

This Town-- That World

SERMON AT THE BAR

With all due respect to the legal profession, I don't go in very strong for their orations and perorations by means of which they seek to sway juries in favor of their clients.

Such an occasion was last Thursday when, at Youngstown, O., one David C. Haynes, defending two 16-year-old boys who were charged with murder, said:

"These kids are like the leopards who can't change their spots. I know what's wrong and so do you gentlemen (the judges). Too damned many bridge-playing mothers. Too damned many cold suppers for sons and fathers to come home to; too much afternoon and evening drinking.

"We have had two wars in a generation. Kids like this didn't start them. Men of the age of your honors started them. Who is to blame?"

"We are all to blame in some degree. A little more home life and more church will do more to solve this problem than all the fine institutions we can conceive."

It is sad to relate that one of the boys was sentenced to death in the electric chair and the other given a life prison term. But the damage done to them and by them had already been done. No words, however true or striking, could erase that tragic fact.

KEEN EDITING

A friend of mine was unhappy, the other day, as was a friend of his. He was paying off a note on which he was an endorser. Grimly he wrote his check and on the "For" line he scribbled, "one s.o.b.". Then, after a moment's thought, he remarked, "I shouldn't have done that. That had a good mother and father." Some more thought, then: "I'll fix that."

So he added the word, "self-made."

Now that "Open the Door, Richard" has proven such a hit, it may be that somebody is passing up a golden opportunity in failing to add to the tintinnabulation and the cacophony that classic, "Katy, Bar the Door."

Court House Happenings

SUITS FILED

Marion Hall vs. McKinley Hall; Joe P. Tackett, atty. Virginia Daniels Leslie vs. Dave Leslie; Joe P. Tackett, atty. Mollie Akers, gdn., vs. J. B. Akers, et al; Joe Hobson, atty. Mark D. Howard vs. Mamie Ruth Howard; Leroy and Kilmer Combs, attys. Martin L. Johnson vs. Willie (Cool) Johnson, et al; Edw. L. Allen, atty. Willa Dean Hall Mullins vs. Harold Mullins; W. S. Wallen, atty.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Virgil Patton and Lillie Craft, Billie Caudill and Ella Craft, Dennis Stephens, 23, Prestonsburg, and Fledie Prater, 21, Water Gap; married here March 1 by the Rev. Alex Stephens. Cecil Newsome and Dorothy Brown, Edgar Rodger Layne, 37, and Mary M. Carroll, 21, both of Ashland; marriage solemnized here March 3 by the Rev. Alex Stephens. Edward Hunt, 22, and Helen Sellars, 18, both of Emma; married here March 3, the Rev. Alex Stephens officiating. Ben Hall and Nevada Isaacs.

Wheelwright Sports Program To Create Recreation Center

A program that may make the mining town of Wheelwright Eastern Kentucky's sports center is in the making this year.

Plans now being developed will, if brought to full realization, make of the town the section's only community having a modern swimming pool, golf course with clubhouse and basketball-football park with lights.

Behind all this development is, first of all, the Inland Steel Company which has converted what once was known as (hated name!) Garbage Hollow into a nine-hole golf course, with grass greens, which is now building a brick-and-stone clubhouse, and which has inaugurated a wide baseball and football program with the purchase of a park, between Wheelwright and Melvin.

To follow this beginning through is the newly-created Wheelwright Athletic Association, which expects to have a membership ranging between 1,000 and 1,500 this year. Robert Miller, association president, said this week.

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EAST POINT GIRL WINS

DAR Good Citizenship Award; To Represent School at Frankfort

The annual Good Citizenship honor accorded by the Prestonsburg high school faculty and student body to the outstanding girl-citizen of the school goes this year to Miss Susan Robinson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bascom Robinson, of East Point.

Announcement of Miss Robinson's selection for the honor was made at the meeting of John Graham Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, sponsor of the annual award, at the home of Mrs. E. P. Arnold Tuesday by Mrs. O. T. Stephens, leader of the program.

The chapter will send Miss Robinson as the school's Good Citizenship Pilgrim to the Daughters of the American Revolution state conference which convenes in Frankfort next Wednesday. The student qualified for the honor on the basis of dependability, service, patriotism and leadership.

Mrs. Stephens spoke on "Citizenship" and also discussed "Forestry," reading Governor Willis' proclamation calling on Kentucky's citizens to become conscious of the importance of forests and to join in protecting them and the state's wildlife from forest fires.

Mrs. Herbert Salisbury, chapter regent, read her annual report. The chapter made contributions of \$5 each to the American Red Cross and the Boy Scout drive and also voted a gift of \$5 to the Valley Forge Memorial Bell Tower, thus honoring Mrs. Hugh L. Russell, of Ashland, state regent.

YOUTH ADMITS GUILT OF TRIO

Caught in Layne Store, Confesses Burglaries Here and at Martin

One of two Dwayne residents jailed here, accused of breaking and entering Melvin Layne's grocery store near Betsy Layne Monday night, has confessed that he and two companions recently entered three Prestonsburg business places and another at Martin, County Attorney W. W. Burchett announced Wednesday morning.

Sixteen-year-old Roy Clifton, who was captured by Homer Parsons after he had broken a glass window in Layne's store, told authorities that he, Ershel Vaughan, 21, and James E. Webb, Jr., 19, all of Dwayne, entered Ward's Newsstand, the Pure Oil Service Station and the Cooley Motor Company garage here on the night of Feb. 18 and that they also entered a Martin filling station.

Similarity in the method of forcing entrance to each building caused authorities to question the youth about the Prestonsburg breaks. Windows in each case had been smashed.

After first denying guilt, the boy told officials that he entered the buildings while his confederates, both of whom are older than he, drove the getaway truck. The haul in each instance was light.

Vaughan maintained his innocence and would admit only that he and Webb had permitted young Clifton to ride with them. Vaughan was captured by Parsons, it was said, when he and Webb parked their truck at the Betsy Layne store after Clifton had been nabbed.

Wednesday, Webb was brought here by his father and he, too, admitted guilt, largely corroborating Clifton's story. He and Clifton were released under \$1,000 bond each. Vaughan remains in jail.

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THURSDAY

PRESTONSBURG, KENTUCKY

MARCH 6, 1947

BOARD VOTES BUDGET TO UP TEACHER PAY

Proposes \$50,000 More For 1947-48 Teachers; To Ask 4 Building Bids

The general budget adopted by the Floyd County Board of Education Tuesday, if approved by the fiscal court, will add to the teacher salary fund for the 1947-48 school year approximately \$50,000, regardless of what the State Legislature does or doesn't do about aid to teachers, County Superintendent Palmer L. Hall said Wednesday.

The school tax set-up in the new budget remains unchanged from that of last year. The Board in planning the budget, Mr. Hall said, sought a top salary of \$200 a month for teachers as compared with \$178.20 for the current school year. The increased fund earmarked for teachers was made available from the state per capita fund and the higher property evaluation in the county.

Generally, the budget, it was explained, emphasizes better teachers' salaries and a heavier building program. The Board at Tuesday's meeting directed Superintendent Hall to advertise for bids on these building projects upon receipt of plans now being completed.

Betsy Layne, Weeksday and Melvin, 8-room grade school buildings and auditoriums; Wheelwright, brick gymnasium.

"This doesn't mean," Mr. Hall explained, "that we will be able to award contracts immediately on all four jobs. But it will enable us to see where we stand and what we can do."

Five teacher changes were made necessary by resignations and one death. The Board employed Edith Hopkins at Drift to succeed Esther Sammons; Raymond Cecil Hall in District 60 to succeed Rusbie Frazier; Mr. Joel Frazier at Auxier to succeed Virginia Moles; Mrs. Elsie S. Hicks to fill the vacancy at Besco caused by the death of Mrs. Madge Mullins Martin; Mrs. Geneva Harmon at David to succeed Mrs. Edna Davis.

O. G. CONLEY VICTIM AT 40

Illness of 5 Days Claims Well-Known Farmer and Teacher

Ottis Glenn Conley, 40 years old, well-known Abbott Creek farmer and teacher, succumbed last Thursday at the Prestonsburg General hospital to coronary thrombosis following an illness of five days.

Mr. Conley was first stricken at his home Feb. 22, and a second attack resulted in his death, news of which brought deep regret to many relatives and friends in this section.

A son of the late Benjamin Amos Conley and Mary L. Hackworth Conley, he was born and reared on Conley Fork of Abbott Creek. After receiving his early education in the public schools of the county, he attended Berea and Pikeville Colleges. He was a prosperous farmer and became one of the county's best teachers, at the time of his last illness being instructor of Manual Trades in Martin and Maytown consolidated schools.

Mr. Conley was married March 6, 1927 to Miss Grace Harmon. Of this union two sons survive: Donald Ivory Conley, of Berea College, and Benjamin Patrick Conley, Prestonsburg high school sophomore. Besides his widow and two sons, he leaves seven sisters and one brother: Mrs. Josie Dotson, Ivyton, Mrs. Ada Click, Leander, Ky., Mrs. Amy Caudill, Willard, O., Mrs. Julia B. Stephens, Prestonsburg, Mrs. Katy Click, Ashland, R. 1, Mrs. Dollie Caudill, Garrett, Mrs. Winnie Merritt, Prestonsburg, and John Conley, Silver Lake, Indiana.

