

Town Talk

MOVING PICTURE FUNNIES.



THE COMMON MISSES... FIRE AND ROLLS OUT... JONES SO... BAD HE... TRIES TO... ASHES

West Virginia—Partly cloudy to night Friday fair. Local Readings. F. P. Hall, Ob. Temperature at 8 a. m. today, 29. Yesterday's weather, cloudy; temperature, maximum, 60; minimum, 29. Precipitation, .14. River 1.0 feet.

EVENTS TONIGHT. Masonic Hall—Eastern Star. Cunningham Hall—Malta. Steiner Building—Lady Golden Eagles. Fleming Building—Mountain City Lodge, K. of P. Odd Fellows' Hall—Patriarchs Militant, I. O. O. F. Red Men's Hall—Rising Sun Tribe. Macabee Hall—Owls. Musgrave Hall—Golden Eagles. Normal School—Story Telling Club. Grace Lutheran church—Annual meeting of Woman's Home and Foreign Missionary society. First M. E. church—Concert to be rendered at 8 p. m. Red Cross Rooms—Ladies of Presbyterian church will sell. Fairmont avenue—Meeting of public health nursing service at the home of Mrs. B. C. Leppold. The Fairmont—Annual dinner of Fairmont Business Men's Association at 6:30 p. m.

Fired for Being Drunk—W. H. Jackson was before Mayor Bowen this morning charged with being disorderly. He was found guilty and was fined \$10, which he arranged to pay.

Looses A Dog—Bells Harris, the janitor at the court house yesterday, lost a very valuable dog when it was struck by an automobile truck in front of the Crane Drug store. The dog was injured so badly that it died shortly after injured.

Advisory Council Meeting—There will be a meeting of the advisory council of the Young Woman's department of the Y. M. C. A. to be held at the "Y" building on Friday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

Unclaimed Booze—Deputy Sheriff Glover last night secured two unclaimed suit cases on a B. & O. train from Pittsburgh, which contained twenty-four pints and seven quarts of Italian wine.

Confessed His Guilt—Justice Conaway yesterday afternoon heard the confession of Harry Snyder, of Morgantown, who was charged with bringing in forty-eight half pints of whiskey. He was fined \$150 and sentenced to serve three months on the county roads.

Caught Woman 'Legger—A well-dressed woman giving her name as Iva Dodd, of Clarksburg, was arrested just as she was about to board a trolley car for Clarksburg yesterday afternoon by Constable Robinson. She had ten pints of whiskey in a handbag. County officers say this was the fourth trip she made in ten days. She is in jail awaiting a hearing before Justice Conaway.

Jury Finds Brown Guilty—George Brown, alias "Peg" Brown, was found guilty of violating the prohibition law by bringing in a quart of whiskey more than once a month. The case was tried before Justice Conaway and the members of the jury were G. W. Blinnix, M. West, C. W. Norris, Asby Rice, James Crowl and S. M. Wilson. Two weeks ago Brown was warned not to bring any more whiskey into the state within thirty days and last Saturday he was caught doing so. Attorney E. P. Bell made a motion to set aside the jury's verdict. Assistant Prosecuting Attorney Miller prosecuted the case.

To Be Heard Today—Late this afternoon Milo Dukich will be heard by Justice Conaway on a charge of violating the Yost law by bringing whiskey into the state.

Deeds Filed—These deeds have

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FOR SALE cheap to quick buyer. Living room, dining room and bed room furniture, kitchen cabinet, gas range, refrigerator and rugs and other household goods, practically new. 306 6th street. 2-7-31-3503

WANTED—Colored woman for general housework. Small family. Good wages. Mrs. Frank W. Bowers, 325 Locust street, Mannington, W. Va. Phone 122. 3-7-31-3502.

