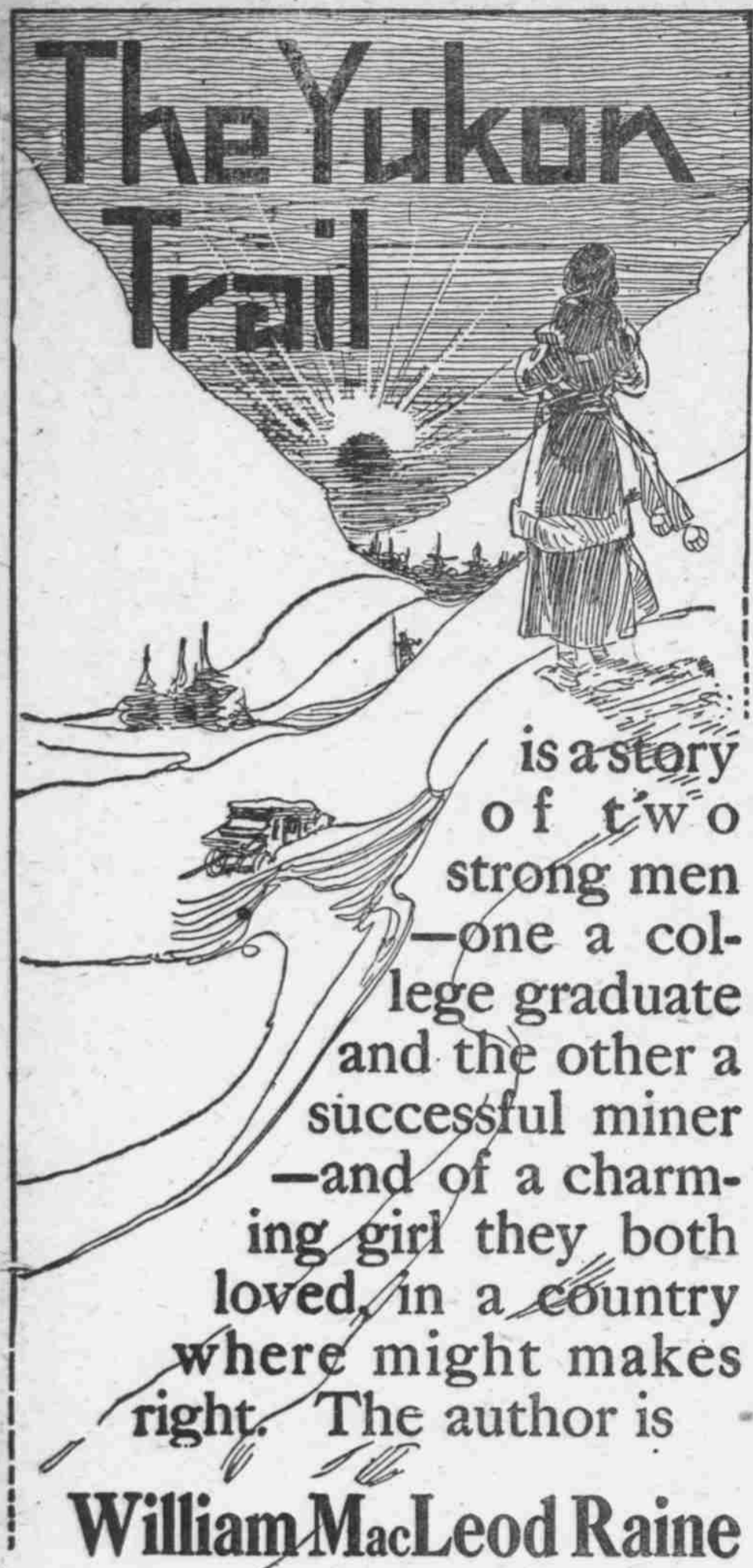


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**The Yukon Trail**  
is a story of two strong men—one a college graduate and the other a successful miner—and of a charming girl they both loved, in a country where might makes right. The author is **William MacLeod Raine**

and the story is full of the things that spell fight. The spell of the great river of the northern wilderness pervades the tale in which *Love, Intrigue and Adventure* are never absent. We take pleasure in announcing and ask that you read **Our New Serial**

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### Personals.

