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## JACKSON COUNTY McKee

McKee, May 1.—Fishing season has opened here.—Dr. and Roy Hornsby and Superintendent Creech have just returned from a fishing excursion. Doctor had an unusual catch—an eel 41 inches long, weighing five pounds and some fine perch and cats.—J. R. Hays and family are also on a fishing trip and having splendid results.—Wesley Angel is entertaining a fishing party this week from Richmond and Lexington.—The Jackson County Board of Education met here Saturday and teachers of this county will be interested to know that the Board voted a six weeks training school for teachers. This will take the place of the Teachers' Institute, and teachers are urged to attend, as it not only means better trained teachers, but an increase of salary for those attending. The citizens of McKee wish to express their thanks to the Board of Education and former Superintendent Minter for making it possible for us to have such a fine school here last year, and we are looking forward for a fine corps of well trained teachers this coming year. Citizens of the district showed their hearty cooperation last year in the school work by contributing sufficient funds to purchase a \$150 library and paying the salary of one teacher at \$80 per month for a period of three months and mostly bearing all the expenses of the commencement exercises.—The King's Daughters, three classes of our Sunday-school and citizens of our town, have purchased a new church bell for the sum of \$85. It is hoped that everyone around town may be able to hear our new bell and that more will answer the call.—Friends of Harry Collier will be interested to know that he has resigned his position in the service of the government and has accepted a position in the auditor's office at Frankfort.—Roy Hornsby is visiting his brother, Dr. Hornsby. Roy motored there as far as Livingston from Elizabeth, New Jersey, where he has been for the past year.—Hugh Collier and Vernon Fowler have been calling on friends in Cincinnati this week end. It is presumed that the friends are of the fair sex.

### Hugh

(Too late for publication last issue)  
Hugh, April 23.—Farmers of this section are busy turning the sod and getting ready to plant the grain. We have a good prospect for fruit providing Jack Frost stays away.—Gertie and Fairy Abrams, accompanied by Miss Vena Hamilton of Berea, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Mart Abrams.—A party of young folk went to the Howsley Fork cave Sunday morning. All reported a nice time.—Sim Hobbs of the Sinking Valley country purchased the Bronze Powell farm for \$2000 and will move shortly.—Mrs. Millard Kindred spent Saturday afternoon with Mrs. Mart Abrams.—Nancy Fowler is visiting her sister, Mrs. Shird Reece.—Vernie and Doshia Parker were Sunday guests of Nannie Clemmons.—Mr. and Mrs. Sim Hobbs have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Will Reece the past week.—Sherman Stewart and family of this place spent Saturday and Sunday with T. Wilson.

### Herd

Herd, April 29.—The farmers of this vicinity are very bad behind with their crops on account of so much rain.—H. D. Farmer of this place has gone to Lexington to seek employment.—Mrs. Cora Akemon of this place died last Sunday. Her remains were laid to rest in the Davis cemetery.—Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Frost spent last Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Simpson at Mummie.—Mr. and Mrs. Frank Moore spent Easter Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Farmer.—Mr. and Mrs. Haru Farmer have returned home, after a few weeks' stay in Louisville.—Miss Ruth Pierson of Annyville is visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack

Farmer of this place.—E. B. Flanery made a business trip to Richmond this week.—Othmer Flanery is home from Dayton, O., for a few weeks.—Robert Akemon of this place has moved to Bond.—James Davis has gone to Norwood, O., to seek employment.

### Sinking Valley

Sinking Valley, April 29.—The weather still remains cool here, but not cold enough to kill the fruit. The prospect for a bounteous fruit crop is very propitious. Only a few early gardens have been planted.—Ewen Isaacs was the week-end guest of J. B. Kindred of Panola last week.—Mrs. Mary Isaacs visited Mrs. Nannie Isaacs Friday.—Tyrus Lainshart and a revenue man were in this vicinity this week on business.—Dewey Smith is having good success with his gasoline mill at Sinking Valley.—Good luck to The Citizen and its many readers.

