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KENTUCKY TEACHERS FAVOR FREE TEXTS

Louisville, Ky., April 18.—Playing [illegible] from all parts of the state, [illegible] The report of the legislative committee was made by James W. Brad[illegible] Middlesboro, chairman of the committee, [illegible] president of the [illegible] boys' rules, the Kentucky Education Association concluded its final session here today. The meeting opened last Wednesday and was attended by educators from all parts of the state.

The committee also recommended that the law creating the state board of education be changed to provide for appointment of a board of from seven to nine members, not more than two to be named in any year. At present the board is composed of the state superintendent of public instruction, the attorney general and the secretary of state.

Girls basketball played under boys' rules was termed an "injurious athletic" and the Kentucky High School Athletic Association was called upon to prohibit such playing at the next state tournament.

Another recommendation made by the committee was that the county school administration law be strengthened by giving the county superintendent full authority to administer school laws with the approval of the county boards of education. The report urged a high minimum standard of qualification for elementary and high school teachers.

Opposition to a tendency to shorten school terms and reduce teachers' salaries was expressed in the resolutions committee's report submitted by Dr. H. L. Donovan, Richmond.

In an address to the delegates, Dr. Gordon Laing, dean of the graduate school of the University of Chicago, made a plea for the retention of Latin as a study.

GOING TO MILL

Carrying grain to mill for grinding is one of the older institutions that survive. In some Kentucky localities where mills of the pioneer type still exist. However, under the new conditions the grain may be transported to mill in a motor car instead of a bag slung across a horse or mule behind the rider, the prevailing method in bygone days.

Kentucky's old-time mills include some of the pioneer kind operated by a water wheel. They make a picturesque setting with a strong appeal. Mills of this type have catered to generations of the community, furnishing flour and meal in exchange for wheat and corn and doing "custom grinding." Which is the time-honored process of converting the patron's own grain into flour or meal in consideration of a fixed toll charge.

The milling industry probably was the first to come under legislative regulation in the early days. The legislature fixed the toll to be charged for grinding grain about the same time that it regulated the fee of ferrymen and the rate an innkeeper could charge for victuals and lodging. In the main the old-time statutes are still effective in prescribing regulations that are practically as old as the State.

Going to mill meant more in other days, when the mill was a sort of association. A change in the report stated that the state school fund should be kept intact.

clearing house for community news and gossip among those who went there to exchange their grain for flour or meal, or have it ground while they waited. Mostly the old-time country miller was a man of parts who exercised a wide influence in the community which he served.—Will Kallenborner, in The Courier-Journal.

FLOYD SCHOOL ENTRANT IN DISTRICT CONTEST

Whitesburg, Ky., April 18.—Seven high schools in the Whitesburg district of The Courier-Journal state-wide contest have reported their entries for the match which will be held at 2:30 o'clock Friday afternoon in the auditorium of Whitesburg high school, L. Blackard, superintendent of Whitesburg city schools, said today. The winner will receive $50 from The Courier-Journal, of which only complete sets of the eleven articles in the state will be given Friday night, May 1, in Paris.

The orators who will compete include: Robert Tate, 15 years old, Ashland senior high school; Miss Mary Germain Ann, Holy Family high school, Ashland; James Hatchett, 17, Grayson High school; Willie Hall, 17, McDowell High school; Miss Miriam Smith, 18, Knott county high school, Hindman; Miss Edith Sparks, 17, Louisa high school; and Miss Emma Dixie, Johnson high school. High schools which have not reported are Pineville, Riverside Institute of Lost Creek, Clinton county high school of Albany, Lancaster, Williamsburg and Corbin.

BELIEVES RAINS TO BE ADEQUATE

Rains just at fair break, in while sections of the country which suffered from less severe drouth will pull through well, and all right.

A. E. Hoyt, expert on surface water of the geological survey, recently said heavy rains during the growing season and mid-summer will be adequate because of the rainfall of the past six weeks both for crops and for water supplies of communities.

On the other hand, should the weather turn dry now and stay that way, the serious depletion of ground water could be the last dry season would make itself felt in dry springs, low rivers and possibly even insufficient moisture for growing plants.

His comfort against this possibility, now over, rested on statistics which show that of all major droughts, since the nineties, only one preceded four wet years in a row.

In spite of the lack of winter rain and snow in most sections Hoyt said during March and April the heavy fall had soaked the soil to a good depth, furnishing ample water for agricultural purposes.

As African Youngster Climaxed Bible Story

The wit and wisdom of the Oximbundu people, one of the many tribes that make up the Bantu race, is well known in Africa.

Umbundu proverbs—Umbundu being the speech of the Oximbundu—and the replies of Oximbundu children, especially in Bible classes taught by missionaries, says the Boston Post, show conclusively that the native African has a potential intellect not to be sneezed at, and proves also that children are children the world over.

Results of a recent Bible examination among a group of children showed astounding ignorance upon Biblical history. One small boy finished a dramatic recital of the story of David and Goliath, the native African is a born actor, with the rather startling climax, which, translated literally, was:

"And the giant said to David, 'Go away, little boy. I like the looks of your face and I don't want to spoil it.'"

Woman Patriotic Figure in History of Old City

Mainz is one of the first and oldest cities on the Rhine. It has also furnished its share of legends and played its part in making this river one of the most famous in the world. Here is one that holds a bit of charm and philosophy: When the French occupied the city the countess of Stein led the young women to take a vow not to listen to a word of love from any man until the country was rid of the invaders. The French, thinking this might stimulate their foes, tried to humble her by giving her a broom and commanding her to sweep the streets. Instead of being shamed, she swept them and prayed as she swept. "God of my Fatherland, bless my sweeping and as I sweep the highway, grant that the enemy may be swept from the land." Instead of humbling her, as the French had intended, her own people gathered about her and prayed "God bless the sweeping." Fired by the courage of the countess the young men succeeded in sweeping the enemy from their land.

Frankfort Long Great City

Since the great trade routes of the Middle Ages, Frankfort-on-the-Main has played one of the most important parts in the commercial activities of all Europe, and for many years was the undisputed mistress of the international money market. However, her simplicity and quiet charm have not been affected by her eminent position in international affairs. She reflects her ancient walls and towers in the clear waters of the Main with a modest dignity becoming a beloved monarch. It is no wonder she beguiled and enslaved herself so keenly to the heart of Goethe, her native son, who was inspired to write his famous opera "Faust," in the first part of which old Frankfort breathes in almost every verse.

Proof of Education

William H. Danforth selected the following from "The Marks of an Educated Man": An educated man cultivates the open mind; never laughs at new ideas; knows the secret of getting along with other people; cultivates the habit of success; knows as a man thinketh, so is he; knows popular notions are always wrong; always listens to the man who knows; links himself with a great cause; builds an ambition picture; tests his abilities; keeps busy at his highest natural level; knows it is never too late to learn; never loses faith in the man he might have been; achieves the masteries that make him a world citizen, and lives a great religious life.

Good Cheer

Good cheer is almost as essential to life as sunshine, air and water—and is quite as plentiful.

Cheerfulness has a dual value in life: First it helps you—then it helps you to help others—and it keeps on spreading out into the great throng of humanity, stirring the hearts of men as the gentle breeze stirs the leaves of the forest—returning again and again to you in its endless course and all the while making the heavy load lighter and the dark road brighter for all.

Good cheer is one of the biggest little things among all the elements of success.

Buddhistic Shrine

The great Shwe Dagon pagoda is one of the best known places of worship in the East. It has a particular sanctity to Buddhists because it is credited with containing actual relics not only of Gautama but of the three Buddhas before him. The pagoda stands upon a mound partly natural and partly artificial. It is about 370 feet high and is profusely covered with gilt from base to summit. At the base of the pagoda hill are many monasteries.

Beautiful Stockholm

There are a few cities of the world whose beauty it never seems possible to eclipse, and Stockholm is one. It is a city of great and splendid buildings—the town hall and the royal palace are of the first order in Europe. The spacious streets are lined with gay and palatial hotels and quiet, lovely homes. But perhaps the waterways and the islands on which the city is built are what make Stockholm not just beautiful, but the beautiful.

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The Crooner Crowned

"That orchestra has got everything, hasn't it?"

"Everything but a crooner."

"What do you mean?"

"I just tended to that."

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Follow the Leader

"Oh, Mr. Bolt-[illegible] a man has been following me."

"Are you sure he was following you?"

"Yes, I went into two [illegible] three times to see if he was coming."

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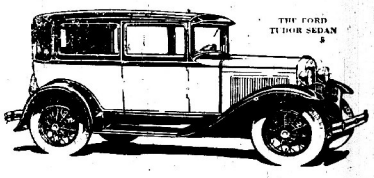

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"THE OUTSIDER"

One of the old political battle cries in this county is, "Don't vote for an outsider!"

