

By Jury's Verdict Here In Action Against C. & O.; New Trial Being Sought

THOUGHTS ON MEMORIAL DAY

Some Memorial Day, there'll be no work for newspaper folks who fight against time till time is no more for them...

A Back-Seat Driver Takes a Ride Around Prestonsburg

"Watch it—watch it! That corner's blinder than you are... wanta get us killed?...

ONE WONDERS

I've always had an idea it would be nice to take the wife fishing, but now I don't know...

Court House Happenings

SUITS FILED Goldie May vs. William M. May; Paul E. Hayes, atty. Virgie Elliott, admx. vs. Rosina Frasure, etc.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Robert Stephens, 43, Wayland, and Maxine Blair, 22, Estill. James Hester Salisbury, 25, Lansley, and Alice Martin, 19, Wayland; married here May 27 by the Rev. Alex Stephens.

PLAYGROUND HERE READY

Room for Big'n's, Too, Recreation Supervisor Says; Softball Planned The playground is waiting for you—It's yours to enjoy.

Attorneys for the Chesapeake & Ohio Railway Company have filed motion and grounds seeking a new trial following the \$25,000 verdict rendered by a jury in the trial here last week of the damage suit of Mrs. Bossie Yates, widow of Henry Yates and administratrix of his estate, against the company.

The amount of damages awarded was among the largest granted in a civil suit here involving the death of one person.

Yates was injured while he and other company employes were unloading from a coal car at Allen a heavy switch point.

HALTED TALKS BEGIN ANEW

Lewis Doubts Authority Of Southern Coal Group To Bargain With UMWA

Southern soft coal contract talks have been halted for a week by the latest move of John L. Lewis.

Lewis led his United Mine Workers negotiators out of the conference in Bluefield, W. Va., last Thursday after giving the Southern Coal Producers Association until today (Thursday) to prove its bargaining authority.

"One week from today at 3 o'clock in this hall the representatives of the United Mine Workers will be back," said Lewis.

The breakdown of the conference in its second day put a damper on hopes that the UMWA and SCPA will agree on a new contract before the present one runs out June 30.

Lewis said two more big producers pulled out of the conference in the previous 24 hours. He named the Trux-Traer Company in West Virginia and Hellen Coal & Coke Company in Kentucky.

WORK STARTS ON STRUCTURE

Broadway Development May Cost \$40,000; Five Residences A-Building

Work started here by H. D. Fitzpatrick on a two-story business building adjoining the new theatre structure on Broadway (Mayo Trail) will cost an estimated \$40,000, it was said this week.

The Fitzpatrick building, facing 102 feet on the street and running 95 feet back toward Third avenue, will be fireproof, with concrete and steel used almost entirely in construction.

Anti-Rabies Treatment Prescribed for Eight Mud Creek Persons

Eight residents of the Branham's Creek section of Mud Creek were reported by the Floyd County Health Department this week as receiving anti-rabies treatment, and Dr. Marvin Ransdell termed the situation in the community an emergency.

THURSDAY

BOARD NAMES LARGER PART OF TEACHERS

High School Principals Not Selected; Teacher Situation Is Improved

The Floyd County Board of Education last Friday employed more than 300 members of the county's teaching force for the coming school year.

High school principals were not named at the meeting, and several other vacancies remain to be filled. The situation this year, however, is greatly improved over that of last, and even more qualified teachers than those now applying may become available, it was said.

While teachers were designated for specific schools, they were employed for the county school system as a whole and are subject to such transfers and placements as may be deemed necessary.

Teachers named for the consolidated schools:

Harold — Robert Jones, Edna Keathley, Cora Perry, Geneva Hamilton, Lillian S. Taylor.

Drift — Lloyd Stumbo, Pauline Moore, Collis Stumbo, Eunice Hall, Orpha Akers, Avanelle Tackett.

Allen — Otis Spurlock, Beecher Woods, Eunice L. Martin, Agatha Oppenheimer, Edith Akers, Opal S. May, Mildred R. Hall, Ethel Johnson, Goldia Short.

PARTY SHIFT FAVORS DEMS

More Than 200 of G.O.P. Go Democratic; Question Is, When May They Vote?

More than 200 Republican voters have during the current registration period changed their party affiliation to Democratic, it was said at the County Clerk's office this week, and therein lies the beginning of arguments over the conduct of the primary election.

These and 17 Democratic voters who switched to the Republican column are changing their political affiliations with the expectation of voting in the primary. The Attorney General's office recently ruled that the law permits such change in registration and did not state these voters will be denied the right to vote in the primary.

At the same time, attorneys here point to the law which states the qualifications of a voter and which in effect says the voter must have, for instance, voted as a Democrat at the previous general election in order to receive a Democratic ballot at the primary.

RETAIN PRICE, GROUP'S PLEA

Wayland Citizens Here After Hearing Change Planned at Wayland

A report that County Superintendent Palmer L. Hall was considering a new principal for the Wayland consolidated school brought a group of citizens of the town here Tuesday to ask Mr. Hall to retain the services of the Rev. Lawrence B. Price, the present school head.

Represented in the delegation here were the Lions Club, the Elk Horn Coal Corporation's supervisory and office staff and the United Mine Workers of America local at Wayland. A spokesman for the group said women of Wayland are equally interested in Mr. Price remaining there and they will come here later, if necessary.

It's Here--Cure for Arthritis!-- But Only Enough for 20 Persons

Hope for sufferers from the worst form of arthritis was extended in a report made this week to the International Congress of Rheumatic Diseases—but for the present there is not in the entire world more than enough of the new remedy, a hormone called Compound E, to treat more than 20 persons.

Source of the compound is the adrenal glands in your back.

This hormone is made by Merck & Company, Rahway, N. J., one of the world's largest drug manufacturers.

High school principals were not named at the meeting, and several other vacancies remain to be filled.

So startling have been the effects that Dr. Phillip S. Hench, Mayo Clinic, Rochester, Minn., where the discovery was made, said:

"Figuratively we look at arriving airplanes to see the ship bringing us some of this medicine."

Reporting with him were Mayo Drs. Edward C. Kendall, who isolated this new hormone, Charles H. Slocomb, and Howard L. Polley.

TO CONTINUE ARTIST SERIES

Junior Woman's Club Here Announces Plans Following Recent Meet

The Artist Series which was enjoyed by many residents of Prestonsburg and other Floyd county communities last year will be returned here during the coming season, it was announced this week following a meeting of the Prestonsburg Junior Woman's Club, which sponsored the series.

The famous Barter Theatre will again be presented in an outstanding stage production. Other artists of the series will be Margaret Speaks, nationally known singer on the DeJager, pianist, Dates of the three events and the play to be presented have not been decided.

The drive for funds for the fight on cancer will be the club's major effort of the year, it was decided at the meeting, which was held at the home of Miss Eloise Williams.

Ex-Congressman A. J. May addressed the group on canalization of the Big Sandy river, a cause in which he for years was a Congressional leader.

Members attending the meeting were Mesdames W. T. Archer, Herbert Salisbury, Jr., H. D. Fitzpatrick, Jr., N. L. May, Misses Sarah Clay Stephens, Marian Salisbury, Burieta Gearheart, Ernestine Brown.

Mrs. Helen Johnson Dies at 74, Sunday After Long Illness

Mrs. Helen Salyer Johnson, 74 years old, well-known Floyd woman, died Sunday at the home at Brainard of her daughter, Mrs. J. A. Dickerson, following a long illness.

A resident of the Middle Creek section since girlhood, she was a member of the United Baptist Church for many years and was one of the county's best women. She was twice married—first to Silas Holbrook, and after his death to George Johnson who also preceded her in death.

Funeral rites were conducted Monday from the Dickerson residence, the Revs. Jess Marshall, Glenn Whitaker, Wiley Arnett and G. C. Adams officiating. Burial in the family cemetery was directed by the Arnold Funeral Home.

Princess Elkhorn Mine Strike-Bound; Grievance Unknown, Crawford Says

Approximately 180 employes of the Princess Elkhorn Coal Company's mine No. 2 at David went on strike Monday, and the mine remained idle as the Times went to press.

The Winnah—the Stork!

The stork won by little more than a beak's length, but he won. As Mrs. Richard Wolfe, 33 years old, of Printer, was being hurried to Our Lady of the Way hospital at Martin, around 1 a. m., last Saturday, her daughter was born in an ambulance on the highway between the "Twin Bridges," just outside Martin, and a quarter of a mile from the hospital.

"We knew we'd lost when we heard the baby cry," Johnny Hall who with his brother Burchell had answered the ambulance call. The trip on to the hospital was a matter of less than a minute, and Mrs. Wolfe and baby were soon declared "doing fine."

Mr. Wolfe, a mechanic, was working in Lexington at the time. The Wolfes live in a trailer-home beside the highway at Printer and mother and babe are now there.

In every case the improvement stopped, or dropped, when Compound E was no longer given.

A woman at Mayo Clinic, who could not get out of bed, was down-town shopping a week after she started this medicine. A physician got out of bed after a few days and danced a jig.

Present prospects, said Dr. Hench, is that people will have to keep on taking Compound E. How often they must repeat is not known.

Nor are some possible complications known. One or more of the women got a few silky whiskers on their cheeks. Some patients became excessively happy after taking the compound, but later became very depressed.

Grethel Youth in Jail After Woman Injured In Automobile Wreck

Edgar Hall, 17-year-old Grethel youth, was jailed here Wednesday afternoon by state police, as a hit-and-run driver after he failed to stop when his auto collided with a truck, knocking it from the highway between Betsy Layne and Harold and injuring a man and his wife.

The injured woman, Mrs. John Branham, of Shelbiana, Pike county, was taken to the Methodist hospital, Pikeville, where it was said today her condition is not serious. Her husband was dismissed from the hospital after receiving treatment.

Hall was arrested at his home. He told Sgt. Chester D. Potter here today that he failed to stop because he was taking a woman home from a hospital, that the woman fainted when the car and truck collided and her husband urged him to drive ahead.

Miss Gunter Dies at 25 After Illness of Months

Miss Malta Gunter, 25 years old, succumbed Saturday at the home in Wheelwright of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Gunter, to an illness of five months.

A native of Bell county, she had resided with her family at Wheelwright for the last 10 years. She was a member of the Church of God, Surviving, besides the parents, are three sisters, Mrs. Mittie Allen, Melvin, Mrs. Gladys Clark, Middlesboro, and Mrs. Virginia McPeck, of Burton, two half-sisters and a half-brother, Sylvania and Myrtle Gunter and Joe Edward Gunter, all of Wheelwright.

Next Week's Prize Total From Merchants, \$300

Next Thursday's prizes offered by Prestonsburg merchants will total \$300 as a result of the \$75 "jackpot" prize again going unclaimed today for the second Thursday in a row.

Those receiving prizes: Alex Howard, Cliff, \$25, and Mrs. Helen Clark, Prestonsburg, \$50.

It Took a Floyd Countian To Lick a Mingo Hatfield

A news-story telling of the purchase by W. E. Burchett, superintendent of the West Virginia Department of Public Safety, of Cherry Lawn, country place of C. B. Hukle near Huntington, provides a "local boy makes good" story.

The new owner of Cherry Lawn, a 49-acre tract on U.S. 60, five miles east of Huntington, is a son of Jim Henry Burchett and was born and reared on Clark Branch of Buffalo, this county. The West Virginia property he bought last week includes an 11-room colonial home with four baths, and the amount involved in the transaction was reported at \$55,000.

Six-Week Work Shop To Begin Monday; 100 Teachers May Enroll

Approximately 100 Floyd, Johnson and Magoffin county teachers are expected to enroll here Monday morning for the six-week workshop to be conducted by instructors from Eastern State College, Richmond.

Superintendent Palmer L. Hall emphasized the importance of emergency teachers attending the workshop here or of otherwise gaining required credits in order to comply with school regulations. "The fact that some have already been employed as emergency teachers does not exempt them; they must earn the required six hours, either at the workshop here or on some college campus.

The work shop organizational meeting will be held at the high school building at 9:30 a. m., Monday, and at that time the problem of transportation will be worked out, Mr. Hall said.

Instructors here will be Misses Margaret Lingenfelter, Ethel Slade and Dorothy Tomlin.

2 WOUNDED IN HOSPITAL

Slone Accidentally Shot; Former Flier Charged In Shooting of Negro

Two gunshot victims, both seriously wounded Saturday, were reported Thursday morning as well on the way to recovery at the Prestonsburg General hospital.

Most seriously wounded of the two was Layman Slone, of the David section of Middle Creek, through whose abdomen a .22-calibre revolver bullet passed, perforating the intestines in eight places.

The other victim was Gordon Jones, Wheelwright negro, who was shot in the pelvis twice.

Jailed here and later released under \$500 bond in the shooting was Robert Brown, wartime member of the Canadian air force. Some doubt was expressed that Brown actually fired the shots which struck Jones. Authorities here were told the negro had Brown on the floor of Jones' place of business, beating him, when he was shot.

During the war Brown's whereabouts were long unknown to relatives in this county until a newspaper was shown at a Wheelwright theater showing him with a group of Canadian fliers overseas.

Minister's Wife Dies At Home Near Eastern, Victim of Heart Attack

Mrs. Nancy Ousley Wright, 55 years old, wife of the Rev. M. O. Wright, widely known minister of the Regular Baptist Church, died at the Wright home on Goose Creek, near Eastern, Saturday, victim of a heart attack.

Mrs. Wright was a daughter of the late Hager and Polly Ann Ousley and was a native of Risner, this county. She had been a member of the Regular Baptist Church for years, and was one of the county's best women.