### Drip Rock

Drip Rock, April 29.—We are having some cool weather at present.—Mrs. Nannie Parsons and two daughters, Bertha and Ethel, of Station Camp, visited her mother, Mrs. Jane Powell, Saturday night and Sunday; also visited her sister, Mrs. Maude Alcorn, Sunday.—Mr. and Mrs. Bud Isaacs visited Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Alcorn, Jr., Sunday.—We have the prospects of a fine fruit crop this year if it does not get killed yet.—Mr. and Mrs. Roy B. Williams, Jim Isaacs and Joe Eversole spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. N. H. Isaacs.—Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Alcorn visited Mr. and Mrs. Abe Coffey, Sunday.—Lewis Isaacs had a clearing Saturday and got a fine day's work done.—Roy D. Isaacs attended meeting at Sand Spring Sunday.—Mrs. Jane Powell has gone to Lexington after her daughter, Edna, who is in the Charity Institution there.—Mrs. Maude Alcorn visited Mrs. Anna Alcorn Monday.

## ROCKCASTLE COUNTY

### Threelinks

Threelinks, April 30.—The Sunday-school at Sycamore is a great success to the community.—Eason Johnson was in this part last week on business.—Dan Gabbard is still in Alaska gold mines at work.—John Dooley is farming in Jackson this week.—W. A. Phillips was in Berea last week on business.—Frank Sparks was in this part last week.—Arthur Peters of Boone was in Goochland last Sunday.—Thomas Harris passed thru here on business latter part of week.—Allie Phillips visited at Mrs. Wm. Sparks' last Saturday and Sunday.—Thad Drew passed thru here on his way to Berea last of the week.—Daisy Phinix is some better at this writing.—A lot of the boys have been fishing on Rockcastle river recently.

### Disputanta

Disputanta, May 1.—The farmers of this vicinity are beginning to plant corn.—Mrs. M. A. Phillips and little daughter, Barbara J., of Harlan, are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Payne, here.—Dempsy Hart visited home folks Saturday night and Sunday.—John McCracken of Johnetta was visiting at W. S. Shearer's Sunday.—Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Hart have received news of the new arrival of a little granddaughter at the home of their daughter, Mrs. Mark Settles, of Hamilton, O. They named the new six pounder Fannie Agnus.—Eva Shearer and brother spent Sunday with their cousin, Sill Shearer, in Jackson county.—Sunday-school has been organized at the Hammonds schoolhouse, Sunday-school every Sunday at 2:00 p. m. Everybody invited to attend.—Miss May Anderkin and brother, Cecil, spent Sunday at the home of T. C. Holt.—Mrs. Hiram Thacker visited her sister, Mrs. Chas. Drew, Sunday.—Mr. and Mrs. B. VanWinkle spent Sunday with Mrs. VanWinkle's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Montgomery.

—Next Saturday and Sunday are regular church days at Clear Creek. Everybody invited to attend.—Success to The Citizen and its many readers.

## ESTILL COUNTY

### Noland

Noland, May 2.—Mr. and Mrs. June Warford and Mr. and Mrs. Ann Winkler spent last Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Lay.—Ernest Walton was in Irvine last Saturday on business.—Mr. and Mrs. David Lay were at Panola Saturday, shopping.—Robert Winkler of Noland and Miss Bessie Cox of Reagus were married on April 20. They moved in the house with Amos Richardson, near Panola.—O. B. Garrett was summoned to Irvine Wednesday to go before the grand jury.—We had a frost Saturday night, April 22, that killed lots of the fruit.—There has not been much corn planted here yet on account of wet and cold weather.