FOR SALE—Lot fronting on Reeves avenue. 40x100 feet. Apply to H. L. Garlow, 107 Cochran street, Fairmont, W. Va. 3-7-31-3504

WANTED—Young man to take part in amateur play to be staged in four small towns close to Fairmont. Address W. C. B. Box 3505, West Virginia office. 2-7-31-3505.

IN HIS GLORY.



bers property are becoming just a little too numerous. There have been no access follow such complaints as yet, but if complaints have been investigated and the violator warned. From now on no warnings will be issued but violators will be arrested and summoned before the mayor to tell their story.

Who Owns Dead Dog?—The body of the dog which was beaten to death on the East side yesterday has been taken to the Irving Hivery stable at the suggestion of the Humane society officers and it is hoped that all owners of mischievous animals will be urged to collar them. The dead dog is without a collar but it was an especially fine and valuable specimen of the breed.

Marriage Licenses—These marriage licenses were issued today: Bernard Satterfield, 28, and Mary E. Linn, 23, both of Hammond; Thomas T. Wright, 29, and Mabel Wilson, 42, both of Montana.

AIM BODY BLOW AT GERMAN CULTURE

Palmer Asks Authority to Sell off German Holdings in the U. S.

WASHINGTON, March 7.—Plans to break up the vast holdings of Germany interests in the United States and place them in other hands so that after the war the cannot continue to be what has been characterized as outposts of German kultur in America was presented by Congress today by A. Mitchell Palmer, alien property custodian, and unanimously approved by the Senate appropriations committee. Mr. Palmer asked and the commission agreed that legislation should be

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attached to the urgent deficiency empowering him to sell these properties to any private interest but not to the United States government. The proceeds to be held in the treasury until after the war.

Whether the German owners will receive the money would be determined by the peace terms. American property in Germany, the commissioner was told, is subject to such action. Like treatment of German property in the United States, Mr. Palmer told the committee would hamper Germany and help the United States win the war.

The committee by a party vote with the Republicans opposing, also approved an amendment to authorize the President to take legal title to the German steamship piers and properties at Hoboken, N. J.

GLOVER CUNNING COUNTY'S IDLERS

Strongly Worded Letter Goes Out to Justices and Mayors.

Following Governor Cornwell's suggestion that loafers be at work in these perilous times, Sheriff A. M. Glover today sent a letter out to every justice of the peace and mayor in Marion county urging them to help him in the round up work. The letter issued by the sheriff is pointed and gets down to brass tacks giving exactly what issues are before the people. The letter which is self explanatory is as follows: Dear Sir—My attention has been frequently called to the fact that there are quite a few people that are not

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At the Navy Department: "Ho—steady—me mate, there's a periscope on the port side."

Full extent of the law if they fail. I hope you will look after this matter as it is your duty to do so. Yours very respectfully, A. M. GLOVER, Sheriff.

Educators Talk at Rotary Club Lunch

At today's meeting of the Rotary Club, President Resier, of the Fairmont Normal school, and City Superintendent of Schools Wilson made brief remarks about outstanding features of the national educational meetings which they recently attended in the East. Mr. Resier told of the preparations that are being made for the re-education of men now in the army who are wounded in such ways as to incapacitate them from taking up their old employments and Mr. Wilson told how the war preparations have brought out America's serious lack of industrial education. Efforts were made at the meeting to have the club well represented at Rotary meetings to be held in Pittsburgh Saturday of this week and at Zanesville two days of next week.

AMERICAN COLONEL TAKES ENEMY LIEUT.

Met Him Face to Face in a Trench During Raid on Foe.

(By Associated Press) WITH AMERICAN ARMY IN FRANCE, March 7.—An American staff colonel while with a French raiding party for the purpose of securing information a few days before his men took up their position in the new American sector, on the Lorraine front met a Prussian lieutenant in an enemy trench and captured him. The colonel with an American captain brought the Prussian officer back to the line (The America): are now occupying. The German raid in this new sector occurred on Monday night a sharp fight taking place in which the German suffered a repulse with losses. In it a unit which was among the most recent arrivals displayed the customary American fighting energy and apparently gave the enemy a much warmer reception than he expected.