Funeral rites were conducted Sunday morning from the residence, the Revs. Hargis Conley, Alex Stephens and Andrew Shortridge officiating. Burial in the family cemetery was directed by the Arnold Funeral Home.

Pallbearers and flower-bearers were students in Mr. Conley's classes at Martin and Maytown consolidated schools. A quartette composed of members of his Martin class sang at the last rites.

Mrs. Pauline Hyden Sparks has returned to her home here from the Paintsville hospital where she has been critically ill of a ruptured appendix.

SIX RETIRED, SEVENTH ENDING WORK



Seated (left to right) — John Stephens, Water Gap; L. C. Leslie, Emma; Luraney Pitts, West Prestonsburg. Standing—County Superintendent Palmer L. Hall, Prestonsburg; Dick Burchett, Ivel; H. N. Cooley, Prestonsburg; R. T. Hunt, German; Clabe Stephens, Water Gap.

They taught one-room schools, to begin with, at salaries as low as \$22 a month, with only six months of work at teaching during the school year.

They saw these salaries crawl painfully upward, inch by inch, over the years, and never reach an average for the group that greatly exceeded \$100 a month.

They look upon teachers' salaries of today, with the cost of living higher than ever before, as approximating the "starvation wages" they have been called.

And yet the six men and one woman shown in the photograph (above) with County Superintendent Palmer L. Hall would, if their wishes were law, be teaching yet.

For six of the group are retired teachers and they find that absence from the schoolroom makes the heart grow fonder of the old job. And the seventh, H.N. Cooley, is teaching his last school before joining them in retirement.

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SPELLING BEE HERE MAR. 15

Winners, Runners-Up Of Sectional Tests To Meet for Title

Floyd county's rural school spelling champion will be decided here Saturday, March 15, when winners and runners-up of five sectional bees conducted in the county will meet, it was announced this week by Henry Martin, rural school supervisor.

Winner of the county title will receive from The Courier-Journal and The Louisville Times a \$10 cash award in addition to a system championship certificate and a lapel medal. The two Louisville newspapers are making these awards to county champions this year in lieu of the state spelling bee they have formerly sponsored.

Pupils of 40 rural schools competed in the five sectional bees conducted in the county last week. Winners received from the Floyd County Board of Education Webster's dictionaries as prizes. Names of sectional champs and runners-up follow:

Harold section—Herbert Saunders, Lower Branch Creek, and Marlene Tackett, Tram; Clear Creek section—Jewell Elswick, Hi Hat, and Jerome Horn, Ligon; McDowell—Morton P. McClothen, Salisbury, and Geneva Hall, Sizemore; David—Rhodella Mae Allen, Pitts Fork, and Phyllis Mae Wallen, Buckeye; Prestonsburg—Ben Whitaker, upper Little Paint, and Ermalene Akers, Banner.

PLAN ORGANIZATION OF JUNIOR GUILD

Junior women of the Presbyterian Church met Feb. 12 at the home of Miss Alice Gray Burke and discussed plans for organizing a Junior Woman's Guild. Miss Burke was appointed chairman of the group until final plans are completed and officers elected. Six members enrolled at the first meeting. The meeting last week was held at the home of Mrs. Milton Cyrus. Nine members were present. The membership is open to the public and not to Presbyterians only. Any young woman who wishes to join the Guild may do so by applying to Miss Burke. The hostess served refreshments to the following: Misses Alma Collins, Lorraine Smith, Sylvia Helen Davis, Alice Gray Burke, Mesdames Buddy Hatton, Elmer Collins, Milton Cyrus, Bernard Tackett.

Pastor at McDowell And Family Leaving For Brazilian Work

The Rev. Albert Spieth, pastor and organizer of the First Missionary Baptist Church at McDowell, will deliver his parting message to the church and residents of that section Sunday evening, March 9, speaking on the subject, "Why I Am Going to Brazil."

The Rev. and Mrs. Spieth and their two children will leave March 12 for Elyria, Ohio, and later will begin missionary work at Manaus, Brazil, under the sponsorship of Mid-Missions. He will be succeeded in the McDowell pastorate by the Rev. William White.

The minister and his family located at McDowell in August, 1942. Since that time, a church building has been erected and an active church organization effected.

BLIND MAN BURNS VICTIM

Knott Countian Flees His Would-Be Rescuers As Flames Terrify Him

Burns suffered Feb. 23 at Leburn, Knott county, when his clothing caught fire from an open grate resulted Saturday in the death at the Stumbo Memorial hospital, Lackey, of Wilson Thacker, 60-year-old blind man.

Terrified by the pain, the blind man, it was said, fled his mother's home, a human torch, his clothing being almost consumed by the flames as members of his family were unable to overtake him.

He is survived by his mother, Mrs. Martha Burge, of Leburn, and two brothers, James, of Leburn, and Proctor, of West Virginia. Funeral services were conducted from the residence of Mrs. Burge Sunday afternoon by the Revs. Mack and Arvin Stone and burial was made in the family cemetery under direction of the Ryan Funeral Home.

HOSTS TO DINNER

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Hall were hosts Sunday to a birthday dinner honoring Mrs. Edna Griffith and Mrs. Worley Boyd. Their guests were Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Rice, Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Rice, Mr. and Mrs. Worley Boyd, Mrs. Byron Rice, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Conn and daughter, Scarlet, Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Conley, Charles Griffith, Mrs. Edna Griffith, Mrs. Joe Merritt and Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Conley.

DRIVE BEGINS NEXT MONDAY

With Breakfast Here To Launch Intensive Red Cross Campaign

The Red Cross drive in this county began Monday, with this week being devoted to work of the Special Gifts committee, soliciting contributions from heavier supporters of the organization's work, and next week the campaign will be launched, countywide.

For the intensive drive to be made in every part of the county the following community chairmen have been named:

Miss Gladys Howard, Pyramid; Jimmie Green, Utility Elkhorn Coal Co., Martin; Joe L. Lambert, Central Elkhorn Coal Co., Estill; Faye Collins, Edgar; George L. Moore, McDowell; Georgia Hall, Galveston; C. W. Stephens, Koppers Coal Co., Westbury; Mrs. Minnie Woods, Bonanza; Mrs. Dixie Neely, Cliff; L. B. Brashear, Stephens Elkhorn Coal Co., Manton; J. R. Hurt, Sandy Valley Coal Co., Prestonsburg; Mrs. Elizabeth Robinson, Printer; Crit Wells, Elk Horn Coal Corp., Wayland; Mrs. Alice Caudill, Auxier; Miss Edna Mae Allen, Allen; Harmon Maynard, Clear Branch Mining Co., Ligon; Mr. Baber, Hi Hat Coal Co., Hi Hat; Ted Stapleton, Goose Creek Mining Co., Garrett; Jack Cooley, Sizemore Mining Co., Drift; Andy Tackett, Beaver; Mrs. T. J. Chandler, Betsy Layne; Rev. Isaac Stratton, Banner; Nat Cooley, Cooley Elkhorn Coal Co., Wayland.

Mrs. M. M. Collins, Lackey; Mrs. Maggie Hewlett, Drift; Mrs. Fannie Runnels, West Prestonsburg; Mrs. R. C. Hayes, Alpharetta; Mrs. Edith M. Hopkins, Minnie; Mrs. L. C. Leslie, Emma; Ernest Hopkins, Dwayne; Mrs. Marvin D. Marshall, Water Gap; Paris Conley, Bonanza; L. S. Becker, Inland Steel Corp., Wheelwright; Mrs. W. L. Baldrige, East Point; Bert Newsome, Grethel; B. F. Reed, Turner Elkhorn Coal Co., Drift; Mrs. Pet Salisbury, Hunter; Mrs. Viola Stewart, Langley; Mrs. Luna Craft, Huysville; John Hampton, Glogora Coal Co., Glogora; Russell Harman, Princess Elkhorn Coal Co., David; Dan Knausz, Elkhorn Fuel Co., Harold; G. W. Snodgrass, Allen; Miss Edna Mae Allen, Allen; H. T. Hill, Cliff; Dewey Roberts, Harold; Joe Dingus, East Point; Mrs. Rebecca Rasnick, Garrett; Mrs.

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Tot Dies, Brother Ill After Swallowing Poison

The three-year-old son of Ray Chandler, of Begley Branch, near Halo, this county, died a few days ago after he and his four-year-old brother were said to have swallowed poison tablets. His brother is expected to recover.

Supreme Court Upholds Lewis, UMWA Fines

A radio broadcast at noon today stated that the U. S. Supreme Court has sustained the fine of John L. Lewis and the United Mine Workers in the famous case growing out of the mine shutdown of last December.

This report said Lewis' fine of \$10,000 remains unchanged but that the \$3,500,000 fine against the UMWA was reduced to \$700,000.

The court gave the losers in the court battle five days in which to comply with orders of the lower court.

NET TOURNEY BEGINS TODAY

Prestonsburg, Garrett In Opener at McDowell High School Gymnasium

A brand of basketball near tops in Kentucky will be displayed during the district tournament starting tonight at McDowell, with at least four participating teams among the stronger aggregations in state net circles.

