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HALEDEMAN GLEE CLUB

A glee club was organized under the direction of J. Ewing Basford, last Monday night at the Haldeman Consolidated School. The following officers were elected: President, Miss Sally Cogswell; vice president, Miss Mayna Myers; secretary, Miss Edith Vinzell; treasurer, Miss Pearl Stinson.

The club song was taught to the club by the director, which aroused much pep for the evening.

The club members were given parts in a number of plays that will be given the first Saturday night in November.

Those attending the club were: Misses Sally Cogswell, Mayna Myers, Olive Bowen, Emma Brown, Sue Clark, Mary Smith, Caloma Hicks, Evelyn Stinson, Pearl Stinson, Margaret Stewart, Margaret Leadbetter, Edith Vinzell, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Leightner, George Bowen, Harlan Reock, Ollie Adams, Jackie Clark, Lee Clark, Curtis Cox, Sydney Cox, David Stinson, Fred Caudill, Prof. Roy Holbrook and J. Ewing Basford.

AUTOMOBILE ACCIDENT

Elvira, the five-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sam C. Caudill, was slightly injured Tuesday evening when the car in which she and her mother were riding collided with a car driven by A. J. Fraley, just beyond the bridge crossing into Farmers from Blue Stone. Both cars were badly damaged. Elvira was thrown several feet from where the wreck occurred but received only slight bruises and a few scratches.

LARGE FISH

James Holbrook, the well-known hardware salesman, caught this fish the first of the week, one weighing 18 1/2 pounds. The others each weighing eight pounds. Mr. Holbrook is pronounced the champion fish catcher of the town. Dr. C. C. and H. L. Nickell were the guests of the Holbrook family for dinner that day. We didn't learn where all the fish were eaten at one meal or not. They were caught out of North Fork and were pluck.

FLUENING ROAD TO BE SURVEYED

Engineer Potts having finished the work of surveying the road from Morehead to Sandy Hook will commence the work Monday of surveying the road from Morehead to Flemingsburg. It is said the letting of the Sandy Hook road will be done the first meeting of the Road Commission in November.

M. N. S. OPENED MONDAY WITH LARGE ATTENDANCE

The More State Normal School and Teachers' College opened the Fall semester Monday of this week. There are about four hundred students enrolled already, and no doubt there will be other students to enroll for several days yet. The dormitories are taking care of most all the students on the campus.

HURTS HAND

Wednesday morning Kenneth Vincelli, son of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Vincelli, of Haldeman had the misfortune to accidentally run his left hand through the wringer of an electric washing machine and nearly severed one of his fingers. He was it took ten stitches to close the wound.

BARN BURNS

A barn belonging to Herbert Caudill on his farm across Triple Creek, was destroyed by fire Monday evening. There were several bushels of corn stored in the barn which, together with the barn, was a total loss, there being no insurance.

NEW TEACHER FOR HALEDEMAN

Mrs. Luther Clegg, of this city, accepted a position as teacher in one of the primary grades of the Haldeman Consolidated School. This school now has seven teachers and is one of the prettiest school buildings in any rural district in Eastern Kentucky. It is the pride of the Kentucky Fire Brick Company, who made it possible for Rowan county to have a building like that.

AUCTION SALE FOR AUTOMOBILE

I will sell at my garage in Morehead, Ky., on Saturday, October 15, 1927, at or about the hour of 10 o'clock a. m., at public auction, to the highest and best bidder, the following described motor vehicle:

A five (5) passenger Dodge Touring Car Automobile, Model 864679, Serial No. 827106 and belonging to Marie Neal.

Terms: Cash. Said sale being made for the purpose of satisfying my claims for labor, repairs, accessories and storage, applied on and furnished for said automobile in pursuance to the provisions of the Kentucky Statutes, governing such matters.

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The A. & P. store are having their formal opening yesterday and today (Saturday).

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CORNETT-RIDDLE

The marriage of Miss Nola Corbett and Vincent Riddle, which took place Saturday, came as a pleasant surprise to their many friends in this city.

Mrs. Riddle is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Cornett, who live near Morehead on the Midland trail. She is an attractive young lady and is one of Rowan county's successful teachers. She is teaching in the Morehead Consolidated School this year.

Mr. Riddle is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Riddle, of North Fork. He is a splendid young business man. His young couple have a host of friends in Morehead and Rowan county, who join us in wishing them a life of happiness.

ENTERTAINS GOOD WILL CIRCLE

The Good Will Circle of the Christian church were entertained Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. C. B. McCullough. The members present were: Madeline Leo Oppenheimer, Arthur Blair, C. E. Cloyd, V. Hunt, Murvel Crossley, Virgil Flood, A. F. McGuire, Jack Helwig and Miss Inez Faith Humphrey.

GOES TO BAYLER UNIVERSITY

Jack Lewis, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Lewis, left Wednesday for Dallas, Texas, where he will enter the Baylor University to take a course in pharmacy. Mrs. Lewis accompanied her son to Louisville where she was the guest of Mrs. James Duesler.

