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Floyd County Times

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BOARD HIRES 374 TEACHERS

CITIZENS URGE AID BE SENT TO ALLIES

GERMAN AGGRESSION SCORED AT FORUM HELD HERE

Floyd county's first public forum for the discussion of an international situation was held at the courthouse here Thursday evening with nobody being verbally or forcibly ejected from the meeting except Hitler.

Result of sentiment of the forum, as evidenced by poll of the audience, was rushed to Congressman J. May, the following day, by W. H. Wheeler, forum chairman. Mr. Wheeler reported to the Congress that the attending was overwhelmingly favorable to sending to the Allies every possible aid, short of entering the war.

The resolution adopted by the audience authorized Mr. Wheeler to inform Congressman May, chairman of the House Military Affairs Committee, Washington, D. C., that it advised immediate action toward asking Congress to give the country sufficient aid to meet the needs of the Allies.

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IN SPRING, OLD MAN'S FANCY, TOO, TURNS TOWARD LOVE!

Well before the expiration of that season of the year when the poet declared that the young man's fancy light by turns to love, 84-year-old John Joseph, of West Prestonsburg, last Wednesday became a groom.

He claimed as his bride, Mrs. Willis Vaughan, 50, also of West Prestonsburg. The nuptial ceremony was solemnized by the Rev. G. R. Pannin at the home of Dr. M. T. Deason, son-in-law of the groom. Attendants were the bridegroom's daughter, Mrs. Dotson, his grandson, Paul Dotson, and Theodore Pannin.

Mr. Joseph had been a minister for 30 years, and is connected with the Holston Church. His first wife died three years ago. The bride is the widow of James Vaughan.

The Rev. and Mrs. Joseph were spending their honeymoon in pleasant fashion this week being corn on their Middle Creek farm.

W'WRIGHT GYM PLANS FOILED

BUDGET EXCEEDED BY BIDS FILED WITH BOARD

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MINER, KILLED IN ACCIDENT

CLYDE BOWLING, DRIFT, DIES INSTANTLY WEDNESDAY

Clyde L. Bowling, 25, Drift, was killed instantly at ten o'clock Wednesday morning when he was struck by a piece of slate in the Beaver Coal and Mining Company mine at Drift, where he was employed.

The accident occurred while Bowling and Ira Preston together were "drawing" slate, and Preston escaped injury by rolling himself out of the way after the fall started. The piece of slate, which Preston was able to lift off Bowling's head and crushed it against a steel rail.

Bowling was the son of W. H. and Geneva Miller Bowling, of Richardson, Lawrence county, who survive. Also surviving are his widow, Mrs. Pauline Davis Bowling, and two small children, all of Drift.

The body was prepared by the Ryan Funeral Home and will be taken to Richardson Friday, where burial will be made in the family cemetery.

RURAL SCHOOLS OPEN JULY 8

TEACHER RETIREMENT REFUSAL DEADLINE SET AT JULY 1

Teachers hired by the county board of education at its meeting last week for service in rural schools were notified Wednesday that their schools will open July 8, two days earlier than last year's opening date.

The teachers were requested to attend the teacher meeting to be held here July 1, and were notified that textbooks would be issued by districts on the following dates:

Elementary schools to districts 1 to 40; July 3, to districts 41 to 71; Friday, July 5, to districts 72 to 99; July 6, to districts 99 to 118 and miscellaneous.

At the same time all teachers were given notice that, if they do not desire to have membership in the teachers' retirement system as provided at the 1940 session of the Kentucky General Assembly, they must file a statement declining such membership before July 1. Otherwise, such teacher hired automatically becomes a member.

RATLIFF SURVIVES 60-FOOT FALL WITH MAST

Though he was within two feet of the top of a 60-foot mast to a drilling rig when it fell Friday afternoon on Johns Creek, William Ratliff, 25, Haysville, lives to tell the tale.

He is recovering in the Methodist hospital, Pikeville. During the earthward plunge after one of the "legs" of the mast broke, Ratliff contrived to shift his position from the outside of the rig to the inside, thus saving himself from being crushed between the ground and the framework. He suffered broken wrists, a deep cut in his chin, the loss of several teeth and various bruises.

The drilling rig was being dismantled by Grant Horn and employees when the accident occurred.

MORE THAN 400 FIND SCHOOL POSITIONS

NO CHANGES MADE IN HI SCHOOL PRINCIPALS

Three hundred seventy-four consolidated and rural teachers for the 1940-41 school term were hired Friday evening by the Floyd County Board of Education at a meeting which had been adjourned from the last regular meeting which was held on the previous Saturday. This, with the exception of the Prestonsburg High school instructors, who will be hired as soon as the county and city boards can get together, completes the Floyd county teaching personnel for the coming year.

Sixteen teachers for the Prestonsburg graded school already had been hired by the City Board of Education May 17, and seven vocational agriculture, building and trades, and home economics teachers were employed by the County Board of Education at its regular May meeting.

According to the list released by County Superintendent Town Hall all principals of Floyd county high schools hold their positions next year. Major changes are confined to coaches, several of whom were re-elected. Everett Hall, who coached at Auxter last year, was hired at Maytown, replacing Joe Price, who was hired as high school instructor at Garrett's Hall's place. Auxter was taken by Chalmers Frazier, who was at Martin last year. H. E. Pleasant, coach at Martin several years ago, again fills the vacancy. Other coaching positions remain the same, with Wiley Jones at Wyaland; Dave Leslie at Rees Lanes; Fred May at Garrett; Olive Akers at McDowell and Ed Leslie at Wheelwright. Walter Price handled the coaching duties at Wheelwright the latter part of last year, while Leslie was in the state legislature.

The list of consolidated teachers follows:

AUXTER
John C. Wells, principal; Chalmers Frazier, coach; Elsie L. Triplett, Ellis Hale, Ted Gobie, Mabel Wells, Mary E. Clarke, Emma Goble (first semester), Bill Music (second semester), Carl Horne (first semester), Albert Burchett (second semester), Ruth Johnson.

BETSY LAYNE
D. W. Howard, principal; David

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IT'S THE LAW-WATCH YOUR STEP!

Extend the function of the state commissioner of industrial relations, provide for the creation of the Kentucky Industrial Safety Board and the Kentucky apprenticeship council, and require payment of the "prevailing wage" on public works.

Among certain occupational license taxes repealed by the 1938 legislature. The annual taxes are as follows: on aggressive wholesaling, \$20; theater tickets, \$10; and amusements, \$5; on retailing of soft drinks and ice cream; pool halls and bowling alleys, \$50; table of alloy; retailing of tobacco products, \$20.

Prohibit the handling of reptiles in religious ceremonies upon penalty of a fine from \$50 to \$100.

Permit "moral instruction" of school children desiring it.

Allow city fire fighting equipment to be used in the county in which they

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One hundred and forty-six bills of the recent General Assembly, affecting labor, farmers, the soil, the aged, the blind, chair stores, grocers, "week nights" and prospective mothers, became the law of the Commonwealth yesterday.

On that date—June 12—the necessary ninety-day interval from adjournment of the legislature on March 31 expired. Fifty-two other acts, bearing the same date, became law. They derive upon the signature of Governor Johnson.

General of the acts require Johnson to appoint boards and commissions, such as those to investigate farm tenancy problems and co-ordinate soil conservation in the state.

Among those of greatest general importance are acts which:

Increase the maximum old-age pension monthly payments from \$18 to \$20.

Provide funds for operation of the teachers' retirement system, which begins benefit payments to teachers on July 1, 1942.

License chain stores at from \$25 to \$50.

Create soil conservation districts and a state soil conservation committee to administer land-saving regulations.

Require blood tests for syphilis of pregnant women.

32 NEW ROOMS FOR HOSPITAL

INCLUDED BY DANIEL BUILDING PROGRAM STARTED HERE

One of Eastern Kentucky's finest hospitals is envisioned for Prestonsburg as workmen employed by Dr. D. H. Daniel are not only re-modeling the old Herford residence in West Prestonsburg for use as a hospital but are at work on a 32-room annex to the original structure.

Some of the 10 rooms of the residence are being divided into wards, and the result of all this work is expected to be a hospital approximately 50 rooms.

The hospital will be equipped with a nursery, it is announced, and this is a hospital accommodation offered by few such institutions in Eastern Kentucky.

Contractors and carpenters numbering a dozen or more are making rapid progress on the new annex. It was said.

DELAY OF DAM WORK SEEN

COST OF DEFENSE PROGRAM CITED AS CAUSE

County officials here have been told on "good authority" that actual construction work on the Johns Creek dam may not be started until next year as the government this year turns its attention mainly to a gigantic defense program.

Purchase of land to be affected by the dammed-up waters is expected to be begun soon, however. Money allocated has been earmarked for this purpose, it was said.

Already approved by Congress and the Board of U. S. Army Engineers, the project, which is being financed under next year, the huge expenditures planned for national defense postponing action only a year.

This Town That World

GEVE ME MOSCOW!—FRYE YARBER

I am not of a murderous turn of mind, but if two men were placed before me for me to shoot, I can't think of any two I'd prefer to Herr Hitler and Signor Mussolini. And which do you think I'd draw a bead on first? Why, Mussolini, of course. I hate Hitler for his mad brutality, but I prefer him for his daring to the cowardly Doose who, bum-rake-like, would not take a chance till he thought England and France were dying.

