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Floyd County Times

FLOYD COUNTY'S OWN NEWSPAPER

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Prestonsburg, Ky., Thursday, May 2, 1940

Number 6

THREE MURDER CASES REMAIN ON DOCKET

THIS WEEK TO SEE MURDER DOCKET NEARLY CLEAR

If two murder trials scheduled for hearing today (Wednesday) are completed before the beginning of the May term of the Floyd circuit court...

There will remain on the docket, however, four murder cases, three of which are "before the court"...

The Commonwealth contended that the officer fired first upon Osborne...

Hall contended, however, that he fired only in self-defense, that he stepped behind Willie Johnson...

Erin Bates testified that he saw Perry Johnson fire and saw that by from Osborne's coat...

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This Town-- That World

It's end was sweet, He drove it fast, On old Third Street.

JIMMY COMES HOME James B. Goble, Courier-Journal reporter, spent his week-end here with his mother, Mrs. Cecil Kendrick...

WHERE'S FLEM? Which brings to mind that picture of Flem and Rosie we saw last week in our files...

GOSE, HOW IT HURTS!... Yeah, the customer is always right. We know the old "gals" as well as the new one...

Okay, brother--you've caught up with us, and here's your buck and a half, which you recently requested. Seems that some years

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SAYRE COLLEGE NAMES PRESTONBURG GIRL TO MT. FESTIVAL

MISS LUCY HOWARD

Second Floyd county girl to be chosen reigning beauty of her college and representative to represent her school at the Mountain Laurel Festival at Pineville, May 23-24, is Miss Lucy Howard...

Miss Howard was thus honored recently by Sayre College, Lexington, where she is a popular member of the senior class.

The other Floyd girls to represent her school at the Festival is Miss Jo Collins of Lacey, whose photo appeared in THE TIMES, April 11.

MUSIC PUPILS ENTER FETE

FOUR FLOYD GROUPS TO PARTICIPATE IN

Prestonsburg and adjoining communities will be represented at the fifth annual Eastern Kentucky music festival, which is to be held at Pikeville College Saturday, this week...

The festival will occupy the whole day. The morning will be devoted to solo recitals of numbers which have been previously practiced...

Among the high schools to be represented are the following, with their music directors: Dorton, Mrs. Charles Moore; Jenkins, E. Paul Lyon; Betsy Layne, Miss Carlos Hale and Jess Elliott; Ekhorn City, Forrest E. Albert...

P'BURG LOSES TO VAN LEAR

IN BIG SANDY LEAGUE OPENING GAME SUNDAY

Meeting one of the strongest teams in the circuit at Gasco Park Sunday afternoon, the recently-organized Prestonsburg baseball team bowed to Van Lear 6-1, in a Big Sandy League game...

Prestonsburg was limited to five hits by the pitching of Lambert, McDowell and Crech, each of whom worked three rounds. Adrian Collins and Cassie handled the pitching chores for the losers...

After a scoreless first inning Van Lear...

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PARKER CITES MINE AIDS

FLOYD MINE HEAD TEL'S CONVENTION OF SAFETY PLANS

J. T. Parker, mine superintendent, Inland Steel Company, Wheelwright, told delegates at the opening session of the 17th Annual Coal Convention and Exposition of the American Mining Congress in Cincinnati Monday...

He pointed out that the mine's production will largely come from coal less than 40 inches high and that due to this fact coupled with dangerous slate formations in the mine roof...

"The coal loader, like the rest of us," he said, "works more efficiently if his work is projected and planned in advance..."

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False Arrest Trial Report Erroneous

THE TIMES, in its report of Floyd circuit court trials last week, erred in stating that Sam Roberts, accused of false arrest, was a deputy sheriff. Mr. Roberts was a deputy constable.

Also erroneous was the statement that two deputies had previously been convicted and that six others remain to be given trial.

GRAND JURY TELLS EFFORTS TO MAKE INDICTMENTS AGAINST GUN-TOTERS

122 TRUE BILLS RETURNED BY INVESTIGATING BODY DURING NINE-DAY TERM

Adjourning Friday after two sessions which a total of nine days was spent in the investigation of Floyd county crime, the grand jury of the Floyd circuit court reported that it had returned 122 true bills and had returned 122 true bills.

"A large number of indictments have been returned for carrying concealed deadly weapons and the Grand Jury has made special effort to indict those violating the pistol law..."

Records of Circuit Clerk W. W. Cooley showed only eight indictments returned for this offense, however.

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P'BURG GRADED SCHOOL ENDS

TERM IS SHORTENED SO OLD BUILDING CAN BE RAZED

Approximately 600 Prestonsburg and West Prestonsburg children were set- sored-free Friday for full enjoyment of the springtime as the graded schools here abruptly and without warning closed at about May 1, it was noted.

Thursday afternoon, R. E. Harlow, principal, announced the next day as the end of school. The City Board of Education, a few weeks earlier had voted to close the schools at a date convenient to the WPA to begin a extensive training course to WPA foremen in Floyd county...

End of the term marked the eighth month of a scheduled nine-month session. The West Prestonsburg graded school was closed at the same time because it is a part of the Prestonsburg graded school system, a school board member said.

Left Beaver School Bus Is Incapacitated By Sand In Motor

A quiet investigation was being made this week by the County Superintendent of Schools, when it was learned that the motor of the school bus serving Mottwell and Lower Left Beaver was the result of creek-crossing or sabotage.

The damage was approximately \$200. A new motor was installed. County Superintendent of Schools, Hall Tuesday said he had not been able to determine if the sand filtered into the motor of the bus was being driven to sand from the Mottwell school and crossing Prater's Creek, en route, or if it had been maliciously inserted.

From Tuesday through the remainder of last week, the section of Left Beaver served by the bus was without school bus service. The bus was purchased only last year. It was parked at night, in front of the home of its driver, Stallard Clarke, who Superintendent of Schools, had made every effort to protect it.

MARTIN LEADS FLOYD CMTC

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ALLEN IS APPOINTED ASSISTANT PROF AT EASTERN

Jack Allen, former Prestonsburg high school faculty member and son of Atty. and Mrs. Edward L. Allen, has been appointed assistant professor in History at Eastern State Normal and Teachers' College, Richmond, Ky. It is announced.

Mr. Allen, now a student at Peabody College, Nashville, Tenn., will not begin his work at Eastern till February, when he receives his Ph. D. degree from the Tennessee institution. A brilliant student, Mr. Allen will become one of the state's youngest collected instructors. He will be only 28 when he receives his Ph.D. degree from Peabody this year. This, incidentally, is the highest degree to be attained by a Floyd countian to date.

WPA FOREMEN GET TRAINING

FLOYD WPA LEADERS GIVEN COURSES HERE

Instructors trained in the Louisville offices of the Works Progress Administration by E. A. Marve, director, and Roy H. Chumbley, have been giving an extensive training course to WPA foremen in Floyd county, with classes held weekly for the last 16 weeks. Men who have successfully completed this course and are qualified will receive diplomas.

Some of the subjects taken up at these weekly meetings were: "The Care of Materials, Tools and Equipment," "Leadership," "Heading Off of Disturbances," "Training Unskilled Men," "The Disappointed Worker," "The Foreman as Instructor," "Planning the Work on the Project," "Cooperation," "Orders," "Safety and Accident Prevention," "Putting Right Worker on Right Job," and "Discipline and Responsibility."

As to all aspects of the government, reports are numerous and complete. For this reason efficient men must be selected to direct the operations and reports of all work. They have been trained to properly prepare such reports, to be able to follow and give instructions and decide the best methods of operations. They are also required to follow approved plans and

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Eleven Kentucky counties, May Brine said, have not submitted a single application.

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FLOYD OFFICIAL IS INDICTED BY JURY

STURGILL NAMED FOR MALFEASANCE OF OFFICE DUTIES

Floyd County Tax Commissioner Omer C. Sturgill was charged in an indictment filed by the grand jury of the Floyd circuit court Friday of "wilful neglect of duty--malfeasance or misfeasance" and his bond was set at \$1,000.

The warrant to issue on the indictment had not been executed Wednesday morning, it was said. County Judge Edward P. Hill and Win. Hagans, bookkeeper for Sheriff Sturgill, both of whom possessed duplicates of the assessment lists, were subpoenaed by the grand jury. County Judge Hill stated that Mr. Sturgill presented his claim to the fiscal court for payment and was told that the claim could not be paid unless a real assessment was made.