In other words, a native Floyd countian has for an opponent a man—or, now, a woman—who was born outside of the county, probably in Pike or Johnson or in another state—vote for the native, regardless!

Such is an insult to the intelligence of the voter, and should be resented. Answer to the candidate who offers no more compelling reason that we should vote for him should be a vote detrimental to his cause.

This time-worn objection to the person who is not to Floyd county born is indicative of the narrow, hide-bound prejudice that so long has walled us about from others. It is an echo of the old call of the clan.

In this category may be placed the prejudices which exist in certain parts of the county against those who reside in other sections of Floyd.

Commonsense used in calm consideration resolves the matter to this truth: Place of birth has nothing whatever to do with the qualifications of character and training of a man toward taking his place in Floyd county as an official or as a citizen.

Given two men, both of whose abilities and characters are matched evenly, with one a native of Floyd county and the other an "outsider"—God save the mark!—we should support the Floyd countian for office, not because of prejudice but out of regard for the loyalty to those things indigenous to home.

But we should be modern and progressive enough to give due consideration of the man as he actually is, whether in relations as friend and friend, voter and candidate or customer and business man, and forget that misnomer, "the outsider."

Place of birth has nothing beyond the effect of environment to do with the worth of a man. Floyd county has no magic poower to elevate its natives above the citizen who moves to Floyd county and resides here peaceably and as an asset to his or her community, just as Floyd county, or any part thereof, does not make of its native son a rascal, thief or murderer.

Almost daily, Floyd county is receiving from other counties and other states new citizens. The worthwhile we should welcome more heartily than we do; the worthless, whether native or "outsider," should have no place among us.

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Statue Held Symbol of Unity of Two Peoples

Senor Daniel K. del Bucho, consul-general of Chile in this country, has given a most interesting description of "The Christ of the Andes," the inspiring sculpture which stands at a mountain's elevation of 12,000 meters (12,000 feet) on the Chilean-Argentine frontier, says the newspaper La Vozdel of Caracas, Venezuela. Senor del Bucho says of this appealing figure that the inspiration for its establishment came from seeing the Statue of Liberty in New York harbor. It is seven meters high (23 feet) and weighs three tons. It can be perceived for many kilometers on all the routes connecting the two republics of Argentina and Chile and is held in veneration by the peoples of both nations because it was erected, in 1902, to seal and commemorate the peaceful settlement of the final disputes between the two great South American republics. It was the women of these two countries who collected most of the funds necessary to defray the cost of the statue and its transportation and erection and whose influence was most exerted on the respective governments to provide a site and perpetual maintenance for the monument. "The Christ of the Andes" stands in a lonely and desolate spot, much the same, no doubt, as the wilderness in which "The Man of Sorrows" spent 40 days of his life in prayer and fasting. Yet the statue is not really lonely nor neglected, but visited constantly by thousands in their journeys to and fro, who call it, too, "The Christ of Amity," for this statue is the symbol of the bonds of friendship which henceforth and forever knit these two peoples together in a Christian fellowship.

Tyroleans Go in Fear of Whimsical Goddess

Perhaps the quaintest survival of Norse mythology is the dance performed in honor of the goddess Perchta, said to be the consort of Wodin and mother of the gods. In certain districts of Austria the goddess is still a vivid personality and held in veneration and great fear. She is believed to have a duplex nature which is manifested at certain times with showers of blessings and at other times with curses. At all times she is said to be surrounded by her followers or "spirits of the air" and neither she nor her followers are supposed to be seen except at certain times of the year. These dances are given just before Lent, at Easter and about St. John's day in the Pongau and Pinzgau districts of the Austrian Alps. It originated among the Tyrolese mountaineers with the intention of worshiping and at the same time placating her in her vindictive mood. Those who take part in it dress to represent her double nature, some are graceful and gentle and dress to represent the beautiful, and others are spiteful and vindictive and dress to represent the wild and malicious.

Oldest School in England

Like all superlative claims there are those who doubt that the King's Grammar school at Canterbury is the oldest, but the evidence points out that it was established in A. D. 597 by the Bishop Felix. Lovers of Dickens, however, claim that he chose it to be the oldest, for he sent David Copperfield there. To Dickens, who has Jackons gives also a picture of the worst school in England, the King's school was the third school: "A grave building in a courtyard with a learned air about it that seemed very well suited to the stray rooks and jackdaws who came from the cathedral towers to walk with a clerkly bearing on the grass plot."

Life Story of Kiss

The kiss derived out of the primitive habit of rubbing noses with a man who was your equal in the social scale. If you met a superior, then you rubbed his face with your nose.

In time, it became the custom for two persons who were greeting each other to touch lips instead of noses. And years later the kiss lost its ceremonial importance and became an affectionate gesture between two friends or lovers.

But many races still retain nose-rubbing as a salutation. The Maoris of New Zealand press their noses together when they meet, and in Melanesia it is the custom to put your nose close to the other person's and to sniff.

Boxing the Compass

To box the compass means, in nautical language, to recite in consecutive order the points of the mariner's compass. The points from north to east are as follows: North, north one-half east, north by east, north by east one-half east, north northeast, north northeast one-half east, northeast, northeast by north, northeast one-half north, north east, north east by one-half east, north east by east, north east by east one-half east, east northeast, east northeast one-half east, east by north, east one-half north, east.

Phrase Long in Use

The phrase "bite the dust" appears to a casual reader to be strictly American, it being familiar to those who have read in the old dime novels of the "another redskin bit the dust." It is in fact rooted in antiquity. The earliest recorded uses of the expression are in Homer's "Iliad," in Ovid's "Metamorphoses" in words translated [illegible] the world over [illegible]

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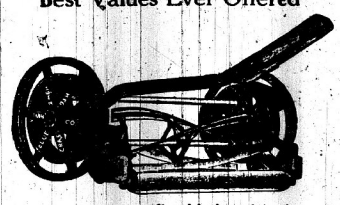

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S. R. PIERSON NAMED RECEIVER

Huntington Man Will Take Charge of Midland Stores Company

Spencer R. Pierson, Huntington, president of the Diamond Distributing Company, has been named receiver by U. S. District Judge McClintic to take charge of 16 stores operated throughout West Virginia and Eastern Kentucky by the Midland Stores Company against which an involuntary petition in bankruptcy was filed in federal court in Huntington.

The Midland Stores Company formerly operated a store at Seventh avenue and Tenth street in Huntington but it has been closed for several months. The other stores, six in West Virginia and ten in Kentucky, are still in operation. The receiver took charge of the West Virginia stores Thursday and is to assume charge of the stores in Kentucky next week.

The bankruptcy petition was filed by three Huntington creditors, the O. I. Standard Dry Goods Company, the Huntington Banking & Trust Company and the Kipling Shoe Company.

According to the petition, a claim of $18,396.81 is held against the Midland Stores Company by the Standard Company, and the bank holds notes aggregating $2,950 against the respondent. The claim of the Kipling Shoe Company is $8.32.

PROTECTING THE CHILD

Many communities are planning programs for May Day, emphasizing child welfare and protection. The [illegible] campaign conducted by schools and various child-protective organizations.

At a time when accidents and deaths to adults have constantly risen, child fatalities have been on the decline. This is the direct result of the teaching of fundamentals of accident prevention and good health in schools. It is an invaluable work, not only because of the lives now being saved, but because it is paving the way for safer streets, highways and homes in the future.

The astonishing total of accidents among adults is due largely to the absence of safety teaching series. The child's mind, being shaped to and open to, is extremely receptive to safety instruction when presented vividly and in an interesting manner. And that which is learned in the primary and grade schools by the child will be part of his character as an adult.

There is nothing esoteric about safety. It is the simplest of things, depending on a few commonsense rules and principles. Care, watchfulness, courteousness—such factors as these, that can be exercised by every one, young or old, can almost wholly do away with accidents of all kinds. Carelessness, slothfulness and indifference are now claiming thousands upon thousands of lives each year, more than 30,000 in automobile accident alone.

A Rapid Courtship, Perhaps

He (with her)—Have you a room and bath for my wife and me?

Hotel Clerk—We have double rooms with one bath.

He (in haste)—Will that be all right with you?

FOUR BOYS AND GIRLS TO WASHINGTON CAMP

Dean Thomas P. Cooper, of the college of Agriculture, University of Kentucky, announces the selection of four farm boys and girls as representatives of Kentucky at the 4th National 4-H Club Congress to be held in Washington, D. C., in June. They are Grant Rice, Wayne County; Mildred Young, Simpson county; Adele Dugan, Jefferson county, and Conrad Feltner, Laurel county.