A MAN OF SOUND JUDGMENT

Charles Miller, who is a resident of LaGrange, Ky., writes to inquire after "Uncle Charlie Oppenheimer" who was recently in Japan. "I can't think of any one I'd prefer to Herr Hitler and Signor Mussolini. And which do you think I'd draw a bead on first? Why, Mussolini, of course. I hate Hitler for his mad brutality, but I prefer him for his daring to the cowardly Doose who, bum-rake-like, would not take a chance till he thought England and France were dying."

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117 Stitches Required To Close Jarvis' 13 Slashes

As he and his World War veteran brother who has been adjudged an incompetent are in the building, all of which include the alternate bids on the heating system, follow: Joseph Reynolds, \$37,957; W. D. Patton, \$41,520; Gearheart and Richardson, \$44,584; Layne, Hale and Williams, \$44,885.34.

Bids on the Wheelwright gymnasium, all of which were rejected: Layne, Hale and Williams, \$42,983.63; Joseph Reynolds, \$43,900; Ramsey and Casle, \$45,800; Gearheart and Richardson, \$49,700.

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Funeral Rites Held for Matthew Meadows, Of Brandy Keg

Funeral rites for Matthew Meadows, 74 years old, who died Wednesday, last week, at his home on Corn Fork of Brandy Keg Creek, near here, were conducted Friday, the Revs. Isaac Stratton and W. M. Dingus, officiating.

Burial was made in the Porter cemetery here under the auspices of Prestonsburg Lodge, Independent Order of Odd Fellows. The rites were conducted by the Arnold Funeral Home.

A native of Barren county, Mr. Meadows came to this county about 25 years ago. He had been a member of the Baptist Church for 49 years and was one of the county's best citizens. He also had been a member of the E. O. F., for more than a quarter of a century.

Surviving him are his widow, Mrs. Elsie Margaret Eldridge Meadows, four sons, and three daughters: Willie Meadows, West Prestonsburg; James Elizabeth Burchfield, Elliott, O.; Mrs. Hunt, James, Elliott and Henry Meadows, all of Lancer; two brothers, Pete and Henry Meadows, Petersburg, Ky., and two sisters, Mrs. Nancy Thayer and Mrs. Rebecca Stums, Portsmouth, Ohio.

Mrs. T. J. Puckett, 67, Myrtle, Dies After Long Illness

Mrs. T. J. Puckett, 67 years old, died at her home at Myrtle Sunday following a protracted illness.

She is survived by several children, among whom are New and Shelley Shepherd, McGuffey, Ohio, and Nero Shepherd, of Macon county—sons of her first marriage—and James Puckett, of Ohio. Mrs. Puckett was one of her community's best women.

Funeral rites were conducted Monday and burial was made in the family cemetery under the direction of the Arnold Funeral Home.

Court House Happenings

F. S. Vanhose & Co., etc. vs. J. Hayes, Clarke and Francis, attys. Walter Reynolds vs. Thomas Tackett (Jury fee). Josephine Dyer vs. Donald Dyer; B. M. James, atty. Hamilton Brown Shoes Sales Corp. vs. John Sturgill, et al.; J. B. Clarke, atty. Dr. C. C. Cann vs. W. J. Clark, Joe P. Tackett, atty. Lilita Howard Little vs. W. H. Little; Joe P. Tackett, atty. Olive Mae Stumbo vs. Troy Stumbo; J. D. Bond, atty. Josie Reed vs. Earl Reed; O. P. Bond, atty. Ernest Wallen vs. R. J. Reynolds Tobacco Co. (Jury fee). Henry P. Patton vs. Commonwealth Life Insurance Co. of Louisville; B. P. Friant, atty.

MARRIAGE LICENSES
James Mullins, 48, Alphoretta, and Maude Mullins, 25, Alphoretta; marriage solemnized by the Rev. I. A. A. Reynolds, Regular Baptist Church, Prestonsburg June 9. Howard May and Irene Adkins, Fred Gearheart and Fay Virginia Counts, Douglas Burkett and Gertrude Vanhose, Emmitt Boyd and Blanche Vanhose.

ADMINISTRATOR'S BONDS
W. B. Gandy, administrator of estate of Eliza Garriott; Malone Hall, administrator of Annie Hall.

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COMMISSIONER'S SALE

Floyd Circuit Court F. F. Williams Plaintiff vs. NOTICE OF SALE Ed Sutton and Amanda Sutton Defendants

By virtue of a judgment and order of sale of the Floyd Circuit Court rendered and entered at the May Term thereof, 1940, in the above cause, I shall proceed to offer for sale, at the courthouse door in Prestonsburg, Floyd county, Kentucky, to the highest and best bidder, at public auction, on Monday, June 24, 1940, at the hour of one o'clock, p. m., the following County Court day, upon a credit of six and 1/2 months, the following described property, to-wit:

Lying and to be in Floyd county, Ky., on the right fork of Beaver Creek, and more particularly described as being lots No. 21, 22, 23, and 24 in the F. F. Williams addition to Langley, Ky. Beginning at a stake on the south-west corner of Front and Main streets; thence with a line of Main street S 67 W 75 feet to a stake; thence leaving Main street, crossing lots No. 21, 22, 23 and 24 S 19 40 E 100 feet to a stake in line of lot No. 25; thence with a line of same N 67 30 E 75 feet to a stake in line of Front street; thence with Front street N 10 40 W 100 feet to the beginning.

Or sufficient amount thereof to produce the sum of money ordered to be made, amounting to \$3,950.00 with interest from May 25, 1940 until paid; and the further sum of \$150 probable court costs herein.

For the purchase price the purchasers must execute bond with approved surety or sureties, bearing legal interest from the day of sale until paid, and having the force and effect of a judgment. Bidders will be prepared to comply promptly with the terms.

B. L. STURGLILL, Master Commissioner, Floyd Circuit Court. Cost of advertising \$12.75.

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN: Any one owing the estate of Ned Wells, deceased, is notified to pay same at once to Lynn B. Wells, Administrator, West Liberty, Ky., and any one having a claim against the estate of Ned Wells, deceased, is notified to file the same, properly proven, with Lynn B. Wells, Administrator, West Liberty, Ky., by the 25th of June, 1940, as this estate will be settled at that time.

LYNN B. WELLS, Adm., Estate of Ned Wells, Deceased, 5-30 St. West Liberty, Ky.

TIDBITS OF KENTUCKY FOLKLORE

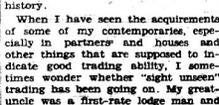
"SIGHT UNSEEN"

The phrase "sight unseen" may sound queer to you, or it may bring up memories of days when you tried your luck at various kinds of trading, or referred to a practice of exchanging something without having seen it. Sometimes it meant just the taking of some one's word for it, a species of trust that all of us have had some experience with, like insurance, for instance. But ordinarily it meant taking a chance that your friend who had something to sell or exchange would trick you if he could and preferred not to show you the article that you wanted. One particular phase of this skin-game was what we called "throwing knives." You closed your fingers around the knife that you wished to exchange and extended your hand to the other fellow, who had carried out the same ceremony. Sometimes you got stung, or else he did. There used to be rigmoroles about knives that meant that the object in question had a blade or two and whole handles, but I somehow have forgotten this little rhyme or saying. It was a species of gambling, and the boys knew it, too. They enjoyed it all the more for being naughty in this fashion without being arrested or even scolded. Some of the knives or other objects that were thus passed around would form a museum to-day, for I can testify to having seen some very queer ones, minus handles, blades, and everything else.

Now this was boys' play and is not to be confused with another type of "sight unseen" trading, such as went on at the county seat on county court days. It is true that most of the objects being traded were on hand, with their ears flopping in the breeze, but their demerits were carefully concealed. No law, apparently, could touch these same traders, even though people who had been taken in often wished to call on all the powers that be to tar and feather the trickster who got rid of the blind mule by such lying arts. To save my life I do not know whether people trade so well as formerly. I know that mules are bought and sold by the dozens now, but the whole matter is such a business proposition that I fear there is small room for "sight unseen" processes. Now as to second-hand automobiles—but I am supposed to be writing about ancient and medieval history.

When I have seen the acquirements of some of my contemporaries, especially in partners and houses, and other things that are supposed to indicate good trading ability, I sometimes wonder whether "sight unseen" trading has been going on. My great-uncle was a first-rate lodge man and took his secret society very seriously. From his meager earnings as a country doctor who owned a large household to feed and dress he sneaked five or ten dollars to buy a pin, "pure gold," said the jeweler. When it came, he wore it with a look somewhat like that of the fabled cat that ate the canary. One of his poorest and, therefore, most independent clients, met him on the road and engaged in conversation about the weather and politics and such like. Noticing the pin, he asked, "where'd you get 'er? Dropped out of a prize box?" All of the superciliousness that the country doctor had built up melted instantly; the rustic, who had lived his life pretty largely on "sight unseen" philosophy, had punctured a rather obvious bubble. (After I wrote this, I realized that my figures were badly scrambled; they are too well understood for me to unscramble them now. It would be too unfair to the philosophy I have been discussing to "true back" after a trade is made.)