"Later," Judge Hill told the jury, "the presented an assessment of 166, of which nine were signed by taxpayers." He told the grand jury that the official "did unlawfully, wilfully, feloniously and corruptly neglect the discharge of his official duty of his office by failing and refusing to make an assessment of the property and landowners within Floyd county, Ky. and that he did not take a verified schedule of the properties from said landowners and property owners, and did not secure from them their signature upon said schedule, and that he prepared such schedule in his office or at other places without the advice or presence of said landowners..."

It was further charged that "the defendant did unlawfully, wilfully and feloniously raise the property of landowners and property owners... upon the assessed valuation thereof, upon the official books of the county, and did cause property owners having been given or executed, thereby causing an improper and illegal tax bill."

Allen is Arrested In Auto Theft

Paul Allen, Garrett, was jailed here Tuesday on a warrant sworn to by Policeman John Rose of Garrett, alleging that he had stolen a Ford V-8 automobile owned by Arthur Kilburn, C. Garrett.

Court House Happenings

SUITS FILED L. L. Lynch vs. Charlie Lawson, et al.; Combs & Combs attys., Howard Brothers, et al. vs. Earl Martin appeal; J. B. Clarke atty.; Leovy Little, et al. vs. Lear Bates, et al.; Bert and Leroy Combs attys.; Estill Cook vs. Elsbom Coal Co. (appeal); Edith Blair, et al. vs. C. & O. Railway Co.; W. Claude Caudill, atty.; Cora Holbrook vs. C. & O. Railway Co.; W. Claude Caudill, atty.

MARRIAGE LICENSES Lamson Phillips, 24, and Nellie Irene Calderwood, 18, marriage solemnized by the Rev. J. D. Payne, Baptist Church, Wheelwright, April 27. Frank Anglin, 21, Wheelwright, and Edith Hamilton, 15, McDowell, marriage solemnized by the Rev. W. B. Hall, Primitive Baptist Church, April 27. William Franklin Conroy and Mary Elizabeth Bailey, Park Shepherd, 68, Hippo, and Dona Shepherd, 46, Goodview, marriage solemnized by the Rev. I. A. Smiley, Baptist Church, Prestonsburg, April 29.

ADMINISTRATOR'S BOND Charles Goble, adm., estate of Virgil Goble.

GARDIAN BOND Virgil Shepherd, gen., of Charles Shepherd.

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TODAY'S ROADS



Prepared By
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Now we may not have to contend with mist and fog very frequently, but we're bound to now see them, and when we do, it can cause us a lot of annoyance and trouble.

When a good heavy fog comes on land, at sea or in the air—everything that moves, moves with caution. The ocean liner slows down several knots an hour. Lightships signal, buoys ground their planes and cancel trips. Even trains on tracks reduce their speed—and we drivers on the highways, too, must make our way cautiously through the baffling screen. For one thing is true: In spite of all our progress, transportation still depends on pairs of eyes in human heads.

Scientists who have studied fog, say that it is composed of tiny drops of water. These drops are so small and so close together that light can hardly get through them. Instead, these little drops act like tiny convex mirrors. When we try to pierce them with a beam of light, a great deal of it is thrown right back at us, so the effect is just like a great gleaming white curtain in front of us.

Experienced drivers say that the first thing to do is to get our lights right. The main thing is to direct the beams downward. If we have them shining straight ahead, those little mist-drop mirrors reflect the rays back in your eyes. But if they're pointing downward, the rays are reflected toward the road.

Then they say it's a good idea to guide by the road edge at our right, and if we have a spotlight on our car, to focus it right on that road edge, close to the front of the car, so the effect will be clearly lighted. But we have to keep a good weather eye ahead, too, because fog veils more than the road. It hides not only things on the road but such things as roadside warnings of curves and hills and intersections. Even the traffic light's red and green signal rays have the hard time that our headlights do in getting through that strange haze. In fact, in a good heavy fog, the best we can do for our vision is none too good. And so the main thing is to slow down. The ships have to do it, the trains have to do it, and we have to do it, too. If we don't, the best thing

is to pull off the road, or if we have not yet started out, we had better just stay at home.

KENTUCKY'S ROADS
US 25—Between Louisa and Paintsville. Route 25 advised.

KY. 21—Berea-Big Hill road. Bridge construction at Silver Creek. Short, run-around detour through the creek bed during dry weather. Detour over county gravel road one and three-fourths miles to s. 25 north of Berea when creek is not passable. Adds one and one-half miles to total distance.

KY. 70—Smithland-Lilene road. Under construction for grade and drain. Open to traffic.

US. 227—Detour on Paris-Winchester road. Additional distance approximately four miles.

US. 29-E. Pineville-Middleboro road. Short detour at Middleboro, north city limits, due to flood control construction.

US. 27—Bridge repair work five miles south of Somerset.

KY. 135—New Haven-Howardstown road. Bridge out. Detour from US. 31 at Atherstoneville to Interest Ky. 247 3.4 miles south of closed bridge. No additional distance.

HUEYSVILLE

Mrs. Zach Conley, of Vest, was visiting her aunt, Mrs. Rhoda Craft, last week.

Mrs. Gracie Ratliff is very ill at the Martin hospital.

Hattie Ratliff is seriously ill and is a patient in a Martin hospital.

Ellis Hicks is preparing to build a dwelling on his farm here.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Shipman are ill.

Mrs. Nancy Bowling of Rockhouse is visiting with her daughter, Mrs. Sam Collins, and E. F. Epling here.

BEVINSVILLE

Miss Ruth Cook and Allen Cook spent the week-end as guests of Mr. and Mrs. Allen Martin, of Nol.

Mrs. Mary Stewart is recovering nicely from a broken arm.

Mrs. Ermine Hall and children spent Sunday with her mother, Mrs. Nancy Osborne.

Dow Cook, Silas Johnson and Estill King spent Saturday in Prestonsburg on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Curnette entertained friends Sunday night.

Mrs. Ballard Honaker, of Pikeville, was guest of Mrs. Ellis Osborne Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Osborne spent

LACKEY

A Weiner roast will be held at the Lackey Prewell Baptist Church at 7:30 Friday evening. It is sponsored by the church. L. B. Sanders and Castle and Mrs. Allen Stone and Mrs. Prince. Everyone is cordially invited.

Miss Jo Webb recently gave a six o'clock dinner to a group of her friends, in honor of Mrs. J. E. Dampier, who is leaving soon for Mississippi, where she will reside. Miss Webb's home was beautifully decorated with the season's wild flowers.

An interesting sermon was delivered at the Prewell Baptist Church here Sunday night by the Reverend Dan Brunk.

There was a decrease in the attendance of the Prewell Baptist Sunday School last Sunday, but the Green side was still ahead.

A large crowd attended Y.P.E. at the Lackey church Friday night. A musical program was given by the Martin-Bernhard church choir. Talks, on the purpose of Y.P.E. were given by Rex Sherman and Douglas Burchett, both visitors from Martin Branch.

A large crowd from Lackey, including Dan Brunk, Virginia Castle, Roy Bellomy and Emma Prince, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Reed, of Troublesome, Sunday evening.

Mrs. A. L. Prater, who has been very ill is much better.

Mrs. Alan Stone has been sick but is improving.

Misses Laura Marie Hayes and Rebecca Prater, Lackey, left Friday night with the senior class of Wayland high on their trip to Mammoth Cave.

Henry Stephens, of Carter county, was the week-end guest of his son, George Stephens.

A shower was given at the home of Mrs. Eva Hayes in honor of Emogene Hayes Wallace, a recent bride.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Fitzpatrick and Miss Agnes Daniels were visitors in Hazard during the week-end.

A birthday party was given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Preston, in honor of the 18th birthday anniversary of their daughter, Ruby. The guests enjoyed many games throughout the evening. Later, refreshments were served. Among those present were Anna Belle Wicker, Ethel Collins, Betty Ann Patton, Wade Trusty, Helen Dooley, Eva Trusty, Pauline Potter, Erma Lee Jackson, Willacene Daniels, Willacene Stone, Glenn Dooley, Merrill Fay Hancock, James Jackson, Agelene Stone, Jewel Napier, Joyce Napier, Joy Stone, Sylvia Bentley, Nora Lee Bentley, Jack Dooley, Wilma Jean Caudill, Margie Childers, and Ival Ruth Dooley.

Misses Virginia Daniels and Edna Mae Jackson were the Sunday guests of Imogene Howard, Estill.

Miss Zella Layne, of Garrett was the Sunday evening guest of Miss Dorothy Preston.

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the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Cook at Topmost.

James Osborne, Ermine Hall and 'Scorchin' Hall attended church at Topmost Sunday.

Mrs. Dow Cook was visiting friends here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Pate Hall attended the show at Wheelwright Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hopkins were in Martin Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Hall expect to move into their new home within a few days.