Grant Rice is an outstanding 4-H Club member, with close to seven years experience in club work. Grant Rice has received $1028 from livestock and other enterprises pertinent to seven years of club work, and has won many honors, including the state championship in the meat animal project. He interested his father in founding a pure red boar circuit.

Miss Young was a member of the 4-H club team demonstrating at the annual for before the state outstanding club girl in her county, and is secretary of the Kentucky Association of Junior 4-H Clubs.

Miss Dugan has won two trips to the National 4-H Club Congress in Chicago, representing Kentucky in a national 4-H Club radio program, won state championships in canning and in being an outstanding club member and leader.

Conrad Feltner as a club member has raised hogs, sheep, dairy cattle and poultry, and tended the garden and small fruit projects. He has sold $450 worth of cattle, raised from a scarf with one heifer, and made money from small grain, vegetables, bees and other livestock. He won a scholarship to a leadership training camp in Michigan in recognition of his school, school class, and a leader in church and community activities.

Local Happenings

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Mrs. Jerrie Stumbo of Ashland was the week-end guest of her mother, Mrs. Mary May.

Mrs. Elizabeth Wells spent last Friday in Ashland guest of her sister, Mrs. O. W. Van Horton.

Miss Lucy Stephens, of Prestonsburg, spent the week-end here guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Rhodes.

W. W. Conley, of Wayland, was a business visitor in Prestonsburg Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Ferguson were called to West Virginia Saturday on the death of Mr. Ferguson's grandmother.

Roscoe Howard, T. H. Duncan and C. P. Howard spent Sunday in Pikeville.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Francis returned Monday morning from Detroit and Cincinnati where they spent the week.

T. W. Elliott of Pikeville was a business visitor in Prestonsburg Thursday.

Miss Lillian Hopkins left Friday for Newark, O., where she is visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Crites.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Hawkins, Jr., spent several days in Ashland last week.

Mrs. A. C. [illegible] returned from Winchester, W. Va., where she spent a few days with Mr. [illegible].

Mrs. H. A. Minix, of Pikeville, was a business visitor Tuesday of last week. Mrs. A. H. Spradling, of Mt. [illegible].

Misses Ruth May and Mary Stephens spent the week-end with relatives in Paintsville.

Mrs. Ben Ferguson.

Frank H. Layne returned last Sunday from Cincinnati, O., where he has been for some services for several weeks.

Mrs. J. M. Floyd Mann returned to her home in Akron, O., after a visit of several days with Mrs. Mann's brother, Mr. Mayo D. Wells.

Mrs. J. [illegible] Sunday for Ashland to spend a few days with her [illegible].

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Excessive Freight Rates Strangle Kentucky Industry

Attorney General J. W. Commack has decided that unreasonable freight rates are in Kentucky and that the existing discriminations are prejudice, against Kentucky have their foundation in the political manoeuvring of the past. We are within some months of a hearing before the Interstate Commerce Commission. [illegible] Sandy valley is [illegible] all w:

"[illegible] to object to the proposing of the high rate of transportation on the Big Sandy division of the C. & O. Railway on his division of the C. & O. the commission prescribed a first class rate of 31c for the first hundred miles, added to the first-class rate between Catlettsburg, Ky., and all intermediate points. Two hundred miles, the first-class rate for the number miles is 56 cents and for two hundred miles the first-class rate is 73 cents, the rate progression being 17 cents for one hundred miles. Between points on the Ashland-Louisville division of the C. & O. along and a point on the Big Sandy division of the C. & O. R. R. for one hundred miles south of Catlettsburg, the first-class rate will be 51c. The rate progression is still 17 cents or almost [illegible] times as great as the progression on the Ashland-Louisville division.

"Comparison of these two shows that the prejudicial rate of the Big Sandy division of the C. & O. Railway for the years 1927 and 1928 was 5,726,240 ton miles per mile of road. This [illegible] the C. & O. Railway originates a large volume of coal traffic and the prosperity of the C. & O. Railway largely depends. There is also a large volume of coal and mining equipment, food, and miscellaneous supplies for the mines and the people [illegible] this large traffic for the C. & O. Railway. The division is a large part of the high rate between North and South Atlantic states. The transportation conditions on this division appear to be fully as good as the average transportation conditions obtaining in official services.

"Apparently the commission did not [illegible] the higher level of rates to and from points on the Big Sandy division of the C. & O. Railway on account of the supposed inferior transportation conditions.

"The attorney general states that the commission was probably influenced by the statement of Mr. A. P. Gilbert in the Eastern rate investigation, that this section of the Big Sandy is sparsely settled. Replying to this, the attorney general states: 'In view of the fact that Mr. N. A. Christman testified there were more people residing in a radius of 50 miles of Pikeville than resided in a like radius surrounding Huntington and that the population density of that particular area is typical of the Big Sandy valley we are disinclined to accept Mr. Gilbert's statement especially in view of the fact that Mr. Gilbert had notice thru his attorney that such a statement was made in this record.

"Witness Thompson, at page 205 of the record, testified that the Sandy valley [illegible] the Chesapeake & Ohio enjoy quite a bit of overhead traffic and to a greater extent than the [illegible] Ohio [illegible] traffic and to a greater extent than the [illegible] was all [illegible]

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TO NAME TICKET AT CONVENTION

Democrats Supporting Primary Lose Fight Before Central Committee

Despite strenuous efforts, by the group of adherents of the primary system of selecting candidates for county office, the Democratic central committee on Saturday decided against holding a primary for the purpose of nominating candidates for county office. The convention will be held May 12, the same date as the convention for the purpose of naming candidates for county officers will be held Saturday, May 9.

The committee, meeting for the second time to decide the same issue, convention or primary, ratified the decision of the Rules committee by a 22 to 15 vote. Committee absentees picked up seven more votes than they had at the meeting February 20, when the count was 25 to 22.

After a two-hour session of the committee, during which 500 spectators packed, heated, jeered, applauded, hissed or shouted as the spirit moved them, the vote was taken. It was announced as 22 to 14, but the committee later in executive session recognized an additional proxy for a primary, making the final count 22 to 15.

The fight for the convention was lost as at the first meeting by E. J. Stone, Ben Phillips and E. W. Creed, Hodgenville. A primary was advocated by Judge Charles A. Hardin, chairman of the committee, and Vigo Barnes, Hopkinsville.

J. Gilbert Combs, Auburn, the only member of the committee to make an address, presented a sheaf of resolutions, letters, petitions and articles favoring a primary. As a moment-ter, however, he shared the spotlight with Charles J. Sipple, Winchester, a spectator who hotly favored a primary and invited speakers for a convention, drawing laughter, applause and hisses with his names.

At the executive session of the committee, a sub-committee composed of Mrs. Samuel M. Wilson and W. F. Kleier, Lexington, and Leslie W. Morris, Frankfort, was appointed to arrange the committee options against a suit filed in Frankfort circuit court to declare the convention unconstitutional.

Creed, in his address at the meeting said the suit, even though it declared the convention method invalid, would have no practical effect. He argued that if the candidates nominated in convention were disqualified, it would have the same effect as if a candidate died, and the state committee filled the place. This, he could do, he said, by nominating the entire slate chosen in the convention. This was contested, though he said most the final court decision being given too late for an primary.

At a preliminary the first Saturday in August, candidates for sheriff, the state senate, and the entire house of representatives will be nominated. State executive and judicial officers will be nominated at the convention at Lexington.

All members of the committee who voted for a convention February 20 again were for the convention Saturday. Six members changed their votes from primary to convention. They were James A. Diskin, Newport; Mrs. C. C. Duncan, Martinsville; Chas. G. Franklin, Madisonville; W. N. Hind, Covington; Miss Sarah Mahan, Danville, and Mrs. Gladys Scott, Murray.

The conven[illegible] was backed up by [illegible] W. J. Smith, Hindman, as [illegible] convention. Smith [illegible] as a member of the committee [illegible] Hopkins county, who had voted for a primary, Mrs. Scott, when the vote was taken, [illegible] T. Wells, of Murray State Teachers College, would be [illegible] for governor next week.

The roll [illegible] of the committee, not present, [illegible] in person or by proxy, was: Mrs. Julia A. Fulton, of Barbourville, who voted for convention at the last meeting; Mrs. Stabler E. Reed, Louisville, offering the proxy of Mrs. Eugene Moore; Mrs. Richard James, Paducah, who was nominated as a member, but the committee later recognized her proxy for a primary.