JUDGE TUSSEY IN HOSPITAL

The many friends of Judge Richmond Tussey will be sorry to hear of his continued ill health. Judge Tussey entered the hospital at Huntington last week for treatment.

ENTERNS BUSINESS SCHOOL

William Harry Hudgens, known by his friends as "Bill," has gone to Lexington, where he will take a business course at the Fugazzi school.

FESS-WHITTAKER DEAD

Fess Whittaker, the "Jailed Jailer," of Letcher county was killed suddenly Sunday in an automobile wreck about 3 miles from Whitesburg.

Mr. Whittaker was a candidate for Congress a few years ago against John W. Laughey, of Pikeville. He was defeated by a small majority.

DR. ELLINGTON EXONERATED

Dr. A. F. Ellington, of Bloomfield, Ky., killed Victor Sabrie, 75, in an automobile accident a few days ago. Before his death Mr. Sabrie exonerated Dr. Ellington from all blame.

Dr. Ellington is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Harlan Ellington, of the Bangor neighborhood, this county.

TRUCKS

The Garden Department of the Rowan County Woman's Club wish to thank A. J. Humphrey, the florist of Mt. Sterling, for some very beautiful dahlias which are now in full bloom on the courthouse lawn. They also appreciate the care which has been given to them by Jailer Melvin Hamm.

NEW BABY GIRL

Friends here have received news of the birth of a baby girl at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Vannant, at Redwine, Ky. This is the seventh child, but the first baby girl that has come to brighten their home.

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Disciples to Meet At Stanford September 26-29

Over 1,000 Delegates Expected to Be Present, Representing 200 Churches.

The ninety-first Annual Convention of Christian Churches in Kentucky will meet at Stanford, Sept. 26th to 29th. A goal has been set for an attendance of 1,000 delegates representing 200 churches. The movement represented by the Christian church had its origin in Kentucky with the work of Barton W. Stone. There are now 857 organizations in Kentucky.

This Convention will represent the combined efforts of these churches through the Kentucky Christian Missionary Society, the Kentucky Bible School Association, the Kentucky Woman's Christian Missionary Society, Transylvania College, the College of the Bible and Hamilton College, the Kentucky Female Orphan School and the Christian Church Widows and Orphans Home of Kentucky.

Among the State leaders who will appear on the program are President A. D. Harmon, of Transylvania College; Allen Wilson, state secretary of the Kentucky Christian Missionary Society; George W. Moore,

SCHOOL NOTES OF THE CONSOLIDATED SCHOOL

Below is the enrollment of the Public School by grades:

Grade one—60
Grade Two—41
Grade Three—24
Grade Four—36
Grade Five—25
Grade Six—36
Grade Seven—23
Grade Eight—35

HIGH SCHOOL

First Year—24
Second Year—14
Third Year—6
Fourth Year—9

The schedule of the school is given. Parents please note and help the school eliminate the tardies.

First bell in the morning at eight o'clock.

Second bell in the morning at 8:20 o'clock.

Morning recess from 10:15 to 10:30.

Noon hour 12:00 to 1:00 p. m.

School closes at 2:30 p. m.

First two grades are dismissed at 2:00 and 3:15 respectively.

Attendance has been good but not excellent during the first two weeks of school. Probably the extremely hot weather is responsible for some absences. It is hoped that all students will be regular in attendance since the temperature is normal again. It was very gratifying last week to the teachers in the afternoon that the circus was in town. Practically all the children returned and remained until they were dismissed. The sixth grade and first year high school had one hundred per cent attendance.

The school board and Superintendent Powers have given the public school an excellent teaching force. It is superior to the average faculty in like schools. Very commendable work has been done during the first two weeks.

MOVED TO NEW HOME

Mr. and Mrs. N. E. Kennard have moved to their new bungalow on Wilson street, which has recently been completed.

MOVED

E. Thorsberg has moved from the Charles Keeton place on Second street to the Fann property near the Normal school campus.

DON'T KICK THE HOUNDS

The kicking of a bound dog in Magoffin county six months ago, caused the death of three men Sunday at Oakley, ten miles from Saltersville. The dead are Patton Hillyard, Brad Merrill and Add Salyer. Merrill and Holiday are said to have died at the scene of battle; Salyer died in a Painville hospital according to press reports.

ICE CREAM SUPPER

The ladies of the Aid society church had an ice cream supper Tuesday afternoon and evening in club house on Main street. A nice little sum of money was cleared, despite the cool weather.

GO TO HOUSEKEEPING

Mr. and Mrs. Carrol Dauchery have rented the property of Prof. W. C. Lappin on Wilson street, and have gone to housekeeping. Prof. Lappin has moved to the boys dormitory on the campus.

PEDESTRIANS MUST BE CAREFUL

The chief constable of one of the British cities has expressed the opinion that "if a pedestrian were as careful as the average motorist, many of whom drive fast, but safely, there would be fewer accidents. Walking to the common danger seems to be more prevalent than driving to the common danger."