Wayland, Prestonsburg, McDowell, Betsy Layne and Garrett are listed as the top teams in the meet, but others less publicized could create a major upset as the whims of basketball fate turn from this team to that.

Prestonsburg and Garrett open the three-day meet at 7:30 tonight. At 1:30 p.m., Friday, the powerful Wayland team plays Auxier, a five that closed its season with wins over McDowell and Salyersville. Maytown meets McDowell at 3. Friday night, Martin and Wheelwright clash at 7:30, with Betsy Layne meeting the winner of the Prestonsburg-Garrett tilt in the nightcap.

The semi-finals will be played Saturday afternoon, beginning at 1, with the finals coming off at 8:30 that evening.

Referees selected by coaches of participating teams are "Greasy" Hughes, of Garrett, and Steve Benedict, of Pikeville.

Wayland and Prestonsburg are favored to meet in the finals, but the McDowell gym will be full of fans either hoping for or fearing an upset.

MAN MISSING SINCE FEB. 24

Officers' Assistance Is Enlisted in Search For McKinley Howell

Aid of local, county and state officials has been enlisted by Mrs. McKinley Howell, of Jack's Creek, in the search for her war veteran-husband who has been missing since Feb. 24 when he came to Prestonsburg.

The veteran, who was forced to quit work in the mines because of wartime leg injuries, left home to drive home the family car which had been repaired at a local garage. He arrived here, cashed a \$300 check on the joint account of Mrs. Howell and her father, Marion Hall, but did not appear at the garage.

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Allen Rules Wet-Dry Vote In 4 Pike Districts Void

Special Judge Edward L. Allen, of Prestonsburg, Saturday handed down a ruling in the Pike circuit court which voided the local option election in four of the six districts won by the Dry forces last October 1 in Pike county.

The ruling was made on contest action filed by Wets in the First, Second, Third, Fourth, Fifth and Eighth magisterial districts of Pike county. Their petition in District Three was automatically dismissed because of the death on Dec. 8, last, of the plaintiff, Hamon Ratliff, and Judge Allen dismissed the Wets' suit in District Five because, he said, "the court was in doubt whether or not notices had been posted."

Districts Six and Seven voted to remain wet and the results were uncontested.

The suits filed by Wets in Pike raised the same question as that created in the recent Floyd suit—whether or no election notices were posted as required by law. The Floyd election was held valid by Circuit Judge E. P. Hill and the case rests now on an Appellate Court decision.

The plaintiffs in the county's First, Second, Third, Fourth, Fifth and Eighth districts contended the dry forces won by fraud, intimidation, so-called table voting and other illegal means.

"But," Judge Allen said, "the records are remarkably clear of the usual election irregularities x x x."

1947 RURAL ROAD PLANS ANNOUNCED

Court Tells Failure Of Road Department, Signs New Contract

Although informed by representatives of the Rural Highway Department that a total of \$85,700 is Floyd county's share of the \$5,000,000 rural highway fund this year, members of the Floyd fiscal court Friday signed the annual contract with the department for road work in the county with no great show of enthusiasm.

A preamble to the formation of a road program for the year was a frank appraisal by County Judge Davidson, County Attorney Burchett and the four Magistrates of the preceding year's work. While they assured District Engineer Frys and District Supervisor Parker, of the Department, that they were convinced they had done as best they could as individuals for this county, they expressed keen disappointment in the failure of the Department to do the things outlined in the previous program.

"Outside of Prater Creek work, we got very little good out of last year's program," County Judge Davidson said, adding: "The court feels that the county should get at least 50 cents on the dollar."

Last year's rural highway fund for the county was \$71,000.

Mr. Frye pointed out that the department started last year with no worthwhile equipment, but added that machinery has been repaired or new machinery added to the extent that the program will be more effective this year.

"You admit," County Attorney Burchett said to the Department representatives, "that we can get work done more cheaply than you can. You admit that rural highway supervision has been bad. Then let us make these proposals:

"1. The state pay the county a fixed rental for the county's equipment and permit a supervisor representing the county to oversee the work at no cost to the state.

"2. You have had too much common labor on these road jobs. I suggest that no common labor be employed beyond the number approved by the fiscal court."

Mr. Frye replied that county machinery rented by the state would have to be operated under state direction and to the second proposal he said: "The state absolutely could not do that."

Construction projects listed in the new contract are calculated to cost \$57,000. These are:

Beginning 1.5 miles west of Bonanza and extending a distance of 1 mile west, grade, drain and low-type surface.

Big Mud road, beginning 10.6 miles south of Harold and extending 1 mile upstream, grade, drain, low-type surface.

Caney Creek, 1.8 miles. Frazier's Creek, beginning 1.3 miles northeast of McDowell and extending upstream to mouth of Hall Fork, one mile, bituminous surfacing.

Turkey Creek, beginning 1 mile south of Maytown and extending upstream 1 mile, low-type surface. (This project was in the 1946-47

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Mr and Mrs. Garland H. Rice, of Paintsville, visited Mrs. Jo M. Davidson here Sunday.

**NOTICE**

All persons having unfinished dental work in the office of the late Dr. C. R. Slone are asked to call at the office. Dr. Edward B. Leslie will be at the office to take care of your needs. 3-6-2t MRS. C. R. SLONE

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**FOR SALE**—Four nice lots. Lower Second Street. Call Franklin W. Moore, Ph. 3941, Prestonsburg, Ky. 11-28-tf.

**WANTED**—furnished house or apartment. PHONE 3261, Prestonsburg. 1-30-tf.

**FOR SALE**—lot 176 feet front, 400 feet back, on Trail, Prestonsburg; also two lots on Howard street, 100 ft. front in all by 120 feet deep. See DAVE STEPHENS, Prestonsburg. 12-12-tf.

**SEE COLLINSWORTH** for best prices on new and used furniture. G. W. COLLINSWORTH FURNITURE STORE, Mayo Trail, upper limits of Prestonsburg. 11-13-tf.

**FOR SALE**—lot 50x120 feet, with brick business building and dwelling, corner of Howard and Davis streets. See DAVE STEPHENS, City. 1-16-tf.

**FOR SALE**—nice new dwelling and large modern store at Lancer, Ky. Ideal for man who wants a home and a business. G. C. SPRADLIN, Telephone 8711, Prestonsburg, Ky. 1-23-tf.

**FOR SALE**—4 lots 100 ft. fronting Trail, 120 ft. back, at lower city limits. Priced to sell. See WESLEY CAMPBELL at First National Bank. 1-23-tf.

**PIANOS**

WE BUY, sell, trade, tune and repair pianos. Uprights, grands and spinets available for immediate delivery. McCUBBIN MUSIC CO., Pikeville Branch, Carolina ave., across street from Liberty Theatre. Phone 403-J, Pikeville and representative will call. 1-23-tf.

**WANTED**—veterans, married and sober, for on-the-job training. See DAVE STEPHENS, Big Sandy Dental Laboratory, Prestonsburg. 2-6-tf.

**WANTED**—used furniture. Will pay cash. RAY HOWARD, Phone 3082, City. 3-28-tf.

**AMBITIOUS WOMEN**—can earn \$1 and over per hour taking orders for new Spring line of Maisonette Dresses. For sales samples, write P. O. Box 591, Cincinnati 1, Ohio. 2-13-4t.

**FOR SALE**—Fitzpatrick's restaurant and whiskey store at Garrett, Ky. Reason for sale: ill health. Phone 9147 or J. Wayland CLARA F. MESSER, Garrett, Ky. 2-13-4t-pd.

**BABY CHICKS**—AAAA Grade from United States Approved Pullorum Controlled Flocks, \$3.95 per 100 and up. MAC'S CHIX STORE, 901 High St., Evansville, Indiana. 2-13-4t.

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**FOR SALE**—several mining cars, 42" gage, 38" high, ball bearing wheels, heavy steel bumpers. Reasonable. Located Harmon Branch, Pike county, Ky. HARMON ELKHORN COAL CO., Pikeville, Ky. Phone 478, night 625-J or 377. 2-27-5t.

**PIANO FOR SALE**—in good condition. Priced reasonably. Call 3362, Prestonsburg, Ky. 2-27-3t.

**FOR SALE**—1939 Lincoln Zephyr sedan. Motor completely overhauled. Good tires. See RICHARD BRANHAM at Sandy Valley Coal Company store, Water Gap, or phone 4101. 2-27-2t.

**SPECIAL THIS WEEK**—9x12 all-wool Axminster rugs, scatter rugs, electric radios, battery radios. F. DANIEL, near concrete bridge, Paintsville, Ky. 2-27-2t-pd.

**FOR SALE THIS WEEK**—'37 Ford, '37 Plymouth. DANIEL, Paintsville, Ky. 2-27-2t-pd.

**FOR SALE**—horse, 9 years old, good saddle and good worker. See PERRY GREEN, West Prestonsburg. 2-27-2t-pd.

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**Administrator's Notice**

All persons having claims against the estate of Sam Kimanska, deceased, are hereby notified to file same, properly proven, with the undersigned administrator at Martin, Ky., on or before March 25, 1947, and all persons indebted to said estate are notified to settle same at once. G. D. RYAN, Admr., Estate of Sam Kimanska. 3-6-3t deceased.