W. W. Owens, Longstreet, was here to-day.

Jo, Edgar and Fred Harris were in Louisville a few days ago.

Mr. H. J. Tafel, of Louisville, was in Columbia a few days ago.

Mr. Geo. O. Barnes, of Russell county, was here the first of the week.

Mr. Chapman Pickett, of Kemp, Ky., is visiting relatives in Columbia.

Mr. Garrett Murrell, of Champaign, Ill., is visiting relatives in the county.

Mrs. Tipton Montgomery, who visited in Lebanon, returned home last week.

Mr. Bert Epperson was in Louisville last week, buying his Christmas supplies.

Mr. W. E. McCandless returned Thursday from a business trip to Cincinnati.

Messrs. B. J. Lyon and H. R. Caldwell, Campbellsville were here last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Lewis visited their daughter, Mrs. Leo Baldouf, in Paducah, last week.

Mr. G. S. Cardwell, of Louisville, traveling man who often makes Columbia, was here last Thursday.

Rev. Bascom Grider, of Bowling Green, passed through Columbia a few days ago, en route to visit his parents at Montpelier.

Mr. W. H. Flowers, wife and children, Mrs. Josephine Rowe and her son went to Louisville last Saturday, for a two days' visit.

Misses Mollie Jeffries, Mollie Caldwell, Bess Leftwich and Mrs. Nell Patterson returned the first of last week from a visit to Louisville.

Mrs. C. M. Russell and her little daughter, Mary Catherine, who spent three weeks in Bowling Green, returned home last Wednesday.

Mr. Ray Montgomery has returned from Warren county. He left his wife in an improving condition, but she will not return home for several weeks.

Mr. J. W. Simcox, who is connected with the Chair Manufacturing Company of the Frankfort penitentiary, was here last week, purchasing lumber for the concern.

Rev. S. G. Shelly, Presiding Elder in the Columbia District, was in Louisville last week, attending a

meeting of the Board of Education of the Louisville Conference.

Mr. and Mrs. John D. Sharp were here from Amsterdam the latter part of last week. They were called to this county to see Mrs. Bettie Grasham, who is the mother of Mrs. Sharp, and who has been quite sick.

Jo Hurt, Doc Walker, Lucian Hunn, Rollin Cudiff, Wm. Hancock, Bryan Royce, W. R. Faese and young Dulworth, all soldiers were here on a visit of a few hours the latter part of last week. The first named is a First Lieutenant and will be sent to Battle Creek, Mich. Prof. Paul Chandler came as far as Campbellsville. All the boys were looking in fine health.

Mrs. E. P. Harris, of Catlettsburg came down last week, to visit her relatives, near Milltown, and also her relatives and friends in Columbia. She is a staunch friend of the News and called to pay her respects and also to renew her subscription. She is well pleased with Catlettsburg, but took occasion to state that Columbia and Adair county were situated in God's country.

Mrs. S. P. Miller who has been visiting her aunt Mrs. Bettie Cheek, of Nashville, Tenn., returned home Friday afternoon. While there she spent a day with Mrs. William Coleman, (nee Miss Laura Johnston) They have a beautiful home, and when digging a well in one corner of their yard struck a stream of fine mineral water which so many people are using. It is sold at the well for 10c a gallon. When delivered on a motor truck it is sold for 10c a gallon.

