

## This Town-- That World

It's true that man cannot live by bread alone, but it's mighty hard to starve when you're in the dough.

### THE EXPECTED

One man expressed surprise that President Truman set the miners' pay raise at \$1.90, and now they're getting a lunacy jury together.

### TAFT BLOWS HIS TOP

The public prints struggled manfully this week to register Senator Taft's blood pressure when Ike named a labor leader to the post of Secretary of Labor. We can't understand the Senator's displeasure, unless it was the climax of that "slow burn" that began during the pre-convention campaign and really got going when he won the nomination. For eight years this man Durkin served as director of labor under two Republican Governors of Illinois. Business already was well-represented in the Eisenhower cabinet. Why not a man from the ranks of labor for Secretary of Labor—even if he was a Democrat and voted for Stevenson?

Only 99 more shopping days till Easter!

### DAFFNYNTIONS

Everything about the fishing season is gone except the Fishing Fox placard above this desk, and that will be cleared away, one of these days. (There's no hurry about it, you know.)

To wind up these matters piscatorial, we record here a "dictionary for anglers" which Gordon Moore swiped some place, pinned to a sheet of paper, using an Ike button, and mailed to me. It follows:

**FISHING:** A disease for which there is no cure. In extreme cases, the fever can be reduced by placing the patient in the hot sun for several hours.

**FISHING CAMP:** A place to eat half-cooked food, fight insects and play poker. Liveliest hours are from midnight to dawn. Camping trips are often spoiled by screwballs who insist on going fishing.

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## POLICE PROBE FIRE ATTEMPT

### Attempted Arson Seen As Gasoline Is Poured On Interior of Shop

Prestonsburg police this week were investigating what appeared to be an attempt to destroy one of Prestonsburg's larger buildings by fire last Thursday night.

Evidence of certain intent to commit arson was seen by the police when they were called to the beauty shop operated by Mrs. Loubidie Dotson Graham in the Elizabeth hotel building on First avenue. Interior of the shop had been drenched with gasoline, and several partly burned matchsticks were found on the floor.

"We have some information but are saying nothing till we talk with Claude Stephens," Chief of Police Epp Laferty said Wednesday. Mr. Stephens is owner of the building. Mrs. Graham was in Ohio visiting relatives at the time of the incident.

The second floor of the building houses in addition to the beauty shop, the dental offices of Dr. M. J. Fitzpatrick and Dr. M. J. Leste, and two or three apartments on that floor are occupied. Had the gasoline ignited, occupants of these apartments would have been threatened by flames.

## Court House Happenings

### SUITS FILED

Bas Hamilton vs. R.C. Howell, etc.; H. R. Burke, atty. George Fraley vs. Ed Hicks, etc.; R. S. Wellman, atty. Nelson Gilliam vs. Aileen Goble Gilliam; Marshall Davidson, atty. Lula Moore vs. Ellis Moore; W. W. Burdett, atty. Verna Keen vs. C. & O. Railway Co.; R. S. Wellman, atty.

### MARRIAGE LICENSES

Irvin Stone, 28, Blue River, and Ina Shepherd, 28, Riser; marriage solemnized here Nov. 28 by the Rev. C. C. Goble. Robert Fitzpatrick, 18, and Barbara Thompson, 18, both of David; married at David, Nov. 29, by the Rev. J. E. Purham officiating. Alfred Tackett, 46, and Florida Hall, 42, both of Bevinville; married here Dec. 2 by the Rev. Charles Cornett.

## HUNT DRAWS 2-YEAR TERM FOR SLAYING

### Of Jake Salisbury; Charges Against Two May Be Dropped, View

For the slaying of Jake Salisbury in the victim's home at Harold, Milt Hunt will serve a two-year penitentiary term.

A jury of the Floyd circuit court decided on that penalty for Hunt after deliberating about two hours Wednesday afternoon, and soon thereafter an attorney of Hunt's announced that no appeal is planned.

The murder charges against Mrs. Ida Hunt, wife of the convicted man, and Marion Yates, who were indicted as accomplices in the killing, were marked "continued" on the court records, and they may never come to trial.

