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WOMAN'S CLUB MEETS
The Betsy Layne Woman's Club met last Wednesday night at the home of Mrs. Glenn Blackburn. The meeting was held a week later this month due to weather conditions. Topic for the evening's program was "Family Recreation." "Evaluation of Play" was discussed by Elaine Roberts, followed by a round table discussion on "Benefits Gained by Parents Playing with Their Children." "Importance of Parties Being Well-Planned" proved a favorite subject, and in conclusion a Party Book was put on display for the members.

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CHADDIS SALISBURY CIRCLE MEETS
Mrs. Hoover Harrington and Mrs. S. L. Howell were co-hostesses to the Chaddis Salisbury Circle of the Methodist Church last Monday evening. The president, Mrs. Robert D. Francis, presided. The topic, "Jews and Arabians," was interestingly discussed by Mrs. Ben Sinsinger. The refreshments were served by Mrs. Medesane Raymond Sirkin, John G. Archer, Franklin Moore, Ben Sinsinger, Curtis Clark, E. D. Franks, Curt Homes, "Eck" Brannan, James Walker, Wm. Rose, Dora Elam, Jay Shields, Harold Wright, Fred Francis, Ralph Archer, Wm. Dugas, Mrs. Collinsworth. Valentine suggestions were carried out in decorations and the refreshment table.
TO ORGANIZE CHAPTER
Mrs. D. W. Gardner, organizing president of Indian Mound Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, has invited members of John Graham Chapter, D. A. R., here to the organization of that chapter on March 8 at the home of Mrs. Agnes H. Ramey, Salyersville.

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DISTRICT NO. 30

Pikeville, Kentucky
February 20, 1947

AN OPEN LETTER TO THE EMPLOYEES OF THE PRINCESS COAL COMPANY IN ANSWER TO A LETTER ADDRESSED TO ALL MEN NO. 1 MINE, DAVID, KENTUCKY, SIGNED BY DAVID L. FRANCIS

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

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

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

In the last paragraph in Mr. Francis' letter, he says the management of the mine has sincerely tried to maintain a policy of being friendly, honest, and helpful in carrying out an unwise statement made by Mr. Francis which is kidding.

Mr. Francis thinks that his company has a seniority policy. He commands to take seniority away from the men. Mr. Francis' is a man who is kidding.

Mr. Francis knows that because of his company's actions, three local work stoppages have occurred at this mine because his company has violated the contract under the past custom clause.

Mr. Stollings did agree with me in the presence of the mine committee, field representative Hibbits, Lt. Miller, U.S. Navy, that if we failed to settle the Sam Manuel case that the case would be tried at the joint board. This conference was held Oct. 20, 1945. Mr. Stollings further made the statement that he would call H. S. Roman and arrange for the board meeting, and he said that if the Princess Eikhorn lent the case they would accept the decision of the board or umpire, and if the union lost the case they hoped the miners would be sponsored enough to accept the decision. I made this statement at the joint board, and Mr. Stollings did not deny this statement because Mr. Stollings knew that the mine committee would know that he had been his word to his employees and to Lt. Miller of the U.S. Navy.

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

I repeat, I wonder how Mr. Francis thinks he is kidding when he writes circular letters stating that his company has always tried to be fair? I ASK YOU, MR. STOLLINGS, IS IT FAIR FOR YOUR COMPANY TO KICK OUT AN OLD ESTABLISHED CUSTOM OF SENIORITY? I ASK YOU, AGAIN, MR. STOLLINGS, WHY DID YOU AGREE WITH THE COMMITTEE OF LT. MILLER AND MYSELF TO TRY THE CASE ON OCTOBER 20, AND CHANGE YOUR OPINION AND ASK THAT IT NOT BE TRIED ON FEB. 20? DO YOU BELIEVE THAT YOUR EMPLOYEES THINK THAT YOU ARE BEING FAIR WHEN YOU TELL YOUR MEN ONE THING WHEN YOU MEAN SOMETHING ELSE?