Mrs. Grayden Hall spent Saturday in Wheelwright.

Misses Aldra, Beatrice and Naomi Osborne and Geraldine Johnson spent Sunday with their parents.

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Vaughan, Washington, D. C. and one daughter, Mrs. R. Mc. Ball, Ashland. Burial was made in the Ashland cemetery.

FOR RENT OR SALE—5-room house, with bath, Graham street. See R. TAYLOR, City.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE
Notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against the estate of John W. Caudill, deceased, to please file the same at my office in Prestonsburg, Ky., and all persons indebted to the estate of the above will please call and settle said debts.

W. CLAUDE CAUDILL, Adm.
4-25-31 Estate of John W. Caudill, deceased.

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:
Having sold my interest in the firm styled Edgie & Henry's Cafe, at Martin, Ky., I am no longer responsible for any debts made by anyone other than myself.

EDWARD DINGUS.
4-11-31

THE LAST
The last of the grades school and at 10 o'clock was given...
Cinderella sixth grade second grade...
"Vocation songs by and eighth grad play...
Va. Billy...
At the attendance pupils an eighth grade...
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Garrett Man's Father Dies at Ashland

Funeral services for Antony Wayne Vaughan, father of John Vaughan, Garrett, and who died Friday morning at the home of his son, Howard Vaughan at Ashland, were conducted from the Pollard Baptist Church at Ashland Sunday afternoon. He was 91 years old and his death was attributed to complications attendant upon advanced age.

Also surviving are two other sons, Toby Vaughan, Ashland, and Everett

NOTICE

EFFECTIVE WEDNESDAY, MAY 1, the banks in Prestonsburg will adopt the following closing hours:

WEEK DAYS THROUGH FRIDAY, 3 P. M.
SATURDAYS—AT 12 O'CLOCK NOON.

Our friends and customers are urgently requested to make arrangements to reach the bank before 3 o'clock in the afternoon and 12 noon on Saturdays.

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MARTIN

High school honor roll for the second six weeks of second semester. Honor rank as excellent: Seniors: Helen Price, Ruth Dingus, Juniors: Lillian Balesbury, Elizabeth Weaver, Leon Barbara Osburn, Gene Hale, Lucretia Turner. Sophomores: Bill Conn, Ruth Salisbury. Freshmen: Jean Reed, Ella Mae Baur, Jack Stumbo, Gus Elyvins, J. P. Steans, Virgil Flannery.

The last P.-T. A. meeting of the year will be held Monday, May 5, at 7:30 p. m. Officers for the coming year will be elected.

The last day of school exercises for the grades were held in the high school auditorium Wednesday morning at 10 o'clock. The following program was given:

Cinderella's Magic Glasses, fifth and sixth grades; Welcome to Spring, second grade; song, fourth grade; "Vacation Training", fourth grade; songs by Junior Glee Club, seventh and eighth; "Hansel and Gretel", third grade; song, Libby Ring; A. B. C. play, "Vacation", first grade; song, Billy Bowers and Betty Jo Grisham. At the end of the program perfect attendance certificates were awarded pupils and certificates given to the eighth grade graduates.

The Junior class held a square dance in the gymnasium Saturday night.

Pauline, Ethel and Winston Justice, of Cellata, were visiting friends in Martin Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Emil Staech and Earl Dreher, en route from their winter home in Florida at their summer residence.

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home in New York, were Saturday dinner guests of Mrs. H. H. Flannery.

Miss Doris Sparks, of Thekla, was the Sunday guest of Miss Irene Casper.

The Senior Glee Club went to Lexington Saturday, where they took part in the State Music Festival. They were chaperoned by Miss Bingham and Mr. Woods.

Miss Eileen Francis, who is employed in the Huntington office of the Kentucky Virginia Power Company; Mrs. J. P. Francis.

Mrs. C. E. James, Russell, spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Wilson.

Mr. and Mrs. H. R. (Bob) Wilson, Belfry, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Wilson, over the weekend.

The Junior Glee Club, chaperoned by Miss Bingham and Mr. Spurlock, attended the State Music Festival at Lexington last Friday.

Mrs. Dennis Fairchild, who has been very sick, is much improved.

Harry Mayo, Jr., spent spring vacation with his parents, Dr. and Mrs. H. H. Mayo.

Dr. J. H. Allen and little granddaughter were visiting in Martin Saturday.

Harry Chum, who is confined in the Martin General hospital, is reported much better.

Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Hobwood, Huntington, W. Va., were visiting Dr. and Mrs. H. H. Mayo over the weekend.

May 1 and 2 are clean-up days for Martin. Have your rubbish where a truck can get it and it will be picked up on these days.

Mr. and Mrs. John Elliott have returned from a week's visit with their daughter, Mrs. Maude Crockett, and family, of Orleans, Ind.

Mrs. Man Preston has returned from Ohio, where she visited her sister, Mrs. Cleve Roberts.

The infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Guy Taylor has been ill with pneumonia.

Mrs. Myrtle Osborne is a medical patient at the Martin General hospital.

Little Miss Olivia May, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edgar May, Maytown, is a patient at the Martin General hospital.

Mr. Earl Hall, Banner, is a medical patient at the Martin General hospital.

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The Junior Glee Club, chaperoned by Miss Bingham and Mr. Spurlock, attended the State Music Festival at Lexington last Friday.

Mrs. Dennis Fairchild, who has been very sick, is much improved.

Harry Mayo, Jr., spent spring vacation with his parents, Dr. and Mrs. H. H. Mayo.

Dr. J. H. Allen and little granddaughter were visiting in Martin Saturday.

Harry Chum, who is confined in the Martin General hospital, is reported much better.

Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Hobwood, Huntington, W. Va., were visiting Dr. and Mrs. H. H. Mayo over the weekend.

May 1 and 2 are clean-up days for Martin. Have your rubbish where a truck can get it and it will be picked up on these days.

Mr. and Mrs. John Elliott have returned from a week's visit with their daughter, Mrs. Maude Crockett, and family, of Orleans, Ind.

Mrs. Man Preston has returned from Ohio, where she visited her sister, Mrs. Cleve Roberts.

The infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Guy Taylor has been ill with pneumonia.

Mrs. Myrtle Osborne is a medical patient at the Martin General hospital.

Little Miss Olivia May, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edgar May, Maytown, is a patient at the Martin General hospital.

Mr. Earl Hall, Banner, is a medical patient at the Martin General hospital.

UNEXPECTED CHANGE makes available, fine Rawleigh Route in North Floyd county. A good business secured in this district for several years. Exceptional opportunity for eight men. See Mrs. Dollie Spears, Belfry, Ky., or write Rawleigh's, Dept. KY-11-201A, Freeport, Ill. 4-5-41. Subscribe for THE TIMES.

HEALTH NEWS

Compiled by Dr. Marvin Ransdell, Director, Floyd County Health Dept.

As the season of the year approaches for the celebration of Child Health Day, for the nation, our attention should be directed toward the care and welfare of our boys and girls. The first consideration for healthy children is the care of their mothers that the mothers have proper prenatal care during her pregnancy, that she have the services of trained physicians and nurses at the time of delivery, that her own life as well as that of the baby be not jeopardized by the lack of proper care. It is just as essential that she have the services of trained physicians and nurses during her post-natal period and for the first few weeks of life for the baby, to see that the delicate pelvic organs return to normal and to see that the baby is getting the proper start in life.

The most valuable assets of this nation, today, are its babies—its boys and girls. To see that their environments and care are such as to favor normal growth and development, both physical and mental, are joint responsibilities of parents and state. Our own Floyd county birth rate is high and for the past few years has been above 20 per 1,000 population. This results in something like 1,600 births in Floyd county each year, but the state and national birth rates are decreasing. The state rate for the past few years has been slightly under 20 per 1,000 population and the national rate is even lower, probably 18 per 1,000.

In the light of this decreasing national birth rate it becomes highly important that every life must be saved and the survivors be given every chance to develop into healthy and vigorous men and women. A decreasing birth rate, together with better control of infectious diseases, has materially increased the proportion of older people. The greatest advances in public health have been made in reducing the infant rate and deaths from infectious diseases. A decade ago Kentucky's infant death rate was around 120 per 1,000 live births, the rates for the last few years have averages around 65 to 70 per 1,000 live births, a reduction of almost 50 per cent. Our county rates have kept pace with the state rate and in some instances have been better. Twelve years ago when the county health department was organized, the infant rate was exceedingly high, with an average rate of around 150 per 1,000 live births. Now, after a dozen years of intensive child health work the rates are now comparable to the state rates and for the past two years, have been better. We have had an average infant death rate of 60 per 1,000 live births for the past two years.