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Some women just can't take a joke, but we're seen many a woman go to the altar with one.

REPUBLICANS OPEN CAMPAIGN AT LEXINGTON

Judge Flen D. Sampson in his opening speech at Woodland Park, Lexington, Saturday, advocated good roads, and economy in government. He said there were too many useless offices that cost many people upon the State payroll.

He is opposed to too frequent change in text books. The following is what he says about "Free Text Books" and the University and normal schools:

"Recently we have heard much about free textbooks. I know what it means to take a few eggs, a fat hen or a pound of butter to the store to secure the necessary school book. As a pupil and as a teacher book are still more than one-half of the cost of the education of the child in the public schools. I know this situation first hand, and for years I have been an earnest, sincere advocate of free textbooks for the public schools. I have made considerable study of this question for some years and find that more than one-half of the states of the Union, and those that have made the greatest progress in education, adopted this policy years ago. In 1919 I made many speeches urging this plan, and at least one or perhaps two more in the Kentucky Legislature in 1920. I urged many members of the House and Senate to support that bill. We provide the children with the building equipment and the teachers at least one and perhaps two more white normal schools in Kentucky, I appreciate the great work they have done and are doing in promoting the cause of public education."

RAILROADS AND RATE REDUCTIONS

A recent analysis of railroad freight rates by the Bureau of Railway Economics shows that rates are for all the talk about reductions being due and the rates being excessive and "sky high." As a matter of fact, the statistics show that the level at present is down to or below comparative level of other years. The rates are excessive and it is proven that the savings on freight rates since 1921 have totaled over \$3,000,000,000 and are still trending toward greater savings.

What the farmer and all those who use the railroads for freight and express, should be interested in is not an increase in price may not mean an increase in profit. The law of comparison must be considered. Because a shipper pays more to send a product now than in 1917 certainly does not mean he is paying greater profit to the railroads. The same is true in general prices and costs. It is all important part.

BIRTHDAY PARTY

Miss Stella Alderman celebrated her September 17 with a party at her home, this being her birthday. Games were played and a most enjoyable time was had. The friends of Miss Alderman remembered her with many handsome and useful gifts. The foreign grade teacher and freshments were served. Those to enjoy the occasion were: Misses Betha Ham, Lottie Amburgey, Gertrude Brown, Golda Amburey, Carrie Franklin, Hilda Moore, Lillian Hall and Audrey Thors; Messrs Troy Jones, Wilfred Moore, Polite Hamm, Claude Glover, William Stewart, Wayne Brown, Marvin Brown and Herman Baldrige.

BUY'S INTEREST IN GROCERY

James Hollan has bought of H. N. Alfrey an interest in the City Grocery, on Main street and is now meeting his old friends there.

THE QUINCY WAY

One way to improve a herd of hogs is to use a purebred sire with grade sows. "But why," asks E. Z. Russell, swine specialist of the U. S. Department of Agriculture, "spend from 7 to 10 years of valuable time in breeding up, when a start can be made with the best there is?" Hogs multiply so rapidly that if only one purebred sow were purchased as a start, a good sized herd could be produced in a very short time. If one will take one good sow and keep her and have her sow pigs, breeding them regularly, he can produce more than 300 hogs in 3 years.

Public regulation of rates does not mean automatic rate reduction.

It means the establishment of rates adequate to permit the rendering of satisfactory service to the public under good management, the payment of good wages and a return of reasonable dividends to investors.

The world is completely worn out with outraged persons; the people are as tired of them as they became of bloody shirt waved so industriously by Republicans.

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OWINGSVILLE

Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Coons will move to Mt. Sterling October 1st where they will make their future home.

Mrs. N. S. Terry, mother of Mrs. George W. Booher, died at her home in Cynthiana on September 13th. Rev. J. Taylor Davis, of Morganfield, former pastor of the Bath county group of Presbyterian churches, will begin a two weeks revival at the Springfield church Sunday.

John T. Kintbrough, Jr., has gone to Morehead where he has assumed his duties as assistant professor of mathematics in the Morehead State Normal.

Miss Nancy Davis, 11-year-old daughter of Sheriff Mason H. Botts, fell on the pavement at Sharpsburg Monday afternoon, breaking her right arm above the wrist.

Miss Ollie Triplett, 22 and J. H. Cox, 40, both of the Moore's Ferry section, were married at the county clerk's office Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Annie Horseman Carter, wife of James T. Carter, died at her home near State Valley, last Friday. Besides her husband, she is survived by two sons, Charles Carter, of Montgomery county, and Ewell Carter, of Bath; three daughters, Mrs. James White and Misses Lottie and Nannie Carter at home.

Those from here who attended the Sampson rally at Lexington Saturday were: Lewis McCoy, Trumble Sneedgar, William Garner, William Toy, Jacob Sneedgar, John L. Vucille, Miss Christine Anderson and Lucille Vice.

Lieut. Virgil Thompson left last

week for Ft. Thomas, where he will be stationed.