The defendant himself produced the only eyewitness testimony in his behalf, but three others corroborated his claim that Salisbury had a revolver at the time of the shooting by testifying they saw the weapon on the floor near Salisbury's body, shortly after the shooting. Hunt claimed he began firing on Salisbury in defense of his life after the other had drawn his revolver.

Yates, the only other person known to have witnessed Salisbury's death, and Mrs. Hunt, who was said to have sat outside in her husband's car at the time, did not testify.

Mrs. Hazel Stanley, widow of the slain man, testified she was preparing breakfast when she heard the first shot fired and that as she begged Hunt not to shoot again he fired one or more bullets into her husband's neck and head at close range. She claimed her husband had no revolver, and that he had pawned his gun a few weeks earlier.

Bafford Hall, of the Baker Funeral Home, at which Salisbury's body was prepared for burial, testified there were no powderburns around the five bullet holes in Salisbury's neck and head—all in a space "you could cover with your hand." Other witnesses testified Salisbury flourished a pistol on the afternoon preceding his death while uttering threats against Hunt.

That Salisbury had on more than one occasion threatened Hunt's life was testified to by several witnesses.

The trial which began with the empanelling of a jury Monday, ended the criminal docket. Some civil cases will be heard during remainder of the week.

Commonwealth's Attorney Burnis Martin was assisted in the prosecution by his brother, Dan Martin, of Hindman, Joe P. Tackett and E. H. Tackett. Defense attorneys were Edward L. Allen, J. B. Clarke and D. B. Hatcher.

## FOOD BIGGEST BUDGET ITEM

### For Floyd Families Last Year, Report After Survey Says

Special to The Times  
New York, Nov. 28—President Truman's call for a study by the Federal Trade Commission to determine how the consumer's dollar is being spent draws attention to the current copyrighted survey by Sales Management, which shows that food takes the biggest bite out of the retail dollar in Floyd county.

Expenditures in 1951 in the butcher shops, grocery stores, bakeries and other food vending establishments in Floyd county were equivalent to \$460 per family when divided arithmetically among the local population.

This represented 25 per cent of all the money spent in the county's retail stores in the year. It was more than families elsewhere in the United States allotted for food. The national average was 24 per cent of the dollar. In the East South Central states, it was also 24 per cent.

The food stores in Floyd county did business in the amount of \$5,448,000 in 1951, a considerable gain over the \$4,825,000 of the previous year. The increase, only partially due to inflation, is attributable to better earnings. With larger incomes people treat their stomachs more luxuriously. As a result, the per family food figure has come to be an index of economic well-being.

Healthy conditions were also found in Floyd county in the other classes of retail business covered by the survey. Local sales of cars and parts, farm machinery, boats and the like came to \$4,771,000, amounting to 22 per cent of the retail dollar.

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## SITE FOR BANK BEING CLEARED

### Work on First National Building To Start Soon; To Raze Three Structures

The work of razing three buildings and half of another to clear the way for the new First National Bank structure at the corner of Court and Lake Drive was begun Wednesday afternoon, and contracts on the various phases of construction of the bank building were being awarded by architects this week.

Work on the two-story bank building will be begun immediately after structures now occupying the site are cleared away, provided weather conditions permit concrete foundation work. Burt Spurlock, executive vice-president of the First National, said.

Buildings being razed are those formerly owned by H. D. Fitzpatrick and Mrs. W. H. Jones, Sr. They are the buildings occupied by Worland's Washer Parts, the service station at the corner, the barber shop formerly occupied by Tom Moore and the half of the Fitzpatrick building which has housed the Goodwill Mission Store operated by the Rev. H. C. Church. Clearing the site is being done by Atlas Compton and Earl Sammons.

The bank building, a project involving the expenditure of around \$200,000, will front 80 feet on U.S. 23 (Lake Drive) and 50 feet on Court street. It will be a two-story brick structure, completely air-conditioned, and is designed to be the most modern structure for its purpose in Eastern Kentucky.

Mr. Spurlock said furniture and equipment of the bank will be completely new, except for a part of the lock boxes. Arrangement of second-story rooms will be made to meet the needs of tenants.