**DAVID**

The David Homemakers Club met Wednesday night, Feb. 26, at the home of Mrs. Russell Harman with Mrs. Allen Whitaker, co-hostess. The president, Mrs. M. C. Thompson, presided. The poem, "The Builders," was read by Miss Blanche Garrett, who also gave an interesting report on the recent trip to Farm and Home Week in Lexington. The project for the evening, "Fitting and Adjusting your Pattern," was given by Mrs. Ora Bussey and Miss Blanche Garrett. Refreshments were served to Mrs. W. M. Crawford, Mrs. George Burke, Mrs. Pete Capelli, Mrs. M. E. Thompson, Mrs. Ora Bussey, Mrs. Allen Whitaker, Mrs. Russell Harman and Miss Blanche Garrett.

Miss Justine Wilson returned Monday from Ann Arbor, Mich., where she has been working for some time.

Mrs. W. H. Ratliff has as her guests her mother, Mrs. Francis Marshall, and her sister, Mrs. Lula Crisp, of Dinwood. Her brother, Speed Marshall, also visited her Sunday.

Jennie Ratliff, daughter of W. H. Ratliff, is very ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Preston were visiting at Van Lear Sunday.

Frank Christian was visiting Mr. and Mrs. Tandy Bartley Sunday.

Joyce Ann Fickett has mumps.

Mr. and Mrs. Hansford Honeycutt were visiting in Auxier Sunday.

Earl Dawson is in the Paintsville hospital suffering from a fractured foot.

Ella Rose and Larry Allen have mumps.

Mrs. Ora Bussey has been ill for a few days.

Mrs. Harry Rice is able to be up after several days' illness. She has been attended by Miss Rice, of Allen.

**GARRETT**

Frieda Mae Stanley died Feb. 23 at the home of her mother, Ellen Stanley, of Garrett, a victim of tuberculosis, at the age of 23 years. She is survived by her mother, Ellen Stanley, two brothers and four sisters, Haskell Stanley, Paul L. Maggie, Corinne, Geneva and Anna Lee. Burial was made in the Bentley cemetery with the Revs. Ernest Ward, Ed Howard, Everett Daniels and Alex Coburn officiating.

**I. O. O. F., No. 293**

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## District Representatives Of Rebekahs To Meet

Representatives of Rebekah lodges in District 12, composed of Paintsville, Pikeville, Wayland, Hazard, Hardburly and Prestonsburg will meet in joint session Saturday at 2 p.m., in Odd Fellows' hall here. Mrs. Gladys McAfee, president of the Rebekah State Assembly of Kentucky, and other grand officers will be present. Members of the local lodge have been invited to attend.

At 7 p.m., Saturday, the district Odd Fellows meeting will be held here, with grand lodge representatives attending.

### BENEFIT FOR BAND

Funds derived from the pie supper to be held Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock in the grade school auditorium here will be spent in the purchase of uniforms for members of the school band. The band members and their parents are sponsoring the event.

Mrs. Winnie F. Johns is improved from a recent illness.

Mrs. O. P. Powers is visiting her sister-in-law, Mrs. Anne Power Cox, at Putnam, W. Va.

Mrs. May W. Layne and Roger Brown, of Paintsville, were here Thursday transacting business and visiting relatives.

Mrs. Frank La Leer, of Chicago, Ill., was called here last week by the critical illness of her aunt, Mrs. Caroline Harris. Mrs. La Leer will be remembered as the former Miss Stella Martin.

Joe Wheeler Jarrell is able to be up again after a severe attack of mumps.

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## PERSONALS

### WESLEYAN GUILD MEETS

The first regular meeting for the year of the Wesleyan Service Guild was held at the home of Mrs. Catherine Wiechers Tuesday evening, February 25. The president, Mrs. Palmer L. Hall, presided and appointed her committees for the coming year. A timely program, based on the theme, "Children of One World," was presented by Mrs. Harry Ranier, Mrs. Monroe Wicker, Mrs. R. V. May, Mrs. Claybourne Stephens.

Refreshments were served to the following members and guests: Oval Hall, Inez Hereford, Katherine Leake, Peggy Spurlock, Phyllis Ranier, Elsie Stephens, Douglas May, Lillian Stumbo, Mary Lou Layne, Irene Stephens, Eleanor Horn, Edna C. Greenwade, Ruth Worland, Mae K. Roberts, Golda Wicker, Corinne Hill, Josephine Davidson, Vera Ford, Ada Fields, Carlos Haywood, and Catherine Wiechers.

Mrs. Kemp Daniels and daughter, Naomi, of Griffin, Ga., are here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Harris.

Miss Eula Oppenheimer, of Dayton, Ohio, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Oppenheimer, during the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Hughes, of Dingus street, added last week to the lovely furnishings of their home a beautiful new Gubransen Console Spinnet Piano, purchased from Brown's Piano Store, E. B. Brown, owner, Prestonsburg, Ky., Phone 5493.

Mrs. J. L. Oppenheimer was called, a few days ago, to the bedside of her sister, Mrs. E. A. Horton, at Pay, Ky.

Dr. Follick and family, of Hazard, moved Monday into the new residence built by Harry Sandige on First avenue. He will be connected with the Hughes Drug Store as pharmacist.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Howard left Friday for a vacation in Florida. They will visit their sons, Harris Stephens and Woodford Howard, at Venice, Florida, where they are students at winter quarters of the Kentucky Military Institute.

Dr. and Mrs. William F. Clarke and baby are guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Clarke. Dr. Clarke is recuperating from a recent major operation. They are now residing at Lexington where he is attached to the Veterans hospital.

"Aunt Cadge" Harris, who has been critically ill, is holding her own at present. Her many friends are hoping for her speedy recovery.

## Club Votes Youth Center Organization Best Work

Lackey, Ky., March 1 (Spl.)—The Lackey-Garrett Woman's Club met in the home of Mrs. W. T. Hatcher Friday night. Mrs. Crit Wells was the leader, her subject being "Years of Achievement in the General Federation of Women's Clubs." After the program a business session was held. The club voted that the club's outstanding project for the past three years was the organization of Youth Centers. It also voted to continue the further development of the center.

Mrs. Fred A. Martin, president, appointed a nominating committee for the election of new officers. The committee is composed of Mesdames George Evans, W. T. Hatcher, Carl Wrightson, Charles Hensley. At the close of the meeting Mrs. Hatcher served a dessert to Mesdames S. M. Martin, Earl Castle, M. M. Collins, Johnny Wallace, Roy Souleyrette, Melvin Hayes, Felix Coburn, Ruth Sturgill, Carl Wrightson, Harry Sherman, John Faulk, Gorman Collins, George Evans, Fred A. Martin, Thomas Hatcher, Crit Wells, and Miss Marie Coburn.

A special business session was called for Feb. 14 and the club will meet with Mrs. Carl Wrightson.

### HOSTS TO BIBLE CLASS

Carl Woods, Ike Lockwood, Curt Homes, Dick Spurlock and H. D. Fitzpatrick, Jr., were hosts to the Men's Bible Class of the Methodist Church Tuesday evening. A chicken chow mein supper was served to 34 men in the recreation room of the church.

Rev. R. L. Beeks, pastor of the Pilgrim Holiness Church, guest speaker, made a splendid talk on "A Successful Life."

Men of the community, who are not attending Sunday School elsewhere, are invited to attend this class each Sunday morning at 9:30. The Rev. W. B. Garriott is teacher of the class.

Miss Lorraine Jarrell is spending this week in Detroit, guest of Mr. and Mrs. M. G. Stephens.

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Maggie Isaacs, former resident of the Jack's Creek section, now of Prestonsburg, told authorities here she saw Howell at the bus station here but that she had no other knowledge of his whereabouts.

Mrs. Howell based her fear of foul play on her husband's customary punctuality in reporting to her by telephone any delays in travel when away from home. She said that he never drank.