The official roll follows:

For a convention: Mrs. H. C. Blackburn, Georgetown; St. K. Coffman, Central City; E. W. Creed, Hodgenville; Mrs. C. L. Cornelius, Falmouth; James A. Diskin, Newport; Lindsay Douglas, Mt. Sterling; Mrs. C. C. Duncan, Martinsville; James E. Fahey, Louisville; E. J. Feltz, Russellville; Chas. G. Franklin, Madisonville; E. M. Garrett, Whitesburg; J. J. Greenbaum, Richmond; W. J. Smith, Pikeville; Noel F. Harper, Scottsville; W. N. Hind, Covington; Mrs. Davis M. Howerton, Ashland; Mrs. H. L. Hunt, Franklin; W. E. Kleier, Lexington; Miss Sarah Mahan, Danville; Mrs. A. J. McDermott, Harlan; Mrs. Eugene Moseley, Bedford; L. W. Morris, Frankfort; Mrs. Noel Payne, Clarkson; Mrs. Stanley E. Reed, Maysville; Mrs. Effie Roberts, Paintsville; Mrs. Gladys Scott, Murray; J. Dan Talbott, Bardstown; Mrs. S. L. Van Meter, Lexington; Mrs. Sam M. Wilson, Lexington; Bailey P. Wilson, Hazard; Mrs. Sue Nelson Hartford; Allie W. Young, Morehead. Total, 22.

For a primary: Vigo Barnes, Hopkinsville; Press Block, Owensboro; Mrs. A. C. Ford, Louisville; Mrs. Eli, Ky.; Graham, Louisville; Mrs. Harvey Helm, Samford; Robert Humphries, Mayfield; Mrs. Bullard James, Preston[illegible]; H. Clay Kauffman, Lancaster; Mrs. John King, Owensboro; Mrs. A. T. M. Kinney, Elk[illegible]; Gordon Montgomery, Columbia; Mrs. R. R. Neville, Allington; Mrs. Ben E. Niles, Hendersonville; Henry J. Tilford, Louisville; Cecil F. Williamson, Somerset. Total, 15.

Absent, Mrs. John A. Fulton, of Barbourville.

MISS STEPHENS AND MR. MOSIER WED HERE

Marriage of Miss Pearl Stephens and Mr. Forrest E. Mosier, well-known young couple of Langley, this county, was solemnized here Saturday morning at the home of the officiating minister, Rev. A. C. Harlowe, in the presence of a few intimate friends.

News of this union will be received with much interest by the many friends of the contracting parties. The bride is the attractive daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Stephens, of Langley. Mr. Mosier is a member of the Maytown high school faculty, and came to this county from Indiana. Both are quite popular and have a host of friends.

21 JAILED HERE FOLLOWING FIGHT

Fannin, Employe on Pipe Line Work, Sustains Skull Fracture

Ed Fannin, of Garth, near Beaver Valley, is in critical condition in a fine-cut skull and 21 men are locked in the Floyd county jail, charged with assault and battery, as the result of a fight which occurred Friday afternoon near Garth, in connection with the building for the Gulf & Ohio Gas Company of a pipe line which will extend from Texas to the Atlantic coast.

According to a statement made by an eye-witness, Fannin was struck on the head by a rock thrown by Will Frazier while he is alleged, was one of a party of men who came in an attempt to force workmen in the ditch to quit their jobs.

The aggressors, it is claimed, had been made to procure by force, after a lay-off due the result of a ready supply of laborers, and, accosting the workers at Garth, ordered them to leave their work. All except Fannin, it is said, complied with the order. A quarrel ensued, and Fannin, this report continues, threw a pick at Frazier, inflicting a deep wound on Frazier's leg. Thereupon Frazier is said to have thrown the rock which struck Fannin.

Included in the group which was lodged in jail here are Ford Works, Maud Risner, Bill Hughes, Dolphia Howard, Herb Hancock, Ed Allen, Bill Bradley, Joe Hale, Arthur Crisp, Bill Manual, Joe Moran, Big Compton, Cecil Conley, Estill Hughes, Earl Rice, Steve Justice, Banner Hall, Jake Bradley, Al Compton, Ernest Osborn and Wilson Frazier. Bill Bradley and Herb Hancock are held, it is said, only as witnesses.

Great Advantages Are Offered Blind Children

Every blind child in Kentucky, or any Kentucky child whose sight is so poor as to prevent its attending an ordinary school, is entitled to free education at the Kentucky School for the Blind in Louisville, Ky. There is no charge for board, tuition or books.

There are separate schools for the white children and for colored, some distance apart, each with its own staff of teachers. The state has endeavored to make these schools everything they should be for the education, health and comfort of blind children of Kentucky. The buildings are large and beautifully situated on rolling grounds with magnificent forest trees, and filled with every possible convenience for the training of the blind. Teachers of the best training and of thoroughly experienced in dealing with those who cannot see.

The school session opens the second Wednesday of September and closes the second Wednesday in June, the children going to their homes for the summer vacation.

To get into the school it is necessary that the child have some little sight to a total inability to see, be between six and 18 years of age, have a sound mind, be free from disease, and a resident of Kentucky.

If you know of such a child, write to the Kentucky School for the Blind, 1867 Frankfort avenue, Louisville, Ky.

Cure for Insomnia

One of the most amazing cures for insomnia is that discovered by Mr. Percival Boyd. He is a member of the Society of Genealogists and finding some time so that he could not sleep he embarked upon the task of compiling a complete index of the marriages that took place in England and Wales between 1538 and 1837. Mr. Boyd has already compiled a list of 17,000 on 128 columns. So good is the index that the record of any marriage can be found in five minutes. Letters and slips containing information arrive daily. It is calculated by Mr. Boyd, that at the present rate of progress he won't will take a hundred years to complete. He cannot get an any faster because his task makes him so sleepy. He has found his cure.

Scallops Led to Water

The scallop season is not long and the persons who are employed in it must make the best of the time while the result that in some sections of Long Island and New England the school sessions are curtailed in order to allow the children to do their part. But the government will not permit any irregularity in the handling of this delicacy and recently a New England fish dealer was fined $1,000 for "watering" scallops. When treated to an ordinary bath the scallops take on size and weight so that an unscrupulous dealer is really selling water at the price of scallops.

Old, but Effective

The tot catechister which we printed recently reminded a reader of one he had in his scrapbook.

If a Hottentot tot taught a Hottentot tot, to tate o'er the taught tot could totter, ought the Hottentot tot be taught to say aught, or naught, or what ought to be taught here?

If to hoot and to hoot a Hottentot tot be taught by a Hottentot tutor, should the tutor get hoot if the Hottentot tot hoot and toot at the Hottentot tutor?—Boston Transcript.

Cheese for Children

Formerly mothers might have been shocked if it had been suggested that young children be given cheese. Today the up-to-date nursery schools frequently offer it.—Woman's Home Companion.

A Cake of Soap Might Have Helped

Even his best friends wouldn't tell him so he flunked the exam.

How Secrets Get Out

"Is the new postmaster quick to catch on?"

"Yes—he never has to read the same postcard twice."

CHURCH ANNOUNCEMENTS

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
Arnold T. Malmberg, Pastor

Sunday Services

Sunday School, 9:30 a. m.
Morning worship, 10:45 a. m.
Christian Endeavor, 6:30 p. m.
Evening worship, 7:30 p. m.

Prayer meeting Wednesday evening, 7:30 p. m.

PENTECOSTAL CHURCH OF GOD
West Prestonsburg, Ky.
G. R. Fannin, Pastor

Sunday School, 10:30 a. m.
Evening worship, 7:30 p. m.
Prayer meeting, Wednesday and Friday, 7:30 p. m.

You and your friends are cordially invited to attend these services.

PILGRIM HOLINESS CHURCH
Curtis Posey, Pastor

Sunday School, 9:30 a. m. J. J. Brown, Supt. We have classes for all ages.

Preaching at 11 a. m. by Rev. R. W. Wolfe, of Reece, Ky.

Preaching at 7:30 p. m.

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HEALTH NEWS

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

PROGRESS IN DISEASE PREVENTION

[illegible] many years they have been [illegible] by such acute as [illegible] diphtheria and diphtheria [illegible] the spread of communicable [illegible] Health officers have not which [illegible] success. For example, [illegible] it has been possible to [illegible] fever to the disappearing point by the sanitary control of [illegible] water and milk supplies and yellow fever and bubonic plague may be [illegible] by successful progressive immunizations by measures against the mosquito and the rat, respectively. On the other hand, smallpox, diphtheria, scarlet fever and a number of other [illegible] have never shown much susceptibility to control by any means other than by actually immunizing each susceptible individual.