TRAVEL BULLETIN TODAY'S NOTES



Prepared By Eastern Kentucky Automobile Club

"WAY OUT WEST" The motion picture "Stagecoach," with its stupendous scenic views of northern Arizona, has been credited with being responsible for the many visitors to that section of the state. At a point where Arizona meets northern Utah, halfway between Kayenta and Mexican Hat, there is to be found a scenic area so remarkable as to excite the imagination of the most world-wide traveler. This area, known as Monument Valley, consists of form and color, huge spires and totem pole formations, gigantic castle-like crags, amphitheatres scooped into sandstone cliffs and natural bridges rising abruptly and without apparent reason from the valley floor, create never-to-be-forgotten vistas.

Auxier Trounces Martin, 11-4, Sunday

The Martin team of the Beaver Valley Baseball League dropped its second game of the season Sunday afternoon, bowing to Auxier, 11-4, on the Auxier field.

Although they collected 11 hits, the Beaver boys were unable to bunch them effectively, and several of their errors contributed heavily to Auxier's scoring.

Martin scored four runs in the first stanza, but their lead was short-lived. They failed to threaten seriously thereafter.

Box score table for Auxier vs Martin game. Columns: Name, AB, R, H, E. Totals: 40 11 22 1.

Box score table for Coal Run vs Drift game. Columns: Name, AB, R, H, E. Totals: 36 4 11.

Coal Run Shuts Out Drift, 6-0, Sunday In League Tilt

Coal Run Ky. (Spl.)—Claude Smith came through with another shut-out Sunday, defeating Drift 6-0 and pulling the Coal Run Colts within a half game of first place in the Beaver Valley "B" League. Smith has pitched two shut-outs for the Colts this season.

Both teams did good hitting, but the outfielders just wouldn't let the balls go over their heads. With Drift runners on second and third in the fifth, Dave Blackburn backed up to the fence and pulled down Blackburn's fly. Blackburn, Drift centerfielder, robbed Coal Run of several hits with his un-

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SUIT FILED TO TEST ACT SPLITTING SCHOOL DISTRICTS

Frankfort, Ky., June 6.—Test suit for clarification of a school law passed in the confusion of the last night in the General Assembly was filed in Franklin circuit court today. The suit, filed by Ode Snelling as a Frankfort citizen, contended the law is void because it is "garbled," nonsensical and incapable of being interpreted. State officials said they believed the act intended to divide county school districts into divisions, but confusion arose from the use of the words "district" and "division."

At the same time, Franklin County School Superintendent Roy True said all other county superintendents for \$5 each to meet, attorney fees and court costs for the suit. The petition asked a restraining order against proposed division of Franklin county into five sections from which school board members are to be elected under the act. True's letter said: "It was agreed at a meeting recently held at the office of State Superintendent John W. Brooker that this expense of testing the law) should be borne by the county school boards of the state."

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MEMORIAL BASKET DINNER

The Fourth Annual Memorial Service and Basket Dinner will be held at West Prestonsburg Cemetery

—ON— Sunday, June 16

Services will begin at 9:30 a. m., and continue till 4 p. m. Dinner on the grounds at 12 noon.

Ministers from various sections of the country will be present. The Rev. J. E. Carr, of Cincinnati, O., is expected to be with us. We also will have our local String Band to furnish music.

Come, bring your basket and spend the day and worship with us.

We are expecting a great crowd and a great time. In case of rain, the service will be held in the church building.

MAKE YOUR PLANS NOW TO ATTEND.

G. R. FANNIN

PROFESSIONAL CARDS

REGULAR MEETING Second Saturday each month at the court house, Prestonsburg, FLOYD POST NO. 129 OF THE AMERICAN LEGION

DR. J. S. KELLY DENTIST Wright Building, corner of Court and Second, Prestonsburg, Ky. Phone 46

PRESTONSBURG LODGE I. O. O. F. NO. 293 Meets the first, second, third and fourth Thursdays in each month. The following officers were installed: TOM JAMES, N. G. E. T. ALLEN, V. G. W. C. AFRICA, Secretary W. J. VAUGHAN, Treasurer

DR. C. R. SLOANE DENTIST Phone No. 311 Layne Bldg., Court St. Prestonsburg, Kentucky

M. T. DOTSON, M. D. Office: Opposite Courthouse PHONE 234

A. J. MAY Attorney and Counselor Practices in All Courts Fitzpatrick Bldg. Prestonsburg, Kentucky

DR. R. H. MESSER Dentist Garrett, Kentucky

DR. G. C. COLLINS DENTIST MARTIN, KY. Office Hours: 8-12 a. m. 1 to 5 p. m.

ZEBULON LODGE NO. 273 F. & A. M. Meets 1st and 3rd Saturdays in each month. Members of sister lodges are fraternally invited to attend. Permanent quarters in our new Temple on Court street. Notice to Candidates: E. A. and F. C. Degrees 1st Saturdays. M. M. Degree 3rd Saturdays. T. J. MAY, W. M. H. R. BURKE, Secy.

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THE CRY OF THE LOCUSTS

(THE TIMES during the last two weeks has received several contributions discussing the "seventeen-Year locust," and we have chosen the following as the most meritorious of the group. The author states, in a footnote, that his contribution is offered only as a legend of his own creation.—Editor.)

When Pharaoh persecuted the children of Israel even as they are being persecuted today by Hitler, the Lord God visited upon Egypt, Pharaoh's land, plagues in succession. Famine visited the land. Death visited each door unannounced by the millions and thrived on every vestige of vegetation.

The Bible tells the story. The full story of the plague of locusts is not told, however. King of all he surveyed, master of the bit of creation beyond which he could not see and not little of the Pharaoh cursed and reviled the locusts and the power that had sent them upon his land. His slaves he sent out armed with clubs to beat them from every branch. "Kill them, everyone of them!" he ordered.

Yet the locusts thrived. They remained as a plague to vex and plague Egypt's king and his minions. And they remained till the children of Israel fled the land. All this time while Egypt was being preyed upon by the pests, the locusts remained silent—eating things in a land that now is a land of antiquity, belonging to the embowed dead almost as much as it does to the living.

As the Israelites fled Pharaoh's wrath, the locusts ceased their ceaseless gnawing, turned to watch in deadly silence from their perches of deadened leaves and branches. And not till the children of Israel had crossed the Red Sea was their silence broken. Then, as Pharaoh and his host were engulfed in the pent-up waters, the persecutors sent by the Lord God broke into their haunting chant—"Pharaoh, Pharaoh"—a chant that has been repeated down the centuries by the locusts to remind man of the folly of granular dreams.

Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Dermont, accompanied by her sister, Mrs. J. McCluskey, of Beckley, W. Va., returned to Bardonia after Bobby Gene last Tuesday. On their trip they visited Mammoth Cave, returning home Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gazel Kish Beckley, W. Va., have been visiting their daughter, Mrs. S. D. Dermont, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Dermont have as their guests Mr. Dermont's parents, of St. Paul, Va.

Jim Elliott, of Lander, W. Va., is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Elliott.

M. B. Elliott, of Hazard, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John W. Elliott.

Mrs. E. L. Jackson, nee, Cora Elliott, of Lander, Wyo., is visiting her father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Elliott.

Misses Ruth and Jean Osborne have returned from a visit with their grandmother in West Virginia.

John W. Elliott has returned from the hospital and is improving daily.

Miss Frances Bralley and Dan Wells, daughter and son, respectively, Mrs. Edmond D. Wells and Dr. Wells, who were married here last week, will arrive home from school next week.

Miss Bralley, a student at Margaret Hall, Versailles, Ky., has been visiting friends in Texas. Mr. Wells is a student at Washington & Lee University, Lexington, Va.

The following members and guests of the Junior Epworth League enjoyed a wolver roast Wednesday evening under the chaperonage of Mrs. Demna Taylor, Marguerite Johns and Daley Stamper.

Junior Goff, Leon Hall, Jack Thompson, Jack Wyatt, Pauline Davis, Thelma Crisp, Audra Branham, Wiley Elmer, Rivers Coleman, Glenn Faye Dingus, Bernard Hall, Jo Ann Johns, Vivian Ratliff, Carl Babb, Donald Adams, Clifford Dale Ratliff, E. K. Frazier, Helton Hall, Betty Sue Davis, Thea Collins, Johnnie Maddox, Billy Smith, Vernon Smith, Leon Collins, Pat Adams, Kenneth Seibler, Betty Mayo, Francis, Mary Ann Wilson, Oakie Wilson, Donald Hutchinson, Wilda Arrington, Willie Hall, Robert Tackett, Harry D. Justice, Virginia Collins, Johnnie B. Stephens, Joy Francis, Russell Srazier, Raymond Goble, Vernon Williams.

Miss Lucille Roberts, a student at Berea College, is spending the summer with her mother, Mrs. Ticker Roberts.

David Marrs, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. David Marrs, has returned from his studies at U. of K.

Miss Mary Ellen Evans, who graduated from the University of Kentucky this spring, is spending the summer with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Evans.