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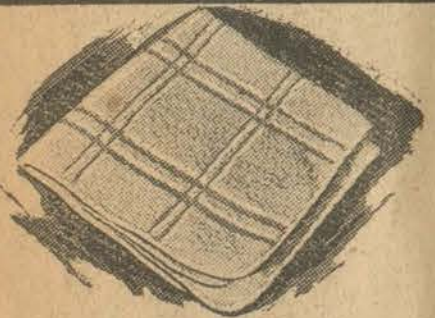
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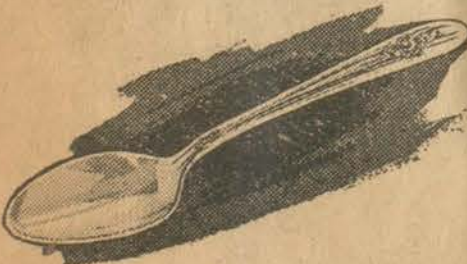
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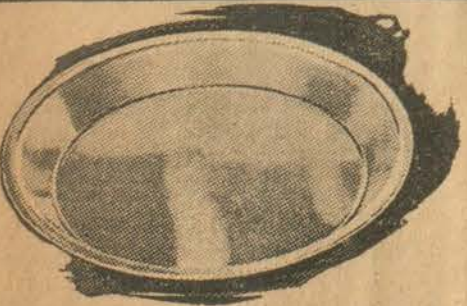
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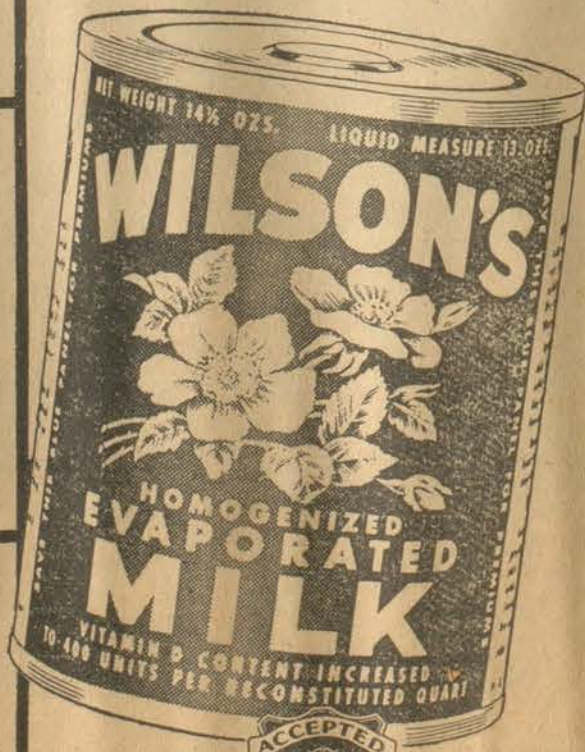


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The numerous misleading statements contained in this letter were intended, in my judgment, to further confuse and mislead the employees in an effort to weaken your local union.

The statement is entirely erroneous with reference to the actions of the joint board. The board did not agree to dismiss the grievance as Mr. Francis claims in his letter. The vote was not to dismiss the case, as Mr. Francis claims. The board split in their vote with the operators voting not to hear the case, and the mine workers on the board voting to hear the case. The motion was made by President Caddy that the case be heard. The mine workers did not agree with the operators to not hear the case as stated in Mr. Francis' letter.

Mr. Francis' reference to a statement made by Sam Caddy, in the presence of Tom Raney, in Lexington, Ky., January 10, 1946, is entirely an untrue statement and does not contain one word of truth.

In the last paragraph in Mr. Francis' letter, he says the management of the mines has sincerely tried to maintain a policy of being friendly, honest, and helpful in carrying out the friendly policy. I wonder who Mr. Francis thinks he is kidding. Mr. Francis knows that his company has used every means at its command to take seniority away from the men. Mr. Francis knows that seniority has been an established custom since the opening of the Princess mine. Mr. Francis further knows that, because of his company's actions, three local work stoppages have occurred at his mine because his company has violated the contract under the past custom clause.

Mr. Stollings did agree with me in the presence of the mine committee, field representative Hibbits, Lt. Miller, U.S. Navy, that if we failed to settle Sam Manuel's case that the case would be tried at the joint board. This conference was held Oct. 20, 1946. Mr. Stollings further made the statement that he would call H. S. Homan and arrange for the board meeting, and he said that if the Princess Elkhorn lost the case they would accept the decision of the board or umpire, and if the union lost the case that he hoped the miners would be sportsman enough to accept the decision. I made this statement at the joint board, and Mr. Stollings did not deny this statement because Mr. Stollings knew that the mine committee would know that he had broken his word to his employees and to Lt. Miller of the U.S. Navy.

I thought Mr. Stollings was a man of his word; in other words, he acts as if he is extremely religious; therefore, every member of the mine committee was deeply shocked when we heard Mr. Stollings stand before the board and ask that the Sam Manuel case not be tried, because this was a wide departure from the agreement made by Mr. Stollings that the case would be tried.

The mine committee can tell the men and each employee also knows that every grievance under seniority ever since the mine has been in operation up and until the Government seized the mine, and we believe the Company is taking advantage of the Smith-Connolly Law to force the employees to give up their local seniority at this mine.

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Mrs. Madge Mullins Martin, 32 years old, Huesville teacher and wife of Jennings Martin, principal of the Bosco school, died last Thursday at 4:30 a.m., at the Paintsville hospital.

Mrs. Martin had submitted to an operation a month before her death, and her condition was recognized as serious but her passing came as a shock to her students, relatives and friends.

She was a daughter of the late R. B. Mullins and of Mrs. Leora B. Mullins, of Huesville. Surviving are her husband, her mother, four sisters and four brothers: Mrs. Jo Ann Brewer and Miss Grace Mullins, both of Dayton, O., Mrs. Harold Estridge, Huesville, Mrs. Adkins, Washington, D. C., Ralph and Robert Mullins, of Huesville, Sam Mullins, of the navy, and Bill Mullins, Hazard.

Funeral rites were conducted from the Bosco Church of Christ Saturday, the Rev. Alex Coburn officiating. Burial in Bosco cemetery was under direction of the Arnold Funeral Home.

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FOR REPRESENTATIVE

We are authorized to announce **BILL BIGGERS** as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for REPRESENTATIVE from the 96th Legislative District of Floyd county at the August primary. I have worked for our schools and for the betterment of our people and gladly refer the voters to my record in the State Legislature.

FOR REPRESENTATIVE

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Miss Sylvia Risner underwent a spinal operation at St. Mary's hospital, Huntington, several days ago and is rapidly recovering. She is expected to return to the home here of her parents this week.

Mrs. Charlie George has returned home after spending several weeks visiting her son, Gordon George, at Puritan, W. Va.

Clyde Blankenship, a student at Transylvania College, Lexington, visited relatives, the past week-end.

The Homemakers Club held its February meeting in the Home Economics room of the school last Thursday night. The lesson, "Shrinking Material and Altering Patterns," was presented by the Home Economics instructor, Miss Elaine Roberts, and the County Home Demonstration Agent, Miss Requa Kincer. A brief discussion on "Peru" was given by Mrs. James George. An appropriate game was directed by Mrs. Jesse Elliott, who presided at the meeting in the absence of the president. The meeting was adjourned until the next regular meeting, the fourth Thursday of March in which all women are cordially invited.

A large number of women gathered in the Home Economics rooms last Wednesday evening for an "open house" visit, and later assembled to plan with the instructor, Miss Elaine Roberts, for a series of Weekly classes on "Home Equipment." Next meeting of the class will be at 7 p.m., next Wednesday. While the ladies met with Miss Roberts, several men met in the Agriculture room to begin classes with Earl Hayes as instructor. The first lesson was, "The Care of Fruit Trees." At the conclusion of the meetings, refreshments were served by the teachers.

Mr. and Mrs. Den Burke spent last week-end visiting relatives and friends in Paintsville.

Dr. Ray Stratton, of Louisville, visited his parents last week.

A supper honoring the 53rd birth anniversary of Mrs. Elizabeth Spears and Mrs. Eliza Blackburn was given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James George last Wednesday evening. Members of the families of the honorees were present for the occasion and presented them many pretty and useful gifts.

**BABE IS VICTIM**

Arthur Lee, 10-day-old babe of Mr. and Mrs. Paul D. Kingsley, of Osborn, died at the Gearheart hospital, Martin, Friday. Surviving are the parents, three brothers and sisters. The body was returned to Osborn where burial was made Sunday under direction of the Ryan Funeral Home.



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**SELLS HOLDINGS**  
 Forced into retirement by ill health, Frank Price has sold his barber shop here to Joe Price, of Johnson county, and his farm on Conley Fork of Abbott Creek to Mrs. Gladys Wells and sons. Mr. Price is now at home after having been a patient in a Huntington, W. Va., hospital for treatment of a serious eye condition.

**STONE COAL**

A stork shower was given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hager Prater in honor of their sister, Mrs. Edgel Whitake. Several attended and an enjoyable evening was spent playing games. Refreshments were served to about 20 guests. Those present and sending gifts were Mesdames C. B. Ison, J. E. Campbell, Elmo Campbell, Jessie Campbell, Otis Kilburn, K. C. Beverly, Homer Wickler, Jack Bingham, Bud Handshoe, Mae Bolen, Jim Pritchard, Jason Conley, Joel Martin, Troy Mullins, Bob Campbell, Audrey Derocsett, Perry Greene, Jr., Silas Brown, Grace Skaggs, Bee Cox, Merrill Isbell, Sylvania Messer, R. B. Combs, Dora Combs, Rich Hall, Annie Stone, Kate Conley, Graydon Cox, Myrtle Reed, Cora Conley, Ed Brown, Dallas Cox, Harve Stidham, Vinson Shepherd, Doris Frisby, Lou Ellen Rathiff, Marie Potter, Virgie Fugate, Sam Bingham, W. C. Rathiff, Hobart Singleton, Misses Jacqueline Prater, Gladys Conley, Lois Ann Fugate, and the hostess, Mrs. Hager Prater.