This decreasing infant death rate is due, no doubt, to the fact that different sections of the county each week and the mothers instructed in the proper feeding and general care of their babies. Average of 150 to 200 babies and small children are seen each month at these different clinics. The maternal death rate is also definitely on the decline for both state and county, the rate being around 5 per 1,000 births, a reduction of about 50 per cent in the past decade. This decrease in the maternal death rate is no doubt due to better care for mothers during the pre-natal period provided by the county health departments and in getting expectant mothers to their family physician for pre-natal care. Pre-natal care for rural folk is something new, but is becoming more popular each year.

YOU CAN'T FEEL RIGHT WITH A POOR APPETITE

MALTONIC. It is essential to obtain the maximum benefit from your food. If you feel it is not of a good quality take Maltonic. There is a good reason for this. HUTSINPILLER DRUG. YOUR FAVORITE DRUG STORE.

MARTIN THEATER "WHERE THE CROWDS GO"

IT'S TRUE! By Wiley Padan. CLARK GABLE! VIVIAN LEIGH! LESLIE HOWARD. OLIVIA de HAVILLAND. WHO'S CAST AS THE MOST UNANIMOUS CHOICE OF PUBLIC AND PRESS FOR THE ROLE OF BILLY BUTLER, AS HE ATTENDED DUNBAR COLLEGE IN GREAT BRITAIN.

New York, N. Y.—"IT'S TRUE! that David O. Selznick bought the motion picture rights of Margaret Mitchell's 'Gone With The Wind' for \$50,000, the highest price ever paid for a first novel," says Wiley Padan. "Approximately 449,512 feet of film were shot, later to be edited and cut to 20,300 feet. Vivian Leigh worked in the picture for 22 weeks with only four days off in that entire time, making her role the longest in history." SUN.-MON., MAY 5 AND 6. Matinee, each day. Night Shows. PLENTY SEATS FOR ALL.

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THE TIMES ENDORSES

- 1. Immediate completion of the Left Beaver, Middle Creek and Johns Creek roads.
2. Consideration by our officials of human needs, not the need for political influence.
3. Completion of all Farm-to-Market roads, by W. P. A. labor if possible, maintenance of these routes by the state rural road fund.
4. A trade-name policy followed by merchants and customers alike.
5. Full co-operation with all county and city officials, insisting that lawmakers and enforcement officers themselves obey the law to the letter.
6. Continuance of the Floyd county health department and the county agricultural agent work.

THEY LABORED IN VAIN

A large number of indictments have been returned for carrying concealed deadly weapons and the grand jury has made special effort to indict those violating the pistol law. So reads a paragraph of the final report of the grand jury...

Now, if Circuit Judge Stephens had not given special instructions to the grand jury to indict the bearers of concealed weapons...

As proof positive of his antipathy to Floyd county's pistol-totin' scourge, Judge Stephens has, during the term of date, added to the violators' fines and jail sentences the onus of disfranchisement.

County Attorney Short tells us that, on every occasion he was in the grand jury room when an officer of the law was called as a witness, the officer was asked if he had arrested any person who carried a concealed deadly weapon. It is not even to be inferred that these officers gave any pistol-totin' protection via perjury.

Other witnesses were questioned. It is customary for the grand jury to make a "bankers' inquiry" if the witness knows of any other offense...

Points By Other Editors

WAR IS EXPENSIVE

The new British budget of about \$9,338,000,000, presented to Commons Tuesday, is dramatic proof that war is costly. At the rate of expenditure of the last seven months, the war is costing Great Britain along more than \$5,000,000,000 a year.

GARRETT

MR. DAMPER HONORED On Friday evening F. M. Rasmick, H. H. Hornsby, E. C. Bianton and John Rose were hosts to a stag party honoring J. E. Damper...

and the American on a per capita basis. The most interesting feature of the budget is the effort being made at London to finance the war by taxation so far as possible.

Britain's national debt, already nearly three times as great as the American on a per capita basis, is bound to rise by about \$5,000,000,000 in the coming fiscal year.

HIDING KENTUCKY'S LIGHT

There is nothing to be gained by "crying over spilled milk," nevertheless it was a sad mistake to commit a proposal as important as that of providing additional funds to develop Kentucky as such a dubious vehicle as the vending machine bill...

A total of \$4,400,000 has been appropriated for this purpose, an average of \$104,000 for each state. Thirteen have appropriations exceeding \$100,000. Florida has the highest advertising budget, will spend \$855,000.

An augmented tourist trade is a benefit that is certain to result from a state advertising program. The influx of tourists into a state projects its effects far beyond the hotel keepers, restaurant owners, resort landlords and department stores which usually are direct beneficiaries.

Forty states are after the tourist trade, a business that has become highly competitive. Kentucky has plenty to offer by way of tourist attractions...

KILLING THE GOOSE THAT LAYS THE GOLDEN EGG

The City Council of Cincinnati is said to have under consideration the passage of an ordinance which would forbid the use of high volatile coal in that factory city on the Ohio.

Passing of the ordinance would be like killing the goose that lays the golden egg, for Eastern Kentucky and West Virginia operators would surely boycott Cincinnati firms in the purchase of supplies...

NOTICE

The Republicans will meet in Prestonsburg, Ky., Monday, May 20, at 1 p. m. in mass convention for the purpose of electing delegates to the district and state convention.

FLOYD REMAINS GAS CENTER

INDUSTRY'S REPORT MADE FOR WEEK INDICATES

Report of the section's drilling activities last week followed: The Kentucky West Virginia Gas Company reports the completion of well No. 582 on the B. F. King land...

Well No. 523 on the George McKintock on Deading Fork of Toler Creek in Floyd county is producing 1,100,000 feet of gas daily after being deepened to 1828 feet...

The same concern has completed well No. 524 on W. H. May land on Long Branch of Jones Fork in Knott county...

The Inland Gas Company gives the completion data on well No. 212 on the W. R. Smith, et al. land on Perkins Branch in Knott county...

The Kentucky West Virginia Gas Company in its report for the week ending May 1, 1940, says that the Inland Gas Corporation has location for well No. 413 on the W. R. Smith, et al. land...

In Martin county the Kentucky West Virginia Gas Company has reached the 3000 foot mark in well No. 581 on the Wilson tract on Rockcastle and is drilling at the 1500 foot level in well No. 582 on the J. E. Hamilton tract...

NOTICE

IN THE MATTER OF JACK ALLEN VOTING PRECINCT NO. 33 WHEREAS the public good and convenience demands...

Beginning near mouth of Open Fork of Middle Creek on the left side of Middle Creek on line of heirs of Josie Hale the one to Josie Hale farm; thence up hill and with dividing ridge between Lick Fork Stone Branch, Buckeye and Lick Fork of the Magellan tract...

FRANCIS-FAIRCHILD NUPTIALS SOLEMNIZED Miss Avelle Francis, of Wheelersburg, and Mr. Don Gasstis Fairchild, XIX, were united in marriage Saturday, April 27, at the home of the bride's cousin, Mrs. W. B. Spradlin...

PRESTONSBURG ARTISTS EXHIBIT WORK

Ashland's Eastern Kentucky Art Exhibit, April 29, was represented from Prestonsburg by Mrs. W. P. Mayo, guest artist. Mrs. Mayo also entered in the exhibit work of two of her pupils, Mrs. Gordon Francis and Miss Peatrix Rimmer...

CARD OF THANKS To all those who assisted in any way during the illness of our son and daughter, Mrs. Emma Stumbo, and following his passing, we wish to express our deepest gratitude.

Mrs. Emma Gunnell, 85, Succumbs Friday At Banner

Mrs. Emma Gunnell, 85, widow of the late J. C. Gunnell, Banner, who died about one year ago, succumbed at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Sam Gunnell, Banner, Friday morning after several weeks' illness.

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Mrs. Lucy Johnson, 79, Of Betsy Layne, Succumbs

Mrs. Lucy Homes Johnson, 79, widow of the late W. B. Johnston, Betsy Layne, died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. M. G. Gastineau, Tuesday last week. Death was attributed to infirmities attendant upon old age.

A native of Knoxville, Tenn., Mrs. Johnson had lived a devoted Christian life for 20 years. She came to Betsy Layne with her family several years ago. Since the death of her husband two years ago she has been living with her daughter, Mrs. Gastineau.

Mrs. Dampier Honored At Bridge Party

Lackey, Ky., April 29 (Sp.)—Mrs. T. J. Chandler and Mrs. Mike Staley were guests of honor at a bridge party at the home of the latter Friday afternoon, honoring Mrs. J. E. Dampier, who is leaving soon for New Iberia, La.