Surviving, besides her husband, are five sons and five daughters, Alex and Sam Wright, both of Ohio, Arthur Wright, Eastern, Hager Wright, Fairview, O., Edgill Wright, with the army at Ft. Benning, Ga., Mrs. Susie Hicks, of Ohio, Mrs. Ruth Patton and Miss Olga Wright, both of Eastern, Mrs. Lima Pratt, Garrett, and Mrs. Lily Case, Drift.

The funeral was held Wednesday from the residence, the Revs. Alex Coburn, A. J. Moore and Taek Hall officiating. Burial was made on Goose Creek, under direction of the Arnold Funeral Home.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Layne and son, of Morehead, were here for Memorial Day to visit relatives and friends.

UNIT TO BATTLE CANCER

Cops' Chase of Cyclists Ends in Wreck Injury

COURT VOTES JOHN'S CREEK JOBS TO TWO

Ford and Burchett Bid \$201,672 To Re-Locate Roads in Area of Dam

Contracts for relocation of approximately nine miles of highway in the Johns Creek reservoir area were awarded by the fiscal court Saturday to two Floyd county contractors, the only bidders, for a total of \$201,672.70.

The successful bidders, both residents of Prestonsburg, are Winston Ford and Arvie (Peewee) Burchett. Contracts were awarded on the basis of bids on separate projects. The two contractors already have moved machinery into the area and are at work, it was said Wednesday.

Present work is being done on sections of highway where the new locations planned by H. L. Mayo, engineer on the project, do not necessitate immediate removal of buildings on farms the federal government has not yet purchased. Officials here said farmers in parts of the reservoir area have been told by government employes to proceed with their corn crops this season. The survey for the relocated highway hits these crops at several points, but it is expected rights-of-way will be procured in time to prevent a delay of the work.

Contracts awarded Saturday cover grade, drain and surfacing of the highway skirting the west side of Johns Creek.

The contracts were awarded as follows:

To Burchett—Hager Gap-Gable Branch, \$14,651.60; Brandy Keg-Stratton Branch, \$14,763.90; Corn Fork-Sowers Creek, \$25,997.45; Corn Fork, \$21,587.75.

To Ford—Coppers Creek-German, \$20,770.80; German-Thomas, \$83,497.85; German-Home Branch of Buffalo, \$20,392.85.

At the same meeting the court, on request of County School Superintendent Palmer L. Hall, set the county tax levy for school purposes at \$1.50 per \$100 valuation, plus \$2 poll and 40¢ per \$100 on bank shares.

The Elk Horn Coal Corporation was authorized to construct a tippie over the Sizemore Branch road.

BEAVER CREEK TO LOSE, TOO?

Martin Man Says C. & O. To Cancel Its Passenger Service on the Beavers

Not only half the present passenger train service now in effect on the Big Sandy division is threatened—all such service on both Beaver Creeks of this county will be suspended unless the Chesapeake & Ohio Railway Company is ordered by the Kentucky Railroad Commission to do otherwise, it was predicted here this week.

Lawrence Keathley, chairman of the Board of Trustees, town of Martin, said he was told of the railway's plans for the Beaver Creeks when three company officials called on him, several days ago.

Their visit followed several letters Keathley had written, asking for improved service on Left and Right Beaver. No request has yet been made, however, for permission to discontinue the trains.

A public hearing on the proposed discontinuance of Trains 37 and 38 on the Big Sandy division will be held in the Pike circuit courtroom, June 9. The railroad's case was heard May 10 in a hearing at Frankfort, leaving the Pikeville session altogether to a presentation of the public's side of the matter and cross-examination of railroad witnesses.

Mrs. W. B. Garriott, of Flemingsburg, was here Memorial Day visiting relatives.

UNIT TO BATTLE CANCER

Stated Here, July 6-8; Mobile Unit Will Have Complete Laboratory

The American Cancer Society's mobile unit will be located in Prestonsburg Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, July 6-8, to examine cancer suspects, Dr. Marvin Ransdell, director of the Floyd County Health Department, announces.

Dr. Ransdell emphasized that only those persons who are referred to the clinic by their family physician will be given free examination.

The unit being brought here, it was said, has full laboratory equipment to make necessary tests in detecting cancer.



**Fitzpatrick Heads Eastern Alumni Assn.**

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At a meeting of the Alumni Association of Eastern State College, Richmond, last Saturday evening, Henry D. Fitzpatrick, Jr., of Prestonsburg, was elected president of the Association. He and Mrs. Fitzpatrick attended the banquet Saturday evening and spent Memorial Day at Cumberland Falls, accompanied by their little daughter, Jane Mayo Fitzpatrick.

**WEEKLY BARGAINS  
USED CARS AND TRUCKS**

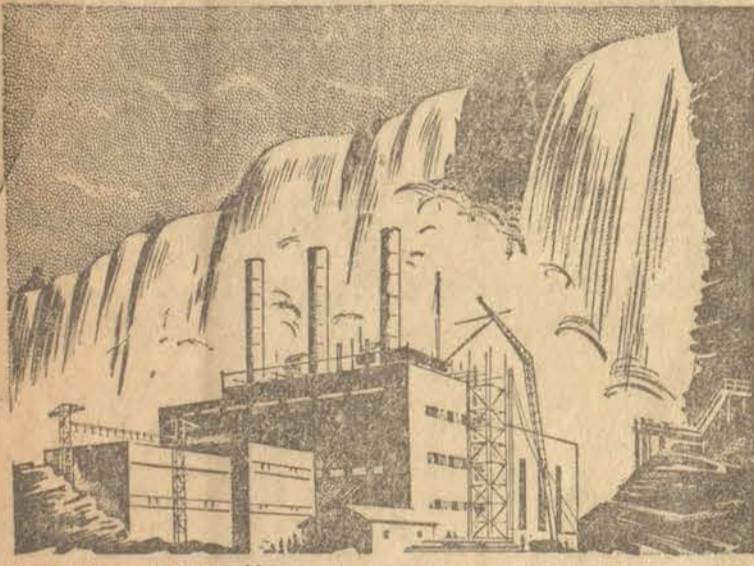
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In fact, much of this extra power is at work right now. Already it has attracted new businesses to the communities we serve. Industry has found new ways to use this power to make better products faster and cheaper. Electric lights and machines are replacing kerosene lamps and hand labor in farm and rural areas. Streets are better lighted, safer. Employment possibilities are greater. Living is more comfortable . . . because there is more electricity for all.

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FOR SALE ON GRAHAM ST.—Modern apartment home on back of 55x220 ft. lot, leaving 55x175 ft. vacant lot fronting building. Priced to sell. Call CURTIS ELKINS at 5251 or 2138. 2-3-tf.

BALDWIN PIANOS: 50metes. Grands now available. Authorized factory dealer for Big Sandy territory. Good used rebuilt pianos. ZWICK'S, Ashland, Ky. 3-25-tf.

LOST—900x20 tire and disc wheel. Somewhere in county. Finder call 281-J, Paintsville, and receive \$5 reward. 5-26-4t-pd.

1300-HOUR metal-clad A & B Battery Packs, \$7.95, 1,000-hour batteries, \$6.98. WESTERN AUTO ASSOCIATE STORE, Prestonsburg, 2-26-tf.

FOR SALE—new 4-room houses, full-size basements. Located on Highland avenue between Seventh and Eighth streets, Prestonsburg. All improvements. Veterans can almost fully finance. No-veterans, 20 pct. down, 20 years to pay balance, 4½ pct. FHA mortgage. Can be bought for less than it cost to build. Owner on premises. HARRY MALKIN. 5-19-4t-pd.

FOR SALE—at a bargain, four lots at Allen, each 50x100 ft. Beautiful, rolling lots. Also 30x100 ft. business lot on Route 80 at Allen. T. L. MORGAN, Price, Ky. 5-12-tf.

FOR HIRE—2 bulldozers, shovel and heavy trucks, for hauling and moving dirt. \$10 per hour. See WAYNE STUMBO, Phone 2510, Minnie, Ky. 5-19-4t-pd.

FOR RENT—Furnished apartment. Three rooms newly papered and Painted. On first floor. See MRS. FANNIE COLLINS. 12-19-

FOR SALE—17½ acres farm, 5-room house, bath, large basement, electric pump, soft water well, good spring, 20x50 ft. poultry house, feedroom, small barn, 1 pony stall, 1 station, all-cement floors. Other buildings; 2 miles north of Vinton, O. on R. 325. School bus, mail route. Will sell all or part. MRS. ETHEL V. FULLER, R. 1, Box 159, Vinton, O. 5-19-3t.

FOR SALE—combination Wurlitzer piano, in good condition, \$55. Also alto saxophone, practically new. MRS. BALLARD PLUMMER, Phone 4371, Prestonsburg. 6-19-3t.

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FOR SALE—100 acres good land, good timber. On blacktop road. Priced right at \$2,500. Write MRS. OTTIS ALLEN, R.R. 2, Warsaw, Ind. 5-26-2t-pd.

FOR RENT—one furnished and two unfurnished apartments; 4 rooms and bath each. On ground floor. T. E. NEELEY, Phone 3031, Prestonsburg, Ky. 4-7-tf.

FOR SALE—at Garrett, Ky., attractive 8-room house with bath, spacious porch, front and side, garage, large yard, good-sized garden space. If interested, see MRS. CHARLES STURGILL or call 42-S, Wayland Exchange. 5-25-3t-pd.

FOR SALE—3½ acres land, 6-room house, bath, free gas, all conveniences, on U.S. 23, near Ivel. W. H. BROWN, Prestonsburg. 5-26-tf.

FOR SALE—6-room house on 40x120 ft. lot, Central avenue, Prestonsburg, Ky. See RAY HOWARD at Cash Furniture Store, of BELLE ELLIS, Phone 4753. 1t.

FOR SALE—two houses, one of six rooms, other 4 rooms. Free gas, electricity, bath in larger house. Will sell houses and lots or entire farm. Located at mouth of Cow Creek. WILLIAM O. GOEBEL, Phone 2169, Ben Franklin Store, or 7031, Prestonsburg. 5-26-tf.

FOR SALE—a few reconditioned sewing machines. Repair work and parts for all makes. Shop across from bakery. M. D. HUBBARD, Box 203, Paintsville, Ky. 5-26-tf.

WANTED—girl or woman to do general housework and stay on premises. Give references. Apply MRS. J. D. HARKINS, JR., or call 5781, Prestonsburg, Ky. 5-26-tf.

FOR RENT—4-room apartment. Private bath. Phone 7481. 3-24-tf.

LOCUST FENCE POSTS—for sale. Split or sawed. Either type reasonably priced. A good supply of locust timber also on hand for sale. See or write COET HAND-SHOE, Hueysville, Ky. 5-25-4t-pd.

FOR SALE—6-room house with bath on lot 50x120. Newly decorated. Gas floor furnace, 2 rooms with private entrances. Ideal for renting. Located on Mayo Trail beside York Furniture Store, Prestonsburg. See, write or call ESTEL L. MCKINNEY at said location. Phone 2112. 6-2-3t.

FOR RENT—business place, with living quarters, 3 rooms, and bath. WM. DINGUS, 32 First Avenue, Prestonsburg. 6-2-tf.

LOST—Lifetime Sheaffer fountain pen, black and white, name of owner on pen. Finder return to FRANK PRICE, Prestonsburg, Reward. 1t-pd.

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FOR SALE—100 acres land on Right Middle Creek eight miles from Prestonsburg, one mile from state road; 3-room house, out-buildings, good barn. Reasonably well-fenced. JOE MCKENZIE, Claypool, Ind. 6-2-2t-pd.

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**OF INTEREST  
TO VETERANS**

Forty per cent of World War II veterans enrolled in schools and colleges under the G.I. Bill are preparing for careers in only three fields—Agriculture, Business and Engineering.

Of the veterans engaged in on-the-job training, 40 per cent also are learning to fill positions in only three fields—mechanics and repairmen, managerial occupations, and jobs in the construction trades. These figures were disclosed in a Veterans Administration study of the principal training courses of 1,969,122 veterans in schools and colleges and 392,998 in on-the-job training.

Several thousand United States residents who served in the Canadian forces during World War II have not yet applied for benefits provided by the Canadian government, according to the Canadian Department of Veterans Affairs. These benefits are only for World War II service and consist of war service gratuities and reestablishment credit. Gratuities amount to \$7.50 for each 30 days of service, with an additional 25 cents for each day overseas plus seven days' pay and allowances of rank for each six months of overseas service.

**Former School Orator,  
War II Victim in Battle,  
Returned to Home Grave**

Last rites for Robert Leslie Runnels, who was killed Dec. 16, 1944 at Kesternick, Germany, were conducted Saturday afternoon from the Methodist Church here which he had attended from boyhood. The funeral was conducted by the Revs. M. C. Yates, A. C. Harlowe and M. Robert Regan.

Burial, with military honors accorded by Floyd Post, American Legion, and Walter Karr Bowling Post, Veterans of Foreign Wars, was made in the May cemetery, the Carter & Callihan Funeral Home directing. A son of Mrs. Fannie Harris Pierce Runnels and the late William Pierce Runnels, he was born March 24, 1922, at West Prestonsburg and was killed at the age of 22 years.