Mr. Sid Snow, who was born and reared in Adair county, but who has been living in Ulrich, Mo., for more than a quarter of a century, and who visited his friends of Adair of his earlier days, left for his home last Friday morning. Before leaving he informed the News that he had been warmly entertained here; that the happiest five weeks (the length of his visit) of his life were spent while here. He missed some of the old boys who now live in other states, especially Melvin White and his violin. In two years he expects to visit us again, and in the meantime he wants all his friends to keep well and be ready to meet him when he makes his next advent into Columbia and out in the county of Adair.

Gift stationery, booklets, cards, etc. Paul Drug Co.

Do not forget to see the play at Lindsey-Wilson next Friday evening.

The thermometers about town varied Sunday morning. They registered all along from 4 to 8 below.

See L. E. Young's line of Jewelry before you buy.

A friend has my overcoat. Bring it in. His name has escaped me. J. H. Young.

The play at the Lindsey-Wilson Friday evening promises to be of great interest. Come, everybody.

Don't squander your money on worthless stuff, buy something useful at Russell & Co.

My Christmas goods are now on display. First come, first served. J. N. Page.

W. B. Walker is at Camp Shelby, Hattiesburg, Miss., instead of Camp Zachary Taylor, as we reported last week.

Man past 30 with horse and buggy to sell Stock Condition Powder in Adair county. Salary \$90 per month. Address 9 Industrial Bldg., Indianapolis, Indiana.

WANTED:—A white girl for house work in good home. Woman with some experience in nursing preferred. Edwin Hurt, Columbia, Ky.

Frank Morgan, who was a son of the late Reeco Morgan, died in Lawson's Bottom, Cumberland county, one day last week. He was known to quite a number of Adair county people.

Mr. W. S. Sinclair, County Judge elect, will remove to Columbia and for the present will occupy Mr. E. L. Sinclair's residence, fronting the Campbellsville, pike below the cemetery.

I have a small line of Jewelry consisting of cuff links, watches, rings, lavaliers, watch chains, fountain pens etc. L. E. Young.

Xmas toys, dolls, books, etc. Paul Drug Co.

Attorney Gordon Montgomery has rented the Garnett office over the post office, and is now fitting up the rooms which will be ready by the first of the year.

The town board of supervisors, W. T. McFarland, J. A. Willis and H. N. Miller, was in session last week. Quite a number of property owners were "histed."

See our new Holiday line of Men's and Ladies Neckwear, Handkerchiefs, Gloves, Auto sets, etc. Russell & Co.

Mr. W. I. Ingram will remove his stock of goods to the business house now occupied by Mr. T. E. Waggener, the first of January. Mr. Waggener, will have closed out by that time.

Furloughs for the Yuletide week will be granted all men at Army cantonments whose absence can be permitted in the opinions of the division commanders, to enable them to spend Christmas at their homes.

Do't forget to price Young's line of Jewelry.

Allen Walker purchased the Lucien Moore farm containing 150 acres of land, good dwelling and out buildings, lying near Montpelier, Saturday night for \$4,000. Possession will be given at once.

FOR SALE.—Two pair coming two year old mare mules. Extra good, heavy and fancy for age. 15-1 to 15 1/2 hands high.

Curtis Yarberry, Cane Valley, Ky. 7-3t.

Born, to the wife of Irvine Loy, Thanksgiving day, a son, the fourth boy that has come to bless Mr. and Mrs. Loy. They also have two daughters. Irvine says that as his family increases he buys and sells more cattle and hogs.

All parties owing me an account are requested to come and settle at once, as I will wind up all my business by Jan. 1 1918. T. E. Waggener.

On Thursday, November the twenty-ninth, Miss Frances Saltee and Mr. A. J. Uphoff, of Onarga, Ill., were united in marriage at Watseka, by Rev. McVey. The bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alfonso Saltee and the groom is a son of Mrs. J. H. Uphoff.

Last week Mr. Sam Lewis bought the second tract of land from John Lee and Doc Walker adjoining his first purchase. This last tract contains 50 acres for which he paid \$1,500. The two tracts will be thrown into one farm of 110 acres.