Mr. Francis stated that Tom Raney apologized to Mr. Stollings and said that he took full responsibility for the safety committee's action. I do not deny that I did advise the safety committee to comply with every recommendation in the Federal Safety Code, and did insist that the local union place a fine upon any man who was caught violating this safety code. I further urged the committee to insist that the Company comply to the code, and I did not apologize to Mr. Stollings; I did keep my promise and my word to Mr. Stollings and the committee, but Mr. Stollings did not keep his word to try the Sam Manuel case.

I repeat that it is necessary to report to writing this public letter; however, I did it was the only means to combat the company's propaganda system of circulating the employees with erroneous and misleading letters to all employees.

Your company has discharged Bill Ratliff, one of the oldest employees and chairman of the mine committee, and Mr. Crawford, Mine Superintendent, and field representative Hibbits that he would not state exactly what Ratliff was fired for; however, every miner knows in his heart that Bill Ratliff was fired for no other reason except that he is a leader in the local union, and that Bill Ratliff did lead a committee to the Navy Department and explain the miners' case to Capt. Schneider, and I further think that the con-

pany fired Bill Ratliff in order to throw a scare into other good union men to leave the local union.

In fourteen years of contract negotiations with operators in the Big Sandy field this is the first time that any coal company ever attempted to be brazen enough to ignore the contract and refuse to try a grievance before the joint board; all other companies keep their word to their employees when making an agreement.

No other coal company in this District has ever resorted to circulating their employees in an attempt to discredit the representatives of the union by publishing erroneous and misleading statements.

The Mine Committee can tell the men at this mine that the statement made by Mr. Francis or Mr. Stollings that Carson Hibbits withdrew a case of Hansen Holbrooks stating that the men had no seniority is erroneous and misleading because the committee knows that T. W. English, Commissioner for the operators was present and told Dean Zornas that according to past custom of seniority that they would have to put Holbrooks on the job and that Holbrooks was given the job which he had claimed through seniority.

The mine committee can tell the men and each employe also know that every grievance under seniority has been settled based on seniority ever since the mine has been in operation up and until the Government seized the mine and we believe the Company is taking advantage of the Smith-Connelly Law to force the employe to give up their local seniority at this mine.

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The marriage was solemnized by the Reverend Tackett, of the Baptist Church, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Painter.

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Although bad weather cancelled most social and business functions the latter part of last week, approximately 40 persons attended the meeting of the Parent-Teacher Association which was held in the grade school library. The teacher from the high school and the teacher from the grades having the largest number of parents and grandparents present each month receive a book for his or her room and winners of the flying fingers of the Rev. Mel Efav, guest of the rally. His arrangement of "Onward, Christian Soldiers" was a treat. The final touch was the challenging message directed to the young people calling for courage, concentration, chastity and conviction in their stand for Christ.

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Youth for Christ Wins Battle with Weather

Betsy Layne, Ky. Feb. 26 (Sp.)—Even Old Man Winter with all his ice and snow could not stop Youth for Christ from having a full house last Monday night in Betsy Layne. And those who braved the weather were well-rewarded by a splendid program.

The young people enthusiastically joined in singing Gospel choruses and participated in the surprise Bible quiz. Not only this, but they were also enthralled by the music from the flying fingers of the Rev. Mel Efav, guest of the rally. His arrangement of "Onward, Christian Soldiers" was a treat. The final touch was the challenging message directed to the young people calling for courage, concentration, chastity and conviction in their stand for Christ.

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LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Says Floyd Teachers Should Organize

Editor, The Times: It appeared for a time that the Governor would heed the request of the KSCA to call a special session of the Assembly for the purpose of providing aid to teachers. Now, due to the fact that the political nature, it does not look as if he will do so. I believe the Governor is distinguished to call the special session because he is afraid Mr. Waterfield or Mr. Clements, both gubernatorial aspirants, will gain prestige from any aid given the teachers.