Thomas B. Talbott, superintendent of Home Missions in the West Lexington Presbytery, spoke at the Presbyterian church Sunday.

Mrs. A. T. Byron is visiting her aunt, Mrs. James Smith and Mr. Smith, in Falmouth.

Wallace Guggell, of Tampa, Fla., is visiting his parents, Dr. and Mrs. P. Guggell.

Charles Honaker, Mrs. Carroll E. Byron, Miss Mary Bruce Daily and Frank Daily left this week to attend school at the University of Kentucky, Lexington.

Mr. and Mrs. Watt Nixon have returned to their home in Paris after a visit to Mr. and Mrs. Robert Nixon.

Miss Julia Maury, of Louisville, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Guggell.

Miss Opal Hamilton left this week to enter business college in Lexington.

Miss Winfred Martin, of San Bernardino, Cal., was the week-end guest of Prof. and Mrs. C. F. Martin.

Misses Inez Foley, Elizabeth Jones and Beulah Jones are attending the Morehead Normal school.

Mrs. Logan Shearer and family, of Lexington were guests last week of Mrs. Emma McCoy.

Harold Dowd, of Flemingsburg, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Espy Barber.

Mrs. Shanklin Piper, Miss Michela Martin, Miss Lucille Vice, Miss Kathleen Palmer and Miss Leona Palmer were in Flemingsburg last week to attend Mrs. Roy Gile's and Miss Opal Hendrix's luncheon-bridge.

The Ladies Aid of the Christian church met in the church Monday night and the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: Mrs. C. F. Martin, president, Mrs. Andrew Jones, secretary, Mrs. A. W. Walden, treasurer, Mrs. Samuel Estill, finance chairman.

Mr. and Mrs. Whitton Horton returned to their home in Bluefield, Va., Sunday, after a visit to Mr. and Mrs. Robert Stone.

Miss Ruth Fowler left today to enter Sairs College at Lexington. Mrs. Newton Johnson, Miss Anna Bailey and Mrs. Rose Jones are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Irvin in Ashland.

A LETTER FROM ITALY

The following letter was sent to us by Mrs. Charles Egan. It was written by her sister Miss Jean Mabry.

Giudecca 50 Venice, Italy August 15, 1927

My dear sister:

To grant the request of some of my old Rowan county friends to write while I'm abroad this summer I am going to ask you to help me by passing this letter about among them, making one letter do for all. To tell you all as much as I would like to, it would take weeks to write. I will merely attempt to give a rough sketch of a few things that have interested me.

My advice to every school girl and boy would be to start saving their pennies for this trip now, at least a visit to Washington D. C. History and geography would never be so hard afterwards. I left New York on May 25th. The voyage was a very smooth one, consequently a pleasant one, and I had no trouble in finding my "Sea legs." Curiosity soon came to my aid and I started to explore the big ship. Soon after I read all your nice letters which I found in my cabin as soon as I arrived aboard ship.

I do not need to tell you how much those letters meant to me, as I had no one in New York to tell me good bye.

The S. S. Belconland is very comfortable and carries a crew of seven hundred. A average passenger list is one thousand. How inter-

esting the people are. People from all over the world, and by the time we reach Antwerp all seemed most like one large family.

I went down to see the engine and boiler rooms, and was astonished to find how very large and interesting. At last the chief engineer said to me, "Now you are 28 feet under the Atlantic, and if the bottom of the boat drops out you will get very wet." However one soon forgets they are on the deep blue sea, and feels quite at home, especially after church service aboard ship.

The wireless room is on boat deck (top deck) and it was there I spent many happy interesting hours learning something about how the messages are sent, and received at sea.

I stayed in Antwerp and Brussels a few days to see the cathedral, museums and places of interest. Here I saw my first wooden shoes being worn, and saw my first dog cart in use except for the one Dorothy rigged up at home. You all will remember that, Ha.

The food is very different and I soon learned how much I needed to know languages. I was very happy to find so many Americans paying their respects to the tombs of the Unknown Soldier, both at Brussels and Paris. The one thing that impressed me most on my visit to Washington, D. C., was the number of foreigners going to the tomb of the Unknown Soldier there.

I stayed two weeks in Paris, and found her beautiful and many interesting things and places to see. Versailles, where the Palace of Louis XIV, and the home of Napoleon were two of the most interesting places, and are now public museums that you must see on your visit to Paris. I wish all could have been with me on my vast ride on the river Seine. The Eiffel tower is the highest tower and the steel comes from Pittsburgh, which makes it more interesting and I hope to go to the top on my return to Paris.

I have taken some wonderful trips in Switzerland, among the Alps and the beautiful lakes. Going from Louansne to Milan is fascinating beyond words. For a long distance one can see the magnificent red river Rhone to find its water like no other you ever saw (looks something like limestone rock, or soapy water always). On either side rise the Alps, high and wonderful. As you follow the river on and on the valley becomes a mere path for the Rhone and the train. The very hills seem to look down and whisper all kinds of messages to you. As the sun sets, and the mist forms to float in the wind and the clouds change to various colors the hills take every form of life imaginable and you can almost see them breathe. Here they are side by side each one different. One is covered with beautiful pine trees, ferns, and violet almost every tree and plant that you will find in the northern part of our Rocky mountains.