Robert was graduated from Prestonsburg high school with the class of 1939 and received his A.B. degree from Berea College in 1943. As a student he distinguished himself as a leader and speaker. In 1942 he was winner of the Men's Kentucky State Oratorical Contest and represented Kentucky in the National meet at Northwestern University. He was a member of Who's Who Among Students in American Universities and Colleges. At Berea College he was official announcer of all athletic events, president of the Public Affairs Forum, a member of Tau Kappa Alpha, Phi Delta and Berea Players. He was also interested in athletics and in 1942 won second place in the mile run at the Kentucky state track meet.

He was inducted into the army on March 5, 1943 and assigned to the Medical Corps. Later, he volunteered for infantry service and received training at Camp Buckner, N.C., and Camp Pickett, Va. In 1944 he was sent with the Lightning division to the European theater of war and participated in the fighting in Holland, Belgium and Germany. During the Battle of the Bulge his company was assigned to capture and hold the town of Kesternick, Germany, through which ran the German supply line. Cut off from its unit, it was subjected to heavy fire. He was killed instantly by a grenade.

He was a member of the Prestonsburg Methodist Church, an active member of the Methodist Sunday School, and was president of the Big Sandy Young People's Methodist League.

He is survived by his mother, one brother, William P. Runnels, and many relatives and friends.

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Eligible veterans who have not already received their war service gratuity or reestablishment credit from the Canadian government, should contact the Canadian Department of Veterans' Affairs, at Ottawa, Canada.

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**Grab It, Prestonsburg—  
If You Can!**

THE recent letter to the editor of this newspaper written by N. M. (Bud) White, suggesting the Dewey reservoir as a source of water for Prestonsburg, has attracted wide attention locally, and deservedly so.

If water from the lake which unpolluted Johns Creek is to form can be made available to this or any other community now depending upon the liquid filth that is the Big Sandy river, the result would immediately and for all the years to come be an unmitigated community blessing. The cost of piping water from this source should be rightly recognized as a secondary matter.

Investigation of the possibilities should not be delayed. Use of the reservoir would give this community a water supply no other town in the valley could approach and which that of few communities in the country could excel.

The possibility exists, it is said, that an auxiliary to the present water plant serving Prestonsburg will be located upstream from the town. This move, it is reported, is being considered to get water where Prestonsburg will not be drinking its own sewage. Yet there is the excrement of all the other communities above Prestonsburg which must be doctored, and doctored carefully, for human consumption, regardless of any new site along the river.

The Johns Creek lake would provide an abundant supply of water fit for drinking purposes, and the water Prestonsburg would use would not affect the level of the reservoir. If permission for its use can be procured, failure of Prestonsburg to grasp the opportunity, even if the initial cost is rather heavy, would be not unlike expressing a preference for swill over water from an unspoiled mountain spring, simply because swill is cheaper.

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The Tram Colored Sluggers apparently had heard the Prestonsburg baseball team wasn't in condition, so they decided to run the boys to death in the first Prestonsburg game of the season here Sunday afternoon.

And they did. Prestonsburg scored 33 runs in six turns at bat while only one Slugger made it around as far as home in seven heats. With Prestonsburg scheduled to come up to bat, somebody panted that he'd had enough. The winners made all those runs on 24 hits and 10 Slugger errors.

Adrian Blackburn led the attack with six hits, three of which were doubles, and Bill Goble and Junior Clark had five safeties each, one of Goble's being a homer. The Sluggers scored their lone run in the fifth and made only three hits off the pitching of Charlie Patton and Paul Harmon.

**McDOWELL CHILD DIES**

Dysentery and pneumonia complications caused the death Tuesday at Our Lady of the Way hospital, Martin, of five-months-old Roy Fields Wallace, son of Mr. and Mrs. Willie Fields Wallace, of McDowell. Funeral rites were conducted today (Thursday) by the Revs. Bob Martin, Kendall Moore and Sherman Crum. Burial in the Lucy Hall cemetery was directed by the Arnold & Hall Funeral Home.

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**WAYLAND**

Commencement exercises were held Thursday, May 26, in the high school auditorium. Mrs. Thomas Hatcher, senior sponsor, introduced the speaker of the evening, Miss Chloe Gifford, of Lexington. Music was furnished by the senior band. The senior class president, Will Craft, presented to L. B. Price, principal of the school, an Elgin watch in appreciation of his guidance and leadership during the high school career of the graduating class, and Mrs. Hatcher on behalf of the faculty presented Mr. Price a leather brief case. Wilma Hinds, Charlotte Mullins, Tramble Evans and Charles Houston, members of the junior class, served as ushers.

Tommy Sherman, D. V. Dale, Delano and Ronny Polly are home from Millersburg Military Institute for summer vacation. Aleck Ann Howard is also home from Bristol Internment where she graduated from high school.

Virginia Wireman, who is employed in Lexington, was home for the week-end.

We are sorry to hear that Harrison Castle is ill in the Paintsville hospital. We hope his condition soon improves. His family visited him, Sunday.

After commencement exercises last Thursday, Mr. and Mrs. Reece Meadows entertained the juniors, seniors and friends.

The seniors expect to start on their trip to Washington, D. C., and New York, Tuesday. We wish them an enjoyable trip.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Castle at the Paintsville hospital, Sunday, a daughter.

Bucky Wallace and Roy "Codger" Souleyrette went to Dale Hollow with the Junior Sportsmen.



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**Marriage, Divorce  
And Death**



By EVA MEADE HALL

1st Cor., 7th chap., 39th verse: The wife is bound by the law as long as her husband liveth; but if her husband be dead she is at liberty to be married to whom she will, only in the Lord. 40: But she is happier if she so abide after my judgment and I think also that I have the spirit of God. **Divorce permitted:** Deut. 24th chap., 1-4 verses: When a man hath taken a wife and married her and it come to pass that she find no favor in his eyes because he hath found some uncleanness in her, then let him write her a bill of divorcement and give it in her hand and send her out of his house. And when she is departed out of his house she may go and be another man's wife, and if the latter husband hate her and write her a bill of divorcement and giveth it in her hand and sheweth her out of his house, or if the latter husband die which took her to be his wife, her former husband which sent her away may not take her again to be his wife after that she is defiled, for that is abomination before the Lord. **What Christ said about divorce:**

St. Matt. 5:32: But I say unto you that whosoever shall put away his wife saving for the cause of fornication causeth her to commit adultery, and whosoever marrieth her that is divorced committeth adultery. St. Mark 10th chap., 4-12 verses: And they said Moses suffered to write a bill of divorcement and to put her away. And Jesus answered and said unto them, For the hardness of your heart he wrote you this precept. But from the beginning of creation God made them male and female. For this cause shall a man leave his father and mother and cleave to his wife and they twain shall be as one flesh so then they are no more twain but as one flesh. What therefore God hath joined together let not man put asunder.

**Allegory of Agar and Sara—Two Covenants Represented with Two Women—Galatians 4th chap., 22nd verse:** For it is written that Abraham had two sons, the one by a hand-maid, the other by a free woman, 23: But he that was of the bond-woman was born after the flesh but he of the free woman was by promise, 24: Which things are an allegory. For these are the two covenants the one from Mount Sinai which pendereth to bondage which is Agar, 26: But Jerusalem which is above is free with all her children, 27: For it is written, Rejoice thou barren that bearest not, break forth and cry that thou travailest not, for the desolated hath many more children than she which hath an husband, 28: Now we brethren as Isaac was are we the children of promise, 29: But as then he that was born after the flesh persecuted him that was born after the spirit, 30: Nevertheless what saith the scripture? Cast out the bondwoman and her son for the son of the bondwoman shall not be heir with the son of the freewoman, 31: So then brethren we are not the children of the bondwoman but of the free, Gal. 5th chap., 1st verse: Stand fast therefore in the liberty wherewith Christ hath made us free, and be not entangled again with the yoke of bondage, 4th verse: Christ is become of no effect unto you whosoever of you are justified by the law. Ye are fallen from grace, 18: But if ye be led by the Spirit ye are not under the law, 19: Now the works of the flesh are manifest which are these: adultery, fornication, uncleanness, lasciviousness, 20: idolatry, witchcraft, hatred, variance, emulation, wrath, strife, seditions, heresies, 21: envying, murders, drunkenness, revellings of the which I tell you before as I have also told you in the past they which do these things shall not inherit the kingdom of God, 22nd verse: But the fruit of the Spirit is love, joy, peace, longsuffering, gentleness, goodness and faith, 23: Meekness, temperance, against such there is no law, 24: And they that are Christ's have crucified the flesh with the afflictions and lusts, 25: If we live by the Spirit let us not be desirous of vain glory provoking one another, enjoying one another, Gal. 6th chap., 4th verse: But let every man prove his own work, 14th verse: But God forbid that I should glory save in the cross of our Lord Jesus Christ.

This is a request I write on the subject of divorce.

I have written this on a Bible and from a Bible. I pray it helps some broken-hearted man or woman to understand more of God's word, both Old and New Testament.

Sincerely and prayerfully,

EVA MEADE HALL,  
East McDowell, Ky.

(Adv. 11.)

**ALEXANDER  
DAV HEAD**

**Brownsville Man Named  
At State Convention  
Held at Paintsville**

Nesbitt Alexander, of Brownsville, was elected state commander of the Disabled American Veterans Saturday, succeeding James M. Howard, of Louisville, at the DAV state convention at Paintsville.

W. K. Vice, of Paintsville, moved up to senior vice-commander from the position of junior vice-commander, and McCoy Cochran, of Ashland, was named to replace Vice.

More than 200 delegates from throughout the state attended the three-day meeting.

New officers were installed Saturday night preceding a dance at the Paintsville Country Club. Assistant National Adjutant John Feignery of Washington, conducted the installation ceremonies.

DAV delegates joined Monday with the Paintsville American Legion Post in a Memorial Day observance. The convention closed with an executive committee meeting.

Among resolutions adopted was one calling for all World War II veterans disabled as much as 10 per cent to receive compensation for dependents. Officials said that such legislation is now pending in Congress.

The convention also approved a resolution for pensions for all widows of all World War II veterans regardless of whether they had service-connected disabilities or not.

Other officers elected included: Edward A. Gafford, of Louisville, adjutant; J. Harry Stamper, Lexington, judge advocate; George Henderson, of Liberty, chief of staff; and A. M. Longmire, Frankfort, legislative chairman.

Mrs. Mary Ford, Louisville was elected president of the DAV Auxiliary.

Thomas A. Duggan, Morehead, state commander of the Veterans of Foreign Wars, one of the convention speakers, urged an all-out membership drive by all veterans groups to combat what he described as undermining efforts of anti-G.I. forces.

The V.F.W. head said, "It is the duty of each of us, regardless of which organization we might be affiliated with, to get into our ranks thousands who are not at this moment members."

He said strengthening veteran ranks would help fight "certain anti-veteran groups . . . who are doing their utmost to undermine our very existence." He added that large membership is also needed to protect gains made in Congress in veterans legislation.

Representative Carl D. Perkins, of the Seventh Kentucky district, discussed Congressional bills applying to disabled veterans and urged support of the Big Sandy canalization movement.

Vivian D. Corbly, Cincinnati, national head of the D.A.V., urged delegates to help save the U.S. rehabilitation program.

He said there is an urgent need to work for an improved program for the disabled veterans. He cited a recent slashing of 16,000 Veterans Administration hospital beds and said a united organization is necessary to avert further slashes.

"Every disabled war veteran must remember," Corbly said, "that the benefits they are receiving today—whether compensation or pension or entitlement to hospitalization, and medical treatment are being seriously threatened."

"Only by constant vigilance and active support of the D.A.V. program will be able to protect them. By active support, I mean through membership in the Disabled American Veterans."

Corbly said before the recent war there were only one bed in a V.A. hospital for every 45 veterans. That average has been reduced, he said, to one bed for every 150 veterans.

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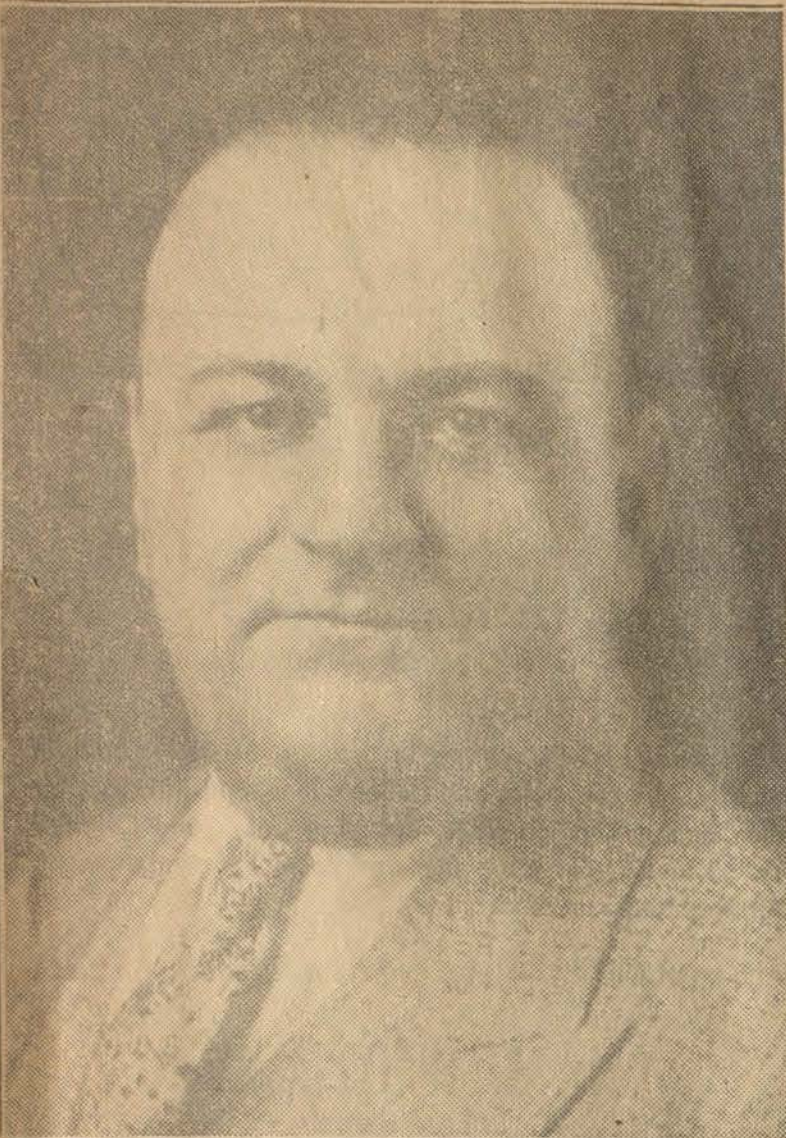
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# Society Notes

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Spurlin accompanied his mother to Louisville last Sunday after she had been their guest here a few days. She was en route to her home in Arkansas.