As has been the case in the past, the teachers and those they teach should take care of themselves. They are being forgotten. Must the teaching profession always be made to suffer because political conditions are unfavorable?

Surely the general public is convinced that teachers should be paid enough to pay for 12 months of life a year. There is sufficient money in the state treasury for this year's needs.

If the exodus from teaching is alarming now, what will it be in the next year or so if our officials refuse to make adjustments? There are hundreds of us in this county who feel that any one of us who feels he is, at present, adequately paid, but pay 1 month that laughable thing that is necessary to buy that even more tangible thing—bread.

Our several hundred "voices in the wilderness" should be raised in unison. The reverberations therefrom should rock the Governor's mansion and wake him up to our needs and to the fact that our system of public schools is in a chaotic condition. Other states have met the same crisis with substantial gains for their teachers. They have hope for the future. We are expected to wait a couple of years before our case can be given consideration. Unless a special session is called, we have no assurance that appreciable raises will be granted next year.

We need an organization of Floyd county teachers, so that we can speak out for the things we believe, and have our voices heard. Some counties in this state have such organizations.

Years with the conviction that we are serving our pupils better by staying in the profession and fighting for better conditions, rather than seeking a livelihood elsewhere. CLAUDE FRADY, Wayland, Ky.

BETSY LAYNE

The Rev. Paul Williamson, of Pikeville, delivered the sermon to the congregation of the Methodist Church last Sunday morning. Mr. and Mrs. Orbe Boyd, are the parents of a fine son, born Feb. 22. Mother and babe are doing fine.

Mrs. Jim Phillips, Sr., is receiving treatment at the Pikeville hospital. She expects to return home in a short time.

Mrs. Eliza Blackburn, who has been ill from an infected ear, is somewhat improved.

Mrs. T. J. Chandler has been confined to her home by illness for several days.

Mrs. Richard Phillips, of Memphis, Tenn., is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Phillips Sr., until her husband joins her. They will make their home in Pikeville.

Miss Lillian Steele completed her high school course here at the end of the first semester and is now enrolled in Pikeville College.

Regular monthly meeting of the Betty Layne Parent-Teacher Association was held in the high school auditorium Monday evening, Feb. 17. A timely program centered around the theme, "What Is America To Me?" was presented by the high school chorus, directed by Mrs. Arthur Haywood. During the business session, members of the P.-T.A. decided to purchase records for the music department. The program for the March meeting will be presented by the P.-T.A. under the supervision of Earl Hayes.

ANNOUNCE BIRTH
Mr. and Mrs. David L. Francis, of David and Huntington, W. Va., are announcing the birth of their first child, a son, at a Huntington hospital on Feb. 22. The babe has been named James Draper Francis. Mr. Francis is president of the Princess Elkhorn Coal Company at David.

Henry C. Greene of West Prestonsburg is completing a mechanical course in Nashville, Tenn., this week. He and Mrs. Greene will return here within the next few days.

NOTICE TO AUTOMOBILE OWNERS

You must license your vehicle before March 1, 1947 or else make a sworn affidavit that you were ill and unable to do so or were absent from the state. This is a true law passed in 1946. So, come in and license your vehicle now and avoid the last-minute rush. Also be sure to bring your 1946 registration receipt, as we must retain them.

JARVIS ALLEN, Clerk
2-13-47

FOR STATE SENATOR

We are authorized to announce DOUG HAYS of McDowell, Ky., as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for STATE SENATOR from the 29th district (Floyd, Knott and Martin counties).

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Notice to Taxpayers

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BAPTIST GROUP MEETS
Julia Mayo May Circle of the Baptist Church met at the home of Mrs. Russell Shaw Feb. 11. The business session was presided over by Mrs. J. R. Hart, president. Devotional services were conducted by Mrs. Woodrow W. Burchett. The program was in charge of Mrs. Marvin Ransdell, who discussed the Jews and Arabs in Palestine. At the conclusion of the program a dessert course was served to Mesdames Russell Shaw, Grover Lowe, Richard Peiter, Everett Branham, A. J. Davidson, Marvin Ransdell, W. W. Burchett, J. K. Walls, M. Robert Regan, Miss Anna Martin.