Messrs. Robert and Richard Evans, sons of Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Evans, have returned from their studies at U. of K.

Harry Hampton Mayo, student at Morehead State Teachers' College, is spending his vacation with his parents, Dr. and Mrs. Mayo.

Bill Reynolds, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Reynolds, is home from the U. of K. for the summer vacation.

MAYTOWN

PERSONALS Lamar Combs, of the University of Kentucky, his brothers, Gene and Spence, of Berea College, Miss Shirley Goldsberry of Eastern State Teachers' College, Richmond, and Miss Ruby Allen, of Berea, have arrived home for their vacations.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Ratliff and children have returned to Wheelwright following a visit with relatives here. Mr. and Mrs. Ratliff leave this weekend for the University of Kentucky, where they will attend summer school.

Miss Opal May visited Miss Reba Carter in the Beaver Valley hospital, Thursday.

Mrs. W. B. Jarrell underwent a major operation in St. Mary's hospital, Huntington, W. Va., Thursday. With her were her husband, her son, Paul Jarrell, and Mrs. Jarrell. Mr. and Mrs. Paul Jarrell returned home Friday.

Ben Baker has returned home from a two-weeks' absence.

Mrs. G. A. May, Jr., is in the Marting hospital, Ironton, for treatment.

Little Miss Frankie Ratliff, of Zionville, Ind., is visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. May.

Messrs. Mac May, Ted Stapleton, and young Bill Stapleton, Dr. J. H. Allen and C. E. Ogden attended the Cincinnati-Brooklyn game in Cincinnati Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Gibson moved to West Virginia last week.

Miss Opal May leaves soon for Lexington to attend the University of Kentucky, from which she will obtain work toward her Master's degree.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Ryan were guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Ryan in Martin Sunday when Mr. Ryan celebrated his birthday with a family reunion.

Pritchard Caskey, of West Liberty, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Frank May and family.

Mesdames Ella Bailey, of Martin, Emma Mayo, of Norton, Va., and little Miss Betty Mayo, of Betty Layne, were guests of Mrs. E. R. May recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Batts of Mt. Sterling, spent Sunday with Mrs. Opal May.

Little Miss Libby Ree May underwent a blood transfusion in the Martin General hospital over the weekend.

Misses Lois Amburgey and Rachel May have been accepted by the St. Elizabeth's hospital, Covington, Ky., for nurse's training and will enter there in the late summer. Miss May was recently granted a scholarship by the Kentucky Federated Women's Clubs. Both are members of the 1940 graduating class here. Miss Amburgey having been valedictorian.

Miss Elizabeth Watkins, of Liberty, is visiting in the home of Mrs. B. W. Baker and son, Ben Baker, Jr., of C. L. Allen.

Mrs. J. H. Allen, Miss Harriet Allen and Ben Baker, motored to Berea, W. Va., Monday to visit Dr. C. L. Allen.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Flannery and Robert Brown, of Montezuma, Ind., are leaving Wednesday for their home and will be accompanied by Misses Gradyce Flannery and Harriet Allen, of Maytown.

The following enjoyed a picnic on Pine Mountain Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Flannery, Misses Gradyce Flannery, Elizabeth Watkins, Harriet and Peggy Jo Allen, Mesdames J. H. Allen, G. E. Allen, and B. W. Baker, Messrs. Robert Brown and Ben Baker, Jr., also little Peggy Sue Allen.

CHILDREN'S DAY PLAYLET, SUCCESSFUL The two-act play presented by the Junior League under the direction of Mrs. W. A. Hayes in charge of the music, was well received by a large audience. The play, which was beautifully decorated and the 15 children who took part were highly commended by both the pastor and the audience. Appropriate costumes enhanced the value of the program, which consumed the entire Sunday School hour, after which the Reverend Newsome preached.

SOCIAL FOR PLAY CAST Members of the Children's Day play cast were delightfully entertained on Monday afternoon in the home of Mrs. W. A. Stewart, whose leadership of the little folk has long been outstanding in the Maytown Church. The children enjoyed an hour of games and when served dainty refreshments by Misses Berly and Joyce Stewart.

CLUB TO MEET Maytown Women's Club will meet Friday at 3:30 with Mrs. V. A. Hayes. A garden program has been arranged.

MR. STEWART, LEAGUE SPEAKER Ogden Stewart, who will be a Be-

re senior, majoring in agriculture, addresses the Senior League Sunday evening on the subject, "Choosing One's Vocation." Miss Lois Amburgey was another interesting speaker on the program, of which Miss Mosciola Ferrell was director.

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NOTICE Mrs. Numa Hickman is applying for license to sell whisky at retail by the package at her location in the B. D. Martin building, Drift, Ky., and publishes this notice in accordance with state law. 6-13 pt pd

RETURN FROM CINCINNATI Mr. and Mrs. R. V. May returned Monday to their home here after spending a few days in Cincinnati.

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Harold Trounces Boldman, 21-9

Harold, Ky. (Sp.)—With every starting player getting at least one hit, Harold swamped Boldman, 21-9, at Harold Sunday afternoon. Both teams are members of the Beaver Valley Baseball League. Harold used three pitchers, Tipton McKinney and Kidd, each of whom worked three rounds. Evans and Jones each hit a home run and two singles to lead the winners at the plate. Williams and Ratliff each also collected three-for-five. Sunday afternoon Harold will meet Melvin.

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THE TIMES ENDORSES

- 1. Immediate completion of the Left Beaver Middle Creek and Johns Creek road. 2. Consideration by 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. Grade-to-home 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.

THE 'CARNIVALS'

This newspaper last week gave a hearty welcome to the news-story appearing in its columns, telling of the Martin-Beaver Co-Operative Business Association's protest to the 'invasion' of Martin and all Beaver Creek by what we call 'carnivals.'

THE TIMES was compelled to publish this protest of the Martin-Beaver group as an editorial. But it refrained from doing so, simply because a 'carnival' was already here, here under the sponsorship of the Prestonsburg Kiwanis Club which thus was making an effort to raise funds for the construction of a cabin for the Prestonsburg Boy Scouts.

This newspaper had, for the moment, nothing to offer the Kiwanis Club but a word of encouragement, these funds. And it respected, and still respects, that civic organization. Wherefore, there existed an editorial silence.

Now that the Roman holiday of a 'carnival' has passed, now that the Boy Scouts have derived every cent they will get from the proceeds of that 'carnival,' funds certainly to be spent in a good and worthy cause, THE TIMES can speak its mind without injuring anybody but these 'carnivals' that, fly-by-night, rove the hinterlands and exact every red cent the said hinterlanders can supply them.

Now we would say that this community take stock of itself and try to ascertain how much it profited 'in the long run' or how much it lost from this self-styled amusement center. And take stock, also, you citizens, on how much was offered the community in return for what was taken.

First of all, there is the economic loss this com-

munity has sustained. Some of the restaurants may have profited, but only a few. These restaurants may have helped one or two grocery stores. But business in general suffered and will suffer for several weeks as the result of the money the 'carnival' took out of town.

Next, these 'carnivals' furnish the 'cheapest' form of entertainment. And by 'cheapest' we do not mean the form of entertainment lowest in price. It is the lowest in the order of entertainment. Strip-tease acts. 'Gyp' games. Hangmen on who, for the most part, are detritus. Inhabitants of whatever community they happen to inhabit. No age-limit placed for boys as the tent-flaps open to 'young and 'old alike' to display nudity in the female form. Gambling games that defame even the would-be gamblers who are 'hooked' into the snare. There is no gamble to it—it is all a cut-and-dried proposition which dooms the sucker to a 'cleaning' even as he enters the game.

This newspaper trusts the Boy Scouts gained enough money through the 'carnival' here to make their cabin possible if the possible, but THE TIMES sincerely hopes that some money-raising device other than another 'carnival' may be called to their aid.

FAITH, HOPE AND CHARITY

Another list of contracts for Kentucky highway work was released this week.

And Left Beaver Creek's road in which this newspaper for many long months has been interested was not on the list.

Yet we are not without hope. We still hope that Left Beaver's highway which means so much to Floyd county and all Eastern Kentucky will be 'let' to contract. We still believe Highway Commissioner Justice was sincere when he recently re-iterated the promise of work on this important route, this year.

But—hope and faith will be lost, unless something definite is forthcoming.

All, then, that will be left to us and the section we attempt to represent will be CHARITY.

WE ARE HOPEFULLY GRATEFUL

Aside from all our economic interests, THE TIMES will be deeply gratified when, and if, the Middle Creek section of this county benefits from the development currently predicted.

For, if that section does become Floyd county's newest coal field, and if the highway from Salversville across the mountain and down Middle Creek is completed, this will be but recompense for all the years this valley, rich in minerals and natural resources, has suffered for lack of a highway and other development.

To consider the Middle Creek field from the business viewpoint only, THE TIMES would predict that it will, if these developments are not born of 'full cloth,' become Floyd county's center of industrial activity.

Now, if Johns Creek, the abode of those other 'forgotten men' of Floyd county, receives the attention due, it, we all will be doubly indebted to this age of progress when no place under the sun is barren and worthless.