It was said this week that most, or (See Story No. 3, Page 8)

## PARTY PLANS NEW LEADERS

### Precinct Vote Set Saturday Afternoon By Democratic Party

Reorganization of the Democratic party at the county level will begin Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock when the voters meet at their respective precincts to elect precinct committeemen, and prospects are that Floyd county reorganization will not be effected without somebody opposing somebody.

It wasn't clear here, early this week, who would be candidates for county chairman of the party. County Judge Henry Stumbo was mentioned most often. Asked about the opposition, one Democrat, who requested that his name be withheld said, "All I know is, there will be opposition."

Precinct committeemen and committeewomen will be elected Saturday afternoon. One of each is to be elected for each precinct. He or she must be a resident of the precinct and must have been a supporter of all the party's nominees.

These elected, the precinct committeemen and committeewomen will on the following Saturday (Dec. 13) hold legislative district caucuses in this county, which has two districts. A chairman from each of these two districts will be elected, and on the same day these two will meet to elect the county chairman of the party.

The caucus for Legislative District 96 will be held here, and for District 97 at Martin. Both caucuses will be held at 10 a.m. The legislative district chairman then will meet here the same day at 2 p.m. to name the county chairman. In the event that the two legislative district chairmen cannot agree on a county chairman, the deciding vote will be cast by the present county chairman, Olive Akers.

The Republican party effected its reorganization last spring, prior to its district and state conventions.

## Fiscal Court Names Bank As Depository

The Floyd fiscal court met Tuesday, with routine business consuming most of the session.

One of the two orders entered designated the First National Bank here the depository for all funds coming into the hands of A. B. Meade as Sheriff. The other directed that bids be asked on the work of moving the barn of Miller Smiley on Prater Creek from the Banner-Harold road right-of-way.

Otherwise, the only action taken by the court was to pay bills.

## 12-Year-Old Child Is Victim of Burns Suffered Saturday

Lola Fay Caudill, of Eastern, 11 years of age, died in the Beaver Valley hospital, at Martin, 4:30 p.m., Nov. 29, from severe burns suffered at a neighbor's home.

It was stated that the youngster's dress ignited as she stood near a stove. She was the daughter of Fred and Vada Fields Caudill and was enrolled in the sixth grade of the Maytown grade school.

Besides her parents, she is survived by the following brothers and sisters: James Earl, Billy, Arnold, Paul, Junior, Brenda and Linda, at home.

Funeral rites were conducted, Monday afternoon, at the home, the Revs. Henry Parsons, Estill Hughes and Vernon Mullins, officiating. Burial was in the Wright cemetery on Goose Creek under direction of Hall Brothers Funeral Home.

## NEW CRUSADE FOR FREEDOM

### Launched in County, Frazier Announces; Seek Pupil Backing

Kentucky's extensive drive in the current Crusade for Freedom will be carried principally to the schools to enlist the support of youth to this movement which is intended to get the truth from America to the countries behind the Iron Curtain.

This announcement was made Monday by Chalmers H. Frazier, superintendent of Prestonsburg schools, who has been named Floyd county chairman of the Crusade for Freedom.

Each school child will be asked to make a contribution to the financial program of the crusade—from a penny to 25 cents—and the pupils will also be asked to sign Freedom-Grams.

These Freedom-Grams, which carry an eloquent appeal to the peoples of Soviet-dominated lands, will be placed in balloons and thus floated over and behind the Iron Curtain, Mr. Frazier explained. These ask those denied the truth by the Kremlin to seek understanding and a way to world peace through prayer.

Robert E. Hatton, state chairman, announced the Crusade campaign goal for Kentucky is \$50,000 and 250,000 signatures on Freedom-Grams. Goal for Floyd county is \$1,000 and 8,000 signatures.

## Office at Pikeville To Supply Tax Forms

All federal income tax forms needed by Floyd county are to be furnished by the Internal Revenue Office, Pikeville. Requests for forms should be addressed to the Director of Internal Revenue, Room 200, Post Office Building, Pikeville, Ky.