Joe Hobson will leave this week for Miami, Florida, where he will visit Mrs. Hobson and Mrs. Lida Cottrell at the Plaza hotel.

CHILDERS GAINS PROMOTION
Wiesbaden, Germany—John W. Childers has been promoted to corporal, it was announced by Major General I. H. Edwards, commanding general, United States Air Force in Europe. Cpl. Childers now serves as chief clerk of the Air Force Headquarters, the organization that is policing the American Zone of occupied Germany from the air. Before entering the service in January, 1946, Cpl. Childers attended Wheelwright high school, Wheelwright, Ky. The son of Mr. and Mrs. Ted Childers, of Bevinville, he is a veteran of six months in the ETO.

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Safety Improvements At Drift Mine Told As Needs Are Cited

Although endorsing the many important safety improvements carried out recently at the 500-ton-a-day Lester No. 1 mine of the Bannockburn Coal and Mining Company at Drift, government inspectors suggest correction of remaining deviations from the Federal Mine Safety Code in a final inspection report released by the Bureau of Mines.

The Floyd county mine employed 91 men when it was examined in November by Inspectors Matthew I. Duncan and Malcolm Davis. Inspectors Duncan and Davis, citing nearly 100 safety improvements, said that they included printed timbering rules and diagrams, suitable explosives-transportation boxes, storage of not more than a 48-hour supply of explosives underground, removal of a booster fan from the mine, drawing of crosscuts at proper intervals, rock dusting of the main haulageways, removal of all locomotives, guarding of the trolley wires on both sides of doors, fuse-equipped switches for the pump electric circuits, and several other electrical safeguards.

The inspectors also commended the use of permissible electric cap lamps by all underground workers, increased fire protection underground, an effective employee-identification system, wearing of dust-fitting clothing by the haulage men, and employment of a safety director.

Noting that hazards still existed in several phases of operation, Duncan and Davis recommended adding permanent timbers closer to the faces in two active sections and removal or more effective support of loose roof and overhangs along haulageways, maintenance of unobstructed clearance, a ban on the hand-coupling of moving cars, use of sprags, chains or car blocks to hold standing cars, and numerous precautions against electrical hazards.

Additional suggestions called for generally improved ventilation in the working sections, air-lock doors, solid fireproof stoppings between the intake and return airways of the main and cross entries, and pre-admitt tests for explosive gas and other hazards, safer location of an explosive magazine in the No. 3 section, an expanded coal-dust control

program, further mechanical safeguards, and universal wearing of protective clothing.

The inspectors also recommended prohibition of smoking in the mine in conformance with Bureau of Mines safety standards.

CARD OF THANKS
We wish in this manner to thank our many friends of Betsy Layne for their kindness and sympathy in the death of our dear son and brother. We also thank those who sent flowers, the glee club for the beautiful songs, the funeral directors for their kindness and the Revs. Isaac Stratton and Carl Layne for their con-coling words.—Lucy Burchett's Family, Kensington, Ohio.

NOTICE

Sarah C. Michael is filing application for license to sell whiskey at retail by the package at her location in the present D. M. Parsons dispensary building on U.S. 23, approximately 100 yards south of the bridge across Big Sandy river at Harold, Ky., and publishes this notice in accordance with state law. 2-20-47.

ATTEND SCHOOL

Carl E. Horn, Joe Horn and Thomas Everett Horn have been attending a Lauderhall school in Ashland, preparing themselves for Lauderhall service work for the Home Furniture Company.

THREE CONVICTED

Maude Fitzpatrick, better known as Maude Howard, Bill Henry Stephens and Pepl Green were convicted in police court last week for adultery. (P.d. adv.) MARGARET PRATER

Ohio Conley, who has been critically ill at Prestonsburg General hospital, suffering from a heart condition due to a blood clot, has a chance for recovery, it was said Wednesday.