## OWSLEY COUNTY

### Island City

(Too late for publication last issue)  
Island City, April 24.—Judge Johnson is rendering the law violators an unhappy life since court began at Manchester last Monday.—Robert J. Bowman is contemplating attending during the term as a witness. A federal officer arrested Elias Moore, W. M. Bowman and James A. Bowman and took them to London for trial. They were bound over on bond of \$200, \$300 and \$500 respectively, to answer further action May 20. The parties were accused of dealing in moonshine liquor.—Grant Frye was around taking the census of our graded school children recently. He thought the number would be large enough to hold our district as a graded school district.—Andy Huff got a fine day's work done, Wednesday, with plenty good, nourishable food served.—D. E. Peters was at Island City Wednesday of last week doing some shopping.—R. H. Powman, merchant, and J. W. Baker are serving as jurors at Manchester this week.—Born to the wife of B. L. Gibson, on the 13th inst. a fine girl.—William Becknell and wife were the guests of T. A. Becknell Sunday of last week.—It is reported that a still was found on the land of Nathan Sparks of Sextons Creek and several who were engaged were exposed.—The flu has

been hindering the farming element in this part this spring; no new cases at this present writing.—The people are fearing Jack Frost will come and destroy the fine prospect for fruit.—It is reported that men are in this neighborhood looking after the coal industry, leasing land.—Two men and two horses were shot in Clay county last week. One was said to be a deputy sheriff, the other a marshal. One man and one horse were killed dead, the other two seriously wounded, moonshine being the cause.

## MADISON COUNTY

### Slate Lick

Slate Lick, April 23.—Jack Frost visited this section Saturday night, but we hope he did not do much damage, but can't tell yet.—Professor Dix was out today and was talking to the folks about a schoolhouse here or at West Union. We don't know what will be done yet, but we do know it's badly needed, as there are so many children that should be in school.—June Fowler went to Mt. Vernon Monday on business.—R. Parks and wife spent Monday afternoon with Mrs. G. Kinnard in Berea.—Mrs. McGuire and Mrs. June Fowler, also Mrs. W. D. Parks, visited Mrs. Kinnard at Robinson Hospital last week.—Mrs. James Hudson spent Sunday at the home of Mrs. E. N. McCormick at Slate Lick.—Mrs. Parks attended services at M. E. Church Sunday and took dinner with her sister, Mrs. Thena Rutherford.—Thomas Jones of Rockcastle county and Miss Cordela Anglin were united in marriage at the home of J. W. Lambert, April 20, Rev. Lambert officiating. We wish the young couple a long and happy life together.—Mr. Barnett has improved his place with a nice wire fence around his garden. Let others follow the example.

### Walnut Meadow

Walnut Meadow, May 2.—Ben Brown, Sr., who has been so sick, is improving.—Little Paul R. Martin does not seem to get any better.—A. H. Kidd has purchased a Fordson tractor and says ten of his horses must go.—Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Moore of Spoonville are moving to the home made vacant by the death of Lefe Moore.—Mr. Freeman is much better at this writing.—Mr. and Mrs. Dillard Mullins were visiting Mr.

Mullins' parents last Sunday.—I. L. Martin of Harts was down to his sister's Sunday to see his little sick baby.—Will Rowlett is in poor health.

### Blue Lick

Blue Lick, April 30.—Are you a dweller in the lowlands. Then came "The frost, the clear cold frost as falls the plague on men" and scorched the tender leaves and promising buds to black and withered penants registering another failure of fruit crops. However in higher altitudes cherries, peaches, apples and all the berry crops promise an abundant harvest.—Farmers are busy planting corn, plowing all day with their coats on, as the weather continues cool.—Mr. and Mrs. Tibbetts, Mrs. Thurston and little daughter from Boston, visitors in Berea, came out with Mr. Hudson in his car last Sunday, 29th, and by their interesting talks and delightful singing contributed largely to the services.—Mr. Frazier of Berea was a visitor in this section for two Sundays past. We have not discovered the magnet of attraction yet.—Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Campbell visited Lloyd Powell at Livingston last week.—M. B. Flannery and nephew, Clayton Rowland of Owsley county visited T. J. Flannery last week. Mr. Campbell has accepted a position at Lexington with a building contractor and plans to move there soon. His leaving will be sincerely regretted by those who know him, as a fine estimable character and a valuable asset in the community.—Mr. Vaught of this section found a gold watch, but it does not fill the requirements of the one advertised in The Citizen last week.—Mr. and Mrs. Richard Kimbrell visited their daughter, Mrs. Millard Mulliken, Sunday.—Miss Childs has loaned us an old M. S., the diary of her mother when a young girl, chronicling the events of a tour in Europe in 1839. It is highly interesting and deserves a place in literature as a gem of art.—Jas. Barrett, who underwent an operation for appendicitis at the College Hospital, is reported better.