The next touching is a bare mountain of rock, tossed up into all kinds of forms, without hardly earth enough for an Alp rose to grow. Looking just behind those hills the ever snow-capped peaks rise up their majestic heads to greet you. A sight I never saw more beautiful. Here and there you find the trail of the mighty glaciers, having no mercy, sweeping everything clean in its path to the river Rhone.

Too much cannot be said about those Alps, but no picture, all the adjectives I might use, cannot describe them. One must see them. Still I do not think they are more wonderful than our coast ranges with their Mt. Shasty and Mt. Hood. Among those mountains you pass through the longest tunnel in the world coming out to find a little bridge built in the 2nd century. The people are very poor and mostly live in small log houses, built in groups for protection. Living on their cattle. A great many monks live here. After crossing the Alps you come upon the beautiful Italian Lakes with water as blue as the Italian sky. Milan is HOT. Venice is the most fascinating place I've ever seen. The city is one net work of canals and it is hard to get used to having to take a boat every place. Fortunately I have been here on two Italian fete nights. Everybody was so gay, all the boats were decorated in every color, and so many of them the canals were one solid mass of boats, all shapes and sizes. Songs were sung in every tongue, loud and into the night. One misses the automobiles. Yesterday I saw the king of Egypt, who looked a jolly old soul. After seeing the king, I went through the Doges Palace, and then on through the dungeons. Such a horrid sensation! I shall always be good now, I know. I shall stay here for two or three weeks. I have had a wonderful swim in the Adriatic and the water was so warm that one just wants to stay except for the

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sun, which is dreadfully hot. Oh! my complexion. All the cold cream and Beauty Salons in Morehead could never make me beautiful. But this is Venice. I am all alone and no one to care how I look, so I am almost happy. The only reason I am not perfectly happy is because you are all not here with me.

I am very sorry that I did not have an interview with our Morehead store managers before leaving. I know they would have encased me to have done some buying for their most particular lady customer, while in the feminine City of Paris.

As it is I am too broke to buy one single frock for myself. But I'm having lots of fun shopping for my unfortunate girl friends.

Charlie Davis, it's high time you are going over to our old home town, Cranston and giving me the most important news. How are crops? Who has the best fox dogs and who has the best moonshiners? I have heard very little from Kentucky this summer, and feel sad when I think that I've lost all trace of old friends from there. Expect to sail from Boulogne Sept. 14th. After a few

days in After a few days in Chicago then best of all—Morehead and home—Hurrah!

I'm starved for some home-cooked food, too. I hope to be in Morehead not later than October 15th. Anyone coming down to meet old 28 and will say "Hello" to me. I'll be mighty glad to see them. In the mean time mail addressed to care of Morgan and Co., Place Vendome Paris, France, will reach me and assure you I'll be delighted to hear from anyone who may write. Hope to see all my old friends and acquaintances on this visit home. My love and best wishes are with you always.

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Industrial Growth Adds 20 Population, Increases Purchasing Power, And Builds Character Into A Nation.

Crab Orchard—Old Whitely place near here to be subdivided and sold in small tracts.

Farmers in Knox county trying alfalfa this year for first time more than pleased with the results. Pikeville—Increase of 20 per cent in building activities here this year over last estimated.

Greensburg—Grading in progress on Campbellville road as far as Frank Castrell's.

Hickman—Olin here and at Bon-durant starts work on cotton crop.

Hickman—Contract let for graveling more than a mile of Troy road. Lawrenceburg—System of Lawrenceburg Home Telephone Exchange and Southern Bell Telephone Co. united.

Mayfield—New sawdusty here paid out \$45,000 in milk checks for month of July.

Harrodsburg—School buildings under construction in Short District No. 13 and Locust Grove District No. 42 will open on October 2.

Glasgow—Lecta field produces another fine well Samson Oil Company's Henry Morgan No. 4.

Glasgow—Chance time for the establishment of overall factory here.

Pikeville—5 miles on Marrowbone road from Lookout to Rockhouse being graded and drained.

Paduach—New hotel 10 stories high to be erected here at 8th and Broadway.

Paduach—The McCracken country peach crop this season fetched growers \$22,900.

Louisville—Western entries registered from several Kentucky counties for district Jersey heifer show

to take place here September 12 to 17.

Madisonville—6 blocks of this year's paving program completed and contract awarded for paving 6 more.

Earlinton—Local mines of West Kentucky Coal Company continue to operate daily and additional men being employed.

Adairville—Contract will be let September 15 for the construction of paved road from Springfield, Tenn., to this place.

Adairville—Community Fair will be held here October 6 to 8.

Hopkinsville—Contract for the erection of armory let for \$19,000.

Danville—33 new rooms to be added to Glueher Hotel here.