The home of Mrs. Staley was beautifully decorated with a profusion of spring flowers and a perfect refreshment for the occasion. A handsome guest prize was given to Mrs. Dampier, guest of honor. High score was won by Mrs. E. R. Burke, of Prestonsburg, while second and traveling prizes were won by Mrs. Ruth Stratton of Garrett.

Fiscal Court Buys Two Dump Trucks On a bid of \$2485 the Floyd county fiscal court purchased two 2 1/2-ton Federal dump trucks through Curtis Clarke, Prestonsburg, at a special meeting Tuesday night. Upon delivery of the trucks the clerk of the court was directed to issue a fiscal court warrant for the amount, which is payable out of the Johns Creek road fund.

HERE FROM WHEELWRIGHT Wheelwright, returned to their home Sunday after spending the week-end here at the late John Stumbo's, where Mrs. Byrd C. May. Mrs. Byrd C. May. Mrs. Byrd C. May.

SHIKE'S POKES

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

Lloyd Earl and the "Blue Eye Boy" woke up Sunday singing the "Twee Dimes" and some one said the "mule eye" in their radio was blood-thirsty.

We didn't get any reports of Justice, Joe and Henry being motoring this week-end. Wonder what happened?

Everyone knows how we tried and failed to elect our choice for Governor during the past year—and we never forgot. Next year—primary election year—we're having the United Mine Workers Journal to carry a list of our politicians who fought us.

They darn cutworms seem to have pulled a blitzkrieg on my cabbage plants. Wonder if our 92nd national House of Representatives is going to do anything about that Hatch bill that passed the Senate several weeks ago?

We don't expect F. D. R. to carry as many states as he did in 1936—here's predicting that if he runs—here'd of who his opponent is—he'll carry 38 states. Remember, in '36 this column predicted he would carry 44.

I guess a lot of people have been wondering why Melvin Fultz has been marching around with that grin on his face. Well, he is a new member of the Midnite Bottle Warmers' Club.

Betsy Layne Student Succumbs After Short Illness

Pearlie Jones, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Jones, Banner, died at her home at five o'clock Sunday afternoon after an illness of several days.

A freshman high school student at Betsy Layne, the victim had been receiving treatment at a Fayetteville hospital. Early Sunday morning she expressed her belief to her father that she was going to die and told him she wished to be returned home. She arrived at her home at 11 o'clock and died about six hours later.

WAYLAND

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Chaffins, of Wheelersburg, O., last week visited their home mother, Mrs. Vancie Conley, of Hawk Point, who is ill. Mrs. Chaffins formerly was Miss Dolly Conley.

Mrs. Lee Martin is visiting her mother, Mrs. Mervin Weddington, of Emma. Mrs. Weddington is to call on Mrs. Frank Conley, who is ill. Mrs. Chaffins formerly was Miss Dolly Conley.

FOR SALE—one pair new Hobart Comping scales and one electric balance. A regular \$395 outfit, has been used about 300 days. Will sell at a \$50 discount. J. W. HAYES, Hueyville, Ky. 5-3-35

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TOWN-WORLD
(Continued from page one)

back some was cracked. . . . you can't fool all your subscribers all the time; but, up till now, we thought we'd have had turned the trick. Ordinarily, we make no refunds on subscriptions which have been running for ten months out of a year's time, but we believe you are since when you say that it took you more than eight months to find out we were sending your paper to the wrong address, and then an additional month or so to find out that there's nothing to it anyhow and that it's rotten and it stinks. We were neither shocked nor surprised at your humble opinion of our paper; as a matter of fact, we don't think it's so not ourselves. That's why we're constantly trying our darndest to improve it. But please, Mister, don't go around telling everyone how puny it is; let 'em find out for themselves. We've got

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the wool pulled over the eyes of a couple thousand subscribers, and evidently they think it's worth the price. We also have a few advertisers who think it's some better than rubbin'.

Other thoughts to the contrary, the loss of a ton subscriber in all probability will not cause our sheets to go into a final folding act. But suppose all our readers and advertisers get well, it just doesn't mean that there'll be a half-dozen more candidates for WPA employment.

So, pal, here's your dough, and please, PLEASE, when you go next door and borrow your neighbor's copy of THE TIMES, don't give all we can keep our little secret among ourselves, he can keep satisfied, you can keep informed, try hope, and we can keep his back and a half.

Yours,
THE FLOYD COUNTY TIMES
P.S. Hope this check we're sending you is good!
F.C.T.

B-B-E!

From our exchanges: "Ice Plant Bought by W. B. Snow," headline in Providence (Ky.) Enterprise.

SO THEY SAY

Otis Cooley claims the big one—13-pound carp, caught at Herrington Lake. The rest of us let the "big one" get away. Who's got an extra "l's" license?

RUB DE DUB, DUB

CAR ROUGH ON TUB
A young man was the victim of a hit and run driver Monday night, and is in a critical condition, it is reported.

MAN OVERBOARD!

For further particulars, consult Tavvis Flannery, Martin's policeman. We merely sketched the outline of the man that the man's wife wanted him to go home with her now, and that, long after nightfall, he finally did start homeward, then decided to backtrack. His wife decided otherwise—an almost immediately regretted decision.

RESOLUTIONS

Whereas our heavenly Father, in His infinite wisdom has seen fit to call our midst, our beloved brother, **W. C. HALL**, who departed this life April 10, 1940, therefore be it Resolved, That in his passing, Miriam Rebeccah Lodge No. 31 here, a true and loyal member, his wife a true and loving father, the town and community an honorable, honest and upright citizen who did at all times lend his aid and efforts to its betterment and those less fortunate.

Resolved, That this lodge extends its sympathies to the bereaved ones counseling them to look to the Divine Father, who doeth all things well, and be it further

Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be sent to the bereaved widow and family; that the Floyd County Times for publication and that they be spread on the minutes of our lodge in memory of a brother who will be missed and will ever be remembered in our fraternal circle.

Sleep on, dear friend, a life like thine has not been lived in vain. But sheds an influence, rare, divine in lives that here remain.

Loving and kind in all his ways. Upright and just to the end of his days. Sincere and true in his heart, and mind. Beautiful memories he has left behind.

MRS. F. C. HALL,
W. C. HALL, Jr.,
MRS. BESS WILLIAMS,
Committee.

Accidental Gunshot Kills Girl, 10

Rebecca, 10-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Winfield Cox, of Rock Creek, was shot and killed by her 15-year-old brother last week as the latter was ejecting a shell from a shotgun.

Surviving are the bereaved parents and several brothers and sisters. Funeral rites were conducted from the Garland, Ky. cemetery, two miles west of Garrett.

ALLEN LOSES OPENER

OF LEAGUE SEASON TO W'WRIGHT SUNDAY

Scoring ten of their 11 runs in the second and third innings, Wheelwright won the Big Sandy Baseball League season at a late rally and defeated Allen, 11-9, Sunday afternoon in the Allen park, before several hundred fans.

Allen started Kit Stumbo on the mound, and he was relieved in the third inning by Sherman, who finished the game.

The parade of Wheelwright twirlers held Allen scoreless until the seventh, limiting the home team to three hits during the first six innings. In the seventh 13 Allen batters came to the plate and, after the dust had cleared, seven of them had scored. They added two more runs in the eighth on three hits and a base on balls. Ted and Kit Stumbo, each threw three hits, and Palmer Crum and George Stumbo, each with two, led the Allen team in hitting.

Box Score:

	A	R	E	E
Reynolds, cf.	2	0	0	0
Litank, cf.	2	1	0	0
Rupe, of.	2	1	0	0
Vance, rf.	2	0	1	0
Perguson, rf.	1	1	0	0
Jenkins, rf.	4	1	0	0
Hensley, lb.	5	0	0	0
Mann, c.	3	2	0	0
Cook, 2b.	4	1	0	0
Logan, 3b.	0	1	0	0
Baker, lf.	0	1	0	0
Smith, lf.	2	1	0	0
Dunn, lf.	2	0	0	0
Vasvary, p.	1	1	0	0
Knoll, p.	2	0	1	0
Stevens, p.	1	0	0	0
L. Stumbo, p.	1	0	0	0
	40	11	13	0

ALLEN

T. Stumbo, cf.	5	2	0
Crum, 3b.	4	1	2
K. Stumbo, p.	4	0	3
Prater, c.	1	1	0
Woodley, ss.	4	1	1
Hall, lb.	2	0	1
Harris, rf.	3	0	0
Sherman, cf.	3	1	0
I. Stumbo, lf.	1	0	0
	37	9	14

CLEAR CREEK IS DEFEATED

BY WAYLAND, 8-4, IN LEAGUE GAME

Behind the seven-hit pitching of Patton and Lyon, the Wayland baseball team defeated the Clear Creek nine, 8-4, Sunday afternoon at Clear Creek. Both teams are members of the Big Sandy Baseball League.