### Bobtown

Bobtown, April 29.—Rev. J. R. Parker preached for us his last time Saturday night, Sunday and Sunday night to a large audience. We regret very much to give him up as he has been with us seven months

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and has gained many friends. We wish him God speed in his work, for no young man ever went out for a greater cause.—Friends are glad to know Marie Moody, one of our last year students, is getting along so well after undergoing an operation for appendicitis at the College Hospital.—Several of our club members attended the speaking Saturday at Berea and enjoyed the nice dinner.—James Neely and son, Zach, sold a nice lot of corn to the Berea Milling Co.—G. B. Angel, Miss Etta English, Mrs. Green Bales and several others from Berea attended Sunday-school here Sunday and went to Pilot Knob church to organize a Sunday-school, but a small crowd was present, so next Sunday at 3 o'clock, May 7, we invite everyone to come out and help in the good cause, for we feel a Sunday-school is needed at that place.—The little daughter, Annie Mae, of Mr. and Mrs. Jona Alcorn is very sick at this writing.—Mrs. Leander Hazelwood and Mrs. James Alcorn of Lockland, O., were called to the bedside of their brother, James Barrett. He was taken to the College Hospital Thursday night and operated on for appendicitis and is getting along nicely.—Mr. and Mrs. Hiram Baker and little daughter, Velma Frances, spent Sunday night with Mrs. John Lawson.—Gover Gabbard visited his parents last week at Franklin, O.

### Wallacetown

Wallacetown, May 2.—Farmers are very busy getting ready to plant corn.—Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Wallace and little son visited Mr. and Mrs. Fred Shockley Sunday.—Rev. Literal held the quarterly meeting at the Methodist Church Sunday afternoon.—Mrs. Willie Kindred is spending a few days with her mother, Mrs. Robinson, this week.—Mrs. Eliza Ogg spent Monday with her daughter, Mrs. Wesley Calico.—Felix Estridge's father and mother are making an extended visit with him while Mrs. Estridge is in New York with her daughter who was hurt a few weeks ago.—E. E. Wallace is very ill.—The Junior Agricultural meeting that was held in Berea, Saturday, April 29, was a great success. There were ten from here to receive their Certificates of Merit for 1921.—We are glad to hear that Miss Florence Estridge is still improving.—Grandma Hill is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Jas. Guinn.—Mrs. Wesley Calico and little son were the guests of Mrs. Jas. Tutor, Sunday.

### Christmas Ridge

Christmas Ridge, May 2.—Ladies' Aid of Silver Creek Baptist Church will have a sale of food and produce and refreshments for the benefit of the church and community, Saturday morning, May 6, beginning at nine o'clock, at Scruggs' office, on the corner of Main street and Dixie Highway.

### Sugar Crop Damaged

New Orleans, La.—A break in Mississippi River levees at Myrtle Grove, La., 30 miles south of New Orleans, flooded more than 6,000 acres of sugar cane plantations, with an estimated damage of \$1,000,000. Every effort to close the breach has been unsuccessful and the water, at last reports, was spreading over cultivated lands two miles above the break and to a point three miles below.

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