Danville—Mercer-Boyle-Lincoln Cow Testing Association organized recently.

St. Matthews—Community Club of St. Matthews purchasing large motor fire pump for its volunteer fire department.

Frankfort—B. G. Slining of Chicago applies for permission to construct power project on Big South Fork of Cumberland River.

Madisonville—Coal shipments over Madisonville line of Illinois Central Railroad 3 times greater than a year ago.

Louisville—Liberty Insurance Bank 650 4th Street to make addition and alterations at cost of \$30,000.

Louisville—Ott & Bruce erecting 2 dwellings on Cross Hill road costing \$9,000 each.

Mayfield—Contract awarded at \$22,929 for gravel-surfacing of Mayfield-Pulker road in Graves county.

Murkesville—Drilling for oil to begin shortly on 100 acre farm on the Cumberland River.

Louisville—Traffic lights to be installed at 3rd and Chestnut streets and 3rd and Walnut streets will save the city \$5,000 annually.

Social and Personal

Mrs. May Day was in Louisville Friday on business.

Reid Prichard, of Ashland, was the Sunday guest of friends in Morehead.

Mrs. Sue Brane, of Kansas, is here visiting her sister, Mrs. Richmond Tussey.

Misses Corine Tatum and Lida Marie Caudill visited in Mt. Sterling last Friday.

Misses Elsie Lee Hodge and Pearl Adams were shopping in Lexington last Friday.

Mrs. Julia Orshorn, of Beaver, Ky., is here visiting her sister, Mrs. Mary Carey.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Miller were visiting their son, W. E. Miller and family in Olive Hill Sunday.

J. A. Anglin attended the funeral and burial of his sister, Mrs. Emma Cooley at Catlettsburg Monday.

Miss Ruby Vansant has returned from a vacation spent in Oklahoma with her sister, Miss Ruth Vansant.

Mrs. B. F. Van Sant has returned from a several weeks' stay with her son, Vernon Van Sant and family at Redwine.

Miss Elyen Hudgins, who teaches in Greensburg county, spent the week-end here with her mother, Mrs. Colva Hudgins.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Haynes, wife and baby returned Wednesday from a several days visit with relatives at Knoxville, Tenn.

Mr. and Mrs. Urcle Fielding and three children, of Olive Hill, were here Sunday, guests of the home of Mr. and Mrs. Leo Oppenheimer.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Barber, of Shelbana, were here the first of the week en route to Frankfort by motor where they will visit relatives.

Mrs. C. U. Waltz and daughter, Miss Mildred, and son, Wilfred, have returned from a four weeks' visit in Kansas, Missouri and California.

W. A. Fryman, who has been in Ohio for several months, returned this week to Morehead where he will enter Morehead State Normal.

Mrs. Morris Shankland has been here the past week with her mother, Mrs. F. C. Button, who has been quite sick, but is improving slowly.

Miss Ethel Muller, of Clearfield, returned Wednesday from a several weeks visit with her brother, Oscar Muller and family at Detroit, Michigan.

Floyd Arnett, candidate for Circuit Judge of the Morgan, Elliott and Carter Judicial District was a night guest of friends in Morehead Tuesday.

Mrs. Laura Clayton has been in St. Albans, W. Va., and Ashland visiting her sons, Ernest and Russell Clayton for several days, and has returned home.

Jack Helwig, Virgil Flood, O. B. Elam, Virgil Mullins, L. E. Blair and Murray C. Crossley spent Sunday in Cincinnati. Incidentally he attended the ball game.

Misses Margaret and Blanche Fleming, of Omar, W. Va., returned home Tuesday after a several days' visit with their aunt Mrs. C. F. Fraley and Mr. Fraley.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Swift drove up from Lexington Saturday to visit her father, F. F. Blair. Misses Mildred, Katherine and Elizabeth Blair who had been in Lexington for several weeks returned home with them.

Miss Lucille Caudill left Wednesday for Lexington where she will enter Hamilton College. Edward Bishop left the first of the week to enter State University, Madison Lee Wilson has entered Law School in Louisville.

Mr. and Mrs. George Pinson, Jr., Miss Minnie Stout, Kenneth Hunt, Billie Pinson and little son, Marshall, of Pikeville, stopped over in Morehead Friday on their way to French Lick Springs and were the guests of their former neighbors, the Scorchers family.

Mrs. Elizabeth Black, of Huntington, and her son, John Wilson, his wife and their daughter, of New Boston were here last week visiting Mrs. Drew Evans and Mrs. U. S. Sparks. While here they drove to Sharpburg and were the guests of Charles Thompson and family. Mrs. Black is a great aunt of Mesdames Sparks and Evans and Mr. Thompson.

When opportunity calls for a girl these days it has to wait until she gets all her hair on and often goes away without her.

And what has become of the old-fashioned soldier who used to have to eat hard tack.