Mr. J. M. Kearnes, the machinist of Columbia, traded the building in which he carries on his business, to Mr. R. E. Rowe for a farm, located on the Somerset road. He sold the farm to Walker Bryant and will remove to Campbellsville, taking his machinery with him. He is a good workman and some one will have to take his place here.

Newton D. Baker, Secretary of War, estimates the losses up to June 1 of the British expeditionary forces in deaths in action and from wounds at 7 per cent of the total of all men sent to France since the beginning of the war. He adds that the ratio of losses of this character today, because of improved tactics and swiftly mounting allied superiority in artillery, is less than 7 to every 100 men.

Mr. Cortez Sanders, who was elected sheriff of Adair county at the November election, will remove to Columbia and will occupy the residence owned by Mr. R. O. Keitner, near the home of Mr. Braxton Massie. Mr. Keitner has removed to Gradyville. "Uncle Bob," as we call him is a very fine citizen, but we could not hold him. He longed for his old stamping ground, and friends of his earlier days.

On January 1, 1918, all the newly elected county officers will be sworn in for a term of four years. Every office, excepting circuit court clerk, will be filled by new men, all Republicans but Noah Loy, who was elected school Superintendent, and who is now filling out Mr. Huffaker's term by appointment. All the voters of the county want to see the affairs of Adair economically managed, and to that end the work will be in the hands of the coming administration.

Attractive assortments of imported China, Cut Glass and Silverware at Russell & Co.

The Lexington Herald reports that when the new city officers take the oath, the 7th of January, Mr. J. A. Wilmore will be appointed Prosecuting Attorney for the city of Lexington. Mr. Wilmore is a son of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Wilmore, Gradyville, this county. He located in Lexington about eight years ago and has become quite popular as a lawyer.

Mrs. Gordon Montgomery was having her lard rendered last week. Two large cans were filled and set out to cool. While the hands were busy the two cans were visited by an old sow on the place and the contents of one can consumed. When the discovery was made Mrs. Montgomery said: "Gordon, kill that sow and we will render her; it is the only way to pull even."

For Xmas manecure sets, desk sets, toilet sets, umbrellas, wrist watches, jewelry of all kind. Paul Drug Co.

Mr. A. L. Eubank, (son of Mr. and Mrs. S. F. Eubank, this place, who is a soldier at Ft. Leavenworth, Kansas, has been made a corporal. In sending this information he also mails the menu for the soldiers on Thanksgiving. It is very elaborate, consisting of everything good to eat. Not less than fifteen different dishes, and after the meal all kinds of fruit and cigars were served.

Mr. G. G. Hedge, representing the Central Oil Company, was here last week, and rented from Mr. J. O. Russell the store-room in the Russell building, formerly occupied by Mr. Vance Gowdy, as a wholesale groceryman. Mr. Hedge will open an oil and paint store and expects to be ready for business this week. He also expects to install in front of the building a 5,000 gallon gasoline tank.

We are this week, taking off our list the names of all subscribers who are in arrears. If you want your paper continued please pay what you owe and add \$1.00 for a years subscription in advance. Should we make an error in leaving off any name that should remain, please notify us promptly and we will refund postage and furnish paper that you miss on account of our error.

If you are in need of a clock I have an assortment. Will be glad to show you at any time. L. E. Young.

Mr. Henry Hancock, who reached home a few days ago, from Ft. Oglethorpe, Ga., was discharged from the army, on account of bad health, last Saturday week. Since reaching home he has been improving, has a good appetite and sleeps well. His father thinks that he will fully recover, but it will take a little time. He has remained at home since his arrival on account of change of climate.

Miss Sue Baker, who made a very efficient helper in this office for twelve years, and who resigned from her position here two weeks ago, has accepted a position in the Bank of Columbia, and went to work in that institution last Thursday morning. She is a good mathematician and will keep a set of books for the bank. She starts with a good salary and will work for promotion. Her friends are glad she secured this important position.