Minister Address Christians of Prestonsburg

'Guard France!' in the service of God and man, let your spirit lead to Christian victory,' says Ambassador William Bullitt in his latest speech.

The world is suffering today in a great crisis of right and wrong, with the Christian church at stake. I am taking this opportunity to speak to you as Christians of Prestonsburg, as it is impossible for a message from God to reach the majority of people from the pulpit.

Friends your vote is against the church, and the rule of the living God on earth today, for by your indifference in attendance you voice your attitude toward Jesus Christ. The church is slipping, and when a church member on Sunday evening passes a church to go to a motion picture show,

not only has the church lost its power, but the religion of the member is open to criticism.

As many homes are being broken from drunkenness, adultery and gambling, along with greed, jealousy and covetousness, we need to return to Jehovah our God, or a greater deity, will befall this city than fell upon Sodom and Gomorrah in the days of old.

I have learned to love the people of this city as a minister and a friend; but I realize that God is living, and man must pay for sin. I would be unfair to my convictions, or to my God, to my duty, and to you, my fellowmen, if I failed to warn you of the eternal hell awaiting you if you continue to live in sin. This is the only way I have of reaching many of you for my God; and I am praying for myself first—and, then, for each family in this entire city. Please turn to God.

while you have opportunity, for some day, it will be too late.

—Your friend, CAMPBELL WEPPERS.

Seventeen-Year Locusts

BY ROGER BARBOR

Morehead State Teachers' College Morehead, Ky.

In the beginning let me state that the seventeen-year locust is not a true locust at all, but is a cicada. The true locusts are those little brown insects we commonly call grasshoppers. The seventeen-year locust is very unlike the true locusts and is very closely related to the jar-fly. In the north the seventeen-year locust remains underground during that period, while in the southern section it remains in the underground for thirteen years. A line drawn from Cape Charles, Va., to Southern Kansas would practically separate the two types. In some localities confusion arises from the fact that the insects occur in shorter intervals than seventeen years. This is accounted for by the fact that there are several distinct broods, some of which overlap, thus making it appear that the insects appear at shorter intervals than seventeen or thirteen years. There is no evidence to prove that the length of life of the locust is less than seventeen years.

The eggs of the insect are laid with the aid of a process called an ovipositor within small twigs and branches. Many twigs are thus damaged, this being practically the only damage done by the insect. The young ant-like larvae hatch from the eggs within a few weeks, and the insects appear at intervals of seventeen or thirteen years. The larvae are very slowly for 17 years. The larvae are very slowly for 17 years. The larvae are very slowly for 17 years.

There is a superstition existing that says the well-known 'X' on each wing of the locust is an omen signifying war. Those marks have been there as long as there have been seventeen-year locusts. It means nothing. Incidentally, only the male insect sings.

RETURNS FROM CINCINNATI

Miss Helen W. Beard, of the Beth Jans Music Center, has returned from a week's visit to the commencement activities at the Cincinnati Conservatory of Music, where she participated in a recital and luncheon given by her sorority, Mu Phi Epsilon.

IT'S THE LAW

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are located or in adjoining counties or cities.

Prohibit 'lapping' of telegraph and telephone lines.

Provide for Kentucky participation in Ohio's water valley water sanitation commission activities.

Permit the re-assessment of accounts receivable for the years of the original assessment date.

Prohibit bird dogs from running at large during the quail breeding season from May 1 to August 15.

Permit workers covered by the Workmen's Compensation Act to be paid \$7,500 for total disability instead of \$5,000 for partial disability.

Require motor buses to be equipped with a rear red light bearing the word 'STOP.'

Require the state unemployment compensation law to conform with new federal regulations.

Permit second through sixth class cities to provide public liability insurance for policemen and firemen.

MRS. BRALLEY IS WED TO DR. WELLS

Announcement is made of the marriage on Tuesday, June 4, at Martin, Ky., of Mrs. Irene C. Bralley and Dr. Edmund D. Wells. The nuptial vows were read by the Rev. C. C. Newsome of the Methodist Church, at 10 a. m. in the home of the bride, and in the presence of a few intimate friends.

The bride is well-known in Eastern Kentucky social circles, for her hospitable hostess at the annual luncheon of her personality. Dr. Wells is a native of Mt. Sterling, Ky. is a ear, eye, nose and throat specialist on the staff of the Beaver Valley hospital at Martin, and has been a U. S. government expert in this field. Before coming to this county a few months ago, he was connected with the staff of the Florida State hospital.

Dr. and Mrs. Wells are receiving their honeymoon at the home of their home in Martin.

ATTENDS COMMENCEMENT

Atty. Fred Francis attended the commencement exercises at Washington State University, Lexington, Va., last week.

HERE FROM PIKEVILLE

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Allen and Mrs. Kate H. Hart, Sunday in Morehead, visiting Mr. and Mrs. P. D. Wellman and family. They were accompanied by the wife of Mr. Wellman, and sons, Jimmy and Robert, who will visit here for the next few days.

HONOR GUEST AT BRIDGE

Entertaining here recently at the home of Mrs. O. T. Stephens were Mrs. A. J. Davidson and Mrs. Stephens, honoring Mrs. Dick Gessling, Huntington, W. Va., and Mrs. Cora McHone, Wheelwright, Ky.

STRATTON-BREWER WEDDING SOLEMNIZED

Of interest to their many friends in this section is the marriage of Miss Reba Stratton, attractive daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Stratton, Betsy Layne, and Mr. Charles Edward Brewer, son of Mr. and Mrs. Allen Brewer, Pikeville, which was solemnized Tuesday night, June 4, at the home of the Rev. C. F. Thomas, Pikeville, pastor of the Methodist Church there.

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PERSONALS

RETURN TO BALTIMORE

Mrs. Herbert Seitz and daughter, Janet, returned to their home in Baltimore, Md., Monday after a month's visit with her mother, Mrs. Maude Leslie, Emma.

IN NEW YORK CITY

H. C. Francis and family are visiting the New York World's Fair and last week were guests at the Hotel President, New York City.

IS VISITOR HERE

Mrs. Grace Akers, of Dana, and daughter, Mrs. Arlin Taylor, Woods, were guests here Tuesday of Mr. and Mrs. R. Taylor.

VISITS PARENTS

Mrs. W. H. Behrmacher of Grand Island, Neb., spent a part of this week here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Allen.

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HERE MONDAY

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Allen, of Frankfort, Miss Edith Allen, of Denver, and Mrs. Allen were in Prestonsburg Monday, Mr. and Mrs. Allen being on their way to visit with friends at Morehead.

RETURNS TO OKLAHOMA

Mrs. Mary C. Harby, who has been here for the past month visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. M. Spurlock, returned Monday to her home at Seminole, Okla.

IN HUNTINGTON

Mrs. W. P. Funnels and son, Roberts, Miss Edith Hart, and Robert Wellman were business visitors in Huntington Monday.

VISIT IN ASHLAND

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Davidson and Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Edwards were in Ashland last week-end, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. John E. Layne.

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ATTENDS COMMENCEMENT

Atty. Fred Francis attended the commencement exercises at Washington State University, Lexington, Va., last week.

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HONOR GUEST AT BRIDGE

Entertaining here recently at the home of Mrs. O. T. Stephens were Mrs. A. J. Davidson and Mrs. Stephens, honoring Mrs. Dick Gessling, Huntington, W. Va., and Mrs. Cora McHone, Wheelwright, Ky.

STRATTON-BREWER WEDDING SOLEMNIZED

Of interest to their many friends in this section is the marriage of Miss Reba Stratton, attractive daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Stratton, Betsy Layne, and Mr. Charles Edward Brewer, son of Mr. and Mrs. Allen Brewer, Pikeville, which was solemnized Tuesday night, June 4, at the home of the Rev. C. F. Thomas, Pikeville, pastor of the Methodist Church there.

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Age Salutes Age

Father Time is kinder in the Miller Brewery... Every drop of High Life is properly aged...



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PAINTSVILLE, KY.

Hemorrhage Is Fatal To Mrs. Elva Tackett, Of Beaver

Mrs. Elva Tackett, 28, wife of Berry Tackett, Beaver, died at the Beaver Valley hospital, Monday...

Cow Creek Child, 11, Succumbs Sunday To Appendicitis

Clayton Jarvis, 11-year-old son of James and Mrs. Frances Rupp Jarvis, Cow Creek, succumbed at the Beaver Valley hospital, Sunday...

ENTERTAINS MISSIONARY SOCIETY

Mrs. Byrd C. May was hostess Tuesday, June 4, to the Missionary Society of the Methodist Church...

Advertisement for SWP (Sawyer's White Paint) with price \$2.75 per gallon.

WAYLAND COPS DOUBLEHEADER

AND FORCES VAN LEAR FROM TOP RUNG OF LEAGUE LADDER

Collecting 37 hits in both games Wayland captured a doubleheader from Van Lear, 7-3 and 12-1, at Wayland Sunday afternoon...

Wayland used V. Patton and Rollins in the pitcher's box during the second game, with Rollins giving credit for the win...

Scoreboard for Wayland vs Van Lear, Game 1 and Game 2.

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Table of batting averages for Prestonburg players.

Wanna Job?

The Quartermaster Corps, War Department, announces that open competitive examinations will be given...