The Wayland players solved the slants of Newman and Moore, pitching for Clear Creek, for 14 strikes. Moore, Martin, W. Ratliff, E. Branch and "Little" Jess Ratliff each made two hits for the winners, while Gayheart and Osborne each contributed a pair of safeties for Clear Creek. The losers' five errors figured prominently in the Wayland scoring.

Next Sunday the two teams will meet at Wayland.

Box score:

	A	R	E	E
Wayland	8	1	0	0
J. Branham, cf.	3	0	0	0
Baird, 3b.	3	1	0	1
J. Moore, lf.	4	1	0	0
J. Ratliff, Sr., lf-2b.	4	2	1	0
Martin, lf.	5	1	2	0
Siaggs, 2b.	3	2	0	0
W. Ratliff, lf.	1	0	0	0
E. Branch, ss.	5	2	0	0
J. Ratliff, Jr., lb.	3	0	2	0
Gayheart, c.	5	1	1	0
Patton, p.	5	1	0	0
B. Lyon, p.	0	0	0	0
	44	8	14	1

CLEAR CREEK

Bolcher, 2b.	4	1	1
Johnson, ss.	5	1	0
H. Stumbo, 3b.	4	0	1
Lambert, lf.	1	0	0
Atwood, c.	4	1	2
Gayhart, cf.	4	1	2
D. Hall, lb.	4	0	1
Osborne, c.	4	0	2
B. Hall, rf.	2	0	0
Garland, rf.	2	0	0
Isack, rf.	2	0	0
Newman, p.	2	0	0
B. Moore, p.	1	0	0
	34	4	7

Approximately 1,100 sheep are insured by the Adair county sheep protective association with few losses so far.

MARTIN GROUP MEETS MONDAY

PLANS APPROVED FOR MORE SIDEWALKS, SEWER SYSTEM

Martin, Ky. (Sp.)—Definite steps toward procuring additional sidewalks and a sewer system for the town of Martin were taken at a meeting of the Martin-Beaver Co-Operative Business Association in the Martin high school building Monday night.

The plan for the sewer system as outlined by Demra Taylor, was unanimously approved by the members present and they advised him to go forward with the necessary steps. Mr. Taylor also read a copy of a letter written by County Judge E. P. Hill to Highway Commissioner Zach Spence, in which Mr. Hill asked Mr. Justice to co-operate with the town in building sidewalks adjacent to the highway. The secretary of the group is also sending a letter to Mr. Justice, asking his co-operation in obtaining the sidewalks.

Berea Alumni Elected Ford President of Big Sandy Club

Carl G. Ford, Prestonsburg, recently elected president of the Big Sandy Berea Club, alumni association of Berea College, this week announced the appointment of Henry Martin Easton, as Floyd county chairman of the club.

At the same time, county chairmen for Johnson, Pike, Lawrence, Magoiffin and Morgan counties also are announced as plans were being formulated for the year.

Mr. Ford was elected head of the club at a meeting held at Paintsville Friday evening. John Bach, Salyersville, R. H. Thomas, Paintsville, was named vice-president, succeeding R. E. Harlowe, Prestonsburg, and Miss Bess Pittman, Salyersville, secretary-treasurer.

County chairmen selected by Mr. Ford in addition to the Floyd county chairmen, are: Walter Brown, Shelbyville, Pike county; Paul Gambill, Blaine, Lawrence county; G. J. Adams, Magoiffin county; Lillian Wilson, West Liberty, Morgan county; and W. H. Johnson, Johnson and Martin counties.

High-Heeled Shoes First Worn By Men

If studies made by the "historical costume design" class at the Kentucky College of Agriculture's home economics department are right—then the more frivolous fashions are due to men not to women. For instances consider the following awe-inspiring facts:

High-heeled shoes first were worn by a man, King Louis XV, who reputedly being short and had his heels padded, thus starting the fad which now is custom.

Elaborate coats and other clothes of many colors, decorated by frilly laces and sashes, were worn by men in the 17th century, with women dressing in relative plainness.

The very smart two-color or "particolored" evening clothes now worn by well dressed women derive directly from men's dress costumes during the Crusades. For every Crusade they took part in, men were accorded more colors. It became part of the pomp and heraldry of war, or otherwise parading in style. Thus the part-colored garb evolved—for men. Women adopted this fashion only rather recently.

In the 1300 period, the "dandies" wore shoes with such long, pointed toes that the toes had to be tied to their knees with chains.

During the Early Renaissance, and even as far back as Egyptian days, men wore elaborate rings on their fingers.

In the days of Louis XVI, men as well as women, wore coy "patches" on their faces.

Sensational Bargain

My 1936 BUICK four-door sedan, Series 40, is for sale. First reasonable cash offer. Detroit prices.

C. FOSTER

Care T. J. Mastie, CLIFF, KY.

THEIR FOURTH SON

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Dove Vaughn at their home on Friend street here, Saturday, their fourth child—a fine son. The babe has not been named.

CARD OF THANKS

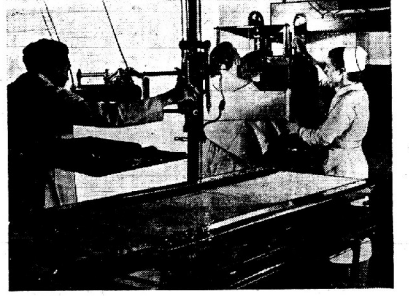
To the many friends who did so much to make our burden lighter during the sickness and passing of my wife, I desire to express my sincere thanks.

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In Crittenden county, pigs are being prepared for the Evansville, Ind., show and sale.

X-ray Helps to Find Early Tuberculosis



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TIDBITS OF KENTUCKY FOLKLORE

A Lover of Flowers

The longer I live, the more I believe that no place is so completely separated from the forces of civilization that it cannot and does not produce some souls that rise above the ordinary level. Whether this is a biological fact or an interpolation of Providence, I will not pretend to say; I will leave that to wiser ones than I can hope to be. Anyway, these blessed things come to us, out of the treasures of racial backgrounds or of special creations of our own life and the lives of thousands of people whom I knew as Aunt Mary Maddox, the mother of Bill Maddox, the local scholar and linguist. As a young woman she had come with her husband and her small children all the way from North Carolina into the Jackson Purchase, to make her home in the wilderness. A whole neighborhood of related families came in the same migration. Before Aunt Mary left her settled home in the older state, she dug up bulbs and roots of flowers and saved garden seeds from the plants that she loved there. These treasures she stowed away in the furniture in the covered wagon. When the caravan reached Kentucky, she planted these seeds and bulbs and roots in the virgin soil and cultivated them in loving remembrance of the home that she had left forever. All of this took place a whole generation before I was born, as Aunt Mary died at a very advanced age on my 14th birthday.

But here is the strange blessing that she unconsciously conferred on her relatives and friends: the few flowers that she had brought with her became the ancestors of flowers by the thousands that graced the homes, big or little, in our remote county neighborhood. Whenever one of her children married and established a new home, Aunt Mary's flower beds gave their share of beauty to start off a flower bed in the clearings. The children expected this just as much as the boys expected a horse, a bride and a saddle when they became of age. Even after all the taraxacum of the flower beds, I remember how large a bed of daffodils there was in my boyhood. All the thousands of bulbs sown out from the few that she had planted in the wilderness long before the Civil War. The daffodils that grew in my flower garden came from this bed, as did also many other flowers: rosebushes, japonicas, rose amson, Forsythia (blooming willow, we called it), and numerous peonies, plants. Sometimes when I hear people talk about ancestry, I like to take the flowers of old Fidelity and see how many of them could trace their descent right back through Aunt Mary's flower garden to North Carolina and post-revolutionary days. Such a study would be a contribution to our understanding of how culture is transmitted through simple and humble means. How tangible and intangible things can show the value of our heritage.

Too much has been made of the spectacular events of history, events that demanded and received applause. When we are as wise as we often imagine ourselves to be, we will go back and dig up some other aspects of our civilization that show how and how far we have come from savagery.

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Better Woodland For 70 Counties

Woodland forests in 70 counties carried out forestry practices in cooperation with the 1939 Agricultural Conservation program, according to a summary just released by the state office of the Agricultural Adjustment Administration.

A total of 310 farmers in 59 counties planted approximately 650,000 forest trees, and 583 farmers in 37 counties improved stands of timber on 2,775 acres of farm woodland. Increases were shown in both practices over forestry improvements in 1938 when 218 farmers planted 600,000 forest trees and 423 farmers improved stands on 1,922 acres.