Notice to Taxpayers
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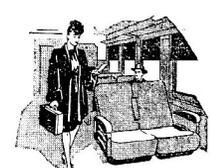
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PERSONALS

Mrs. Pauline Hyden Sparks has been critically ill at the Paintsville hospital. She is showing some improvement this week.

Mrs. W. S. Harkins, Jr., and daughter, Barbara Baker, left this week for Detroit for a six-week visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frye.

Mrs. George McCarthy, of Wheelwright, was admitted to the Prestonsburg General hospital Sunday afternoon for a broken leg.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Clark, of Ashland, are here this week attending to business and visiting relatives.

Mrs. Ridda S. Finlayson, of Paintsville, was here Tuesday visiting Mrs. Joe A. Spradlin.

Bobby Mayo and Douglas Bible spent last week-end in Ada, O.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayborne Stephens entertained to dinner Sunday at their home off Riverside. Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Patton, Miss Elsie Stephens, Miss Linda Stephens and Mrs. Mary Carpenter Hale, of Cody, Nebraska.

Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Patton and houseguest, Mrs. Mary C. Hale, of Cody, Neb., Mrs. Harry Wesley and son, Jeff Prater, Bruni, Texas, visited relatives at Sledgeville Wednesday. They will be followed there by Mrs. Kate Carpenter Hamilton, of Wrentham, Wash., who will accompany them home.

Joe Dingus, of Little Point, was here Monday on business.

Ward Allen, of Ashland, was here Tuesday.

Clarence Murphy, of Paintsville, has been here this week.

Mrs. Caroline Harris has been quite ill at her home on Colledge street, "Aunt Cecelia" is 80 years old and is Prestonsburg's oldest citizen. Her many friends are anxious for her speedy recovery.

Oscar Evans, of Paintsville, was here Tuesday transacting business.

Prof. Junior Mayo is home on furlough from Ft. Bragg, N.C., and is spending a few days at West Prestonsburg with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Mayo.

Safety Advances, Needs At Clear Branch Mine, Told by New Report

A federal report issued this week by the Bureau of Mines endorses the extensive safety advances made recently at the Clear Branch Mine, Company's 1,200-ton-a-day Clear Branch mine at Logan, and offers several suggestions for curbing remaining non-compliances with the Federal Mine Safety Code.

The operation employed 43 men when it was examined in November by Inspector Matthew J. Duncan. Among the important safety features cited by Inspector Duncan were installation of equipment to appraise the condition of cut-off switches near the use of blasting caps and fuse for shooting purposes, employment of incombustible stemming, erection of incombustible stoppings in the crevices along the main entries in the No. 1 mine, weekly air measurements, a ban on riding on the front bumper of pushed rockers, installation of cut-off switches near the beginning of each branch roadway, gas protection for the mine machines, grounding of the frames of stationary electrical equipment, elimination of several mechanical hazards, employment of a safety director, and adoption of company safety rules.

Duncan called attention to hazards observed in several phases of operations, and he suggested strict compliance with the minimum standards in working areas and removal or adequate timbering of loose roof and overhanging brows along 2 south entry, maintenance of unobstructed haulage-way clearance, provision of shelter areas at the switch boxes, prohibition of jumping on and off of moving cars, and further precautions against electrical hazards.

In addition, the report advocated strict circuiting of the battery ends of blasting cables, increasing the air-coursed to several active sections, installation of additional doors in conjunction with single unattended doors, pre-shift examinations for explosive gas and other dangerous conditions, a more effective coal-dust control program, adequate fire protection underground, use of goggles by employees performing work hazardous to the eyes, and maintenance of ample first-aid supplies near working places.

Adoption of a "no smoking" rule also was recommended by Duncan for conformance with the Bureau of Mines safety standards.