Miss Esther Louise Ott returned to Cleveland Tuesday after a two weeks stay here installing a new filing system in the Spurling Insurance Company offices.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Clark and Ethel and Bill Ed returned to their home at Ashland Thursday after visiting relatives in the county.

J. M. Weddington, who submitted to surgery recently at the Paintsville hospital, was removed to his home here Sunday. His condition is greatly improved, his many friends are glad to learn.

Mrs. Boone Arnett, of West Prestonsburg, spent the day Wednesday with her aunt, Mrs. B. P. Friend, who is recovering from injuries suffered in a recent fall.

Mrs. Julia B. Stephens, of Georgetown, is visiting relatives here, on the Abbott road and at Cliff. Her friends are glad to see her home again.

Kay Ann Frazier, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Chalmers Frazier, submitted to a tonsillectomy Tuesday at the Prestonsburg General hospital. Her condition is favorable.

Among those from here who attended the funeral of Paul Snyder, vice-president of the Second National Bank, Ashland, Tuesday, were J. D. Harkins, Dr. C. L. Hutspiller, Russell Hagewood, Mrs. Everett H. Sowards, Mrs. Walter Van Landingham, G. C. Spradlin, Mrs. Osa F. Ligon.

Nellie Harris, of Columbus, O., has been visiting her mother, Mrs. Edith McCarty. Mrs. McCarty and son, Dexter, are spending their vacation in Columbus, Ohio.

Mrs. Wayne Dingus, of Martin, was here Friday shopping and calling on friends.

Mrs. Richard Gessling, who has been a patient at St. Mary's hospital, Huntington, since February, suffering from arthritis, was able to return to her home in Ashland last week, practically cured. This is good news to her many friends and relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Adrian Collins spent Memorial Day in Huntington.

Rev. and Mrs. Harold Black and children, David, Wayne and Barbara, returned home Saturday after a short visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. LaDeaux, at Palestine, W. Va.

Mr. and Mrs. Andy King returned to their home at Sciotoville, Ohio, after a visit here with their daughter, Mrs. B. L. Sturgill.

Friends will be sorry to learn of the critical illness of the Rev. B. W. Craft, of Bull Creek. Rev. Craft suffered a heart attack last week while preaching. His son, W. H. Craft, and family, of Jeffersonville, Ind., and son, Scott Craft, and family have been summoned to his bedside.

Mrs. Mary C. Martin, of Huntington, is here visiting her brother, Dr. G. D. Callihan, and sister, Mrs. Amma Carter.

Mrs. Reba H. Mayo is improved this week from an illness of several days last week.

Mrs. H. D. Fitzpatrick, Jr., and daughter, Jane Mayo, attended a luncheon given by Mrs. Crate Fields at Pikeville, Wednesday.

Pete Collins has accepted a position with the Ashland Oil & Refining Company at Ashland. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Adrian Collins.

Mrs. John R. Clarke and daughter, Sallie Gatewood, returned to their home in St. Albans, W. Va., Monday after having visited her mother, Mrs. Osa F. Ligon, over the Memorial Day week-end.

Mrs. Walter Van Landingham, of Miami, Fla., visited Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Harkins, Jr., here this week. She left Monday for a visit with her son, Grover L. Howard, and family, in Charleston, W. Va. Mr. Howard spent Memorial Day here.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Sandige, of Hindman, were here Decoration Day, guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. May.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Zimmerman stopped here Monday, en route to their home in Ashland, and visited Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Francis. They had visited relatives at McDowell and Wheelwright.

Mrs. Wm. H. Cope left Tuesday for her home in Toronto, Canada, after a two weeks' visit with her mother, Mrs. Mary D. Allen.

Russell Peltrey, E. E. Burke and sons, Edmund, Bill Baker and Luciano, are at Dale Hollow this week at the junior conservation camp.

Billy Goble left Sunday for San Francisco, Calif., where he will be employed.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Layne and son, Bill Joe, of Morehead, spent Memorial Day with his aunt, Mrs. Jo M. Davidson, and other relatives.

Visiting Mrs. Mabel Branham over the Memorial Day week-end were Mr. and Mrs. Paul Simmons, of Huntington, W. Va., Miss Myrtle Adlington, Miss Shirlene Branham, Jack Irwin and Joe Harvel. Mrs. Branham's daughters, Mary Louise, Carolyn Walker and Laura Douglas, are home from school in Louisville and will spend the summer vacation with her.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Fulton, of Coalwood, W. Va., spent the week-end here, remaining for Memorial Day and visiting friends.

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### Marriage Announced



Announcement is made of the marriage on April 12 at Maysville, Ky., of Miss Edith Hutchinson, East Chicago, Ind., and Mr. Donald Nelson Stratton, of Prestonsburg. The marriage was solemnized by the Rev. Van Thurn, of the First Presbyterian Church, Maysville.

The bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hutchinson, East Chicago, Ind., and is a student at Morehead State College. Mr. Stratton, a son of Mrs. W. L. Mann, Prestonsburg, also is a student at Morehead where the young couple will reside.

Among those from Prestonsburg who saw Ballard Branham, Jr., pitch for the Jenkins baseball team Sunday afternoon at Jenkins were his mother, Mrs. Mabel Branham, Miss Myrtle Adlington, Miss Shirlene Branham, Mrs. James Clark, Jr., Jack Irwin and Joe Harvel.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Taylor, Route 1, Pikeville, were here last week.

Miss Virginia Dale Sturill, of Jones Fork, returned home Saturday after a visit of a few days here with her aunt, Mrs. Grover Lowe, her sister, Mrs. Joe P. Tackett, Jr., and friends.

Mrs. Elson Kendrick and daughter, Alphoretta, are in Attica, Ohio, visiting Mrs. Kendrick's mother, Mrs. Henry Rivers, and Mr. Rivers.

Mrs. Ben Layne, of Phoenix, Ariz., is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Allen Whitaker, and other relatives and friends here. Mrs. Layne is a former resident of Prestonsburg and has made her home in Phoenix for the last few years.

Irene Cole Memorial Baptist Church Our vacation Bible school, June 6-17, faculty: principal, Mrs. E. P. Hill; secretary, Mrs. A. B. Meade; assistant secretary, Doris Ann Clark; Christy, Jane Hamilton Clarke.

Beginners' Department—Mrs. William Cooley, superintendent; Mrs. Ben Stansifer and Miss Vyvyan Combs, teachers.

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### Stout-Hewlett Vows Exchanged, May 27

May 27, at 4:30 p.m., Miss Lucille Stout, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Stout, of Drift, was united in marriage to Mr. Don Hewlett, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Hewlett, also of Drift, in the parlors of the Methodist parsonage, the Rev. M. C. Yates reading the marriage vows.

Mrs. Hewlett wore an orchid-color street-length dress with black accessories, her corsage being of pink rosebuds. Both the bride and groom are graduates of McDowell high school, and Mr. Hewlett was graduated from the Nashville, Tenn., School of Business and holds a position in the engineering department of the Beaver Coal & Mining Company at Drift. After a short honeymoon, they returned to Drift where they will reside.

REPRESENT CHURCH AT DISTRICT MEETING  
Representing the Methodist group of Woman's Society of Christian Service, last Thursday, at the district meeting held in the Methodist Church at Catlettsburg were Mrs. G. R. Allen, Mrs. Frank H. Layne and Mrs. Eddie Worland. Following the meeting, Mrs. Allen visited her daughter, Mrs. E. M. Points, at Ashland, for a few hours. She was accompanied home by her grandson, Bobby Points.

TO ATTEND GRADUATION EXERCISES  
Mr. and Mrs. Homer Salisbury, Mr. and Mrs. David Herndon, Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Fitzpatrick and Miss Marian Salisbury will attend the graduation exercises on Saturday of Miss Charlotte Salisbury at the University of Kentucky, Lexington. Miss Salisbury, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Homer Salisbury, is graduating with honors.

OBSERVES BIRTHDAY  
Christine, small daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Allen Whitaker, celebrated her ninth birthday, May 26, at her home on Second avenue. Those attending were Laurel Jean Shepherd, Phyllis and Bobby Shepherd, Bill Bailey, Marvin Music, Jr., Peggy and Joyce Parker, Sharon Skirle, Madge and Lydia Shepherd, Kathryn Elizabeth and Judith Merle Roberts, Paul Henry Burke, Bill and Joe Whitaker, Charles Alley Whitaker, Christine Whitaker, Christine and her friends, enjoyed cake and ice cream. She received many nice gifts.

OBSERVES BIRTHDAY  
Dexter Dean McCarty celebrated his ninth birthday anniversary at the home of his mother, Mrs. Edith McCarty, on Highland avenue. Ice cream and cake were served to a number of his little friends and many useful gifts were received.

CARD OF THANKS  
We wish to thank every one, our friends and relatives, who came to us upon the death of our father and husband, Fisher Brewer, and offered the consolation of kind words and deeds. We thank you all—Mrs. Fisher Brewer and Family.

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### RECITAL POSTPONED

The benefit recital planned by pupils of Mrs. Whaley for Thursday evening, June 9, must of necessity be postponed till June 16, it is announced.

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**Mr. and Mrs. Porter Honored  
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Mesdames George W. Alley, J. R. Herron, Julia Grace Hall and Miss Lena T. Porter honored their parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Porter, with open house Sunday evening at their home on Third Street, Pikeville, to celebrate their sixtieth wedding anniversary. They were married May 26, 1889, on Johns Creek. Their only grandchild, Miss Susan Margaret Hall, assisted with reception.

Mr. and Mrs. Porter received their guests in the living room, seated upon a love seat. Mrs. Porter wore a rose colored dress topped with a black fur cape. Field daisies were entwined in her upswept hair-do. For her wedding she had worn a long white batiste dress with wide blue satin ribbon inserted in the draped skirt.

Rooms of the home were filled with bowls of roses, irises, and other summer flowers. The gifts were arranged for display on tables in the upper hallway. Souvenir napkins told the story: "1889-Belle and Lee-1949." A favor, an imaginary copy of the wedding account which appeared in the Prestonsburg Banner in 1889, was presented each guest.

Guests were ushered into the dining-room where refreshments were served. A three-tiered cake topped with a miniature bride and groom, surrounded by a garland of greenery and white flowers, was the centerpiece, flanked by tall, white candles in crystal holders. The mantle carried a bowl of white garden flowers. The refreshments also carried out the color scheme of green and white.

Mesdames T. B. Ashley, John M. Yost, T. W. Oliver, O. B. Johnson, E. S. Shurtliff and J. B. Dupuy, Jr., presided throughout the hours at the punch bowl. Other friends who assisted were Mesdames W. F. Clarke, R. W. Raynor, S. B. Casebolt, W. M. Copnelly, J. B. Dupuy, Lon Rogers, Fred Trivette, George Hereford, T. N. Huffman, Davis Williamson, A. G. Dickerson, James Tufts, V. O. Shivel, Fayne Hughes, Rosa Crutchfield, and Sallie V. Dotson; Misses Mary Coleman, Betty Lewis and Virginia Hatcher.

During the evening a music program was given. Mrs. Arthur Fields, accompanied by Mrs. E. L. Howerston, sang "When You and I Were Young, Maggie," and "Silver Threads Among the Gold." Mrs. Howerton also played several piano solos. A quartet composed of Mesdames Vernon Stump, Robert Anderson, Dr. T. B. Ashley and Fred Daniel, and accompanied by Mrs. George C. Proud-

fit at the piano, sang, "Let Me Call You Sweetheart," "My Wild Irish Rose," "Seeing Nellie Home," "Sweet and Low," "Home Sweet Home" and "Auld Lang Syne." The guests joined in singing the choruses of these songs. Mrs. Tom James, of Prestonsburg, sang "Mother Machree," and Mesdames Allen Brewer and F. W. Baker sang two duets, "Down by the Old Mill Stream" and "My Wild Irish Rose."

Friends of the granddaughter played and sang, part of the time. Miss Sallie Ratliff played "The Old Oaken Bucket," "Juanita," and "Auld Lang Syne." Miss Carolyn Morris Childers played a waltz. Miss Ann Stuart Duke sang "The Desert Song" and "Memories." Miss Peggy Appleton played another group of old favorites, "Long, Long Ago," "Loch Lomond," "Beautiful Dreamer," "The Blue Bells of Scotland," and "Believe Me, If All Those Endearing Young Charms." Miss Susan Margaret Hall sang especially for her grandmother, "Mary Belle."

