syrup gives Mentho-Mulsion a taste you will like. It clings to your irritated membranes so its soothing, healing ingredients act quicker, better.

"I served in the army thirty-three years and went through two campaigns in the Philippines," says Mr. George Morehouse, "and for the last two years I suffered from bronchial irritation due to colds. Mentho-Mulsion is the only preparation that gave me genuine relief."

Mentho-Mulsion is endorsed by your neighbors and guaranteed by leading druggists everywhere.—adv.

Miss Ruth Skaggs was home from Morehead last week-end.

Among those attending the dance at Wayland last Thursday were Misses Ola Key, Mildred McGlothen, Helen Price and Irene Castle; Messrs. Junior Martin, Hobart Francis and Otto Elam.

Mrs. Gustava McClure was the houseguest of Mrs. David Marrs last week.

The junior class, sponsored by Chalmer Frazier, gave a dance at Eddie's Place Friday night, in honor of their king and queen. The freshman class, sponsored by Messrs. Ray Denny and Joe Allen, gave a square dance in the gymnasium, Saturday night, in honor of their king and queen.

Mr. and Mrs. Val Hatton were called Saturday to Fort Gay, W. Va., because of the death of Mrs. Hatton's father.

Mr. and Mrs. Lance Carver and family were guests of Mrs. Ida Parker last week-end.

Mrs. Florence Crisp and Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Lynch, Sunday visited James Crisp, who is a junior at Morehead this year.

## HONOR ROLL—FIRST SIX WEEKS

Honor Rank or Excellent

Seniors — Robert Wohlford, Junior Vernon, Catherine Francis Helen Price, Elaine Slade, Lorraine Slade.

Juniors — Arthur Vernon, Lillian Salisbury.

Sophomores—Ruth Salisbury.

Freshmen—John Paul Jones.

Superior Rank or Good

Seniors — Ruth Dingus, Warren Wohlford, George Hale, Irene Castle, Clyde Davis, Fay Patton Ruth Crisp, James Tackett.

Juniors—John Spurlock, Barnabas Osborne, Bernard Hall, Bobby Der-

mont, Lucretia Turner, Golda Pratt, Estevia Ison, Juanita Hayes, Helen Fretti, Evelyn Conley Crisp.

Sophomores—Roma Samons, Billy Skeans, Bill Conn, Joe Patton Daphne

## NINTH TO DIE

DRIFT TOT JOINS EIGHT RELATIVES BURIED THIS YEAR AFTER FLOOD

Three-year-old Ernest King, son Ernest King, Sr., Drift, Saturday was the ninth member of his immediate family to be buried in a Frozen Creek cemetery since the "flash" flood which swept Frozen this year.

His body was buried Saturday by the Ryan Funeral Home in the cemetery where lie his two cousins, his grandmother, his two aunts and his uncle—all drowned by the flood. Two other relatives, buried there, have died since the flood.

The tot died at the Beaver Valley hospital last Friday of pneumonia.

## Notice To Automobile Buyers

BUICK and OLDS have only one price—and they have no PADDING of prices in order to give you more for your used car. We deal strictly with each purchaser alike.

Remember—you are taking money out of one pocket and putting it in the other when a Car Dealer allows you more for your Used Car than it is worth. We say this, for the simple reason that he RAISES the price of the new car in order to take care of that extra allowance he is giving you for your old.

## BEWARE OF HORSE-TRADERS!

We have the only GENERAL MOTORS TRAINED SERVICE MAN AND MECHANIC in this territory. His standing in the GENERAL MOTORS Training School may be seen at our Showroom. He is a real Mechanic, trained by the factory that made the cars.

GIVE US A TRIAL.

## Carter Motor Sales

PRESTONSBURG,

KY.

## TO THE PEOPLE OF FLOYD AND KNOTT COUNTIES:



I have just completed an eight-day speaking and canvassing campaign in Knott county. I have been on every creek and in every precinct in that county and have seen and talked to thousands of the citizens of that good county, and am determined to carry my claim for your support to every fireside in Floyd. I am proud to report that in both counties my cause is being championed by practically every minister of the gospel, regardless of denomination; by school teachers and school children; by home-loving fathers and mothers, who really believe in Honor and Decency in the courthouse; by farmers, who desire a judge who will not be dictated to by one or two high-powered corporation lawyers in Prestonsburg; and, lastly, by Union men and their families, who know that my record in behalf of labor is 100 per cent, that for an unbroken period of 24 years I have pleaded their cause in and out of the courthouse.

During the many years that I have been a practicing attorney in Prestonsburg, no laboring man can truthfully say that he has been turned away from the door of my office. In every mining camp in Floyd county today literally dozens of laboring men, whom I have represented in their claims, could testify as a witness to this statement. I began my services for labor many years ago, when there was only one small union at Auxier and have lived to see the cause of labor grow in Floyd county, until every miner belongs to the union. I have not only represented union men in their compensation claims and damage suits, but, also, have represented them as an attorney in

the famous Henry Clay and Elkhorn City cases in the Pike Circuit Court, in which I was retained as a defense attorney by Sam Caddy.

I believe in the Square Deal in the courthouse, and I pledge to the people that if I am your judge, the humblest and poorest citizen shall be given the same consideration as the highest and mightiest. I will have no pets around the courthouse and every lawyer shall be given fair and courteous treatment. I have no friends to reward by judicial decisions, and I am proud to say that I have no enemies to punish.

My opponent, Henry Stephens, is a rich man, who brags that he does not need the office. I am different from him in this respect in that I am a poor man so far as worldly goods are concerned and need the office so that it will enable me to continue the education of my six children. I do not believe that good people will desert me since I am fighting for their homes and the childhood of these counties, and based on my knowledge gained by seeing and talking to the people, I do not believe that the same filthy dollars that were so liberally used to corrupt the primary and defeat Claude Stephens and John Caudill, can be used in November to buy the very souls of men and women so that they will vote for the WRONG against the RIGHT. I am in this fight to the finish and CAN and WILL win.

Your friend,

EDWARD L. ALLEN