We are fortunate in being able to state that there is really no need for anyone nowadays ever to have either smallpox or diphtheria, and these diseases, as is well known, have been in the past among the most deadly of childhood. Vaccination against smallpox, repeated in a few years, will prevent smallpox. Such great improvements have been made since the introduction of this method that no one should hesitate to have his children vaccinated during the first year of life. These improvements have [illegible] in the methods of preparing the vaccine and in its administration. The United States government, through its Public Health Service now supervises the manufacture of the plants in the United States and passes on foreign estimates in which vaccine is made to sure that the methods are [illegible] and that the personnel is competent and best, are made on the most [illegible] grounds. Moreover, a vaccination has been worked out which makes the vaccination a trifling matter so far as discomfort is concerned as well as the likelihood of those [illegible] to a minimum. It has been [illegible] that the best way to prevent [illegible] other vaccination is to be [illegible] Shields and other dressings which have to be strapped on with adhesive plaster are the chief cause of sore arms, because they make the skin moist and hot and do not allow proper elimination of blood and lymph. With the tiny insertions now advocated and without any dressing whatever these vaccinations do well.

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PRE-SCHOOL AND SCHOOL BLUE RIBBON STANDARDS

The following are the standards adopted by the Floyd county health department for children from five to six years of age, which they must reach before May 1st in order to win a ribbon.

The standards for four to six years are:

1. Vision Findings: Normal vision for both eyes, or at most good spectacle vision; no pounding and shielding; free from defects other than defects corrected.

2. Immunization: Vaccinated against smallpox; immunization against diphtheria.

3. Habits: Drink one quart of milk every day; eat a green leafy vegetable every day; eat fresh or stewed fruit every day; eat NO sweets; eat no pork; eat no more than once a day; do not drink tea, coffee, soft drinks nor eat fried and highly seasoned foods; eat nothing but milk between meals; drink at least four glasses of water every day; go to bed not later than 7 p. m.; sleep with windows open; at least one and one-half hours rest during the day; at least three baths weekly; wash hands before eating and after going to the toilet; brush teeth twice daily.

4. Posture: Good standing and sitting posture; free from defects or defects corrected; normal or eyesight for defects corrected.

5. Immunization: Vaccinated against smallpox, if under 10 years of age; gives evidence of immunization against diphtheria.

6. Capable of passing grades in school.

7. Health for life: Same as standards for four to six years except that bedtime for those under 12 years of age is not later than 8 p. m.; one hour rest period in a day required; and six glasses of water should be drunk daily.

START NOW TO MAKE YOUR CHILD A KENTUCKY BLUE RIBBON CHILD!

PROVIDING STEADY WORK

One of Jim Williams' recent "Our Way" sketches provoked much [illegible] for a good deal of serious thought.

It showed a group of men in a machine shop. They were standing and hugging one another in glee for a [illegible] from the business office had just come in with the information that it would provide the shop with steady work for at least six months to come.

Now it happened that Williams [illegible] his joke on of the superintendent [illegible] to remain calm and unconcerned in the face of the good news; but the thing that sticks in one's mind somehow, is the picture of these workingmen, beside themselves with joy because they know that they are assured of steady employment for the next half year.

It reminds one, too, especially of the way in which the ordinary man in these days is completely at the mercy of business tempers about which he knows very little.

When a plant starts out into the world to make his living he must forever takes it for granted that [illegible] are only up to him, once he has proved his appreciableship. If he is a good, honest worker; if he gives [illegible] minutes of reliable work for [illegible] hours pay; if he tends to [illegible] and does his job capably, then he believes everything will go [illegible].

That, of course, is the way [illegible] But it doesn't always [illegible] that way, said Williams. He [illegible] is a tragic reminder of the [illegible]

A man can be the best workman in his trade. He can be sober, conscientious and eyes-to-the-grindstone reliable. He can be working for an old, established concern that has the reputation of treating its employees with fairness. But still he cannot [illegible] his job. He cannot have that security which is essential to a state of steady wellbeing.

If the orders do not come in properly he is out into the lock. He is completely at the mercy of forces which he cannot understand. A slump in business, originating 2,000 miles away, can reduce him to the status of the incompetent and the rebellious misfit. Neither skill nor industry will help him if the plant produces goods that cannot be sold.

It is this simple fact that is the most damaging accusation you levelled against our economic system. Somehow, and the worst of it is that nobody seems to know exactly how, this has to be changed. We must have conditions in which an honest, capable and industrious worker will always be sure of steady work and a steady income. Williams' sketch reminds us how far we have to go to reach these conditions.—Ky.

WEEK-END RAILROAD RATES ARE REDUCED

The Chesapeake & Ohio, Norfolk & Western and Louisville & Nashville railroads have just put into effect reduced rates for week-end round trips. The tickets are on sale from Friday morning to Sunday noon and long enough for return arriving by midnight the following Tuesday.

The round trip costs one and one-fifth the regular one-way fare. This applies between all stations except on the Columbus division of the Norfolk and Western from Louisville to Columbus.

This notice was posted on a pleasure boat belonging to a certain steamship company:

"The chairs in the cabin are for ladies. Gentlemen are requested not to make use of them until the ladies are seated."

STEPHENS BRANCH

Miss Dolly Marshall, of this place, who is attending Maytown high school was visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Marshall, this week-end.

Frank Wolfe and son Ralph were visiting friends and relatives at Boyd and Lackey Sunday.

Misses Lorena Valker and Elsa Grantland returned home Wednesday after spending several days in Prestonsburg.

Sunday School here is progressing nicely, with Elsa Grantland and Lorena Valeker, leaders.

Mr. and Mrs. Curt McCoy attended the talkies at Martin Sunday.

Mrs. Willie Crisp and Mrs. Bess Williams were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Davis Allen Friday.

A large crowd went on a picnic Sunday.

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WATER SUPPLY HERE O. K., SAYS OFFICIAL

Inspection of the Prestonsburg water works Monday by an official of the state board of health showed that the plant is in first-class condition and that purity of the water is excellent, it was stated this week.

Specimens from the city water supply are sent to Lexington laboratories at least weekly by the Floyd county health department and once a month to Louisville in order to preclude the possibility of consumers being exposed to disease, accruing from contaminated water.

Water sources of other towns in this county were also inspected this week, it was said.

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Our stock was never more complete. Newest styles and spring colors in both suits and furnishings.

Sport Coats

$11.50 up

They come in flannel and broadcloth. Half belts in the back, and large patch pockets.

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Roomy and comfortable "plus fours" of linen or wool. Plain or checkered designs.

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Every Arrow Shirt is now pre-shrunk by the Sanford process, and are guaranteed not to shrink.

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Thompson's Restaurant

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COLDS

STOP your cold before your cold stops you. Colds are dangerous. They often lead to Flu, Tonsilitis, Bronchitis and other diseases of the nose, throat and lungs.

Just a few tablets of Dr. Miles' Aspir-Mint will often break up a cold.

"I have used Dr. Miles' Aspir-Mint for Colds and would not feel safe unless I had it in the house, it gives such quick relief."

Mrs. Marlow, Red Wing, Minn.

Use Dr. Miles' Aspir-Mint for Colds, Headache, Neuralgia, Rheumatism, Neuritis, Lumbago, Sciatica, Muscular Pains, Periodic Pains.

At your druggists—15c and 25c.

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NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

[illegible] Floyd County will receive sealed bids for the construction of a concrete road [illegible] Prestonsburg on May [illegible] and on April 27. Contract will be awarded to the lowest and best bidder. The [illegible] reserves the right to reject any and all bids. Plans and specifications may be seen at the office of the County Road Engineer.

FLOYD COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION.
B. JOHN STEPHENS, Secretary.

GLO

JESS WILLOUGHBY DIES

Funeral services for Jess Willoughby, 19, who died at Estill Inc. Friday, are to be held at the residence of the deceased in which he had enlisted.

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I. O. O. F. CELEBRATION

On Sunday, April 26, the local lodge, Independent Order of Odd Fellows, will celebrate the 109th year of the order's existence with appropriate exercises. Arrangements are being perfected to make this the best celebration. The affair is in the hands of a capable committee and no pains are being spared to make it a success.

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FOREST FIRES

Forest fires have been raging in our hills for several weeks, doing the usual amount of damage, not only to growing timber but to fencing as well. These fires also destroy the chief cover on the ground left by the [illegible] which is of untold [illegible] to [illegible].

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BARBER SHOP ROBBED

A few nights ago thieves entered the [illegible] Barber Shop [illegible] and [illegible] Dave Hale [illegible] because the door and [illegible] lock of his cash register, razors, razor strops and clippers. No [illegible] identity of the robbers [illegible] is held.

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DRILLING FOR GAS

Drillers are [illegible] down about 1500 feet [illegible] recorded. Engineers are [illegible] the depth of a gas well [illegible] county.