Churches and Societies

Morehead Baptist Church—Sunday services. Bible school at 9:45 a. m. S. P. Wheeler, Supt. Worship 10:50. Sermon "How to Act Toward Others." Worship at 7:30 p. m. sermon "Take Heed." Meetings at Farmers 7:15 p. m. each day. Come, you are cordially invited to all the services of the church. Come and bring your friends.

KENTUCKY CROP REPORT FOR SEPTEMBER 1, 1927

An increase since August 1 in Kentucky's probable production of corn and tobacco is the feature of the September 1 crop estimates issued here by the Louisville office of the U. S. Division of Crop and Livestock Estimates. These forecasts are based on conditions as of September 1. Tobacco in Kentucky production shows a decrease from 1926, because of decreased acreage this year, especially of dark types, as well as poor condition. The probable production of all types in Kentucky this season is estimated at 2199,401,000 lbs. compared to a prospect August 1 for 203,202,000 lbs.; 358,568,000 lbs. of all types produced in this state last year; and 418,492,000 lbs. average annual production in Kentucky 1922-26, inclusive.

The September 1 prospect for the United States total tobacco production is a little less than the final production last year, being estimated at 1,164,413,000 lbs., compared to 1,209,711,000 lbs. total United States production last year, and approximately 1,328,226,000 lbs. average annual production 1922-26, inclusive. (Tobacco companies are given further over in reports.)

Probable corn production in Kentucky is estimated at 65,749,000 bushels, compared to a prospect August 1 for 60,142,000 bushels, a crop last year of 101,277,000 bushels and an average annual production of 89,042,000 bushels 1922-26. The United States total corn this season is forecast at 2,456,561,000 bushels, compared to August 1 prospect for 2,385,226,000 bushels, a crop in 1926 of 2,646,852,000 bushels, and in an average annual production 1922-26 of 2,766,561,000 bushels.

Irish potatoes in Kentucky are forecast at 4,738,000 bushels, compared to a prospect August 1 of 4,812,000 bushels. The United States total production of Irish potatoes is forecast at 329,798,000 bushels, compared to prospects August 1 for about 410,214,000 bushels, a crop of 356,122,000 bushels last year, an average annual production 1922-26 inclusive, of 394,125,000 bushels.

Oats in Kentucky are estimated at 3,657,000 bushels, compared to indications August 1 that the crop would be 3,616,000 bushels and a crop last year of 6,346,000 bushels. The United States total production of oats now is estimated at 1,191,386,000 bushels, compared to 1,250,019,000 bushels last year and an average annual production 1922-26 of 1,352,357,000 bus.

Barley in Kentucky is estimated at 1,149,999 bushels, compared to 221,000 bushels last year; sweet potatoes 1,574,000 bushels compared to 2,040,000 bushels last year; and all tame hay 1,868,000 tons compared to 1,868,000 tons.

Looking at some of the April pampered gardens, on the way to the office this September morn. we agree with scientist who claim plants suffer. Many not only suffer—but die.

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to 1,556,000 tons last year. The fruit crop in Kentucky is generally short, the scattered individual orchards have good crops, especially in western Kentucky county, where the April frosts and freezes were not so severe as in the central, northern and eastern parts of the State. Apples are estimated at 1,156,000 bushels compared to 6,408,000 bushels last year; and peaches 200,000 bushels compared to 1,110,000 bushels last year.

All these 1927 estimates are subject to revision as the season progresses, depending on weather conditions are found hereafter to warrant any changes in the estimates. The condition of other crops in Kentucky is—Alfalfa 80 per cent, pasture 89 per cent, cowpeas 82, soy beans 82, sorghum for sirup 76.

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FATALITIES INCREASE UNDER COMPULSORY INSURANCE

That the new compulsory automobile liability insurance law of Massachusetts has not resulted in reduction in number of deaths due to automobile accidents during the first half-year of its operation, is shown by casualties resulting from automobile accidents up to the first of July.

The Massachusetts Safety Council reports that there were 288 deaths

from automobiles from January 1 to July 1, 1927, or an increase of 21 deaths over the same period in 1926.

While these figures will not be reduced, they may be increased as a result of deaths reported later or occurring later. There are reported to be several June victims on the dangerous list in different hospitals.

Yes. It is called a still because it has to be operated in the quiet.

DRY CREEK NEWS

The free dinner at the Lodge Hall Saturday and pie supper Saturday night was indeed a success. The box of chocolate candy was won by Miss Ivory Richardson.

Several from here attended church at Cris Sunday. Oscar Thornberry is visiting his brother, Bob Thornberry, this week.

Oscar Baldrige visited home folks Saturday and Sunday, but returned to his work Monday.

Charlie Thornberry is staying with Aaron Jennings cutting corn. Ertill Baldrige is working for Matt Jones.

Carl Nickell, Cico and Hatcher Bowman, of Morgan county, attended the pie supper at Dry Creek, Saturday.

Arvel Caudill spent Saturday with Harlan Workman. Misses Iva Dehart and Roxy Ramey spent Sunday with the Lambert sisters Sunday.