Later Miss Irene Stratton, accompanied by Miss Katherine Ratliff, sang "Smilin' Through" and "I Love You Truly." At the close of the evening Mrs. Vernon Stump, again accompanied by Mrs. George Proudftt, sang Carrie Jacobs Bond's "A Perfect Day."

Approximately 300 friends and relatives called during the afternoon and evening. Those from out-of-town were: Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Mayo and children, Ruth Lucille and Jimmy Mayo, Mr. and Mrs. Chalmers H. Frazier and children, Kay Anne and Elizabeth Lynne, Mr. and Mrs. Edward L. Allen, Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Herndon, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Salisbury, Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Fitzpatrick, Dr. and Mrs. M. J. Leete, Mr. and Mrs. John W. Sutherland, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Mayo, Mr. and Mrs. Belvard Friend, Mesdames B. F. Combs, J. G. Porter, Ed May, F. L. Heinze, W. C. Rimmer, Winnie F. Johns, Earl A. Stumbo, and W. P. Mayo; Miss Alice Harris, Messrs. N. M. White, C. L. Hutsinpiiler, and A. J. May, all of Prestonsburg.

Others were Mr. and Mrs. Homer C. Fulton, of Coalwood, W. Va., Henry L. Porter, of Van Lear, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Daniel and Mrs. Robert Anderson, Betsy Layne, Mrs. Arthur Ferguson, Lebanon, Va., Miss Juanita Elkins, of Flemingsburg, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Heller, of Louisville, Mrs. Mary B. May, Frankfort, and Mrs. I. S. Pineur, of Paris.

**MAYTOWN**

Mrs. Amy Begley has returned after a visit with her son, Herschel Begley, and family in Hartford, Conn. She was accompanied there by her son, Joe Taylor Begley, and family.

Memorial services were held in the auditorium of Maytown high school for Maynard Hall, who was a freshman in the school. Rev. Andy Moore was in charge. The students and teachers, also the citizens of the town, extend their deepest sympathy to the bereaved family.

Several citizens of Maytown attended the Commencement exercises held in Prestonsburg, Tuesday night, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Salisbury and children, of Hunter, attended prayer services in the Maytown Methodist Church Wednesday evening.

Rev. and Mrs. S. B. Rucker are in Coalgood, Ky., where he is helping the Rev. Carl Frode man in a revival.

Mrs. Viola Stewart and Mrs. Ed Stewart attended the Commencement exercises at Morehead, where Ed Stewart received his degree.

Mr. and Mrs. Okie Dorton and children have moved to Prestonsburg. Their many friends will miss them in this community.

Mrs. Elizabeth Baker left this week for Bowling Green, where she will resume her library studies at the college. She is librarian in the high school here. From there, Mrs. Baker will go to California for a visit with her son, Ben Baker, and family.

Oliver Ratliff is at home for a short visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Allen Ratliff. He has been teaching for the past two years in Idaho, and will work on his M.A. degree at the University of Oregon this summer.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Snoddy and daughter, Judy, of Boldman, spent the week-end here with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Post, of Zionsville, Ind., spent several days last week with her mother, Mrs. Allen Patton, and relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Stewart visited her mother, Mrs. Viola Stewart, over the week-end. They are planning on moving to Morehead where Mr. Stewart is in school. Mrs. Stewart graduates from the University of Kentucky this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Patrick and Sandra Sue visited in Salyersville Sunday afternoon. They were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Patrick, of Prestonsburg.

Mrs. Scott Hill and children, of Asholt Creek, spent Sunday with her mother, Mrs. Mary Ratliff.

Bill Ratliff and Johnny Hagans made a business trip to Cincinnati last week.

Toy polishing may be contracted from clothing worn a year after contact with the poison 179 virus.

**Funeral of War Victim  
Held Sunday at Boldman**



Funeral of Pvt. Don Robinson, who was killed in action in France, Sept. 15, 1944, on his 36th birthday, was held Sunday from the home of his brother, Noah Robinson, at Boldman.

A native of Mossy Bottom, he was a son of James and Celia Blair Robinson and was a grandson of the late Whetzel Blair, widely known minister. Before entering the army he was employed as a miner by the Utilities Elkhorn Coal Company. He was a member of the Regular Baptist Church.

The body was taken to the home at Mossy Bottom of his widow, Mrs. Sarah Stevens, who remarried following his death, and later to the home of the brother at Boldman. Surviving are his mother and two brothers, Noah, of Boldman, and Willie D. Robinson, Pikeville R. 1.

Officiating at the funeral were the Revs. Albert Stevens and Floyd Mullins. Burial was made in the Blair cemetery at Blairtown, the Baker Funeral Home directing.

**Committee in Senate  
Ups Dewey Dam Fund  
To Insure Completion**

The Senate Appropriations Committee recently approved an appropriation of \$1,030,800 to complete the Dewey reservoir project in this county.

This figure is \$263,800 more than that allowed by the House bill. Completion of the dam is expected this year. The big concreting job is expected to be completed within the next month. After that will remain the construction of the dam tender's quarters, installation of operating machinery, surfacing of the road across top of the dam, and general mopping-up operations.

Contract for removal of graves from the reservoir area has not yet been awarded, but this is expected soon. The contractor will be required to begin work within 10 days of the issue of a work order and the job is to be completed within four months.

**FOR COUNTY COURT CLERK**

We are authorized to announce ELDER BERT NEWSOME of Grethel, Ky., as a candidate for COUNTY COURT CLERK subject to the action of the Democratic party at the August primary, 6-2-4t-pd.

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We wish to express our heartfelt gratitude for the many expressions of sympathy during the funeral rites for our dear son and brother, Sgt. Robert Leslie Rannels. Especially do we thank Rev. M. C. Yates, Rev. A. C. Harlowe and Rev. M. Robert Regan for their words of comfort, the Methodist Church choir for the beautiful music, all those who sent floral tributes, the American Legion Post No. 129 and Walter Karr Bowling Post, Veterans of Foreign Wars, for their co-operation and impressive funeral rites, and the Carter & Callihan Funeral Home for its most efficient service.—Mrs. Fannie Harris Rannels, William P. Rannels.

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We are celebrating our 13th annual MEMORIAL MEETING with a month's revival and other special services, BEGINNING JUNE 6, 7:30 p.m., IN A TENT ERRECTED NEAR THE CHURCHHOUSE IN WEST PRESTONSBURG, KY., NIGHTLY AT 7:30 P.M.

**OUR AIM—**

- (1) To maintain a spirit of worship and of fellowship with all Christians.
- (2) To "Use Hospitality," giving all of the children of God their liberty and freedom; and the ministers, irrespective of faith, an opportunity to participate in the services, as far as is humanly possible.
- (3) To bring special speakers from our constituency, to preach during these meetings.
- (4) TO HAVE A REVIVAL. Will you attend? Will you say for this once—it may never be again—"I AM DOING MY UTMOST, WITHOUT QUESTION, WITHOUT CRITICISM AND WHOLEHEARTEDLY TO MAKE THIS CAMPAIGN A SUCCESS?" THE CHALLENGE: TO YOU—my Christian friends, lay down petty differences, break down the barriers of creed, discard prejudice, crucify the spirit of hate and grudge, murder, JEALOUSY and lock within your heart idle tales, gossip and words that hurt, and GOD will do the other—SEND REVIVAL.



**Daily Vacation Bible School Will Be Held in the  
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THIRD SUNDAY IN JUNE

**13th Annual Memorial Meeting and Basket Dinner**

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**ALL DAY SUNDAY, JUNE 19**

Beginning as early as possible and continuing all day. Come early—come for the day.

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- (3) PREACHING THROUGHOUT THE DAY.
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The above calendar is our program for the month of June—you will not want to miss any part of it. I am sure, so keep this schedule before you—we are advertising in ample time for you to make plans early—Set other plans aside—take the month of June off, and take these services in!

**THE FIRST PENTECOSTAL ASSEMBLY OF GOD**

West Prestonsburg, Ky.

D. H. FARRIN, Pastor



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Lackey—Charles Martin, Pauline Conley, Martha A. Hamilton, Veneda O. Wicker, Clova G. Collins, Corinne Allen.

Bosco—Clem Martin, Elsie Hicks, Myrtle M. Jacobs, Evelyn O. Horne, Thelma Waddell.

Weeksbury—Lewis Campbell, Bess Damron, Dixie Tackett, Ida M. Little.

Auxier high school—Mary A. Ford and Darwin Hunt; grades—Carl Horne, Christine M. Patton, Laura Wells, Aileen Music Fitch, Jewel C. Castle, Emma Davis, Josephine Hopson.

Betsy Layne high school—Ted Akers, Lola Burke, W. D. Steele, Eugene Stanley, Vocational Agriculture, Roberta L. Patrick, Vocational Home Economics, Anna M. Staton, Commerce, Iva Lee Crum, Music; grades—Henry Moore, Jr., Carlisle Crum, Eulavene B. Conn, Capitola Hamilton Montgomery, Mae H. Brown.

Miss Marsha Babb, granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Wilson and Mr. and Mrs. Owen C. Babb, Martin families, was chosen to participate in a May Day fete, held at the Highland Park elementary school, San Antonio, Texas, May 6. Marsha's father, Sgt. Walter L. Babb, is serving in the armed forces, stationed at Ft. Sam Houston, Texas.

**MCDOWELL THEATRE**

FRIDAY, 8 p.m.—  
**Grand Ole Opry**  
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SAT., 8 p.m.—DOUBLE BILL—  
**"Ranger Rides"**  
Jimmy Wakley, Dub Taylor.

**"Quick on Trigger"**  
Charles Starrett, Smiley Burnette.

SUNDAY, 2:30 and 8 p.m.—  
**"Untamed Breed"**  
Sonny Tufts, Barbara Britton, G. Hays.

MONDAY, 8 p.m.—  
**"Loves of Carmen"**  
Rita Hayworth, Glenn Ford, R. Randell.

TUESDAY, 8 p.m.—  
**"Life o' Riley"**  
William Bendix, R. Decamp, J. Gleason.

WEDNESDAY, 8 p.m.—  
**"Winner Takes All"**  
Joe Kirkwood, Elyse Knox.

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FRIDAY, 8 p.m.—  
**"Black Eagle"**  
W. Bishop, V. Patton, G. Jones.

**ABIGAIL THEATRE**

THURS.-FRI., JUNE 2-3—  
**"Rogue's Regiment"**  
Dick Powell, Vincent Price, Marta Toren.

SATURDAY—  
**"The Big Sombro"**  
Gene Autry, E. Verdugo, S. Dunne. Serial—"GHOST OF ZORRO."

SAT.—3:01 and 10:01 p.m.—  
**"Perilous Waters"**  
Don Castle, Audrey Long. Thrills of Music.

SUNDAY-MONDAY—  
**"The Bribe"**  
Robert Taylor, Ava Gardner, Chas. Laughton.

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Maytown high school—Estill Hall, coach, Blanche Dingus, Elsie Patrick, Virginia Turner, Elizabeth Baker, Earl F. Hayes, Vocational Agriculture, Peggy Jo Vaughan, Vocational Home Economics; grades—Lexie L. Allen, Amy Begley, Mabel E. Allen, Alma R. Lowe, Lucretia Osborne, Otha Howard, Myrtle Ratliff, Lila Gayheart, Norvel Martin, Wilson Creek.

Garrett high school—John Campbell, Jr., Ralph Carter, James V. Bolen, Helen Coburn, Wesley Prichard, Lillian S. Campbell; grades—Claude Conley, Juanita Cox, Geraldine Allen, Rhoda Martin, Pollyanna O. Wiley, Ruth Martin, Bessie M. Conley, Edna Martin, Leona O. Fouts, Annis Clark, Kathryn A. Moore.

Wayland high school—Thelma Daniels, Lassie Hatcher, James Daniels, Eugene Conley, Emerson Warf, Elaine R. Hayes, Home Economics, Kathlee Hayes, Music; grades—B. M. Stone, Lois Hughes, James H. Salisbury, Eva Wakeland, Noah Hamilton, Lurline Vanderpool, Clarice Johnson, Ila T. Branham, Olive W. Tingle, Ella Rector, Bertha Ratliff, Flora A. Wallen, Garnett Cox, Anna Lee Fraley.

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69—Janna Keathley, Blanche S. Hall, 70—Edith Hamilton, 71—Opal Conn, 73—Pet Salisbury, 75—Earleen May, 77—Emogene Skeens, 78—Ada Osborne, Ida S. Williams, 79—Christa Lea Matthews, Georgia S. Davis, 84—Myrtle B. Newsome, 85—Jewell Newman, 86—Magdalene Bentley, Emma Grace Halbert, 87—Helen Campbell, 88—Wade Sloan, Sylvia H. Newman, Flora I. Moore, Charlotte I. Hall (B. Br.), 89—Thomas Hamilton, Alma Jean Meade, Ruth O. Akers, Amalene Elliott, 89a—Draxie H. Newsome, Oma P. Elkins, 90—Alpha Jean Caudill, 90a—Dolores McCloud, Anna Rae Hall, 92a—Ollie M. Belcher, 93—Zella Reedy, 94—Marcus Owens, Mella M. Hall, Mabel Berger, 95—Tilden Howard, Lula R. Bradley, Cea Billiter, 96—Maureen Pack, 99—Grace Moore, 101—Geneva Prater, 102—June H. Stephens, 104—Neil Watson, Lola P. Ousey, 105—Matilda M. Gearheart, 108—Norman Crider, Sturneth Moore, Roselle Collins, 111—Harry Alex Banks, Anna Garrett, 112—Laura Scutchfield, 113—Mae M. Cooley, 114—Floyd Lafferty, 117—Jeanette P. Cole, 118—Helen P. Akers.