O.E.S. Chapters Meet At Masonic Hall Thursday

Adah Chapter 28 and the Van Lear Chapter, Order of the Eastern Star, grouped together for official inspection...

Sovely girls were then presented by Mrs. Geneva James and Miss Virginia McCombe to the grand officers...

15 Prestonsburg Boys Will Attend Camp Near Pineville

Fifteen Prestonsburg boys, members of the Royal Ambassadors, Baptist youth organization, will attend the Kentucky Baptist Camp at Clear Mountain Springs...

Charles and Ben Ferguson, Harry Stephens Howard, Hubbard Francis, Jr., Tommy Blackburn, Bill Hall, Ward, Paul Buchanan, Prentiss Ball...

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Big Sandy Baseball League

Standings table for Big Sandy Baseball League.

SUNDAY'S RESULTS

Table of Sunday's baseball results.

NEXT SUNDAY'S SCHEDULE

Table of next Sunday's baseball schedule.

Heart Attack Claims B. F. Keathley, Pikeville

Funeral services for B. F. Keathley, 53, Pikeville, who succumbed last Wednesday afternoon to a heart attack while he was at work, were conducted Saturday afternoon from the Regular Baptist Church at Pikeville...

A native of this county, Mr. Keathley had been employed as a shipping clerk by the Kentucky Wholesale Company at Pikeville for the past 18 years.

Surviving are his widow, Mrs. Adda Adkins Keathley, Pikeville; three brothers, John Keathley, Branham's Creek; Kelly Keathley, Toier's Creek; and Jack Keathley, Fed's Creek; two sisters, Mrs. Lucile Sturgill, Auster, and Mrs. Rosa Estep, Fed's Creek.

Burial was made in the Shelby cemetery.

Advertisement for CHEVROLET DEALERS with text: 'We're PLOWING USED CAR PRICES! EVERY CAR AN EXCEPTIONAL BARGAIN LOW DOWN PAYMENTS - EASY TERMS NEARLY ALL POPULAR MAKES AND MODELS SAME LOW PRICES EXTENDED TO WHOLESALEERS Offer the Most Amazing Used Car Bargains in their History!'

Table of car prices from Valley Chevrolet Sales, including models like 1933 Chevrolet Special Sedan, 1937 Ford 1 1/2-ton Stake Truck, etc.

Valley Chevrolet Sales PRESTONSBURG, KY.

SHERIFF'S SALE FLOYD CIRCUIT COURT

Anna Risner, et al. Vs. NOYKE SALE Ky. and W. Va. Gas Co., Defendants

In order to satisfy execution No. 8019 for court cost in the above case, I or one of my deputies will, on Monday, June 24, 1940, at or about 1 p. m., at the front door of the courthouse in Prestonsburg, Ky., expose to public sale, the following described tracts of land, or so much thereof as to make said execution, amounting to \$138.40, commission and cost of sale, viz:

Property of Anna Risner: One acre of bottom land on Turkey Creek, lying south of the Risner home and adjoining W. R. Crisp on the south, by Turkey Creek on the west.

Property of Maude Hagans: All bottom land lying east of the county road adjoining J. M. Turner on the south, and on the east by Turkey Creek, on the north by Bolda Turner Cottrell.

Property of W. H. Webb: Two acres of bottom land lying on the west of Turkey Creek, bounded on the north by Charles Webb on the south by Bolda Turner Cottrell; on the west by county road on the east by the meanders of Turkey Creek.

Property of Emma Turner: One acre of land on Turkey Creek, bounded on the north by Maude Hagans, on the east by Anna Risner, on the west by main Turkey Creek, on the west by county road, being bottom land levied upon as the property of Anna Risner, Maude Hagans, W. H. Risner and Emma Turner, this the 4th day of June, 1940.

DIAL SALISBURY, S. F. C. By LACKEY SALISBURY, D. S. Cost of advertising \$14.25.

ALLEN TAKES DOUBLEHEADER

FROM PIKEVILLE, 8-3 AND 11-0, TO RISE IN STANDINGS

By capturing both ends of a doubleheader from Pikeville in the Allen park Sunday afternoon, the Allen team of the Big Sandy League moved from seventh place to tie with Clear Creek for fifth, while Pikeville was dropped to seventh.

Although out in the opener, 13-12, Allen made the most of their safeties and won the game, 8-3. Sherman was on the mound for the winners, and he scattered Pikeville's hits effectively. Prater, with a triple and two singles, and Buck Stumbo, with a home run and a single, led the winners' power attack. Hall made three singles for Allen.

Setting down nine on strikes and inducing three to six hits, Buck Stumbo, pitching for Allen in the second game, experienced little trouble in white-washing the Big Sandy boys, 11-0. He also shone at the plate, collecting four safeties in five trips to the plate. George Stumbo came through with a double and two singles, while Mosley hit a four-bagger and a single, and Ted Stumbo made a double and a single for the winners. Sunday afternoon Allen will play Pikeville a return engagement on the Pikeville diamond.

Box score: First Game. Table with columns for team, player, and statistics (AB, R, H, E).

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VISIT RELATIVES: Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Allen, Frankfort, spent the week-end here and elsewhere in the county, visiting relatives.

BONDED Kentucky Whiskey. A PROVEN PRODUCT OF RENOWNED QUALITY. REMEMBER, NO BETTER WHISKEY CAN BE MADE.

CLEAN UP OR Close Up!

THE great majority of beer retailers in Kentucky are respectable and law-abiding citizens. But there are a few whose places and business conduct are not only a nuisance to their own communities and to the entire state, but a discredit to the beer industry as well.

KENTUCKY BREWERS and BEER DISTRIBUTORS COMMITTEE

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE. BREWERS: FRANK PEER, H. T. BALCOM, JR., C. W. BORNWASSER, KAREL H. LANG, WALTER CANTREY, R. T. RINNEY. DISTRIBUTORS: HARRY NEWELS, FRANK BRIDGEMAN, J. B. BRYAN, J. B. BATHAKER, T. M. BEARD, MARVIN NUNLEY, DAN CROWE.



FRANK E. DAUGHERTY, Former Attorney General of Kentucky, Jurist and legislator, approved the passage of the 18th Amendment and has power to enforce its provisions.

Already the Attorney General of Kentucky has ruled that it is legally permissible, under the laws of Kentucky, for Committee members to shut off the supply of beer from law-violating retail outlets. The Committee hopes it will not be forced to invoke this drastic measure, but stands ready to do so if necessary.

Such a program merits the support of every clear-thinking, civic-minded Kentuckian. YOU can cooperate by patronizing only those retail beer outlets which are conducted in accord with the public sentiment in your community, and by reporting to the Committee any conditions which seem to warrant correction.

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Execution No. 8301, Utilities Elkhorn Coal Co. vs. Anna Smith and A. B. Flannery, \$141.33. Execution No. 8300, Utilities Elkhorn Coal Co. vs. Anna Smith and J. L. Crisp, 25.00.

Land to be sold to satisfy execution No. 8301 and 8300: All the right, title and interest, both legal and equitable, of Anna Smith and J. L. Crisp, in a certain tract of land lying and being in Floyd county, Kentucky, on Buck's Branch, tributary of main Beaver Creek, and bounded on the east by Ed Crisp; on the west by Ticker Roberts; on the north by Clara Smith; on the south by Ticker Roberts, containing 60 acres more or less.

Execution No. 8299, Utilities Elkhorn Coal Company vs. A. B. Flannery and Mary Flannery, \$35.15. Land to be sold: All the right, title and interest of A. B. Flannery and Mary Flannery, both legal and equitable, in and to that certain tract of land on Buck's Branch, tributary of main Beaver Creek, bounded on the north by the dividing ridge between Buck's Branch and Bull Creek, on the east by Willard Stephens; on the west by J. M. Crisp and Parley Flannery, on the south by Grace Raliff. Also A. B. Flannery's interest will be subject to sale to satisfy execution No. 8301, listed above.

Execution No. 8298, Utilities Elkhorn Coal Company vs. Ed Crisp, \$20.92. Land to be sold to satisfy execution No. 8298: All the right, title and interest of Ed Crisp, both legal and equitable, in that certain described tract of land on Buck's Branch, tributary of main Beaver Creek, and bounded on the north by ridge between Buck's Branch and Bull Creek, on the west by Anna Smith; south by Ticker Roberts, and east by Parley Flannery.

The above described tracts of land will be offered for sale separately to satisfy the executions as listed herein, and the cost of sale. This the 28th day of May, 1940. DIAL SALISBURY, S. F. C. By LACKEY SALISBURY, D. S. Cost of advertising \$17.50.

RETURN TO ASHLAND: Mrs. Fred Derossit and children, Nellie Jo and Gerald Wells, have returned to their home in Ashland after a two-weeks visit with relatives at East Point and Prestonsburg. They were accompanied home by Miss Ruth Ann Derossit.

SHIKE'S POKES

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

Aside to H.R.—What young lady chided her party affiliation after she had arrived in the clerk's office to register?

I feel that we should give the Allies every aid possible. The more Hitler is weakened, the better he'll be for us. And the longer they hold out, the more time for us to prepare.