### BABE DIES

Clarence Daniel Martin, an infant of two days age, died at the Beaver Valley hospital, Nov. 30. He was the son of Clarence and Nelma Howard Martin, of Jump. Funeral rites were conducted at the home Dec. 1, and burial followed in the family cemetery under direction of the Hall Bros. Funeral Home.

## NO MURDERS ON DOCKET

### Is Word As Dismissal Of Charge Against 2 In Slaying Expected

The Floyd circuit docket was believed, with the end of the trial of Milt Hunt here Wednesday afternoon, clear of a murder case for the second time in half a century.

It was conceded that Hunt's "light" sentence of two years in the slaying of Jake Salisbury will result in the murder charges against his wife and Marion Yates being dismissed. And these are the only two cases of willful murder blotting the court record.

Circuit Judge Edward P. Hill remarked that this is the first time in 50 years the court is without a murder case on its docket, but a review of our court record shows that at one time during the term of Henry Stephens, Jr., as Circuit Judge, the docket stood similarly immaculate. Between terms, however, two murders were committed.

In fact, crime apparently was at a new low on all fronts in the county this week. Last week-end, the county jail at one time had only nine inmates and only three or four more were added this week. Of those in jail, only two were accused of what might be termed major offenses. One of these was Eddie Stone, booked by Deputy Sheriff Frank Crum on a charge of grand larceny and breaking and entering; and Ted T. Burke, who was marked, "hold for Ohio" on a fraud charge.

Clearing of the murder docket was (See Story No. 2, Page 6)

## TRUMAN GIVES \$1.90 INCREASE

### To Nation's Coal Miners; Says He Acted To Save Successor from Crisis

The coal miners' wage case thrown into his lap, President Truman did Wednesday as expected—he granted the full \$1.90-a-day increase as originally provided by the contract entered into between the United Mine Workers and the operators.

This brings the minimum pay of miners to \$18.25 a day. "It relieves the situation and ends the threat of a strike, but the question is, how many of us will be able to operate," was the comment of one operator.

Floyd county coal mines this week were, on the whole, busy, and it looked like a cheery Christmas for the workers.

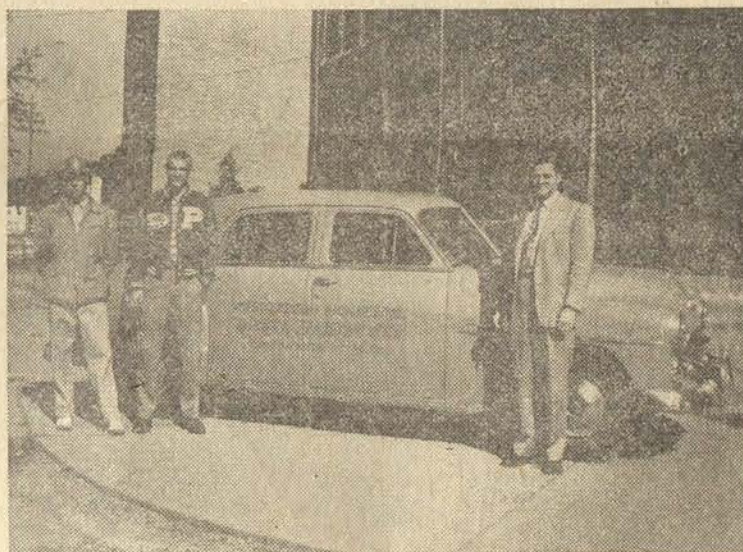
The President said he granted the full \$1.90 increase because he does not want his successor, Dwight D. Eisenhower, to have a coal strike crisis on his hands when he takes office.

Truman, in approving the full \$1.90 that John L. Lewis negotiated with the industry, overruled the Wage Stabilization Board, the Economic Stabilization Agency, and Defense Production Chief Henry H. Fowler.

The wage board had held that any more than \$1.50 would "irreparably damage" the program to control inflation. The other high stabilization officials sided with the board.

Mr. Truman declared he was not willing to take an action that would confront his successor with a big strike emergency.

## Seniors Here Get Training In Safety on the Highway



City School Superintendent Chalmers H. Frazier, right, and two seniors, John Hill, left, and John Gordon Goble, ready for driving class.