119—Sizemore—Irene Gibson, Ruby Jean Gibson.

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**State March of Dimes Raised \$281,970 Total**

The 1949 March of Dimes in Kentucky reached an all-time high by raising \$281,970.97, which is 17 per cent better than the record for any previous year.

In making public the audited figures of the 1949 Kentucky March of Dimes H. St. G. T. Carmichael, of Bowling Green, state campaign chairman, warned against over-optimism, stressing the fact that the Kentucky Chapter has been called upon to spend not only receipts from previous campaigns, but also to draw on these funds raised in the 1949 March of Dimes to the extent of \$25,000.

In Floyd county, Paul C. Combs and co-workers raised a total of \$2,257.82, or 0.426 for each person in the county. In announcing the results of the 1949 March of Dimes, Carmichael expressed particular thanks to the many volunteer workers in every county in the state whose efforts made this campaign successful.

**BETSY LAYNE**

Two service men are home after many months spent in Japan. They are Billy Bailey and Joe Taylor.

The Rev. Robert Anderson has been ill several days, suffering from mumps.

Mrs. Minnie Woods and daughter, Mrs. Billye Woods Lithicum, and her two children, of Huntington, W. Va., have been visiting Mrs. Myrtle Howes and daughter, Janet.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Layne and daughter and granddaughter, of Akron, Ohio, have been guests of Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Layne.

Clark Hinton, who has been a patient in a Washington, D.C. hospital for some time, is reported improved.

Mrs. Zuella Phillips Reisman and two sons arrived Monday from Louisville to spend a few days as guests of Mr. and Mrs. James Phillips.

Mr. and Mrs. Lon Roberts and son, Gene, and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Hayes are attending the wedding of Gerald Roberts to Miss Constance Cullen Saturday at 12 noon at the College Avenue Baptist Church in Annapolis, Md.

Mrs. Gordon L. George and children, of Puritan, W. Va., are visiting Mrs. Dockie George.

Mrs. Camden Garrett and daughter, Patty, returned last Friday from visiting Mr. Garrett who is employed in Charleston, W. Va.

Daily vacation Bible school will begin Monday, June 6, at 9 a.m., at the Methodist Church and continue through two weeks. All children of the community are cordially invited and urged to come every day to enjoy the school together. Parents are urged to send their children.

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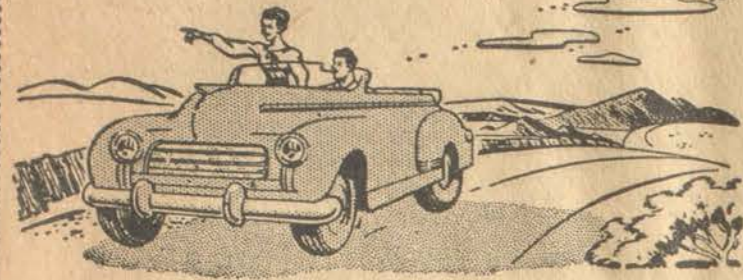
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**Presbyterians Win Softball Loop Game**

Still in the formative stage, the church softball league got under way Tuesday afternoon with the only two teams yet in the loop meeting at Martin, the Prestonsburg Presbyterians defeating the Martin Methodists, 13 to 6.

In the first four innings the Methodists built up a 5-1 lead, but the Presbyterians came on strong to score 11 of their runs in the last three rounds.

A team from Paintsville and at least one other team in Prestonsburg are seen as possible league members.

**DRIFT CROWDS RUNNERS-UP**

**Home Run by Branham Leads Drift To Hand Elkhorn First Defeat**

Jimmy Vance's Elkhorn City league-leaders went into a tailspin, Thursday night and Sunday, to drop into second place as Wheelwright rose to occupy by virtue of two victories in a row the favored No. 1 spot in the Elkhorn Baseball League.

Meanwhile Drift, after a slow start, was winning two tilts to push Elkhorn City in the runner-up position.

Another change in the standings came as Wayland dropped a well-pitched game Sunday to Wheelwright, 4 to 0, the Left Beaver Creek team leaving the cellar which is now occupied by Wayland. Thursday night's scheduled tilt between Wayland and Wheelwright was rained out and the two teams met Monday night at Wayland, Wheelwright winning, 8 to 5.

Elkhorn City dropped its first game of the season last Thursday night, 3 to 2, to Drift with a walk to Tommy Blackburn followed by Jack Branham's homer costing "Long John" Thornsby the game. Hinchman, young lefty, hurled six-hit ball for the winners and would have had a shutout but for an error. Thornsby also limited Drift to six safeties.

The league-leaders lost their second consecutive game Sunday to Wheelwright, 7-4, with Wohlford out-pitching Elkhorn City's Buck Stumbo as having no trouble twirling Drift to a 7 to 3 victory over a hapless Pikeville team. Besides holding Elkhorn City to six hits, Wohlford hit safely three times and one of these blows went for the circuit.

In the Wheelwright-Wayland game Adams went all the way for the winners, with his teammates playing errorless ball behind his seven-hit pitching. At least two of Wheelwright's runs were tainted. Errors by Adkins and DeCoursey cost Potter two runs during his five-inning mound stint. Patton was scored on twice during the two innings he pitched as a result of three hits and an error by Boyd.

The Memorial Day exhibition game between Elkhorn City and Drift was won by the Left Beaver Creek team, with Luke Kidd edging

**TOMCATS DROP MARTIN, 2 to 1, IN REGIONAL**

**Errors Cost Floyd Team Chance at State Crown; Clark is Batting Star**

Martin high school which carried with it Floyd county's hopes of another Kentucky prep school baseball championship lost Friday afternoon in the regional finale at Grayson to the Ashland Tom Cats by the scantiest possible margin, 2 to 1.

And it took a misjudged fly ball and three errors to give the Ashland school the victory.

After Martin had scored an earned run in the opening inning, with E. Lafferty drawing a walk and coming around on singles by B. Lafferty and McCarty, the Tom Cats got the breaks to score their only runs of the game in the sixth. "Jeep" Clark, batting star of the contest, opened with a long fly which sailed over the head of McCarty in leftfield for a triple. Charles Lafferty, Martin's hurler, then threw wild in an attempt to pick Clark off third, Clark scoring and knotting the count. Highly singled to right, Bayes grounded to short but the throw to second base for the force play was dropped and all hands were safe. McClanahan sacrificed Highly to third. Then Graham's skipper to short was fumbled and there was the ball game.

Martin's strength on the mound was a feature of the regional. Earlier in the day, C. Lafferty and Clark shared the mound duties and let Shapsburg down with one hit, Martin winning, 8 to 0.

The state tournament begins at Louisville today (Thursday), with Ashland, Bowling Green, Newport Catholic, Madisonville and St. Xavier competing for the crown Prestonsburg high school won last year.

**High School Coaches Mourn 'Passing' of Star Athletes**

**Wheelwright, P'burg, Auxier Suffer Most As Seniors Depart**

If there's a Floyd county athletic coach who hasn't reached for the cambic after seeing the departure via the graduation route last week of some of his finest athletes, he hasn't been discovered.

But one or two—notably Coach Denzil Halbert, of Martin high—is so well fortified with reserves he is smiling bravely through the tears, while others are lamenting loud and long, with prospects for the coming season dim.

Hardest hit by graduation, perhaps, were Wheelwright's Maroons, Prestonsburg's Black Cats and the Auxier Hornets. Wheelwright lost exactly six basketball players, B. Hall, V. Hall, J. Curry, V. Osborne, W. Johnson and H. Davis, leaving Coach Adrian Hall the task of rebuilding around big R. Curry, regular center during the past season.

And Prestonsburg, a team which never got going last year after losing a flock of stars at the 1948 Commencement, loses these players from its basketball, football and baseball teams: Gene Boyd, Paul Harmon, Quentin Allen, Jesse Wright, Charles Nesler, Wheeler Branham, Jimmy Durham, Bill Harvey Howard, Gene and Joe Spears, Joe Stanley, Charles and Martin Burchett. The four first-named played basketball.

Two other squads will be hard-put to replace stars lost this year. Maytown's Wildcats lost all-Floyd forward Wendell Jones, Ross Cooley, a regular guard, and Jess Boyd, sharpshooting forward. McDowell will have to comb the nearby woods to find replacements for "Wild Bill"

## WEEKLY BASEBALL RECORD

ELKHORN LEAGUE				BIG SANDY LEAGUE			
Standings				Standings			
	W.	L.	Pct.		W.	L.	Pct.
Wheelwright	6	1	.856	Allen	6	1	.856
Elkhorn City	5	2	.714	Paintsville	5	1	.833
Drift	4	3	.571	Harold	4	2	.667
Weeksbury	2	4	.333	Henry Clay	4	2	.571
Pikeville	2	5	.286	Clear Creek	3	4	.429
Wayland	1	6	.143	Price	2	3	.400
				Martin	3	5	.375
				Weeksbury	0	7	.000

**Coming Games**

**SUNDAY, JUNE 5**  
Elkhorn City at Wayland.  
Wheelwright at Pikeville.  
Weeksbury at Drift.

**THURSDAY, JUNE 9**  
Pikeville at Wheelwright.  
Drift at Weeksbury.  
Wayland at Elkhorn City.

**Coming Games**

**SUNDAY, JUNE 5**  
Clear Creek at Harold.  
Price at Allen.  
Weeksbury at Henry Clay.  
Martin at Paintsville.

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## ALLEN JUMPS TO LOOP LEAD

**Big Sandy League Campaign Tightens; Harold Down to 3rd**

(See Story No. 1, Page Two)

**SUNDAY'S GAMES:**

	R	H	E
Allen	8	8	5
Harold	4	9	4
Paintsville	7	13	2
Henry Clay	4	10	4
Martin	9	8	0
Weeksbury	1	7	6

**MEMORIAL DAY CONTESTS:**

	R	H	E
Harold	20	10	0
Clear Creek	3	7	0
Clear Creek	9	9	1
Harold	4	6	4
Paintsville	2	6	0
Martin	0	5	3
Paintsville	7	12	1
Martin	3	8	1
Henry Clay	6	15	1
Weeksbury	4	11	2
Henry Clay	9	14	1
Weeksbury	4	5	3
Allen	9	11	4
Price	8	9	3

**Division Releases 900 Adult Crappie in River; Lake Stocking To Wait**

The crappie fishing should pick up in the Big Sandy, sportsmen here believe, with 900 adult fish added to the stream last week by the Division of Game and Fish. The fish ranged from six to seven inches in length and were scattered over a long stretch of the river.

Anglers here are still unconvinced of the practicality of stocking the Big Sandy with crappie. Fingerling crappie were placed in the river, two years ago, but few fish of the species have been caught and fishermen doubt they thrive in these waters.

Crappie will be added to the Johns Creek reservoir this fall when impoundment of the water is expected to begin, it was said.

**Box score:**

	A	B	R	H
Ashland	4	0	0	0
Slone, rf.	4	0	0	0
Ward, lf.	4	0	0	0
Clark, ss.	4	1	3	1
Highly, lb.	3	1	1	1
Bayes, c.	3	0	2	0
McClanahan, cf.	1	0	0	0
Graham, 2b.	3	0	1	0
Welch, 3b.	3	0	0	0
Smith, p.	3	0	0	0
Totals	28	2	7	0

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Audubon was a sportsman's artist. His pictures had the wilderness color and feel. His great fame today makes us forget the obstacles he had to overcome in securing their publication. We forget that this was the work of a penniless enthusiast. To get his pictures, he roamed the American wilderness for years, and at a constant risk of life and limb. He thought nothing of walking 200 miles to draw a single picture. But none of these things mattered to him—danger or privation or discouragement.

He was born in 1785 on what is now known as Haiti. The call of the wilderness came early to him, and his boyhood was filled with a single passion: he wanted to hunt, to sketch birds, to be a taxidermist—to learn everything possible about wildlife.

When he was 18 his father sent him to Pennsylvania. Later he married, moved to Louisville and tried to settle down as a storekeeper. But how could he keep his mind on business when everywhere around were the exciting sights and sounds of the wilderness? His business failed. He moved to Cincinnati, where he supported his family by working as a taxidermist.

By now a definite plan was forming in his mind. He wanted to make a book of pictures that would show every kind of American bird. And in order to do this he would have to see them all; to visit swamp and prairie, forest, river and gulf. His wife encouraged him.

Twenty years passed on the frontiers before he amassed enough pictures and money to sail for England to arrange for their publication. "Birds of America" brought Audubon fame. But all during the years when its separate numbers were being published, he was still working to make it better. Harassed by the fear that it might be incomplete, he went everywhere in search of additional water birds.