The Draft baseball club in the past several years has had several great centerfielders, but its present centerfielder, Lacy Blackburn, is as good as dead.

Lindbergh's mother-in-law seems to think she's "all wet" in his war analysis, and I believe Mrs. Morrow is right. Lindbergh left the U.S. one time because he said it wasn't a safe place to live. I'm just wondering why he doesn't take his Hitler medal and depart to Germany.

Martin hit's new coach — H. H. (Ducky) Vincent. Here's hoping you come through, Ducky.

If anyone finds a stray mule, please report to Sam Hughes, Martin, Ky. He's been having a long walk since his mule visited a Martin dance hall and has been unreported since.

double cross the Kaiser in the last war? The truth in a nutshell is, the Italians only march when they smell carrion.

I don't care what your politics are or where you live—you sigh with relief to know that Franklin Delano Roosevelt is our leader in these critical times.

Since Italy has joined with the heathen forces in the war on democracy, I'd advise a few Mussolini's mouthpieces up in this section to keep their places closed.

Attention, all miners! If the tag, "Made in Italy," is attached, DON'T buy it. Let's not buy anything that is Italian-made.

If "they" do "black top" the Left-Beaver field, the business people in PIKEVILLE WILL SURE BE SORE AT ZACH. It will put Wheelwright and Wecksbury back in Floyd county.

Looks like I'll have to keep my garden—peas and all. I've been unable to lease it to the "better half."

Clive Akers has again joined the Middle Bottle-Warmers Club. Yes—born to Mr. and Mrs. Akers, a son, June 11.

According to Tom, Chas. Buck started to Cincinnati to see the ball game a while back. When Tom found him (says Tom), he was sitting on a bank in Johnson county calling for them to put in Bucky Walters—that Whitley Moore couldn't pitch.

Bret Buck—the new member of the "Middle Bottle-Warmers Club."

Wonder if its "FEA club project, that's keeping Roy Denny up Left Beaver? We doubt it. In the spring a young mair's fancy turns to, etc.

T. J. H. had to go a long way to get strawberry shortcake.

Ivan, Ward, Belford, Jack and Fred were "on the radio" from Indianapolis, May 30. The announcer said there were 100,000 persons at the race. These fellows were five of them.

With all this rain the weeds are coming as fast as Hitler's mechanized army. But with a few dry days they'll be stopped—Hitler's army will stop, too.

We should give the Allies every assistance short of war—so they can hold Hitler until we are prepared.

The May 3 issue of the Herald-Dispatch named the contracts to be let this summer—Left Beaver wasn't on the list. Mr. Editor, we are just being taken for another ride.

We have it via the grapevine that there was an increase in Ward Reed's family—triplets. Details next week.

RETURN HOME: Mrs. N. A. Lee, of Dunham, W. Va.

ELECTRIC WIRING. AND ALL MATERIAL NECESSARY FOR COMPLETE HOME ELECTRIFICATION. MORELL SUPPLY COMPANY. PRESTONSBURG, KY.

DOLLAR DAYS MONDAY, TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY. JUNE 10, 11, 12. soft baby curls \$1.25 Scalp Treatment... \$1 \$2 Permanent Wave... \$1 SPECIALS ON ALL OTHER PERMANENT WAVES. VOGUE BEAUTY SHOP. (Over Francis Cash Store) CALL 235 FOR APPOINTMENT. Operators: Mae Hatcher, Jeannette McGuire.

P'BURG SPLITS TWO GAMES

WITH CLEAR CREEK, 7-3, AND 4-6, SUNDAY

After dropping Clear Creek, 7-3, in 10 innings in the opening game Sunday afternoon, Prestonsburg was nipped 6-4, in the seven-inning first cap to split their first doubleheader of the current Big Sandy League campaign.

In the lid opener Clear Creek took a one-run lead in the third, and Prestonsburg knotted the count in the sixth. The local team scored two more in the sixth and went out in front, 3-1. Clear Creek pushed another run across in the eighth, and knotted the count by scoring one in the last of the ninth. A four-run uprising in the first of the tenth, clinched the victory for Prestonsburg.

Thompson, pitching for Prestonsburg, allowed the losers nine hits, while his mates were helped by Henry Stumbo on the mound for Clear Creek, for 15. Thompson struck out nine and Stumbo whiffed eight.

Adrian Collins, with a double and a pair of singles, and Roark, who collected three singles, led the winners at the plate. For Clear Creek E. Johnson made a double and two singles.

The second game, which by agreement went only seven innings, saw Prestonsburg go into a two-run lead in the opening round. Clear Creek tied it up in the third, before Prestonsburg counted two more in the fourth. The winners added another in the fifth, then three more in the sixth, giving them a 6-4 lead. Prestonsburg was unable to score in their half of the seventh.

Woods, in left field for Prestonsburg, led his mates at bat, with three singles to his credit. George Newman, pitching for Clear Creek, struck out eight of the Prestonsburg hitters. Castle started for Prestonsburg and was relieved by Buchanan in the sixth.

Sunday afternoon Prestonsburg will be host to the same team in a single game.

Box score: First Game. Prestonsburg vs Clear Creek. AB R H PO A E. Maynard, 2b 5 1 1 5 5 2. Roark, cf 5 0 3 0 0 0. A. Collins, 3b 4 0 3 0 1 0. E. Collins, d 4 0 2 10 0 0. Bingham, lf 2 1 0 0 0 0. Woods, x 1 0 1 0 0 0. Salisbury, rf 0 1 0 0 0 0. Branham, rf 3 2 2 1 0 0. Heinze, ss 4 1 1 3 3 0. Laferty, lb 5 0 1 13 0 0. Thompson, p 5 1 1 0 5 2. Totals 40 7 15 30 14 2. X Batted for Bingham in tenth.

Second Game. Prestonsburg vs Clear Creek. AB R H PO A E. E. Johnson, ss 4 2 3 4 1 0. Belcher, 2b 3 1 1 2 0 0. Akers, lf 4 0 1 1 0 0. H. Stumbo, p 4 0 0 1 2 0. Newman, lb 4 0 2 8 0 0. Moseley, cf 4 0 1 1 0 0. Hall, lb 0 0 0 3 0 0. Gearheart, cf 3 0 0 0 0 0. Raye, cf 1 0 0 0 1 0. Childers, 2b 4 0 1 2 3 0. Spears, xxx 0 0 0 0 0 0. Lambert, rf 2 0 0 1 1 0. O. Johnson, rf 3 0 1 0 0 0. Osborn, c 5 0 0 9 2 1. Totals 38 3 9 30 12 5. X Batted for Newman in ninth. X X X Batted for Childers in tenth. Summary: Runs batted in—A. Collins, 2; Bingham, 1; Heinze, 1; Laferty, 1; Maynard, 1; Roark, 1; Thompson, 1; Woods, 1.

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Box score: Second Game. Prestonsburg vs Clear Creek. AB R H PO A E. Roark, cf 4 1 2 1 0 1. Maynard, 2b 4 0 1 1 1 0. Woods, lf 4 1 3 1 0 1. R. Collins, c 2 0 0 3 0 0. A. Collins, 3b 1 0 0 1 0 0. Spradlin, rf-c 4 0 1 4 0 0. Salisbury, 3b-rf 2 0 0 1 2 1. Thompson x 1 0 0 0 0 0. Heinze, 2b 3 0 0 13 2. Damon, lb 2 1 3 0 0. E. Branham, lb 1 0 0 1 0 1. Castle, p 3 0 0 3 0 0. Buchanan, p 0 0 0 0 1 0. Totals 31 4 8 18 8 6. X Batted for Salisbury in seventh.

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BEVINSVILLE

Mrs. H. B. Hall and son Delance went Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Marion Hall.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Hager and family, Mr. and Mrs. Graden Hall and family and Daniel Hall attended the show at Clear Creek Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hopkins and daughter, Carolyn Sue, were the Sunday afternoon guests of Mr. and Mrs. Todd Younce, of Bypro.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Rice and Mrs. B. Byrum Rice attended the ball game at Clear Creek Sunday afternoon, and later attended the show.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hall and family spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Eppie Holbrook, of PUNCH CO.

Mrs. Curmutte and daughter, Betty Jo, of Ohio, are houseguests of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Curmutte.

Oscar Hager, Graden Hall and K. Thornburg and Eugene Hall attended the ball game at Clear Creek Sunday afternoon.

Shirleen, daughter of Morgan Gearheart, and a daughter of Jack Gearheart, a brother of Morgan, died here recently of pneumonia. The children were, each about two years old. They were buried on Frazier's Creek.

Ezra, Troy, Annie and Oscar Osborn spent Saturday in Ligon.

Zelphia Reynolds spent a few days recently at Allen, guest of her father, Tivis Reynolds.

James Reynolds was in Prestonsburg Monday.

Mrs. Anna Meade spent Monday in Prestonsburg.

RISNER. Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Ousley, Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Stephens and daughter, Eula Mae, were visiting Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Allen at Garrett Sunday.