School Board Is Told Member Can't Vote Job For Half Cousin

Frankfort, Ky., Jan. 8—An opinion that under certain Kentucky statutes a half is the same as a whole was handed down by the Attorney General's office today.

Ennonis Precoe, of Inez, secretary of the Martin County Board of Education, was advised that distance barring board members from voting for their relatives, including first cousins, applies also to half-cousins.

Precoe wrote that he had been the board's secretary since 1934 and that his selection for another term may depend on whether a member who is his half-cousin can vote for him.

The opinion explained the courts have held that half-brothers and half-sisters are classed as brothers and sisters in certain criminal cases and in cases involving estates and that by analogy it was believed that would hold good for cousins.

It was added that it was to be regretted that an experienced lawyer might thus be deprived of a public office, but that no other view could be taken.

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PERSONALS

F. A. Hall has been ill the past week.

Harold Hall and family have been visiting relatives in Louisville.

Norma Jean Bradley and Imogene Triplett spent Saturday night with parents in Waddles.

A birthday party was given by Mrs. Leeman Waddles Saturday evening in honor of her daughter, Aurelia Waddles, on her 18th birthday and Mrs. Waddles' brother, Virgil Hall's 24th birthday. Games were played. Present were Misses Beulah Hopkins, Eudine Moore, Faye Henson, Norma Bradley, Imogene Triplett, Bertha Combs, Pansy Ratliff, Minta Wray, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Hill, Reppie Hall, Arnette Waddles, J. Wesley Moore, Frankie Moore, Capt. Claude Hall, Hazel Combs, Paul Gibson, Junior Hall, Eddie Hopkins, Carrin Combs, Robert Moore, Chadwick Combs, Norman Combs, Omery E. Waddles, Dallas T. Waddles, Maynard Gibson, James Cook, Reene Davis, Charles Day Hall. Many lovely gifts were received.

Mrs. Orbin Hall is a patient at the Lackey hospital.

Alton Hall has been very ill.

Lula Cook and Georgia Hall have mumps.

The survey for the long-awaited railroad at Beaver is almost completed and the railroad company has been purchasing right-of-way.

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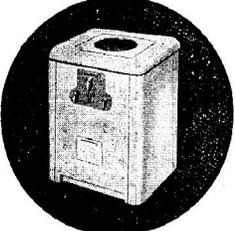
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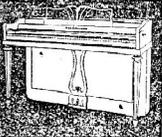
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to his eyes in the "magic carpet" and stepped back and shot the other dead.

And up stepped 13 other men who had suffered likewise because Nature had been so bountiful and error as ere. "He shot him in self-defense."

Somebody recently observed that this is the season when one may skate for hours on ice.

**P/Burg Hi Organizes
Future Homemakers**

Although Home Economics has been taught in Prestonsburg high school for several years, only recently was the Future Homemakers of America organized in the school. Chosen as its officers for this year were: President, Janice Westfall; secretary, Joyce Coburn; treasurer, Viola Baldrige; parliamentary, Betty Jo Estep; parliamentary, Colleen Ekiner; historian, Nora Jane Parker; reporter, Pauline Boyer; song leader, Anna Grace Hicks.

The 51 members of the Salersville chapter, F.H.A., with their leader, Miss Georgia Arnett, initiated the 22 members of the Prestonsburg chapter at an assembly program here February 12. After the initiation, lunch was served to the girls at the cafeteria with desert being served in the Home Economics department. Later, the girls toured Prestonsburg. The chapter here plans a return visit to Salersville in May.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Harkins, Jr., are moving into the J. M. Merrill, Sr., residence on Second avenue.

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ers connected to existing lines that did not necessitate any additional pole line. "It is an interesting fact that there are hundreds of prospective users and customers who are in reach of existing lines that for one reason or another have never been connected to the system," the official statement said.