A big line of Jewelry, Cut Glass, silver Paul Drug Co.

Will Open Soon.

As the workmen progress the Buchanan Lyon Company's garage building looks better every day. It is going to be a very handsome business house, one of the most attractive about the square. It is very commodious, conveniently arranged, and when its doors are thrown open for business it will contain several dozen new Ford machines. The company will also keep a large stock of supplies, and will have in their employ expert machine men hence if your machine should get out of commission, in a very few minutes it will be put in first class condition. This business will be a great help to Columbia, as it will be the largest concern of the kind in the Green river section of the State. The Buchanan Lyon Co., is composed of business men, who feel an interest in this locality and it is coming here to enliven business.

Erectors and instructive toys for children at Paul Drug Co.

To-Night.

Capt. Nemo, Mighty Wizard of the Deep. Jules Verne's 20,000 leagues under the sea. First and only Submarine Photo-Drama ever filmed. To night, Tuesday, at Paramount Theater.

From Texas.

Merit, Dec. 1, 1917. The Adair County News:— Enclosed find check for \$1.00 to pay for one more year's subscription. I think more of The News than I do of the Dallas Morning News. It is like a letter from home. So good-bye, G. W. Coffey.

Sale.

Farm of 100 acres lime stone land, nine miles south of Columbia, eight room residence in first class condition good out buildings, well watered and timbered. Plenty of fruit, on the main Columbia and Creelsboro road. Get mail twice a day, good neighborhood in 300 yards of school and church house. Price \$3,500. Tutt & Reed.

If you want some useful articles for a Christmas present, we have a nice line on exhibition. Russell & Co.

A Bargain.

The Farmers Home Journal is recognized as the leading farm paper of the State. Every farmer should subscribe for it. We have made a special arrangement with the publisher of the Farmers' Home Journal by which that paper and the Adair County News are put in reach of all. Here it is:

Farmers' H. Journal, per year \$1.00. Adair County News per year \$1.00. Both one year for \$1.65. This proposition will be good for several weeks. Subscribe now.

Surprised Their Friends.

Mr. Sam Duvall, who was educated in the Lindsey-Wilson School and well-known in Columbia, and Miss Carrie Vaughan, whose home was at Glenville, this county, were married in Louisville last week by Rev. A. R. Kasey. The groom is a soldier and is located at Camp Zachary Taylor. He is a very worthy young man. The bride also attended the Lindsey-Wilson for a term or two, and was also a popular teacher of this county. Their former schoolmates send congratulations.

Public Sale.

Luther Williams, Montpelier, Ky., Friday December 21, 1917, I will sell at public auction beginning at 9 a. m. the following described property: 1 pair good work mules. 1 good combination horse. 2 milk cows, and one fine heifer. 1 sow and 10 shoats. 5 tons of hay and 40 bbls of corn. Farm wagon, buggy, 2 sets of buggy harness, and 2 saddles. Plows, cultivators, harrows, corn drills, mowing machine, hay rake and other farm implements. An extra good lot of household and kitchen furniture will be offered for sale. Terms made known on day of sale. Luther Williams, Montpelier, Ky.

Bargains.

22cts Percale at	17c
13cts Percale at	10c
15cts Brown Domestic at	12 1-2c
17c Brown Domestic at	13 1-2c
22cts Bleach Domestic at	18c
15cts Bleach Domestic at	12 1-2c
Outing	10 & 15c
Men's \$1.00 and \$1.25 Shirts at	85c
Work Shirts	65c
Men's two piece Underwear pr	50c
Ladies two piece underwear	35c
Men's \$5.00 Raincoats	\$3.50
Ladies \$5.00 Raincoats	\$3.50
Boys and Girls \$4.50 Raincoats	\$2.75
Men's \$1.85 Overalls	\$1.50
Men's two-piece Summer Underwear	20c

In fact everything for less than you can buy it elsewhere. Call and see me before it is too late. T. E. Waggener. 7-2t