S. M. Ousley, Willard Ousley and son, Herbert, and Whittie Clegg were in Paintsville Saturday.

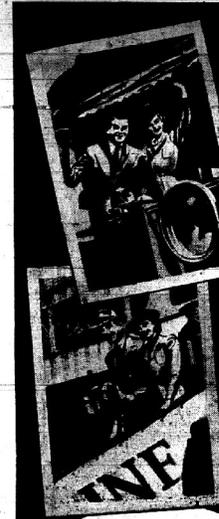
Mr. and Mrs. Ballard Ousley and son, Ester, and Melvin and Melvin Allen at Garrett Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Stephens and daughter, Eula Mae, were shopping in Prestonsburg Saturday.

Mrs. Anna Ousley was shopping in Prestonsburg Saturday.

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SHERIFF'S SALE

By virtue of execution No. 8280 directed to me, which issued from the Clerk's office of the Floyd Circuit Court, in favor of T. S. Mead against Sallie M. Stephens, I, or one of my deputies will, on Monday, the 24th day of June, 1940, at 1:00 o'clock P. M., at the courthouse door in the city of Prestonsburg, Floyd county, Kentucky, expose to public sale, to the highest and best bidder, the following described property (or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy plaintiff's debt, interest and costs), to wit:

TRACT No. 1. Beginning at the county road near a rock quarry and thence north to an ash tree and thence to the creek to the line of H. D. Fitzpatrick and others; thence with the creek in an easterly direction to the line of Jack Hughes, near a house on the Harris heirs land and thence west with the same to the beginning so as to include 13 acres more or less and being the same land inherited by Sallie M. Stephens from Ellen Fitzpatrick, her mother.

TRACT No. 2. What is known as the W. H. Fitzpatrick farm, willed to him by his father, Henry C. Fitzpatrick, as shown by Will Book A, page 81, and now the property of Sallie M. Stephens.

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Andrew J. May Files For Renomination For Congress

A. J. May, chairman of the House Military Affairs Committee, last Thursday filed for the Democratic nomination for Congress from the Seventh district. His papers were signed by W. P. Mayo and Cecil Sturgill, both of Prestonsburg.

William H. May, state commissioner of agriculture and May's nephew, at Frankfort said the Congressman would remain in Washington throughout June "putting forward the President's defense program."

Astor Hogg, Whitesburg, and Lon J. Hatcher, Pikeville, have filed against May on the Democratic ticket, and James W. Turner, Paintsville, is seeking the Republican nomination.

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Monroe Wicker, principal; H. H. Vincent, coach; Lawson Allen, Carl Woods, Grace Francis, Goldia M. Wicker, Oval Bingham, Miss Spurlock, Herbert Crisp, Ruth Flannery, T. B. Peters, W. A. Salisbury, Sonia B. Greer, Ora M. Allen, Maude S. Hall, Ann Osborne.

MAYTOWN V. C. Turner, principal; Everett Hall, coach; Lillian Opal May, Oliver Raffin, Inez Conley, Charles Martin, Elizabeth S. Hayes, Elizabeth Baker, Harriet Allen, Roger Stewart, Barbara A. Carter, Luerstia Osborne, Leona Corley, Amy M. Begley, Ernest Hayes (Wilson Creek), GARRETT

Curtis Owens, principal; Wm. R. Mayo, coach; John Stewart, Charles Clark, Joe Dyer, Charles Polyanova, James Salisbury, Ben W. Baker, Ray Gayheart, Mrs. Wayne Cox, June Music, Thomas M. Miller, Bill Belcher, Cecelia Reed, Mary Roache, Jessie Castle, Ethel Frause, Annie Clarke, Ila T. Bruhan, Geraldine Allen, Edward Wallen, Robert Adams, Robert Martin, Ollie M. Johnson, Agnes Daniels.

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George L. Moore, principal; Clive Akers, coach; Beuna R. Howell, Ila Martin, Blanche Dings, Rex Ramsey, Foster Meade, H. A. Shumberger, Anna S. Stumbo Stella Howell, Octavia Brown, Magia Carver, Anne S. England, WHEELWRIGHT

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BROADWAY THEATRE IN PRESTONSBURG

FRIDAY AND SATURDAY—DOUBLE FEATURE—“Sky Bandits” James Nevill as “Rintree” Ken Maynard, Gene Autry.

SATURDAY, 10 P. M.—SUNDAY AND MONDAY—“East Side of Heaven” Joan Blondell, Bing Crosby, Baby Sandy.

TUESDAY—“Manhattan Shakedown” Roseland Keith, John Claudet.

WEDNESDAY-THURSDAY—“Only Angels Have Wings” Jean Arthur, Cary Grant.

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THE REAL THING NEEDED Fovlin's sake! Governor Johnson has started naming Kentucky Colonels again! The only way under the sun that man should be able to earn his bread is by the sweat of his brow. In actual military service in behalf of his country. Then, except in the eyes of some of our "Flick" customers, they would have a title that really means something.

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ABIGAIL THEATRE PRESTONSBURG, KY.

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SATURDAY—“Prairie Law” SATURDAY, 10 & 10 P. M.—“Phantom Raiders” Walter Pidgeon.

SUNDAY AND MONDAY—“Typhoon” Dorothy Lamour, Robert Preston.

TUESDAY AND WEDNESDAY—“Safari” Madeline Carroll, Douglas Fairbanks, Jr.

PATTY THEATRE (Next Door to Abigail)

THURSDAY AND FRIDAY, DOUBLE FEATURE—“Gentleman From Arizona” “Young As You Feel”

SATURDAY—“Ride ‘Em, Cowboy” SUNDAY MONDAY—“Sing You Sinners”

TUESDAY-WEDNESDAY—DOUBLE FEATURE—“Zaza” “Grandpa Goes To Town”

way to water, taking your time, and you know that a fellow has to have water in order to live. And here I am, runnin' like hell to get some more fresh water. It's not only necessary to life but may actually cause my death. I wonder which has the more sense, you or fellows like me.

“Folks” come here in this frame, you may get washed to pieces in a minute. And the same thing may happen to me travelin' faster.

“But, as I see it, one poor fool will get his, takin' it easy, while the other is runnin' his fool head off to get the same thing.

“If the fellow had an airplane, he could be washin' his neck, without havin' to be bothered with slow-pokes like you!”

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and I could not make one otherwise." He pleaded the cause of Christianity in a world gone mad. "I do believe that if the Allies win, dictatorship will be set back 150 years," he added, condemning Hitler and his theory.

Discussing the extension of credit to the Allies, Atty. Leroy Combs said that only the mobilization of this country's mechanical genius can help those attacked by Hitlerian forces. "I can't understand," he added, "how the Allies, knowing surely of the making of that German war machine, could have let them slip up on them as they have."

Mr. Combs called to the attention of the audience, also, that the Allies have in this country approximately \$21,000,000 in credit—gold investments and other resources—and gave as his opinion that it would be believe it advisable to repeal either the Neutrality or the Johnson Acts at this time, inasmuch as the Allies have used \$200,000,000 of the Lend Lease Act have in this country of \$21,000,000.

When Allied reserves here are exhausted, repeal of the Neutrality and Johnson Acts would be advisable, he said. Atty. Joe Hobson, Prestonsburg, gave added impetus to the Allied cause by moving mightily slow. We are not, he said, neutral, never have been, and I hope never will be. We merely are non-belligerent."

On the release of any of this country's old war machinery, Atty. Oscar P. Bond, Prestonsburg, declared that the country is not prepared at this time to release any of its old war machinery. Making short shrift of his subject, "Should We Endeavor to Purchase Certain Islands from France and England in Order to Retain Payment of Debt Due or To Become Due Us?" Atty. Woodrow Burchett, aligned all he had to say starkly and unequivocally on the side of the Allies. "Our line of defense is that of the Allied armies in France, wherever it happens to be new," he said. "If personally am in favor of the Cash and Carry Plan, if they have any. And, if they don't have cash, let 'em carry all they (the Allies) want away."

"I favor helping the cause of democracy with money and planes," said Samuel H. Triplett, superintendent of Prestonsburg, though he disapproved the question that has attracted the interest of most of this country's people, and though he possessed material at hand, which he unambiguously offered Mr. Triplett added, "And I do not oppose to Congress passing a law permitting any of our soldiers who may want to fight for the sake of fortune to go across and help the Allies."

Former County Attorney Joe P. Tackett, himself a World War veteran, discussed the question of the national government calling its Reserve Corps, consisting entirely of men of previous military service, for intensive training over a period of from three to six months.

"I should have the right to say here now," he said, "for I held the same rank in our United States Army in the World War as Hitler held in the enemy army. And my humble advice is: change from our policy of present persuasion to one of armed strength which will defy attack. I would risk the Allies everything they need, even if they never pay a cent. I would risk or give them \$10,000,000 than one young American. What benefit is our wealth if security and peace are lost?"

Last of the forum's speakers was County Agent S. L. Isbell, who, though expressing an earnest desire for Allied victory struck at the core of last year's and this year's world hostilities. Mr. Isbell struck out at America's aloofness following the last World War and the country's failure to enter the League of Nations.

"The saddest part of it, as I see it," Mr. Isbell concluded, "is, we are all stumped up tonight to destroy Hitler. Yet, when it's all over, we may turn our backs on the whole affair and leave the world to another bloody war, perhaps another 20 years from now."

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