Ella Johnson, Olie Black and Jesse McDaniels of the Laurel county attended the pie supper Saturday night, and also church at Cris Sunday.

Mrs. Harrison Ramey bought a cow from Mr. Ed Perkins last week paying him \$5,000.

The roads are in fine shape now except for the dust.

Mrs. Ora Lee Copper has been very ill.

Riley Johnson purchased a mare of Levi Eldridge Wednesday. Elmer Stone found his milk cow in the field with a broken leg this week.

Miss Ora Jane Caudill was visiting her sister Mrs. John Black of Morehead Sunday night and started from there to school last M. & N. on Monday.

People are very busy housing tobacco in this part of the country for old Jack Frost has visited them for the last three nights.

Samuel Sorrell accompanied his son Rupert to the hospital at Philadelphia, Penn. this week. Mrs. Landy Markwell is improving a little.

Uncle Moore Johnson's funeral will be preached at the Popular Spring church on Sunday, October 9th. Dennis Caudill has been very ill the past week.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Harris, a baby girl.

AUTUMNAL EQUINOX

We have been having this week the Autumnal Equinox, which makes us shiver since the extremely hot weather of the past week. So far we have heard of no killing frost.

FLAT FORK NEWS

Mrs. J. J. Reeder made a business trip to Olive Hill Wednesday.

James Hinton, of Knighthown, Ind., was visiting relatives in this vicinity last week.

Miss Opal Reeder was the Sunday guest of Messrs Violet and Vida Masters Sunday.

Little Miss Beatie Masters and Mavis Masters are on the sick list at this writing.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Day and children of Enterprise, were visiting Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Masters Sunday.

Willard Kidwell, of Lexington, was visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Kidwell a few days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Reeder and children of Haldeman, attended Sunday school at Flat Fork Sunday. Their niece, Vada Reeder, accompanied them home for a few days' visit.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Reeder and children were the Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Reeder.

The protracted meeting will begin at the Flat Fork church Thursday night. Everybody is cordially invited.

Miss Violet Hamilton, of Portsmouth, Ohio is visiting her cousin, Miss Velma Gulley.

Miss Beatie Stone, who has been quite ill with typhoid, is slowly improving.

PARAGON NEWS

Mrs. Charlie Foster had the misfortune to scald her foot with hot water some few days ago which was very bad but is some better at this writing.

Uncle Clell Donohoe is very poorly at this writing.

Mrs. Gladys Gray and Corbett Gregory were married last week. Christine Litterback was visiting in Morehead last Saturday a week ago and stayed until Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Byron have been visiting relatives in Clearfield.

The infant of George Hicks has been ill but is some better at this time.

Oliver Wilson had his regular meeting at Paragon Sunday with a large attendance. There will be services at Lick Fork Sunday by Rev. Wilson.

The Post Office Department has decided to curtail mail order houses from shipping unsolicited merchandise, in their effort to foist undesirable goods on the public. We like the selection and use of that word—"Cur-tail."

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RAMSEY NEWS

The little child of Mr. and Mrs. Dave Eperhart died Friday, Sept. 9, and was buried at the Eldridge cemetery.

Mr. and Mrs. Levi Eldridge returned home Monday after a ten days' visit with their children in Gary, Ind. They also motored to Chicago, while there, and reported a nice time.

Mrs. Mary Markwell, who has been very ill is improving nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Kinsick and Mr. and Mrs. Harlan Caudill arrived here last week from Toronto, Ohio, where they have been employed and reported work is very dull there.

Mrs. Julia Brown and children returned to their home in Perry county after a three weeks' visit with relatives here.

The county's road machine has been repairing the road since this part of the county the past week.

Mr. Floyd Hyatt is hauling logs to the Kinsick sawmill and is planning on building a new residence this fall.

Mrs. Mattie Gregory has been very ill the past week.

Miss Eva Curtis and her brother, Clayton, was visiting Misses Eva and Ethel Johnson, of Farmers, from Saturday until Tuesday.

Mr. Preston Eldridge got his residence and all of his household furniture burned Monday.

Mr. William Kinsick moved his sawmill on Logan Cox's farm this week.

Mr. Carlisle Black is having a frame residence built on his new farm.

Mr. and Mrs. Steward Caudill returned to their home on John Ed. Johnson's farm Saturday, after a several weeks' visit with her mother, Mrs. Allen Hyatt.

ESTILL COUNTY TO VOTE BONDS

At a regular term of the Estill County Court an order will be entered, it is said, by the county authorities, ordering an election on the question of voting \$150,000 road bonds from the Jackson county line to Irvine to the Clark county line.

Under the agreement with the State Highway Commission Estill county will get three dollars for every dollar put up and if they vote the \$150,000, they are assured of the expenditures of \$600,000 for the building of these two roads.

BE A FRIEND

Emerson said: "The only way to have a friend is to be one." In the "Last Rose of Summer" Sir Thomas Moore painted a vivid picture of what our lives would be if devoid of friends. Thus few of us fail to feel that the little band of acquaintances we choose to call friends are more precious when we read:

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