The hundred or more seniors at Prestonsburg high school will be graduated next May with something extra as a result of a program begun at the school and carried out by Chalmers H. Frazier, superintendent of city schools, only this year.

They will have had a thorough indoctrination in the principles of safe driving, of sportsmanship on the highways, and, more than that, actual experience behind the wheel of an automobile, meeting ordinary,

everyday traffic and all its snarls and problems.

The job of training high school girls and boys so that when they leave for college, or whatever else they may choose to do, they will be better, safer drivers, with a full concept of the rights of others on the highway, has been under way in Kentucky for five years now. But not till this year did the school here get fully prepared to undertake it.

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## Polio Which Afflicted 19 in County Cost Floyd Chapter Over \$6,000

The 1952 polio epidemic which set a record high in the number of cases in this county and over Kentucky has cost, over and above the suffering and anguish it wrought, \$6,648.20 in expenses to the Floyd Chapter, National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis.

These figures were made available Wednesday by Dr. Marvin Ransdell, who added that the cost may be further increased as a new sufferer from the disease was reported to his office. Cost of treatment for this latest victim, three-year old Donald Nathaniel Blankenship, of Weeksbury, may be an item to be added to the \$6,648.26 expense already involved in the treatment of cases which developed earlier.

The Blankenship child is in St. Joseph's hospital, Lexington, and is the 19th known Floyd county sufferer from polio this year. This was the first case reported in two months.

Dr. Ransdell said hospitalization of every polio sufferer from this county during the year has been financed by Floyd Chapter, with the exception of one.

Of the \$6,648.26 expense incurred to date, the Chapter has paid \$1,978.54. It has on hand only \$1,046, and an indebtedness remaining of \$4,669.72. Backing the Chapter in this county and every other county however, is the National Foundation. The organization, local and national, has been planned to meet every emergency, with the full resources of the National Foundation behind the local chapter.

Pointing out that he knew of only one family hit by polio this year which had polio insurance, Dr. Ransdell said many would have been unable to give their children treatment, especially the highly specialized treatment given in Lexington, Louisville and Milton, W. Va., had not the funds raised through last year's March of Dimes been available.

Cost of treatment for one child from this county, for instance, mounted to \$1,039.87, it was pointed out. "Ordinary folks can't stand such expense, and the result would have been, had it not been for the March of Dimes, that the child would have been denied the special treatment he needed," Dr. Ransdell commented.

Last January, Floyd county's March of Dimes raised approximately \$6,000. That exceeded by far any other Floyd contribution to the fight against polio. Still, it wasn't as much as is needed.

Half of that fund went to the National Foundation to carry on the research which only this year has met with what is hailed as history-making advances toward the control or prevention of the disease. Too, the funds contributed to the National Foundation helped build up the backlog which gives the local Chapters emergency financial backing.

The unprecedented 1952 epidemic which spread over the nation, however, left the National Foundation about \$5,000,000 in the red for this year, and it has requested Chapters to defer requests for further aid until after the next March of Dimes in January, if possible.

This year of 1952, with all its polio worries, has brought to Floyd county an awareness it never had before of the importance of the March of Dimes. The 1953 drive for funds will begin January 1, and again Jesse Elliott, of Betsy Layne will head the drive.

## Seal Drive Passes \$800 Mark in County As Fund Need Urged

Returns from persons who have been mailed Christmas Seals stood, as of Wednesday, at \$1,225. It was said this week by the Floyd county Tuberculosis Association which is staging the Christmas Seal campaign to raise funds for continuance of the fight on tuberculosis.

Seals are being purchased this year by many persons who are taking part in the program for the first time, it was pointed out by Mrs. A. C. Harlowe, treasurer of the Association.

On the success of the Christmas Seal drive depends the fund which will make possible the work through the coming year of Mrs. J. D. Mayo as special Floyd county TB nurse.

## LEAGUE ASKS COURT ACTION

### To Comply with Law On Numbers and Pay Of Officials' Aides

The Floyd County Good Government Taxpayers' League announced today that it is mailing letters to each Magistrate and to County Judge Henry Stumbo, calling on them to comply with the 1950 act of the Legislature which provides that the fiscal court of each county shall by order set the maximum salary to be paid each county official, his deputies and assistants.