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**NOTIFIED OF UNCLE'S DEATH**  
 J. R. Hurt was notified Saturday of the death of his uncle, William Gillespie, in Tazewell county, Virginia. Because of the icy condition of roads it was impossible for Mr. and Mrs. Hurt to attend the funeral Monday.

**IVEL**

Announcement is made of the birth, Feb. 26, at Prestonsburg General hospital to Mr. and Mrs. Elliott Hicks, of Tram, of an 8 1/2-pound daughter, Wanda Jean. Mrs. Hicks is the former Douglas Layne, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Layne.  
 Edgel Allen, who is employed at Hardy, visited his wife and baby over the week-end. Mrs. Allen is with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Carpenter.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Ermon Damron a daughter, who has been named Georgianne. Mother and babe are doing fine.

Abe Hall, of Ashland, was guest of his sister, Mrs. Jim Damron, and Mr. Damron over the week-end. He also attended the Odd Fellows meeting at Prestonsburg Saturday night.

John L. Layne is still confined to his home by illness.

Mrs. Jeffrey Damron, of Prestonsburg, was the Monday night guest of her husband's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Damron.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Adkins were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Chester Taekett.

May Layne was shopping at Pikeville last week.

Burns May celebrated his 53rd birthday at his home Saturday night. Refreshments were served to the following guests: Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Kelly and daughter, Sharon, of Harold; Mr. and Mrs. Bill Johnson and son, Douglas, of Betsy Layne; Mr. and Mrs. James Damron and Jimmy D. George, Abe Hall, of Ashland, Leo and Arnold Kelly and the May family.

Hazel D. George and Mary Lou May attended a ball game at Martin Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Hall had as their Saturday night guest Mr. Hall's mother, who lives on Mare Creek.

Mr. and Mrs. Mack Tackett and children visited relatives on Mare Creek Sunday.

Mrs. May Layne was at the Prestonsburg General hospital Monday, accompanied by her grandson, Bob Allen Adkins, whom she took there for treatment.

Miss Alice Gray Burke was in Lexington last week, receiving medical attention.

**IS MEMBER OF C.A.R.**  
 Miss Judith Carol Leete, daughter of M. J. Leete, Jr. and Mrs. Helen Leete, is a member of the Kentucky Society, Children of the American Revolution, at Ashland. Her maternal ancestor was Jonathan Fugate, Revolutionary soldier.

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Despite their ill pay and the months of vacation without pay every year, the seven are citizens of substance, their years of frugality and thriftiness gaining for them an above-the-average financial standing in their communities.

The seven are now retired under the Kentucky Teacher Retirement Act. Recently, when the photograph published here was made, THE TIMES submitted to each a questionnaire seeking highlights in their teaching careers and views of their retired teachers on school matters, past and present. Six replied, and excerpts from their statements follow:

L. C. Leslie, of Emma, dean of the group, with a teaching record of 53 years ending in 1945:

"I would prefer to be teaching yet. There's nothing more interesting than work with children, but many teachers of today don't have teaching at heart. I doubt that my early students were any better behaved, more studious or ambitious than those of my last school."

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Mr. Leslie added that he prefers the present textbooks to the old. "One thing I do wish you would add: The training of the child rests, mainly, with the mother at home. It is an axiom that all great men had great mothers, and the mother is the most important thing in any child's life." Students, old and young, of these schools will remember him: Prater, Walker, Upper Cow, Lower Cow, Old Laynesville, Dark Hollow, Allen, Dwale and his home school, Emma.

H. N. Cooley, with a teaching career starting in 1895 will in April this year end a 52-year period during which his teaching was interrupted only by eight years as County Superintendent of Schools. Mr. Cooley's present \$157.24-a-month salary is the highest attained by any member of the group, but he started in 1895 at \$22.

"The old eighth grade education," he declares, "was higher than the high school education of today, and the old Harvey's Grammar and Ray's Arithmetic were the best textbooks of their kind I ever taught. I wish we had McGuffey's Readers in all our schools." Mr. Cooley looks back over the years and decides his early students were more studious, ambitious and better behaved than the youngsters of 1947. "But he is not one to admit that 'the younger generation is going to hell.' In fact, not a teacher in the group has any such ideas and they all stand up strong for the modern boys and girls. He began teaching at Brush Creek, then of Middle Creek, Bull Creek, Dwale, West Prestonsburg, Prestonsburg, Maytown, Garrett, Louisa, and is now finishing up at Allen.

Another former County Superintendent, John Stephens, of Water Gap, began teaching in 1901 and remarks that at that time there

was not a high school or brick school building in Floyd county.

"I think," wrote Mr. Stephens, "the present generation is composed of fine young boys and girls. They are not interested as much in their work as children were, back when I began teaching, but they are learning about more things. One thing I consider wrong with the schools of today is, children are promoted too fast, and I believe most parents are responsible for this."

Mr. Stephens prefers Ray's Arithmetic and McGuffey's Readers to the present texts, but believes there has been an improvement in the teaching of Language. "They don't call it Grammar, any more," he comments. "Children of today are poorer at spelling, reading and penmanship and I consider these three with Arithmetic as the four fundamentals. My advice to pupils of today is—read."

He began teaching on Stephens Branch, then on Buckeye and Lick Fork of Middle Creek, the Conley school on Spurlock, Dinwood and for years on Bull Creek. He began at \$37.50 a month. Except for the 1926-1934 period when he was County Superintendent, he taught practically every year till 1942 when he became chief clerk here of the War Price and Rationing Board.

R. T. Hunt, of German, in 1899 began teaching in Pike county but in 1907 moved to this county to continue the same work. He began at \$25 a month and when he retired in 1942 he received \$72.

Except in Ray's Arithmetic and Harvey's Grammar, Mr. Hunt concedes the edge to modern textbooks. "There has been a marked improvement in teaching methods," he comments. "For instance, under the old methods, we were taught to memorize dates and a lot of facts that had very little educational value. Under new methods the pupil gets a broader conception of the subject matter. I think the new method of teaching reading, in particular, is a wonderful improvement over the old 'a-b-c' method."

Comparing the old with the new as to his pupils, Mr. Hunt said the old were better behaved but that those whom he taught in his last years in the schoolroom were more studious and ambitious. His most interesting experience found in the schoolroom was the two weeks he taught penmanship after the regular six-month term was ended—free to all who cared to attend. "I remember one old lady in her 70th year who could not write her name. Because of age and weather conditions, she attended only six days but during that time she learned enough to write her own letters to relatives and friends. The pleasure I got from working with those grown-ups and the lasting friendships built up between us were well worth the time."

In this county Mr. Hunt taught in District 36 six years, then at Lower Buffalo 24 years.

Miss Lurany Pitts, of Blue River, the youngest member of the veteran group, taught a mere 35 years, beginning in 1910 and retiring in 1945. Back in the early years of the century her salary was \$35 a month and when she retired her pay was \$128. But—"I have always enjoyed teaching, although it is a hard task and a great responsibility, too, as one works with the futures of children." Her comparison of her old pupils with those of her last years of teaching: "My early students were far behind students of today on social life but as far as subject matter went, they seemed to understand more quickly. Books were the only source of education for my old boys and girls. Today, they get it from travel, the movies and many other sources and it seems to stick with the child longer. Besides, our textbooks of today seem to give lessons on everyday life, while the old books taught so many things that were never useful in life." Though holding that youngsters of today are far ahead of their predecessors in everyday English, Miss Pitts says the Eighth grader of yester-year equals in book learning most high school students of today.

She taught the Pitts school on Middle Creek first, then to Alum Lick, State Road Fork, Mouth of Tinker Fork, Ligon, McDowell, Mouth of Conley, Maytown and Gold Spring.

Mr. Burchett began teaching in 1900 and left the schoolroom in 1942. His first teaching was in the Clarke school on Buffalo. Forty years later, in 1940, he returned to that school to teach again and some of his pupils were grandchildren of those whom he first taught. Other schools he taught were Upper Cow Creek, Sugar Loaf, Lower Cow, Emma, Daniels Creek and Dark Hollow. Mr. Burchett will stick with Ray's Arithmetic and Harvey's Grammar and the old McGuffey Readers. He also likes the old method of teaching spelling better than the new. "The children were more attentive and industrious, back when I started teaching," he said. "But children are children, the world over. Youngsters now have more interests." His salary, based on per capita, was at first between \$35 and \$40 a month and was around \$80 when he retired.

(The Times regrets that a statement from Clabe Stephens was not available. Mr. Stephens retired in 1942.)

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A breakfast for workers at the Methodist Church here next Tuesday morning at 9 will mark the kick-off of the house-to-house drive, it is announced. The Special Gifts committee will report on its work of this week at the breakfast. Following the meeting, the Prestonsburg high school band will head the Red Cross parade.

Last year, it was said this week, was the first in many years for Floyd county to fall to reach its Red Cross quota. "We hope," a drive leader said, "that our people this year will be more generous toward the great purpose the Red Cross represents and give it the full support it deserves."

### Miss Stewart Victim Of Heart Condition At Martin Hospital

Miss Verlie Stewart, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Stewart, well-known residents of Drift, died Wednesday morning at the Beaver Valley hospital of a heart condition believed to have resulted from rheumatic fever. She was 25 years old.