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THE COAL BUSINESS

The mining [illegible] for the past two months has [illegible] here. Lack of orders is given as the cause of the shut down. Nevertheless, the business depression [illegible] has enjoyed a fair share of [illegible] and our people have [illegible] above want.

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HERE FROM HUNTINGTON

Mr. Pitch, general manager, and George Bedbourne, secretary and treasurer of the Central Coal Company, both of Huntington, W. Va., were business visitors here last week.

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VISITS PRESTONSBURG

B. C. Cooley, our school trustee, was called to Prestonsburg last Friday in the interest of securing a schoolhouse here to replace the one recently destroyed by fire.

HERE FROM LOUISA

R.B. Spencer, traveling salesman, of Louisa, was with us last week.

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HERE FROM ASHLAND

[illegible] Ashland [illegible] The Times office.

KENTUCKY WEEKLY INDUSTRIAL REVIEW

The following [illegible] a fifty-foot [illegible] meat of [illegible] and business [illegible] Enterprise [illegible] Pennington, [illegible] Ky., [illegible] and may be [illegible]

Elliott County [illegible] R. L. Stepp [illegible] No. 1 [illegible] U. S. Highway No. 1 [illegible] Mc-Grow [illegible]

Greenup [illegible] County [illegible] jury [illegible]

Work of [illegible] Arthington-Taney Farm [illegible] and [illegible]

Tyrone [illegible] pipes and improvements [illegible] pumping capacity.

James C. Mack [illegible] NYA project, received contract for grading and draining Alt-n-Flatwoods road.

Lawren [illegible] Tyrone and FON Cox's roads now part of U. S. Highway No. 62.

Cave City—R. T. Gardner [illegible] addition to hotel on Main Street.

Somerset—Citizen-Times [illegible] building [illegible]

Georgetown—Buford H. Penn and W. A. Al[illegible] insurance agency in Lancaster [illegible] West Main Street.

[illegible]—J. F. Ri[illegible] the Sporting Fraternity [illegible] Flower and Main streets.

Stearns—Lack of water mains flushed and cleaned.

Addisville—Work progressing on construction of new high school building.

Monticello—City water works completed and connecting lines from water mains to consumers' property, under way.

Cumberland Construction Company received $174,[illegible] contract for building Albany-Burkesville road.

Ashland Paving Construction Company received $75,[illegible] contract for construction of 9.7 miles of Louisville-Paducah highway, extending from Cloverport to Hawesville.

Frankfort—Louisville Asphalt Company of Louisville, capitalized at $25,000, granted charter.

Glasgow—King A. [illegible] remodeling [illegible] Lyman Bldg.

[illegible]—Bids opened for construction of courthouse here.

London—J. P. Edwards sold North London Filling station to Elton Corporation.

Smithland—Work progressing rapidly on Cumberland river bridge.

Hazard—No. [illegible] Hazard Dry Cleaning Company opened in Walkertown. John M. Ba[illegible] and Thomas A. Fingerle, owners.

Belfry—Contract [illegible] for construction of city [illegible] high school building to cost approximately $15,000.

Marion—R. E. Sa[illegible] & Co., Madisonville, [illegible] miles of highway [illegible] Crittenden county.

Hopkinsville—Dr. R. [illegible] West Ford, chiropractor, [illegible]

Campbellsville—[illegible] discussed for opening skating rink on West Main street.

Greenville—Green River bridge on Midland Trail [illegible] here, completed.

Paris—Henry Tip Shop moved to new location.

Corinth Bishops—Railway contractors, started building 15 miles road from Kuttawa to Smithland.

Ashland—Ohio Valley Chemical and Supply Company, capitalized at $25,000, granted charter.

Pikeville—Pikeville Supply & Planing Mill Company received contract for construction of apartment house and two dwellings here, W. W. Greer.

Greenville—Joe Jones [illegible] refitting interior of store, and restaurant.

Danville—Louis Marcotte and Carol Maulmul plan to open billiard parlor and lunch room in near future.

Covington—Radio Doc, Inc., capitalized at $1,000, granted charter.

Addisville—Mrs. Anna Crowdery reported sale of building.

Cave City—Lone Oak Gift Shoppe opened under management of Arthur Combs.

Greensburg—E. A. Cowherd constructing service station and community store about one mile out of this place.

Leitchfield—Denzel Wallace preparing to install wholesale and retail gas station near site where warehouse burned recently.

Whitley City—J. W. Hogue opened restaurant and confectionery recently.

Elizabethtown—Diamond filling station on South Dixie opened under management of Garland Mayes.

Campbellsville—South [illegible] Dairy Co. installed fountain.

Glasgow—Local school [illegible] advertising for bids for [illegible] school building on [illegible] present school.

Every Variety of Song in the Lives of Russians

In Russia music has always been closely connected with the lives of the people. From the time of birth through all the events of life and death comes them, they move to a musical accompaniment. The return of spring is celebrated by a song of choral dance, termed the khorovod; marriage, one of the most important times, brings forth many songs, such as "Fire of Love" ("Lyubovnaya"), "Glorification" ("Slava"), "The Matchmaker" ("Svat ousinka"). There are boating songs, laboring songs, lullabies and dance songs. Most of the dance songs are in the major key, the slow songs and lullabies are in the minor. Cesar Cui, in his book "La Musique en Russie," divided the Russian composers into three groups: First, the old Irkic school, Glinka, Darkomisky and Serov; second, the New Russians, Rimsky-Korsakoff, Mussorgsky, Borodin, and lastly Rubinstein and Tschaikowski in a class by themselves as being less distinctively national.—Washington Star.

Paw-Paw Tree Products Put to Various Uses

Papaya, or paw-paw trees, which grow in the tropical jungles of South America, are put to various uses. They are versatile in that they furnish food, medicine and soap. The Field Museum of Natural History, in Chicago, which has one of these trees in its botany exhibit, states emphatically that the tree is not to be regarded as a fluke between the animal and vegetable worlds. The tropical paw-paw tree is described as an odd-looking affair, tapering from the base of the stem to a height of about 20 feet. It exudes a peculiar juice which, rubbed on meat, will make the toughest beef-steak as tender as venison, according to Popular Science Monthly. The natives living in the districts where the paw-paw tree abounds use the juice for this purpose. The juice is an acid, pithy substance and has medicinal value. The seeds are used as an effective vermifuge or worm destroyer. Furthermore, the tree has a delicious fruit. It is large, pulpy, oblong in shape and has a heavy rind.

Ruby Rates Above Diamond

A ruby is harder than any stone except the diamond. Carat for carat, rubies of the first quality are rarer and consequently more valuable than diamonds of a corresponding grade. No other stone increases as rapidly in value in proportion to increase in weight as this.

One peculiar property of the ruby is that it becomes green upon exposure to high temperature but regains its original color on cooling. Dark red rubies are found in Siam, and purplish ones in Ceylon, but Burma alone may claim the wonderful pigeon's blood ruby. A cloudy variety exists also which, when cut with a convex surface, exhibits a luminous star, giving it its name of star-ruby.

Odd Methods of Fishing

Natives of some sections of India have several unusual methods of catching fish. Popular Mechanics Magazine says. In Assam, fishermen crouch on the banks of shallow lakes and emit a shrill whistle which attracts a species of mountain fish. Lured by the sound, this fish darts into the shallow pathway of the whistler and is caught. In other places the direct rays of the sun force mountain fish to seek shelter beneath or beside rocks along the banks of streams. The cunning Indian crawls to a bowlder behind which a fish is hiding, strikes the rock a heavy blow with his spiked club, and catches the fish, stunned by the sound vibrations.

His Move

In the wee hours of a recent morning a group of grownup kids emerged from a restaurant, went into a huddle on a pedestrian comer at the direction of a lad whose fiery red hair waved in the breeze from the broken places of a crushed derby, and began to harmonize. Soon the deserted city canyon was ringing with the strains of "Here we are together."

The young cop on the beat listened for a moment, then turned the other way and started down the street. "I guess I'll go down here and look for robbers," he said.—Pittsburgh Post-Gazette.

Eagle as a Symbol

The eagle stood for two things in ancient symbolism. The Greek name for the monarch of the air was a word meaning "rapid motion." The deeply mystic Hebrews after watching the great bird sitting motionless, contemplating the sun, gave it a name which meant "meditation." In early Christian art the eagle became the symbol of spiritual power, because it was able to soar fearlessly through the highest places. The lion was the symbol of human pride and temporal power.

Engraving Is Ancient Art

Engraving dates back to the ancients, but the first authentic engraving of which there is any record was that of St. Christopher, 1423. Baron de Reiffenberg claims to have found an earlier one, dated 1418, and a manuscript discovered in the middle of the Eighteenth century gives reason for believing that the art was known as early as 1306 in Eng[illegible] but there has been too much co[illegible] prior to St. [illegible] to set it the earlier [illegible].