Breathitt county farmers planted more forest trees in cooperation with the 1939 program than were planted in any other Kentucky county. Counties in which 10 acres or more were planted last year are: Breathitt, 92; Grayson, 70; Graves, 28; Hopkins, 22; Marshall, 20; Butler, 14; Green, 22; Breckinridge, 15; Elliott, 14; Barren, 12, and Hickman, 10.

These forestry practices accounted for less than one-half of one per cent of the conservation payments to Kentucky farmers in 1939, however, since more than half of the payments were earned by seeding legumes and grasses and by spreading lime and phosphate. Altogether, 75 per cent of the 1939 payments were earned by approved soil-building and soil-conserving practices carried out by the farmers.

CAPITOL COMMENTS

In the coming Senate primary, of which there has been much talk, many rumors have started that would lead you to believe that Governor Johnson is obligated to Senator Chandler, and would be an ingrate if he backed Highway Commissioner Lyter Donaldson for the Senate against him.

The facts show an entirely different situation, as can easily be seen.

Keen Johnson ran for Lieutenant-Governor on the Rhea-Laffoon ticket, made speeches over the state with Rhea, and was elected by that faction, although he lost the Governor's race in the second primary to Lieutenant-Governor Chandler, who had taken the reins in his hands when Governor Laffoon was out of the state, and called a special session of the Legislature to change the election law from a convention to a primary. When Chandler and Johnson were elected, Keen stated privately to friends that the people elected Chandler as Governor and he would cooperate with him. He could have caused "Happy" much embarrassment if he had acted as "Happy" had when he was Lieutenant-Governor under Laffoon, but kept to Chandler's policy all the weeks when the Governor was out of the state.

Keen Johnson even backed Chandler in his Senate race against Barkley, and when he started campaigning for Governor he used his old friends and not the Chandler-Falbot machine to help him win the race.

Lyster Donaldson was his campaign manager and did yeoman service in the election.

When Senator Logan died and left a vacancy in the Senate, Johnson appointed Chandler to that vacancy.

Who is obligated to whom?

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for the race, and with a good publicity program, they could be induced to stay and visit in Kentucky and see its scenic and historic points of interest. This large source of revenue is lost to the state through lack of funds for a proper publicity campaign. The next legislative session should remedy this.

High water threatened many homes along the Ohio and Kentucky rivers last week after continued rains. No lives were reported lost, and traffic is being resumed along roads that were blocked by water.

VITAL STATISTICS

BIRTHS Born to Mr. and Mrs.—Gladie Paige Dewald, March 24, a daughter; Beckham Clark, Lancer, March 26, a son; Lindsey Roberts, Emma, March 29, a son; Russ Jenkins, Estill, March 21, a son; Harrison Gibson, Estill, March 21, a daughter; George Blackburn, Ohio, March 26, a son; Bud Moseley, Dony, March 12, a daughter; Green Gayheart, Dony, March 23, a daughter; Charlie Akers, Dony, March 23, a daughter; Green Dony, March 10, a daughter; Bill Dye, Orkney, March 19, a daughter; Dewey Martin, Weeksburg, March 23, a son; John Wilbur, Ohio, Melvin, March 12, a son; Herman Blackwell, Weeksburg, March 30, a son; Willie Rowland, Weeksburg, March 23, a son; Sol Tucker, Weeksburg, March 11, a daughter; James Puckett, East Point, April 2, a son; Eipa Meade, Drift, March 27, a son; Noah Tucker, Beaver, April 1, a daughter; Edgar Hunt, Ortel, April 6, a daughter; Claude McKinney, Adams, March 3, a daughter; Glover Collins, Emma, Apr. 3, a son; Leonard Coburn, Garrett, April 5, a daughter; Henry Mullins, Garrett, April 2, a son; James Travis, April 6, a son; Gustav Waddle, Cliff, April 7, a daughter; Theodore Warrick, Water Gap, April 16, a daughter; John Darby, Emma, April 9, a daughter; Everest Gibson, Blue River, April 3, a daughter; Earshell Calhoun, Water Gap, April 9, a son; Troy Calhoun, Water Gap, April 2, a daughter; Willie Stone, West Prestonsburg, April 25, a son; Annam Garretts, Lancer, April 20, a daughter; Okra Music, Auxier, April 20, a son; Cephus Noble, Wayland, April 9, a daughter; Amos Conley, Wayland, April 4, a son; Arnold Conn, Martin, April 15, a son; Joe Ledford, Wheelwright, March 23, a daughter; John Sanders, Wheelwright, April 3, a daughter; Stanley Pelcar, Wheelwright, April 14, a son; Claude Maness, Wheelwright, April 7, a son; Irvin Breeding, Hale, April 12, a son; Willie Case, Drift, April 13, a son; Isaac Case, Dons, April 18, a daughter; Wallace Stone, Wayland, April 18, a son; Aaron Allen, Wayland, April 19, a son; Thomas D. Rose, Ohio, April 8, a son; J. E. Henderson, West Prestonsburg, April 11, a daughter; E. Evans, Wayland, April 9, a daughter; Claude Tackett, McDowell, March 29, a son; Charles Thomas, Drift, April 14, a daughter; Ed Wright, Drift, March 28, a son; Henry Allen, Lackey, March 29, a son; Miles Owens, Lackey,

April 20, a son; Grant Horn, Huesyville, March 17, a daughter; Anna Owens, Cold, March 22, a daughter; Tommie Brown, Langley, April 18, a son.

DEATHS Josie Hale, 66, Goodloe, April 2; Virgil Nesby (colored), Wayland, April 1; Betty Howell, 26, Clavston, February 29; Willis Stone Frasier, one year, Langley, April 4; Hayes Bennett England, seven months, Hale, April 12; Jennie Tucker, 56, West Prestonsburg, April 14; Chloé T. Hackworth, one month, Bonanza, April 7; Enoch Taylor, 59, Drift, April 14; Elmer Harris, 14, Bevinville, April 14; Maggie Smith, 39, Tram, April 12; Mary L. Hamilton, 45, Betsy Layne, April 12; Ota Jane Adkins, 28, Allen, April 19; Melvin Turner, one year, Garrett, April 18; Elma Garrett, 50, Prestonsburg, April 15; William G. Adams, 66, Trussel, April 21; William Owen Spradlin, 61, McDowell, April 23.

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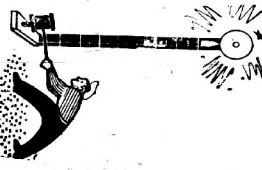
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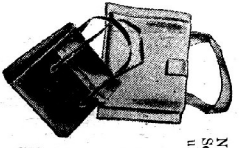
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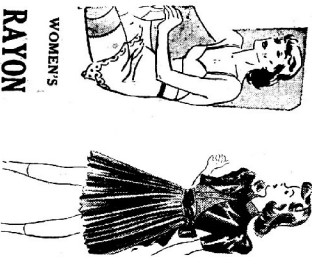
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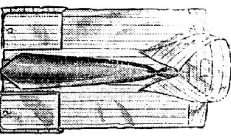
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PATTY THEATRE (Next Door to Abigail)

THURSDAY-FRIDAY- DOUBLE FEATURE- "Adventure In Diamonds" Isa Miranda, George Brent. "The Human Monster" Bela Lugosi. SATURDAY- "The Man From Monterey" (WESTERN) John Wayne. SUNDAY-MONDAY- "Artists and Models Abroad" Jack Benny, Joan Bennett. TUESDAY-WEDNESDAY- DOUBLE FEATURE- "Courageous Dr. Christian" Jean Hersholt, Dorothy Lovett. "Arrest Bulldog Drummond" John Howard.