Miss Stewart was one of her community's most highly respected young women and she leaves many relatives and friends in the county. She is survived by her parents, two sisters, Mrs. Ed Cartmell and Mrs. Oral Gibson, both of Drift, and one brother, Levella Stewart, of Minnie.

Funeral rites will be conducted from the home at 12:30 p.m., Friday, the Revs. M. C. Wright, Tom Mosley, Willie Collins and Mack McCloud officiating. Burial in the Lucy Hall cemetery will be directed by the Ryan Funeral Home.

### ALLEN

Miss Edna Mae Allen visited Mr. and Mrs. Bill Allen in Martin last week.

A large gathering attended services in the Methodist Church Sunday night. The pastor, the Rev. S. B. Rucker, delivered the message on the text, "What Is Man?"

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Porter, Oscar Branham and Mrs. Cara Martin, of Dayton, Ohio, were here for the funeral of Mrs. Belle Branham.

The Methodist basketball team won two games over the Martin Methodists and the Martin Mormons Saturday of last week. They defeated Martin Methodists, 27-35, and Martin Mormons, 30-26.

Chester Tackett, of Alphoretta, was the Saturday night guest of Mr. and Mrs. Everett Tackett.

Mr. and Mrs. Palmer Crisp have moved into the house with Ex-Judge Malone Hall. Mr. and Mrs. Francis Akers moved into the house from which they moved.

Mrs. Olney Collins, of Wheelwright, and Miss Alka Jean Clark, of Ohio, visited Mr. and Mrs. Palmer Crisp Sunday. Miss Clark spent the night with Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Crisp.

Ben Webb has returned from a vacation in Florida.

Mrs. George Adcock and son, Jimmy, attended the 4-H club meeting held in the First Methodist Church at Paintsville Thursday.

Mrs. Ruby Holbrook, of Cincinnati, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harrison Frazier, Tuesday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Mack Butcher have moved to Mt. Sterling. Mr. Butcher is a C. & O. signalman.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Gray, of Sloan, were the Wednesday night guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Gray. They spent last week in Paintsville with Mr. and Mrs. James Stambaugh.

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**BETSY LAYNE**

Betsy Layne F.H.A. girls have contributed to their homes in the form of home projects. Special emphasis has been put on projects this year. A home project, which is a piece of work done outside one's Home Economics classes, may be done for the student's family or for the students. The classes each chose the outstanding project in their class. Feb. 26, the projects were on display in the Home Economics department. Mothers were invited in for a special program. Below are the projects voted by the girls as being outstanding:

**Home Economics I.**  
Making a Tablecloth, Jewel Howell; Weaving Rugs, Handloom, Janice Stephens; Canning Meat, Olga Moles; Making a Housecoat, Maxine Hall; Crocheting Hat and Matching Purse, Eulavene Hamilton; Making Tea Towels, Bonnie Sue Roberts.

**Home Economics II.**  
Making a Child's Jumper, Billie Blackburn; Covering a Chair, Jean Caldwell.

Mrs. William Newman and son, Billy, of Beech Hill, W. Va., are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Dingus.

Pvt. Ben Ferguson, Jr., is spending a two weeks furlough here with his mother, Mrs. Lillian Ferguson.



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**MARTIN**

Rev. Joseph Wimmers and two Sisters of Charity were in Martin on business this week. The Sisters are on the staff of St. Joseph's hospital, Lexington, and they are visiting this section to get acquainted with girls interested in becoming nurses.

W. J. Reynolds was a business visitor in Paintsville this week.

Bill Roberts, of Detroit, Mich., is the guest of his mother, Mrs. S. J. Roberts, this week. He plans the purchase of property in Detroit.

Little Donald Ray Martin celebrated his sixth birthday Saturday. He visited his grandmother, Mrs. Lizzie Hill, on that occasion.

Charles R. Caudill has been visiting at home. He attends school in Louisville.

Miss Magdalene Branham is undergoing treatment in the Gearheart hospital.

Little J. B. Carr underwent an operation for appendicitis in the Gearheart hospital. He is improving nicely and will soon be able to return home.

Betty Preflatish and son, Harry Gene, were overnight guests of Mrs. J. F. Ring, of Estill, Saturday.

Miss Mae Skeans has returned to Cleveland after spending some time here with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Furman Dingus and son, Charles Douglas, were luncheon guests of Mrs. John Mayo Sunday.

Bill Dingus, of Olive Hill, is visiting his mother, Mrs. Sydney Dingus, who is seriously ill in the Gearheart hospital here.

**Rites for Dr. Slone  
Held in Church Here,  
Interment at Ashland**

Funeral of Dr. C. R. Slone, prominent Prestonsburg dentist, who died suddenly at his home here last Thursday morning of a heart attack, was conducted Sunday morning at 11:30 o'clock from the Methodist Church, the Rev. W. B. Garriott officiating.

The large gathering of friends and relatives and the many floral offerings bespoke the high esteem in which Dr. Slone was held.

The body was taken to Ashland where burial was made in South Ashland cemetery under direction of the Arnold Funeral Home. Accompanying the body from here to Ashland were a number of friends, in addition to members of the bereaved family.

**YOUTH FELLOWSHIP MEETING**

The February Sub-District Youth Fellowship meeting was held at Paintsville in the First Methodist Church last week. The Prestonsburg group presented the program to a gathering of about 80. The district is comprised of Maytown, Wayland, Salyersville, Prestonsburg and Paintsville. The March meeting will be held at Salyersville with the Maytown Fellowship group presenting the program.

**Administrator's Notice**

All persons having claims against the estate of G. W. Mayo, deceased, are hereby notified to file same, properly proven, with the undersigned administrator at Prestonsburg, Ky., on or before March 15, 1947, and all persons indebted to said estate are notified to settle same at once.

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**Veteran Employee  
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Succumbs at 46**

Riley Johnson, 46 years old, of Bevinville, veteran employee of the Inland Steel Company at Wheelwright, succumbed at St. Mary's hospital, Huntington, W. Va., Tuesday morning following an operation made necessary, it was said, by the ravages of tuberculosis.

Mr. Johnson is survived by his widow, Mrs. Pearl Johnson, and 12 sons and daughters: Hershell Johnson, of Neon, Russell, Riley, Jr., and Thomas Johnson, at home, Mrs. Love Childers, of Halo, Mrs. Millard Woodrow, Wheelersburg, O., Mrs. Mitchell Martin, Halo, Mrs. London Collins, Ironton, O., Louise, Juanita, Beulah June and Emma J. Johnson, all at home. He also leaves four brothers, Levi, Luther, Willie and Van Johnson, all of Jack's Creek.

The funeral was conducted today (Thursday) from the residence, the Revs. Tom Slone and Willie Bates officiating. Burial in the family cemetery was under direction of the Ryan Funeral Home.

**TELEGRAM**

DI Pd Prestonsburg, Ky., Feb. 28, 1947 229P  
Hon. S. S. Willis  
Governor of Kentucky  
Frankfort, Ky.

Dear Governor:  
In behalf of the teachers of Floyd county and the state, I respectfully ask you to call a special session of the Legislature to appropriate more money for teachers' salaries. I pledge my full cooperation with you in this undertaking.

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**BUCKINGHAM**

A bridal shower was given Saturday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Burnis Hall honoring Mr. and Mrs. Homer Hall. The bride is the former Geraldine Johnson. Many gifts were received, and refreshments were served to the following: Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Osborne, Lois Blackburn, Flora Rife, Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Osborne, Barbara E. Johnson, Hannah Little, Charlie Stancil, Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Johnson, Sylvia Hatfield, Charles Collins, Rosina Collins, Barbara Faye Watts, Veria May Newman, Irene Hall, Billy G. Johnson, Ethel Little, Gwendolyn Stancil, Ruby Osborne, Mildred Osborne, Madeline Osborne, Leo Osborne, Buddy Hall, Omery Hall, Mary Rose Hall, Forrest Johnson, Henry Martin Conley, Nawonie Osborne, Earl Isaac, Bill Hall, Mary Sammons, Hershell Harris.

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**DOUG'S GRANDSON**  
Senator Doug Hays, of McDowell, this week announced the birth of his grandson, Richard Douglas Johnson, on Feb. 16 to Mr. and Mrs. Willard Johnson, of Carr Creek. Mr. Johnson is coach of the Carr Creek basketball team and Mrs. Johnson is the former Nell Hays.

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The new daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Donald L. Meade, of Lexington, has been named Donna Ann. Steve Lee, their young son, is visiting his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. N. M. White and A. B. Meade, here.

Mrs. Taylor Stumbo, of the Middle Creek road, is recovering from an appendectomy at the Paintsville hospital. The appendix had ruptured before she reached the hospital but her condition is now favorable.

Billy Martin, of Emma, was here Tuesday visiting his aunt, Mrs. Caroline Harris, who is critically ill. Mrs. H. C. Francis and son, Fred Francis, were in Pikeville Tuesday on business.

Mrs. Reuben Taylor will submit to an operation on her foot at the Paintsville hospital this week.

Miss Alice Gray Burke and Gomer Martin attended the dance at Martin Saturday evening.