Belief in Evil Spirits Common to All Peoples

There are many explanations as to where and when the story of the Devil or Satan originated, that is, when this personage first came upon the earth and who or what evil first brought him into being.

The belief in evil spirits has been found in practically all religions and among all peoples from the earliest times, and here the idea has been traced from time to time may be easily traced by reference to cyclopedia articles on the subject, to articles in Bible cyclopedias, dictionaries of religious knowledge, Catholic Cyclopedia, Jewish Cyclopedia, etc. The word "Satan" signifies "an enemy" and the word "Devil" signifies "a slanderer." The International Encyclopedia says in part: "In later Jewish and Christian belief, a malignant spirit of [illegible] who has during unknown ages ruled over a kingdom of evil spirits and is, in constant and restlessly active opposition to God." The writer of that article states that the Hebrews knew little about such evil spirits until they came in contact with the religions of Babylonia and Persia during their captivity in Babylonia. These ideas were developed by the Jews and many of them were carried over into Christian theology, where they were subject to other influences.

Fainting Spells One of Acrobats' Great Perils

It is not unknown for acrobats to faint, in unlikely. One famous acrobat has said that during a somersault in mid-air from a trapeze his brain is numbed, and for a second or two he is practically unconscious. This he attributes to the speed with which the revolution is performed, and the sudden shock it gives to the brain. One night a woman performer was preparing to do a sensational flying act from one trapeze to another when, suddenly, at the moment she should have jumped, she was seen to sway dizzily. The next second the horrified crowd saw her tumble head first from the trapeze. Fortunately, the rope was twined around her ankle so that she hung head downward. She was obviously in a dead faint. Quick as a flash another trapezist swung himself out, and, in a flying leap, grasped the trapeze from which the girl was dangling. He pulled her back to safety, fastened a rope round her waist, and lowered her—still in a faint—to the stage.

Origin of "Size"

"Sedere" is a Latin verb from the same root as our "to sit" and has the same meaning. With the addition of "ad," meaning "to," we have "obsidere" or "assidere," meaning literally "to sit to." From this comes the medieval law-word "assisa," which has several meanings, of which the most important is "a sitting of a judge," preserved in our "assize." The French form "Fassisa," meaning, "the assize," was probably mistaken for "la size." The latter word meant, first, "legal regulation by a judge sitting in assize," then the thing regulated particularly weights and measures, next a standard of magnitude, and so at last simply "bigness."

Revolution's Beginning

The French revolution was mainly the result of the oppression of the French people, who rose in revolt against the extravagance and tyranny of the kings and nobles. In addition they had no adequate representation in the legislature. The taxes were heavy and in 1777 there were as many as 1,250,000 beggars in France. Alarmed by the increasing signs of unrest in the country, the king and some of the nobles began to gather the army near Paris. This so enraged the people of Paris that they stormed the bastille on July 14, 1789. This is regarded as the beginning of the revolution.

Buddhist Cave Temples

Though the Ceylon Buddhists did not make such fine cave temples as their fellow-religionists in India, there are several which are of more than passing interest. One very curious example is to be found at Dambulla, not far from Kandy, where natural caves have been enlarged, and huge images have been carved in the interior. But modern structures have been built in front of these caves, thus spoiling the whole conception. The whitewashed brick walls seem very incongruous in the vicinity of ancient cave temples, which are probably nearly two thousand years old.

Different Kind of Work

In a south side school the class in literature was very much interested in the poem, "The Village Blacksmith." In the midst of the discussion the teacher asked:

"Why does the blacksmith have such large muscles? My arm isn't like that."

After a pause, one of the girls replied:

"He does his work with his arm while you do yours with your mouth."—Indianapolis News.

Took His Word

Brown inserted an advertisement in a newspaper offering his car for sale. At 8 p. m. the door bell rang, and a man asked to see the car. "It's out in front," said Brown. He had no garage, so parked it there.

"There's no car there," said the man—and he was right [illegible] advertisement read: "For [illegible] good car. A gift. First to see it will take it." The first man to see took it all right.

MRS. TURNER DIES IN HER 89TH YEAR

Prominent Paintsville Woman Succumbs on Monday, April 16

[illegible]

GRAND AND PETIT JURORS SELECTED

[illegible]

Grand Jurors

[illegible]

Petit Jurors

[illegible]

SUIT FILED TO FORCE PRIMARY

Frankfort, Ky., April 18.—Suit was filed in Franklin circuit court today seeking a mandatory injunction to require the Democratic state central executive committee from providing a convention for nomination of the state tickets.

The defendants named in the petition are Miss Ella Lewis, secretary of state, and members of the Democratic committee. The plaintiffs are: J. T. Wall, W. Lee Goff, E. C. Stephenson, L. J. Harris and John C. Duffy, of Christian county.

The petition claims the statutes provide nomination by primary. Should the committee rule a convention held, the petition asks that the secretary of state be prevented from issuing certificates of nomination to candidates named at the convention.

Because You Didn't. Dope!

Why is it no one can put a hair on your head and make it feel as if you had put it there yourself?

GUARD NATIONAL IDEALS

No more important or cheering, or encouraging and valuable, convention or congresses are held in America than the annual continental congress of the Daughters of the American Revolution, [illegible] of which is in session at Washington. [illegible] President Mrs. Lowell Fletcher Hobart [illegible] the Nation's distinguished [illegible] in Columbia [illegible] Hall. The keynote address was delivered by [illegible] and [illegible] of the [illegible] and [illegible] adequate language expressing [illegible] and [illegible] opposition to any and every form of political thought and government which challenges the validity and supremacy of American democracy.

These women of splendid faith and ideals are of the line of our noblest and most inspiring traditions, tradition which holds no remotest suggestion that the United States should ever, in all the generations of years to come, be the nurse of the nations of the world. But feeling women they stand for justice and mercy, for charity and peace. In our national relations with all foreign governments, yet bind inexorably to the guidance of political or other entanglements with governments and alien governments which might affect evilly the interests of American development and progress.

The Daughters of the American Revolution are true guardians of the Nation's best interests. They keep alive the sacred fires of a patriotism in the souls of men, and women [illegible] of the [illegible] principles of [illegible] and equality. Their influence [illegible] has lifted them above every influence, and peer as nation might have a leader to lead to national spirit. In their deliberations of the present week the Nation will respond to their [illegible] to stand for [illegible] and practical [illegible] and [illegible] in [illegible] the views and principles of the founders of the Nation's men whose foresight and wisdom never yet since [illegible] has been equalled.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

THE DEMOCRACY OF THE DEAD

John J. Ingalls, United States senator from Kansas some years ago, delivered an oration entitled "The Democracy of the Dead." His theme was that in the democracy of the dead all men are on just equal: that the map of wealth and distinction has down with the pauper and the unknown and the unsung to slide back into oblivion and nature from whence they came. This oration has been cited one of the outstanding bits of [illegible] Youngsters in school are made [illegible] with the high sentiments expressed and uncorrupted.

[illegible] though there is some exaggeration in this oration [illegible] the dead, all men are equal. They are just as much dead as when living. The same [illegible] distinctions of [illegible] of wealth, of military glory [illegible] scholarship, etc.

[illegible] a cemetery and see it all. [illegible] High monuments, low monuments and no monuments at all cover you. Very unequal men are [illegible] die. Read the inscriptions they tell the same story. Read his [illegible] and the graves are placed on record, while [illegible] great and those with no records are unheard of and [illegible].

The recent major airplane wreck in Kansas of March 31, of which the [illegible] runs: "Knute Rockne, Seven Others Die as Plane Falls," illustrates the unequal status in death of many [illegible]. Who are the "Seven others?" Their names were given way down in the column, but no headline for them. Knute got all that. Column after column in every newspaper almost of the nation for weeks was occupied with his death, but not of the other seven. Knute was buried with great honors, including the great Notre Dame football coach that he, no doubt, deserved. But the "seven others?" It doesn't matter about them. Men are not equal in death. They are very unequal. So let it pass and well strive in this life to get enough distinction to keep our names alive after death for a brief period.—Crawford's Weekly.

PILES YIELD TO CHINESE HERB

Don't suffer another minute from blind, itching, protruding or bleeding piles without testing the newest and fastest acting treatment out. Dr. Nixon's Chinaroid, fortified with rare, imported Chinese Herb, with amazing power to reduce swollen tissues, brings ease and comfort in a few minutes, enabling you to work and enjoy life while it continues its soothing, healing action. Don't delay. Act in time to avoid a dangerous and costly operation. Try Dr. Nixon's Chinaroid under our guarantee to satisfy completely and be worth 100 times the small cost of your money back.