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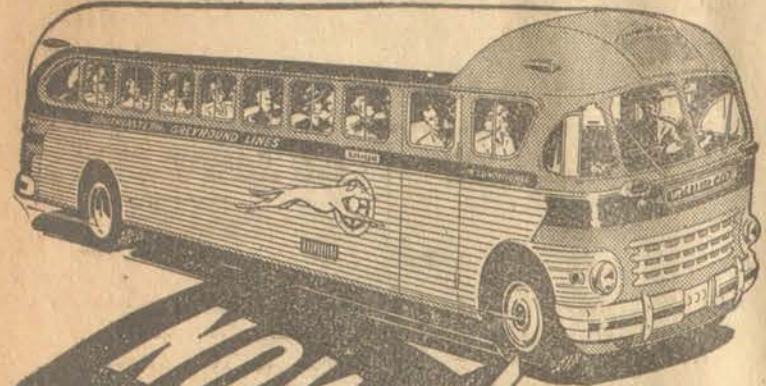


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Garrett, Ky., May 23 (Spl.)—The Lackey-Garrett Woman's Club entertained the Wheelwright Woman's Club at a lawn party at the home of Mrs. George Evans, Jr., on Estill Heights, Saturday evening. Hostesses for the occasion were Mrs. George Evans, Jr., Mrs. J. C. Wells, Mrs. Earl Castle, Mrs. A. E. Quinlan and Mrs. Bert Stapleton.

At 6:30 a spaghetti supper was served buffet style, following which Mrs. Fred A. Martin reviewed the best seller, "Cheaper By the Dozen." The group then retired to Mrs. Evans' home for an informal visit.

Among the guests were Mesdames H. M. Wilkinson, Sr., J. H. Cantrell, John W. Rupp, Waldo B. Cummings, C. R. Tankersley, Kenneth E. Moore, Robert Anderson, C. C. Dickerson, G. H. Zimmerman, H. O. Zimmerman, J. W. Bailey, John T. Parker, Arthur Bradbury, Mary M. Dean, Wm. E. Stinnette, Anna B. Smathers, Robert Miller and Harry Mayo, Jr., of Wheelwright; Mrs. Grace L. Pow, of Cincinnati, a former Lackey-Garrett Club member, and Mrs. Quentin Terry, Lackey-Garrett Club members present were Mesdames S. M. Martin, Elvin Mullins, John Wallace, Floyd Copley, Frank Cooley, J. T. Fraley, Willard Castle, F. M. Rasmick, Felix Coburn, Lurline Vanderpool, Gorman Collins, J. T. Spillman, Everett Blanton, Charles Sturgill, Carlton Wrightson, M. M. Collins, Jack Faulk, Fred A. Martin, Thomas Hatcher, J. E. Miller, Miss Marie Coburn, and the hostesses.

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**ALPHORETTA**

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the visitors' Garcia, Branham led the Drift attack with three hits.

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Wheelwright	AB	R	H	E
Phipps, 2b.	5	1	0	0
Johnson, ss.	5	0	1	1
Cox, rf.	5	0	0	0
Ratliff, lb.	5	1	2	0
Kimery, cf.	4	1	0	0
Logan, 3b.	3	1	0	1
Baker, lf.	4	0	2	0
Deaton, c.	3	2	1	1
Wohlford, p.	4	1	3	0
<b>Totals</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>3</b>

Elkhorn City	AB	R	H	E
Picklesimer, 2b.	5	0	1	0
Irwin, lf.	4	1	1	1
Gar, lf, cf.	2	1	1	0
Vance, c.	3	1	1	0
Meade, lf.	3	0	0	0
Chafins, ss.	4	0	2	0
Gilliam, 3b.	4	0	0	2
Schu, lb.	3	1	0	0
Smith, p.	3	0	0	0
Powell, p.	1	0	0	0
<b>Totals</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>4</b>

Drift	AB	R	H	E
Blackburn, cf.	5	1	3	0
Branham, lb.	4	2	0	0
Butcher, 3b.	5	1	2	1
Conn, rf.	3	0	0	0
Alley, ss.	5	0	0	1
Tranbarger, c.	3	2	1	1
Johnson, 2b.	3	0	0	1
Kidd, lf.	4	0	0	0
Stumbo, p.	3	1	1	0
<b>Totals</b>	<b>35</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>4</b>

Pikeville	AB	R	H	E
C. Vanhoose, 2b.	2	1	0	1
Justice, 2b.	3	1	2	0
Weddie, cf.	4	1	2	2
Clayton, p.	5	0	1	0
J. Ratliff, lb.	3	0	0	2
Damron, 3b.	4	0	1	0
C. Ratliff, rf.	1	0	0	0
D. Ratliff, rf.	3	0	0	1
Hotchins, ss.	1	0	0	0
Branham, lf.	2	0	0	0
Smith, c.	4	0	2	0
Lovern*	1	0	0	0
J. Vanhoose**	0	0	0	0
<b>Totals</b>	<b>36</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>7</b>

Drift	AB	R	H	E
Blackburn, lf.	5	1	1	0
Branham, lb.	3	1	3	0
Butcher, 3b.	5	1	1	0
Conn, rf.	4	0	1	0
Alley, lf.	4	1	2	0
Johnson, 2b.	4	0	0	0
Heinze, ss.	4	0	0	1
Wells, c.	3	1	2	0
Kidd, p.	4	0	0	0
<b>Totals</b>	<b>36</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>1</b>

Elkhorn City	AB	R	H	E
Picklesimer, 2b.	4	0	0	2
Irwin, lb.	4	1	2	1
Meade, lf.	4	0	2	0
Vance, c.	4	1	1	0
Huffman, cf.	4	0	2	0
Chafins, ss.	4	0	1	1
Powell, lf.	4	0	1	0
Gilliam, 3b.	3	0	1	0
Garcia, p.	3	0	0	0
<b>Totals</b>	<b>34</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>4</b>

Weeksbury	AB	R	H	E
Collier, rf.	4	0	2	0
Doug Butcher, c.	4	1	1	0
J. Johnson, 2b.	4	0	1	0
Danny Butcher, lb.	4	0	1	0
B. Skiles, cf.	4	0	1	0
J. Skiles, lf.	3	1	1	0
C. Skiles, 3b.	3	1	2	0
Plymole, ss.	3	0	0	0
Adams, p.	3	1	0	0
<b>Totals</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>0</b>

Wayland	AB	R	H	E
Boyd, 2b.	3	0	1	0
Martin, rf.	1	0	1	0
Frary, ss.	4	0	0	0
DeCoursey, 3b.	3	0	2	1
Adkins, cf-2b.	4	0	1	2
Ratliff, rf-cf-p.	4	0	1	0
J. Branham, lf.	3	0	0	0
Jones, lb.	3	0	1	0
Moore, c.	3	0	0	0
Potter, p.	2	0	0	0
Patton, p.	1	0	0	0
Hcbbs, lf.	0	0	0	0
<b>Totals</b>	<b>31</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>3</b>

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**ALPHORETTA**

Mr. and Mrs. William Ratliff, of David, were Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Willie Crisp.

Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Gregory, of Martin, visited Mr. and Mrs. N. O. Allen, Sunday.

Herbert Ousley, son of Mr. and Mrs. Willard Ousley, received his discharge from the navy and arrived home here Sunday. Mr. Ousley received his training at San Diego, Calif., and at the time of his discharge was stationed aboard the USS Prairie.

Mrs. Whetsel Clark, of Risner, visited her daughters, Mrs. Willie Hicks and Mrs. Virgil Reffit, and families, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ballard Ousley were Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Ousley and other relatives.

Mrs. Florence Crisp visited Mr. and Mrs. Willie Crisp Sunday.

J. W. Flanery was removed from his home to the Stumbo Memorial hospital, Thursday, for medical treatment. The physical condition of Mr. Flanery is still considered very serious.

Norfolk, Va., accompanied by his mother, Mrs. Rebecca Frazier, of Martin, visited Mr. and Mrs. Willie Crisp and other friends here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Goble announce the arrival of a son weighing 8½ pounds, born at the Beaver Valley hospital May 25. Name of the new arrival has not been announced.

Mrs. Inez Ward and Mrs. William Ward were at the Paintsville hospital for examinations and treatments for minor illnesses by Dr. Robert Hall.

Mrs. N. O. Allen returned Friday from the Paintsville hospital after spending a few days there for medical treatment. Her condition has greatly improved.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Penn, of Three Rivers, Mich., were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Gregory and Mr. and Mrs. William Ward over the weekend. Mrs. Penn will be remembered as the former Miss Jeanette Harris.

Mrs. Lorraine Patton was a visitor in Langley Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Tackett were visitors in Prestonsburg Thursday. Mrs. Tackett, who was formerly a patient at the Prestonsburg General hospital, returned for a check on her physical condition and is reported to be doing very nicely.

**IVEL**

Mr. and Mrs. John Henry James and little daughter, Jacqueline, of Middletown, Ohio, spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. James. Other Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. James were Susie James, of Dayton, O., and Mr. and Mrs. Ezra James, of Endicott.

Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Blackburn, of Buffalo, were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Guy Burchett over the week-end.

Hazel D. George left Sunday for Morehead State College. She was accompanied by Mrs. Fed Conn, of Betsy Layne.

Mr. and Mrs. Blackburn, of Big Rock, Virginia, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Dillon, over the week-end. They were accompanied home by her sister, Margaret Dillon.

Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Endicott, Mr. and Mrs. George Ratliff and son, Jimmie, of Pikeville, R. 1, were guests of relatives here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Tackett have been vacationing with relatives in West Virginia.

Mr. and Mrs. Preston, of Paintsville, were Saturday afternoon visitors of their son, Russell, and Mrs. Preston.

**Club Asks Planting Of Flowers Locally To Prep For 'Sesqui'**

Citizens of Prestonsburg and all members of the Daughters of the American Revolution are urged by the D.A.R. chapter and the Prestonsburg Woman's Club to plant petunias in their flower gardens and about their homes — beautifying their premises in preparation for visitors to the proposed Floyd County Sesqui-Centennial celebration to be held here Sept. 30 to Oct. 2 of this year.

The John Graham chapter members also pledged their support in finding historical records, places and happenings to be recognized in honoring the 150th year of the county. Old relics of every known device will be sought from Floyd county persons owning them so that window displays can be made for the event. Many municipal committees will devote their full summer month's activity to the preparations.

Planting of the Petunia was named because it was selected several years ago by the Prestonsburg Woman's Club as the town's official flower and the community was designated as "Petunia Town."

The PWC garden committee composed of Mrs. Winnie F. Johns, Mrs. N. L. May met with the D.A.R. to discuss the sesqui-flower-planting. Floyd county, formed 150 years ago, was named for Col. John Floyd, of Augusta county, Virginia, it is said.

The D.A.R. sesqui plans culminated in a meeting held with Mrs. Olga M. Latta as hostess and Miss Frances Jones, regent, presiding.

Following the ritualistic service, items of business were given attention. A gift of \$5 was made to Carr Creek Community Center and \$87 was received from the chapter members toward the construction of Continental Hall in Washington. Program of the meeting was presented by Mrs. Evelyn Salisbury who gave a splendid historical account of the origin of Memorial Day. Mrs. O. T. Stephens read an interesting detailed report from Mrs. John R. Clarke who attended the Continental Congress as a delegate from John Graham chapter.

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**McDOWELL**

(Last week's correspondence) Graduates from McDowell high school, May 20, were Jo Nell Breeding, Donald Caudill, Beatrice Conley, Delmas Frazier, Stenley George Hall, Maxie Hamilton, Beulah Jean Hopkins, Betty Raye Meade, Genevieve Meade, Racine Moore, Earl Newman, Randall Earl Newman, Lola Newsome, Violet Parsons, Ivagene Robinson, Phyllis Faye Shuffelbarger, Billy Ray Smith, Nellie Rose Smith, Gertrude Stegall, Harold Stewart, Ancl Moore, Billy Lee Stumbo, Forrest Tackett, Bobby Glenn Turner and Reba Faye Turner.

Charlie Moore, of Lexington, has been visiting friends and relatives here for the past week.

Mrs. S. M. Hill, of Newark, N. J., is visiting her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Rayce Vanderpool.

Mrs. Lucy Vanderpool was visiting Mrs. Cordelia Whittier in Prestonsburg last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Kelly, Mrs. W. P. Hayes, Mr. and Mrs. Alonzo Newsome, Mrs. Wayne Newman, Mrs. Johnnie Steagall, Mrs. Earl Spears, Mrs. Edna Stewart, Mrs. Otis Hayes, Mrs. Claude Hayes, Mrs. Delbert Hall, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Breeding, Mrs. Dorothy Little, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Dorton, all of Hi Hat, attended the graduation exercises of McDowell high school seniors Friday night.

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Miss Jarrell, who was graduated with a standing of 2.7, has been outstanding in various school activities. She was a member of the 4-H and Music Clubs. She was formerly a student at Maytown.

**ALLEN**

(Last week's correspondence)

Dr. W. P. Fryman, of Ashland, was visiting Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Gray Monday while en route to his home from Martin. He was the Sunday night guest of Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Marshall in Martin.

Attending revival services in the Dwale Methodist Church Sunday morning were Mrs. G. L. Gray, Mrs. Palmer Crisp, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Laferty, Mr. and Mrs. David Louder, Mrs. Harrison Frazier, Sally Jo Frazier, Mrs. Everett Tackett, Sandra Lois, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Everett Tackett, was christened by the Rev. Floyd Laferty. The rites of baptism by sprinkling were administered to others in Dwale.

Wyatt Martin spent the week-end in Louisville.

Mr. and Mrs. Beecher Hardwick and children, of Betsy Layne, were visiting friends here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Miller, Jr., of Prestonsburg, were Saturday supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Willard Kinzer.

Mr. and Mrs. Clark Laferty, of Garrett, were visiting relatives here Sunday afternoon while en route to their home from Bull Creek.

Mrs. Ruby Holbrook spent Thursday in Paintsville.

John Kane has returned from a business visit in Virginia.