Athletic Association make the necessary installations. The Association will stress the return of a top-flight baseball team to Wheelwright high school in former years, the community has fielded outstanding teams, but the calibre of play had suffered during the war years.

Among other activities, the Association will cooperate with officials of the Wheelwright high school in expanding its athletic program.

Besides Miller, officials of the Association are: Ray Thomas, vice-president; M. C. Martin, secretary, and R. L. Jones, treasurer.

### ABIGAIL THEATRE

THURS.-FRI., MARCH 6-7—  
"That Brennan Girl"  
James Dunn, Mona Freeman.  
Popular Science.

SATURDAY—  
"Rainbow Over the Rockies"  
Jimmy Wakely, "Lasses" White.  
Serial: "JUNGLE GIRL."

Saturday, 2:01 p.m. and 10:01 p.m.—  
"Bamboo Blonde"  
Frances Langford, Russell Wade.  
Music—"Lulu."  
Shorts.

SUNDAY-MONDAY—  
"My Darling Clementine"  
Henry Fonda, Linda Darnell.  
Victor Mature.  
News.

TUESDAY-WEDNESDAY—  
"Claudia and David"  
Robert Young, Dorothy McGuire.  
News.  
"Melody of Youth."  
Housing Problem.

THURS.-FRI., MARCH 13-14—  
"Smoky"  
(in technicolor)  
Fred MacMurray, Anne Baxter.  
Inky Pod.

### OBITUARY

Ottis Glenn Conley was born Dec. 8, 1906, the son of Mary L. Hackworth Conley and Benjamin Amos Conley, on Conley Fork, the creek which bears the family name. Ottis was the third son of the family—the youngest of 11 children.

He received his grade school training at Bee Fork school, near his home. He later attended school at Bonanza, Berea, and Pikeville.

On June 15, 1927, he was married to a life-long acquaintance, Miss Grace Harmon, of Bonanza. They built their present home near the old homestead where they spent their married life. To this union were born three sons and one daughter. One son and daughter died in infancy.

Ottis was a capable farmer who earned a livelihood from the soil. His greatest contribution was the love and understanding he gave his neighbors. He was also one of the county's best teachers. After teaching two years in the rural schools of Floyd county, he later became a teacher of Manual Trades in the Maytown and Martin high schools, a position he held until his last illness. He taught his boys to construct beautiful things of wood, but the best lessons which he taught them were those of courtesy, kindness and faith in themselves and humanity. Throughout his life he practiced Christian principles, living by the Golden Rule and showing himself a good neighbor to all.

He was stricken on Feb. 22, 1947, and died Feb. 27. He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Grace Harmon Conley, two sons, Donald Ivory Conley, a student of Berea College, and Benjamin Patrick Conley, a sophomore in Prestonsburg high school. He also leaves seven sisters, Mrs. Josie Dotson, Ivyton, Ky.; Mrs. Ada Click, Leander, Ky.; Mrs. Amy Caudill, Willard, Ky.; Mrs. Julia B. Stephens, Prestonsburg, Ky.; Mrs. Katy Click, Princess, Ky.; Mrs. Dollie Caudill, Garrett, Ky.; Mrs. Winnie Merritt, Prestonsburg, and one brother, John Conley, Silver Lake, Ind. One sister, Mahala Hackworth, preceded him in death. Besides his immediate family, he is mourned by a host of relatives and friends who are heartbroken at his untimely death.

On the second day of his illness, after a discussion of his condition and of man's need for trust in God, Ottis gave a beautiful testimony to his faith and to the peace of spirit he had found. He told his wife and others he had found something rich as would not buy and rejoiced in his happiness, facing death without fear. He asked his friends and neighbors to meet him in heaven and told them he would be waiting for them at the gate.

Four days later, he went out to meet God in peace.

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and his deputies that I have set aside the results of this election." Judge Allen referred to one example which he called "the lost and wandering deputy." Allen said Deputy Sheriff Bristol Hale admitted in his depositions that he went into District Five to post notices. When his supply was exhausted he returned to Pikeville for more.

According to Allen, Hale's deposition stated he returned to the district, but wasn't sure where the boundaries were—and when he asked a resident, he didn't know either.

"It appears from the record," Judge Allen said, "that Sheriff D. C. Moore together with Bob Doke, Lester Justice and Bristol Hale constituted the office force delegated by the Sheriff to post the notices in the districts under consideration."

Districts Seven and Eight, in the eastern part of the county, were the only two which remained wet as a result of the election.

Dry forces are expected to appeal the decision.

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### MARTIN THEATRE

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FRIDAY—  
"Blind Spot"  
Chester Morris, Constance Dowling.

SAT.—DOUBLE WESTERNS—  
"Prairie Badmen"  
Buster Crabbe, Old Fuzzy.  
"Under Nevada Skies"  
Roy Rogers, Trigger, Sons of the Pioneers, Dale Evans.

SAT.—late show at 10:30 p.m.—  
"Highway Hell"  
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SUNDAY-MONDAY—  
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### Martin Man Found Dead Last Thursday, Is Held Heart Victim

A jury empaneled by Coroner Allen Triplett held that Sam Kilmarska, 42 years old, who was found dead at his home at Martin last Thursday, was a victim of a heart attack.

There were no bruises and Or. Oris Gearheart, of Martin, stated he had been treating the miner, a Russian, for 10 days for heart disease. His body was found lying on the floor of his home by a friend, Joseph Regners.

The victim was an employe of the Utilities Elkhorn Coal Company, Martin. He is survived by a sister, Mrs. Dorothy Yodis, Philadelphia, Pa., and a son, who is in the armed forces. The body was prepared for burial by the Ryan Funeral Home and shipped to Philadelphia.

### MIDWAY THEATRE

MELVIN, KY.

FRI.-SAT., MARCH 7-8—  
DOUBLE BILL—  
"Sweet and Low Down"  
Benny Goodman, Lynn Bari.

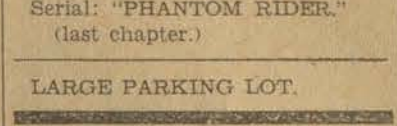
"Colorado Pioneer"  
Wild Bill Elliott, Bobby Blake, the Duchess.  
Serial: "CRIMSON GHOST"

SUN.-MON.—  
"Two Guys from Milwaukee"  
Dennis Morgan, Jack Carson, Joan Leslie.  
Serial: "KING OF FOREST RANGERS"

TUE.-WED.—  
"Gentlemen with Guns"  
Buster Crabbe, Fuzzy Q. Jones.  
Serial: "PHANTOM RIDER."  
(last chapter.)

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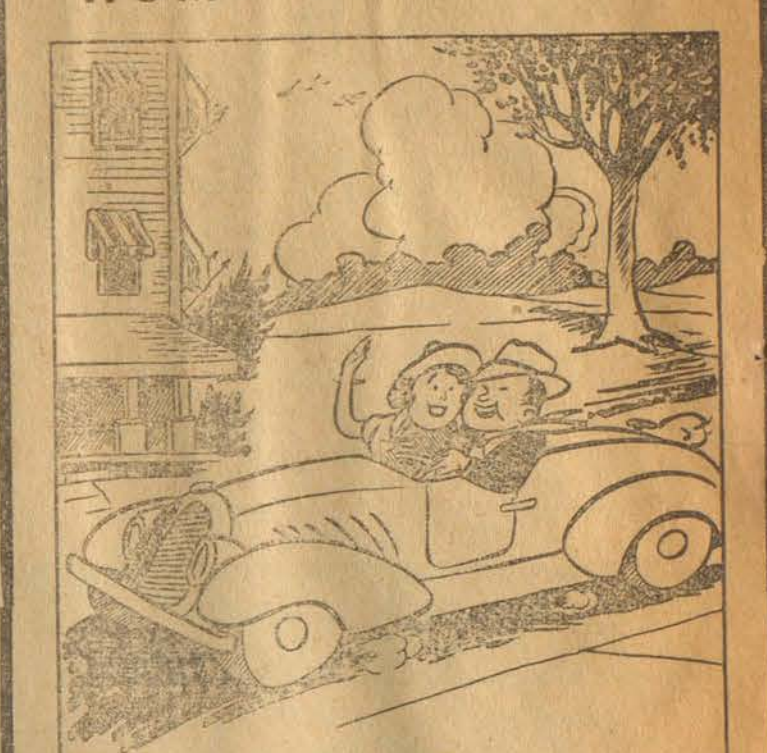
### Jewell-Davidson Engagement Announced

Mr. J. G. Britt and Mrs. E. B. Spillman, of Glasgow, announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their great-niece, Miss Mary Josephine Jewell, to Mr. Andrew Jackson Davidson III, son of Dr. A. J. Davidson, Prestonsburg, and Mrs. A. Housah, Louisville. Miss Jewell is the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Jewell. Glasgow, is a graduate of Glasgow high school, and a sophomore at Centre College. Mr. Davidson is a graduate of Millersburg Military Institute, has served in the Medical Corps of the navy and marines, and is now a senior at Centre College.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Patrick, Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Burke were dinner guests at the Howard hotel, Paintsville, Sunday evening.

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New, Pretty Blonde  
Easter Parade  
Song of Songs  
Anniversary Song  
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