WRIGHT-WILSON.

Thomas Key Wright of Montana, and Miss Mabel Wilson, of Hutchinson were united in marriage this afternoon at 1:30 o'clock at the residence of the officiating minister, Rev. C. E. Goodwin, pastor of the First M. E. church.

R. R. MEN BEHIND

(Continued from Page One) meeting at Washington on March first and we understand will be a subject for further discussion at meeting to be held in Washington on March eighth. Railroad officials at meeting March first, opposed the discontinuance of assigned cars. "This situation is so serious to our entire section that we hope your efforts to relieve the deplorable conditions will soon show substantial improvement. We offer any assistance we can give you."

At Other Points. Similar messages will go to Mr. McAdoo from other counties in this section of the state. It is likely that three or four messages will be sent to him today from Clarksburg. An effort is being made to interest Taylor, Uphur and other counties in emphasizing the attitude of the Baltimore and Ohio officials towards the Monongah division. Lumber shippers got together at the Camden hotel at Weston and made a protest to W. G. McAdoo regarding the car shortage alleging that none of those represented at this meeting had shipped enough lumber since January 1 to pay for operating expenses.

Monongalia Operators Ask Advance.

"Thin vein" operators of Monongalia county held a meeting at Morgantown last night and adopted a resolution asking for the inclusion of selling price as was granted operators of similar mines in Preston county. Such resolutions have the assurance of J. Walter Barnes, Federal Fuel Administrator, and C. Ross Jones, chairman of Monongalia county's coal committee, that they will have their approval. Each operator stated his tonnage in the petition made out.

Beeson's Good Suggestion.

A. C. Beeson, of Worthington, made a suggestion at the meeting of the Fairmont Coal club held yesterday which is gaining considerable force as it penetrates into the thoughts of those who are seeking every possible means of advancing the interests of this coal district. Mr. Beeson's suggestion is that General Superintendent J. M. Scott, Superintendent Charles W. Dineen and Chief Clerk Gall Fishback be invited to the Coal club dinners. It is certain that these railroad men, whose work is of such vital importance to this region, would be impressed with the sincerity of the coal operators in their effort to market as much coal as possible at this time and it is almost certain that the railroad men would be encouraged to extra effort to handle the situation to the best possible advantage.

FOOD CONSERVATION MEETING

At Baxter school house on Friday evening at 8 o'clock a patriotic meeting will be held to consider food conservation. The speakers will be Prof. Joseph Rosier, Mrs. J. A. Meredith and Miss Blanche E. Price.

The West Virginian is a Woman's Newspaper

By that we do not mean that it prints a few features labeled "for women" and then dismisses woman as something unworthy of further consideration. Many newspapers do that, and it has won the merited resentment of high spirited members of the sex.

The West Virginian Way is Different—in Principle and in Execution

The West Virginian recognizes woman's importance in the present day world and it does it frankly, fully and without the slightest effort to be patronizing. We have a Woman's page devoted to the household—but we also have a sport page devoted to amateur athletics and a financial department. These are mere classifications for the convenience of readers. They help people to find what they want and to avoid what they do not want in the paper. Where The West Virginian is in advance of every other West Virginia newspaper is in the news and editorial policy which treats woman as in every way the equal of man.

The West Virginian takes care that subjects in which women are interested are presented fully and fairly and with adequate editorial comment. Many newspapers think it the proper thing to make their editorial pages for men only. Incidentally that explains the declining influence of some newspapers. In The West Virginian all matter is treated in accordance with what we conceive to be its importance and its interest. Subjects which are of especial interest to women are frequently commented upon. That this is appreciated is proved by the fact that many women regularly read our editorials. They write us about the articles and show that they are as keenly alive to the topics of the day as are men—more so in many instances, to tell the full truth. All of this sets a new standard in West Virginia journalism. Are you, madam, a regular reader of

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