Grand Jury Tells Efforts

(Continued from page one) to the County Attorney for their diligent and untiring services and the assistance given to them in investigation of crimes committed and judgments returned. We, the Grand Jury, further recommend that if the better class of people would co-operate with the Grand Jury and the courts there would not be so much trouble for the courts to get the guilty parties and bring them to a speedy trial where so much crime is abroad in our county. During the three days of its session last week, the grand jury returned true bills naming six persons for "robbing out fire." The accused are Robert Wilcox, Donald Wilcox, Ellis George, Herman George, Canada Crisp, Chas. Wilbur Elkins. Mr. and Mrs. Fred Tackett were indicted on six counts, accused of selling moonshine whisky. Other major indictments returned last week follow: Maude Holt, shooting and wounding; George Johnson, carrying a concealed deadly weapon; Elton Roberts, striking and wounding; Rose Howard, carrying a deadly weapon; Johnny Jones, carrying a concealed deadly weapon; Dan Allen, selling moonshine liquor; Bob Sims, obstructing justice; Mrs. J. Hays Holbrook, child desertion; Bill Smith, Jean Hunt and Theodore Collins, possessing moonshine liquor; Silas Johnson, possessing moonshine; George Hall, selling untaxed liquor. Silas Johnson, carrying concealed deadly weapon; Green Hall, selling untaxed liquor; O. A. Hall, Joe Yonts, Halter Plannery, malicious mischief; Dewey Shepherd, shooting and wounding; Arnie Calhoun, Jerry Mullins and Earl Newman, robbery; George Walker, Hall, publishing as true a forged and counterfeit check; Fleem Collins, carrying concealed deadly weapon; Charley Johnson, child desertion; Norman Conn, converting property of another; Bob Goble, converting property; Hawley Robinson, reckless use of a deadly weapon; Hubert McKenzie, selling liquor without license; Scott Adams, transferring auto without receipt or license; Noah Prasure, grand larceny; Hawley Robinson, shooting at without wounding; Kora Burchett, assault and battery with an auto. SEWING - EXPERT FITTER, altering a specialty. MRS. CHARLES SPRADLIN, Highland Avenue, Prestonsburg, Ky.

3 Murder Cases Remain

(Continued from page one) or testified, however, that one of the two shots fired by his son struck in the gravel near his feet. Trial of the offense of a murder in the second degree of Perry Johnson was set for Sept. 19. San Roberts was given a three-year pen term Wednesday last week for the part he played as a deputy constable in the alleged false arrest of a group of Martin and Drift residents before Betsy Leary. Roberts testified that his only connection with the arrests of the youngsters was to bring them to Prestonsburg when directed to do so by the late Deputy Sheriff Dewey Salisbury. The Commonwealth's evidence conceded, however, that he was at the scene of the arrests and, as an officer, conveyed some of the prisoners here a jail without assistance from any other officer. Roberts is expected to appeal from the verdict. For the deaths of two persons near Leary in 1937, when struck by a car which he was driving, Ed Fleming Thursday was given a three-year sentence when Spradlin, after conviction in a voluntary manslaughter charge. Fleming, a truck driver for the J. J. Eikhorn Coal Company, struck and killed Edwanda Stapp, 24, and Dayton Duval, 26, as the two with Mrs. Duval walked along the Mayo rail. Mrs. Duval was injured. He claimed that he did not see the two as another car approached, then after they were hit became excited and drove on into Pike county before rejecting the tragedy.

Pburg Loses to Van Lear

(Continued from page one) Year pushed across two runs in the second round, then added two more in the fourth. Castle relieved Collins in the ninth, and the visitors touched him for another pair of runs to that inning, which ended their scoring. Prestonsburg's only run came in the ninth when Spradlin, reserve first baseman, sent one over the fence with nobody on. B. Butcher, who started in right and pitched, collected two runs in the top for the visitors, carried off slugging honors with a single, double and triple, and he scored three of his own six runs. Thacker collected a pair of singles for the winners. Spradlin's four-bagger was Prestonsburg's only extra-base blow. Sunday afternoon Prestonsburg will go to Van Lear, where the two teams will play a return game. Other league games scheduled are Allen at Wheelwright, Clear Creek at Westland and Pikeville at Eikhorn City. The box score:

Box score table with columns for P, B, H, R, O, A, E and rows for various players like Van Lear, Thacker, etc.

Runs batted in—Spradlin, B. Butcher 2; Lambert, Burkett, McDowell, Two-base hits—B. Butcher, Three-base hit—B. Butcher. Home run—Spradlin. Stolen bases—Burkett, B. Butcher, Thacker. Sacrifices—Branham, Thacker; Chambers. Struck out by—A. Collins 3, Castle 5, Lambert 6, Crech 3. Bases on balls—off Castle 1, off Crech 1, off McDowell 1, off A. Collins 4, runs, 6 hits in five innings; Castle, 2 runs, 4 hits in four innings; Lambert, no runs, 1 hit in three innings; McDowell, no runs, 2 hits in 3 innings; Crech: 1 run, 2 hits in three innings. Wild pitch—Castle. Passed ball—R. Collins. Double plays: Castle to Spradlin to Hall, P. Butcher to Chambers to Daniels. Left on bases—Prestonsburg 3, Van Lear 6. Umpires—Daniels, Moore and Huff. Winning pitcher—Lambert. Losing pitcher—A. Collins.

WPA Foremen Get Training

(Continued from page one) specifications for all construction jobs and to see that all work is performed according to instructions from their superiors, in line with the best engineering practices. The personnel of the district and state works projects administration in charge of construction projects consists of registered engineers, who are experienced and capable of directing the extensive program of the government to combat unemployment and to build roads, schools, streets, sidewalks, sewers, parks and playgrounds in cooperation with the local engineers and their engineers and architects.

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Parker Cites Mine Aids

(Continued from page one) plan to work to, lets the worker know where he stands. He comes to look on these things as a definite part of his responsibility as a worker. I want to add here a highly important point, and that is that a standard time plan must be recognized by all as representing the minimum amount of

timber to be set and that the leader should be trained to recognize the necessity of additional timber and that they be set without awaiting official instructions.

The inland steel-mine, he pointed out, have a standard plan of face timbering which promotes safety. Following a series of roof falls in 1938, the company conducted experiments with steel mine jacks as roof supports, which led to their adoption for use at all working places. "The jacks," he said, "were eagerly accepted by the loaders as they recognized that in addition to their superiority as a safety post they also were a definite contribution to efficiency. The steel post could be set in thirty to forty seconds, while the length of time required to set a wood timber varied from a minute to five or more minutes, depending on the condition of the place. "Time after time since the adoption of these timbers they have demonstrated their value. When they were first installed, careful thought was given as to the best way of removing them. It was decided that the safest way to do this was to loosen the timber slowly and after it had become free to the point that it would just stand, to wait a few seconds to give any load room a chance to settle. This has since been proven a safe and practical way to do a job that had heretofore resulted in several serious accidents at our plant. "Since installing these jacks generally in the mine, many cases have arisen where in our opinion accidents were prevented. Time after time loaders upon releasing the jack have noticed the weight settle on the post and have removed the post to let down a large fall or in many cases at our mine 'kettle bottoms.'"

Floyd Plain-Singers Represent State At Festival

Sole representatives of the state of Kentucky at the National Folk Song Festival in Washington, D. C., last week were a group of Floyd county singers headed by Mr. and Mrs. Tom Jones and Miss Helen Conaway, of the Edith James Music Center, Prestonsburg. Besides Mr. and Mrs. James and Miss Conaway, those scheduled to appear at the festival in renditions of ancient hymns and Gregorian Chants were Theodore and Carpenter Holbrook, Albert Hall, Sam Lafferty and St. Boyd. The Floyd county group of Plain-Song Singers broadcast over the National Broadcasting Company hook-up at Friday noon, last week.

Bright's Disease Claims Jim Tussey Burchett At Martin Hospital

James W. (Jim Tussey) Burchett, 61 years old, Emma, one of the county's oldest and best-known citizens, died at 11 o'clock Wednesday morning at the Beaver Valley hospital, Martin, after suffering for the past two years from Bright's disease. He was admitted to the hospital two days before his death. "One of the county's most extensive land owners, Mr. Burchett was the father of 11 children, including Mrs. Margaret Burchett, of Cow Creek, and he had spent practically all his life there. His wife, Mrs. Lou Burchett, died about 14 months ago. He had been a devout member of the Methodist Church for 52 years. Surviving are two daughters, Mrs. Maggie Dotson, Prestonsburg, and Mrs. Bessie Rivers, Woods; two sons, Keen Burchett, Hager Hill, and Lewis Burchett, Woods; 29 grandchildren and 20 great-grandchildren. Funeral services were conducted from the home Sunday afternoon, with the Rev. Isaac Stratton, John Lafferty and William Dingus officiating. Burial was made in the family cemetery on Cow Creek, with the Arnold Funeral Home in charge.

MARTIN THEATRE "WHERE THE CROWDS GO"

SATURDAY- "Light of the Western Stars" Zane Grey's famous story with Rory Russell Hayden and Noah Berry, Jr. SUNDAY-MONDAY- "Gone With the Wind" Clark Gable, Vivian Leigh. TUESDAY- "Two Girls On Broadway" Lana Turner, Joan Blondell, George Murphy. WEDNESDAY- "They Came By Night" Will Fyffe, Phyllis Calvert. THURSDAY- "Seventeen" Jackie Cooper, Betty Field. FRIDAY- "Heroes of the Saddle" with the three Mesquiteres.

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