The general rural electrification program is based on area coverage which will ultimately bring electric service to virtually all farms and rural establishments in the company's territory. The rural extension plan requires only \$1 per month or \$1 per customer where there are as many as four customers per mile. It is among the lowest in the country and brings electric service within the means of all who plan to make use of it, it was pointed out. Customers desiring electric service for the first time are making applications faster than the lines can be built to serve them under existing conditions. Until shortages of materials, manpower and transportation can be overcome the company emphasized, prospective customers must have patience.

During the period January 1-February 5, 1947, 198.80 miles of new rural lines were built and 2,341 new customers served. At the close of the period there were another 497.22 miles under construction with 388.42 miles to be placed under construction. Hundreds of other miles were in the various stages of being made ready for actual construction. Barring any unforeseen difficulties and with the wholehearted cooperation of those desiring electric service in rural areas, 1947 should prove to be a record rural line construction year.

The Kentucky & West Virginia Power Company has been working for the past two and one-half years on an extensive program in Floyd and surrounding counties. This program, developed in connection with a similar program by the Appalachian Electric Power Company in Virginia and West Virginia, is to continue through 1947 and will electric service be available to everyone in this territory who desires to use this service. F. M. Baker, district manager of Kentucky & West Virginia, said.

In 1946 the Kentucky & West Virginia Power Company completed 25 miles of rural extensions to serve 42 customers in Floyd county. It plans to build 75 miles of line to serve 200 customers during 1947.

**MARTIN
THEATRE**

"WHERE THE CROWDS GO"

FRIDAY—
"Wife of Monte Cristo"
John Loder, Lenore Aubert.
("King of the Forest Rangers" (new serial))

SATURDAY—
"Out California Way"
(in color)
Monte Hale, Adrian Booth.

"Dead Or Alive"
Tex Ritter, Guy Wilkerson.

SUNDAY-MONDAY—
"The Strange Love of
Martha Ivers"
Barbara Stanwyck, Van Heflin,
Lizabeth Scott.

TUES—
"Secret of the Whistler"
Richard Dix, Leslie Brooks.

WED—IN PERSON—
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Mr. and Mrs. Tom Stephens visited Mr. and Mrs. George and daughter, Tommie Card, at Allen Saturday.

Mrs. Ethel Hall, of Hill had visited her sister, Mrs. Tom Moore, here over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Moore and children were called to Painsville last week-end because of the sudden death of their brother-in-law, Buford Williams.

Miss Thelma Montgomery, of Dinwood school, started the Cliff school last Friday.

Manda Phoenix visited relative in Logan over the week-end.

Floyd county model school at Cliff is closed this week as all but about six pupils are confined to their homes, with mumps.

Elizabeth and Doris Gill were in Prestonsburg attending the theater Saturday.

Jim Shell, who has been ill for the last few weeks, is improved.

Master Stephen Lee Best is ill at his home here, suffering from bronchitis.

Mrs. Will Stephens, who has been ill for some time, is still confined to her home.

CARD OF THANKS

We gratefully acknowledge all kindnesses extended upon the death of our dear one, Otto Hall, and would especially thank Mrs. Tom Payne and Mrs. Ab Howell for their assistance, the ministers for their comforting words and the Sacre-Freite Funeral Home for its efficient services.—Mrs. Otto Hall and Family.

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THURS.-FRI. FEB. 27-28—
"The Strange Love of
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Kentucky Basketball.

SATURDAY—
"Trail to Mexico"
Jimmy Wakely, Lee White,
Serial: "JUNGLE GIRL."

Saturday, 2:30 p.m. and 10:40 p.m.—
"Falcon's Alibi"
Tom Coaday, Rita Corday,
Popular Science (in technicolor),
"Goal Rush."
"Saddle Up."

**SUNDAY-MONDAY—
"The Secret Heart"**
Claudette Colbert, Walter Pidgeon,
June Allyson,
News,
"Henpecked Hobos."

TUESDAY-WEDNESDAY—
"The Plainsman and
the Lady"
William Elliott, Vera Ralston,
Gail Patrick,
News,
You Want To Save Your Hair,
"Uninvited Pests."

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

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