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Two Dates for New Year in Seventeenth Century

We ought to be thankful that the affair of the calendar was settled for us by our ancestors, for it must have been a very confusing business to live in the Seventeenth century, for instance when the new year did not begin officially until the last week in March, while at the same time people reckoned December 31 as the last day of the old year. Long before the time of Pepys, for example, many people celebrated January 1 as New Year's day, so that the old year was on the 31 March 1. Pepys, in his diary, "At the end of the last and the beginning of this year . . . I take myself for to be worth £800 (about $3,500) clear in money." But this did not alter the fact that January 1 was not New Year's Day. March 25 is perhaps as "Lady day," though on that date he had to change the year.

It is really remarkable that nothing was done until 1752 to bring the end of the year by ordinary reckoning and the legal end of the year together—though, after all, it may not be so wonderful when we remember that we ourselves still begin the fiscal year as from old Lady day, which is April 6 of our modern calendar. Yet there are compensations even in anomalies. The sufferings of the ordinary citizen about the turn of the year are serious enough without having a judge to add to them.—Manchester (England) Guardian.

Height of Human Agony in Waiting Return of Lost

In Brittany they are always awaiting the return of lost fishermen. Day after day the bereaved ones of their fishermen wait, gazing out over the treacherous waters. Months, years, even years have passed, but they do not give up the search. Day in, day out, in the stringent sense of their loved ones, all life is suspended. Endless waiting, hope against hope, the almost wildest, says the world upon the place. Of all tragedies, surely the human heart, such waiting is the cruelest. The unceasing of hope deeply plunges the heart into a condition of the "deferred sick" Hope deferred, the Scriptures, "maketh the heart sick" even the unconscious consciousness of a knowledge of the dear ones' fate. The pangs of anxiety and dread paralyzes every healthful activity, drains the "cup of life" dry, leaves every night a sleepless one and either all joy and peace from human ken. The only refuge left such Breton wives or folk in life is passionate and daily prayer to God for the return of the missing men who went out upon the sea, and who have not returned.—Le Matin (Paris).

Tracing the Word "Pie"

[illegible] word pie was unknown to English speech until the year 1303, and we are told by the same eminent philologist, Sir James A. H. Murray, that it occurred in our literature first in Computus of the Bolton priory in Lancashire in 1303, in which there is an entry concerning the use of fruit in pies and pastries for the body guard of the priory. Coleridge pie, [illegible] writes Frank H. Vizetelly, the literary editor, "The earliest work on cookery in which we have any records is dated 1545, and in its manuscript the first recorded English cookery was printed in 1584, ten years before Christopher Columbus discovered America, the Worshipful Company of Cooks was incorporated and chartered in London in 1482."—Detroit News.

Authors and the Bible

A fine set of concordances shows the influence of the Bible would be endless, but we cite a few examples: Coleridge said, "Because study of the Bible will keep any man from being vulgar in point of style." Daniel Webster said, "I know of no other book in my study or thought to be commended, the credit is due to my kind parents in instilling into my mind an early love of the Scriptures." A Scotch nurse taught him to love the Bible and his "Hebrew Melodies" are drawn wholly from the Scriptures. In Robert Burns' "The Cotter's Saturday Night" there are some 20 Biblical references.—Washington Star.

Spider's Deadly Enemy

There is one enemy against which spider cunning and ferocity cannot contend—a little blue wasp. Finding the door ajar, the wasp swoops down, stuns the doorkeeper with a stab of its sting, then leaves a calling card in the form of an egg among the living blobs of jelly in the silken hammock and disappears. From the wasp egg comes a grub, which devours the baby spiders, whereupon in that subterranean chamber it spins a cocoon around itself and metamorphoses, under protection of the murdered mother spider's trapdoor, into a blue wasp that will repeat its mother's performance on another trapdoor spider.

Legendary Potentate

Prester John was a semi-mythical potentate of the Middle ages, believed to reign over a Christian kingdom in the Far East. It is, however, certain that no Christian potentate ruled in Asia in the Twelfth century, though the legend must have had some basis in fact. Prester John has been variously identified with a certain Mongol chief and with the founder of the Khara Khitai, who called himself "Gur Khan" or "Supreme Khan." The legend of Prester John's existence provided a continual stimulus to medieval exploration.

AT THE..... **MOVIES--PROGRAM**

A WEEK OF UNUSUAL PICTURES

FRIDAY—

'Passion Flower'

A fine story ably enacted by a cast including CARLES BICKFORD, KAY FRANCIS and KAY JOHNSON.

SATURDAY—

"THE CAT WHISPERS"

LOOKING FOR THRILLS? This picture is full of them! Photoplay Magazine terms this "the daddy of all mystery thrillers." One day only—see it music.

SUNDAY AND MONDAY—

CONSTANCE BENNETT in another talking triumph—

"Sin Takes a Holiday"

TUESDAY AND WEDNESDAY—

BILL HAINES appears as a radio announcer in—

"Remote Control"

All in pure and unadulterated fun!

THURSDAY—Phillips Holmes, Grant Mitchell and Lucille Powers in a dramatic story of a father returning after 18 years in prison to face his son—

"Man to Man"

Coming---

"WHOOPEE"

AT THE **UNIQUE THEATER**

"SOUND AS GOOD AS THE BEST"

PRESTONSBURG, KENTUCKY

AUXIER

Homer McKenzie and family have moved to the Martin Fork farm near Bays Branch.

William Dotson moved on Tuesday of last week to Bays Branch. He expects to farm near the mouth of this branch.

E. R. Stanfill has accepted a position as clerk in the J. C. P. Auxier store at Auxier.

Fishing, gardening and hoping are the prevailing ambitions in Auxier these days of sunshine and many people who are really engaged in it.

Warren M. Meek was a business caller at the North-East Coal Company at Auxier on Tuesday of last week.

Dr. Marvin Ransdell, director of the Floyd county health department, called at the Auxier [illegible] Tuesday. He examined [illegible] a large number of [illegible] people. Most of them were [illegible] and third and fourth [illegible] had undergone examination for [illegible] troubles. Quite [illegible] had been corrected by Dr. Ransdell a few months ago. We are always pleased to have Dr. Ransdell call. He is a very genial sort, and is a [illegible] worker in our schools.

Milroy Daniels has taken his wife, who has been ill for several years, to the Golden Rule hospital in Paintsville for an operation. Doctor Martin of Ironton, Ohio, will perform the operation.

The Blanton Brothers, drilling for the Piney Oil & Gas Company, have just moved their drilling rig to the Lee Hopson place and will commence to drill another gas well. This will make the third well in this vicinity. The two recently drilled, we understand, are fine producers.

R. E. Thomas, C. W. Burke and Logan Music motored to Ashland Friday evening.

Mrs. Margaret E. LaViers, who has been for the past two weeks visiting among her children and old neighbors in Ohio, arrived home on last Tuesday evening.

A large number of the members of the Free & Accepted Masons at Auxier motored to Van Lear to attend a lodge meeting on Monday evening, March 13. The work of the Master's degree was conferred by a special request of the Van Lear lodge of the Auxier degree team, which team in that work is second to none in the county. After the meeting closed a banquet was served.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Preston attended the funeral of Mr. Preston's grandmother, Mrs. Turner, of Paintsville, who died last Thursday.

Sam Childers and family spent a day last week with relatives and friends at Fort Gay, W. Va.

The revival services being held at East Point by Rev. Elliott Webb, veteran Baptist minister of this community, is proving very successful.

A. D. W. Smith, president of the North-East Coal Company, with H. LaViers, general manager, were business callers at the Auxier office on Monday last.

Buy Dressed Chickens

1931 Fryers

HENS, 25c per lb. EGGS, 20c a dozen.

Chickens dressed free of charge to customers.

MRS. BEN PARKER

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bulk—green

lb. 29c

regular price lb. 33c

Flour	Sunnyfield	24 1-2 lb. sack	59c
Pure Lard		2 lbs.	19c
Corn	A & P Golden Bantam	No. 2 can	11c
Peaches	Argo	large can	19c
Rice Krispies	Kellogg's	pks.	13c
Pineapple	Del Monte sliced	2 No. 1 cans	25c
Fig Bars		2 lbs.	19c
Lux Toilet Soap		3 cakes	19c
Matches	A & P	6 boxes	15c

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PRESERVES

Blackberry - Peach Pineapple 2 jars 29c

Strawberry — Raspberry 2 jars 39c

8 O'clock Coffee	lb.	21c
Nutley Oleo	2 lbs.	25c
Bread Grandmother's	16 oz. loaf	5c

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