**WEDS MICHIGAN GIRL**

M. H. Westfall, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ben S. Westfall, and Miss Julia Wildschut, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Wildschut, of Zealand, Mich., were united in marriage, May 10, at the Lutheran Church, Toledo, Ohio. Mr. Westfall spent three years in occupied Germany and is now an employe of the Ford Motor Company in Detroit. Mrs. Westfall is also employed in Detroit where they returned Friday after a visit here with his parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Rice and children, of Prestonsburg, were visiting Mrs. Vernon Salisbury Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Crisp spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Spurlock, Jr., in Huntington, W. Va.

E. C. Coleman spent the week-end with his daughter in Lexington. He was accompanied on his return by his wife after an extended visit there.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Marks spent the week-end with his sister in Hinton, West Virginia.

Mrs. Willard Kinzer spent last week with her parents in Prestonsburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Oble Crisp visited in Dwale Saturday night.

**ALLEN**

Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Gerlach and granddaughter, Lola Lee Edwards, motored to Huntington, W. Va., to visit Mr. Gerlach's sister, Mrs. Ernest Brandum and family, Sunday. George W. Snodgrass and L. J. Gerlach have returned from a fishing trip in Tennessee.

Mr. and Mrs. Bennie Laferty and son, Bennie Lynwood, were in Grayson Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Laferty, of Prestonsburg, and Miss Floss Largin, of Portsmouth, O., visited Misses Malinda and Josie Laferty Tuesday.

Mrs. Lizzie Woods had as Sunday guests her daughters, Mrs. Forrest Pinkerton, of Ironton, O., and Mrs. Clyde Pierce, of Argillite, Ky.

Mrs. G. L. Gray and Billy Ball attended revival services at Lancer Wednesday night.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Paul Barr at Our Lady of the Way hospital, Martin, a son, Phillip Edward, Mrs. Barr is the former Joy Clifton, of Allen.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Tackett visited Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Tackett, Jr., of McDowell, Monday.

Attending revival services on Bull Creek Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Laferty, Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Gray and sons, Frank Gordon and Jimmy Delano, Mrs. Palmer Crisp, and Klora Laferty. Mrs. Gray was in charge of services at the Laferty cemetery, while Rev. Floyd Laferty was in charge at the Trimble Chapel cemetery.

Mr. and Mrs. Oble Crisp and daughter, Patty, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Spurlock, Jr., in Huntington, W. Va. They were accompanied on their return by their daughter, Betty Lou, who had spent the past week with Mr. and Mrs. Spurlock.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Clifton have returned to their home in Denver, Colo., after a visit here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Willie Clifton.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Salisbury had as Saturday guests his brother and family of Sandusky, O.

Miss Josie Laferty spent Sunday night with Rev. and Mrs. Floyd Laferty, of Sloan.

Mrs. G. L. Gray will conduct a series of revival services in the schoolhouse at Hunter, beginning Sunday, June 5. She will be assisted by Billy Ball. All are invited.

The 33-century-old city of Jerusalem has passed from one religion to another six times, according to the Encyclopaedia Britannica.

Egyptian peasant women tattoo their chins and foreheads with a flower design, according to the Encyclopaedia Britannica.

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**MINNIE**

Mrs. Michael Frisco and son, Mickey, of Huntington, W. Va., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Duran Hall. Miss Virna Collins and Roy Gene Collins have gone to Ohio to work this summer.

Cpl. Austin L. Sexton, of Wright Field, Dayton, O., spent the week-end here with relatives.

Billy Burns Martin has returned to Morehead after spending his vacation here with his aunt, Mrs. Mousie Turner.

Mrs. Sarah B. Baisden, of Detroit, Mich., and Mrs. Earl G. Martin, of Oceana, W. Va., are guests this week of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Sexton. Ronald Moore drove with them to Louisa for Memorial Day.

Deana Carol Moore is spending a month's vacation with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Turner, at Grayhawk, Ky.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Martin, Mrs. Gilva Hall, Mr. and Mrs. Marion Martin, Mrs. Bertha Turner and Ellis Martin attended Memorial Day services at the Bud Martin cemetery at Dema.

Mr. and Mrs. Haskell Hall, of Weeksburg, were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Turner.

We are sorry to hear of the death of Mrs. M. C. Wright. She had many friends in Minnie.

Mrs. Ollie Sammons and children were visiting relatives in Prestonsburg last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lige Mullett and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Mullins attended Memorial Day services in Johnson county.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Turner and Mrs. Marion Jones attended Providence Church at Topmost last Sunday.

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I make you the same promise again, and I feel that with the experience of these four years behind me I will be better qualified to handle the office than before.

Now, I do not mean to say I have been perfect in every respect as County Judge. I have made mistakes, many mistakes, and I am the first to admit that I have. But I have tried my very best AND WHATEVER MISTAKES I HAVE MADE WERE HONEST MISTAKES. No man is perfect; no man can be all things to all men, and the voters of this county know this as well as I do.

I also admit many things have been needed by Floyd county that have not been done, but I think the people should have the facts about this matter, so they will understand exactly why we have fallen short in some respects. Several years ago, an indebtedness of nearly a million dollars was piled up against this county. Because of that, there must be paid, each year, interest and principal on that indebtedness. After taking care of the bonds as they come due, with interest, there is comparatively little left with which to do the many things that should be done.

Each year I have been in office, we have met our debt obligations as they came due, and I assure you, every year I am your County Judge these debts will be paid until this county is debt-free.

Right now, Floyd county has over \$300,000 in the bank, placed there in a sinking fund against this county debt. With sound business handling of the county's financial affairs, this debt will be paid within another four years. Many of the bonds against the county, now drawing heavy interest, could be retired at this time but, unfortunately for us, they are not callable.

All this I point out to show why the individual needs of communities in the county—roads, bridges and other improvements—cannot be available immediately, no matter how much you or I may want them.

Permit me to add: I intend to run a clean race during this campaign. I have no ill word to speak of any opposition I may have. I want the people simply to know the facts and to consider me as their servant strictly on my merits. I promise you courteous and faithful service and an honest administration. Did I seek your support on any other grounds, I would not merit your votes.

Your friend,

ALEX L. DAVIDSON

(Pol. adv.)

### MARTIN

(Last week's correspondence)

Mrs. Florence Crisp gave a Silver Tea last week-end at her home here. Those from out-of-town who attended included Judge and Mrs. Alex L. Davidson, County Attorney and Mrs. W. W. Burchett. She wishes to thank all for their co-operation, especially those from Prestonsburg.

Miss Reathel Bates and Mrs. L. L. Lynch gave a birthday party honoring Harry Gene Preflatish on his 15th birthday, Friday night at an Adams' Cafe. Out-of-town guests were Miss Frances Friedman and Miss Phyllis Moore, Ederly and Adolph Friedman and Frank Music, of Estill, Bill Hampton, of Wayland, John Cline, Walter Brown and Benny Cox, of Harlan.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Bryant, of Russell, attended the funeral of her uncle, Dr. H. H. Mayo.

Florence Galindo, of Los Angeles, Calif., has been visiting her mother, Mrs. Wes Flanery, and brother, Lawrence Keathley, here for several days.

Mrs. Lizzie Hill has been very ill of pneumonia at her home here. She is recovering nicely.

Miss Reathel Bate spent several days at her home in Louisa. Bill Hampton, of Wayland, accompanied by Mary Robinson and Rose Ellen Dolcini motored down Sunday to bring her home.

Sarah Jane Hill has returned to her home after spending several weeks in Morehead.

Business visitors to Martin this week: Rev. Joseph Wimmers, of Paintsville, Jesse Ball, Ralph Curran, of Ashland, Banner Meade, of Prestonsburg.

Burnice Hall, of Printer, spent a night recently with Pat Layne.

Frank Music, of Estill, spent Monday night with Harry Gene Preflatish.

Rev. George Nerbonne made a business trip to Covington this week. Mary Ross was a business visitor in Hazard Monday.

### Price Presents Diplomas To Morehead Graduates; Gov. Clements, Speaker

Floyd county's part in college graduation exercises held over the state went beyond student participation this year.

E. R. Price, Wheelwright, vice-chairman of Morehead State College board of regents, presented the diplomas to the school's 49 graduates which included Edwin Stewart, Maytown, Garland N. Wilkinson, Wheelwright, Eugene Conley, Garrett, Evelyn Moore, Prestonsburg, Miss Moore, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Moore, graduated with distinction.

Adrian Hall, Bill Branham, both of Wheelwright, and George Stephens, Jr., Prestonsburg, who complete their studies this summer, participated in the exercises.

Governor Earle C. Clements, addressing the graduates of a school that has undergone an administrative upheaval almost every time Kentucky changed Governors, told them that "politics and higher education have been divorced in Kentucky."

Irene D. Vicars and James M. Vicars, Weeksbury, are among the 170 candidates who will be awarded degrees tonight (Thursday) at Bowling Green by Dr. Paul L. Garrett, president of Western State College.

Barbara Conley, Lackey, was a member of Union College's record class of 108 seniors who were awarded diplomas in the Barboursville school's commencement activities over the week-end.



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### Miss Newsome Wins

#### Margaret Record Award

Miss Bonnie Jean Newsome, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Newsome, of Bypro, received the Margaret E. Record award of \$20 for having the second highest standing of the Pikeville College graduates. The award was made by President A. A. Page at commencement ceremonies last week.

Miss Newsome also received the pen and pencil set given by the Future Teachers of America Club to the graduate from the Teachers Course with the best scholastic standing. She was a member of the Y.W.C.A. and the Future Teachers of America,

and attended the Honor banquet, during her freshman and sophomore years. She was also secretary of the International Relations Club.

The commencement address, by the Rev. Robert M. Skinner, stressed the unworthiness of many of the "prophets of doom" on the radio and in the press. "We must look to God, who invites us to share His wisdom," he concluded. The Rev. Mr. Skinner is pastor of the First Presbyterian Church, Westfield, N. J., and a member of the college board of trustees.

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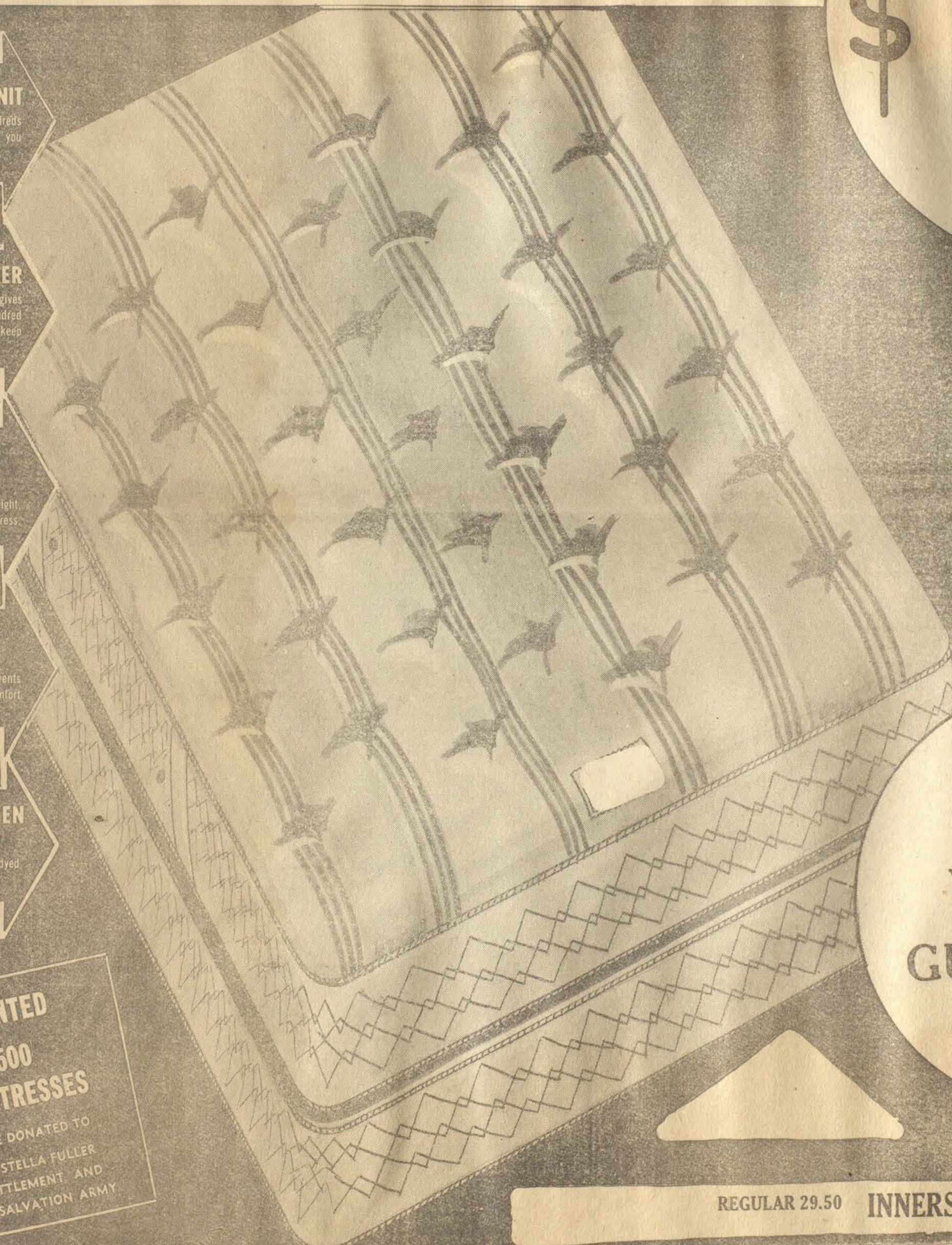
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