It also called on the fiscal court to comply with the provisions of that legislation which, it said, provides that the fiscal court shall certify by order the maximum number of deputies and assistants each public official may have and the maximum expense each office may incur.

The letters asked that this compliance be made before the convening of the next grand jury of the Floyd circuit court on Jan. 5.

The Tax League claims that these duties have been called to the attention of the Magistrates and that the law describing such duties has been read and explained to them.

## CLUB DECIDES TO BUY FISH

### To Restock Reservoir With Bass, Walleye; Newman Re-Elected

The Floyd County Fish & Game Club voted at its Maytown meeting Monday night to buy fish for use in restocking Dewey Lake.

The action was taken following weeks of discussion among sportsmen about the apparent lack of bass in the impoundment and of the need for another species, possibly walleye, as a curb on the shad population and also to provide fishing during the colder months.

The club directed its secretary to write Minor Clark, superintendent of fisheries, Department of Fish & Wildlife Resources, for recommendations as to the number and species of fish to be used in the restocking program. Hatcheries also are being contacted to determine the cost of the project.

Bass to be purchased for the lake will be of "keeper" size, it was said.

The club also held its annual election of officers at Monday's meeting, and George W. Newman, of Hi Hat, was re-elected president.

Henry L. May, of Langley, was elected vice-president to succeed Dr. C. L. Allen, and A. J. Turner, of Langley, was named secretary-treasurer, succeeding John R. Baldrige.

These committee chairmen also were named:

J. C. Moore, Orkney, game propagation; Arnold Workman, Prestonsburg, fish propagation; E. H. Stumbo, Harold, forestry.

The club's board of directors will hold their meeting next Monday at Maytown.

### INFANT DIES

James Burchfield, age 15 months, son of Jacob and Pearl Baldrige Burchfield, of Estill, died of pneumonia, at Pontiac, Michigan, Nov. 29. The boy was removed to Floyd county by ambulance.

Surviving besides the parents are four brothers and sisters at home. Funeral rites were conducted by the Rev. Johnny Ramey and burial was in the Collins cemetery at Wayland under the direction of Turner Funeral Home.

### SUFFERS BROKEN ANKLE

Mrs. Fannie Jenkins, wife of Clyde Jenkins, of Martin, suffered a broken ankle from a fall, Tuesday of this week. She was removed by ambulance to the C. & O. hospital at Huntington.

## BOARD WAITS FOR CHANGES AND FINANCING

### Before Asking Bids On Three Buildings; Expense List Asked

Final revision of plans and an all-clear on financing of the projects were still awaited by the Floyd County Board of Education this week before asking bids on the construction of school buildings here, and at Bosco and Ligon, it was said Tuesday on adjournment of the Board's December meeting.

Absence of Gordie Young, of the State Department of Education, from Frankfort has been one delaying factor. He returned Monday, and County Superintendent Virgil O. Turner said he expects to go to Frankfort this week.

The Board meeting itself dealt mainly with routine business.

The Sheriff's fee for the collection of school taxes again was discussed as Sheriff A. B. Meade contended he should be allowed a commission of at least 2 percent on the 1951 tax collections. The Board asked him to submit a detailed statement of expenses incurred in the work of school tax collection, and indicated its decision would be based on those figures. Sheriff Meade has settled with the Board on his collections to date, withholding 2 percent commission.

Optional textbooks available from the State Department will relate to Music and Reading instead of Art, the subject covered by books heretofore chosen, the Board decided.

New teachers employed at the meeting are:

Christie Lee Matthews, Beaver school; Charles Houchins, Allen; Edna Mae Davis, Sam Hale school; Pauline Reed, Wheelwright; David B. Leslie, Martin; Curtis Jarvis, substitute at Daniels Creek while the regular teacher, Earl Hall, is recovering from injuries sustained in an auto wreck; Verbal Meeks, and Forrest Elliott, Betsy Layne; Lola P. Ousley, Stone Coal school.

Claim of Columbus Compton for \$100 due as pay for 10 days' salary while teaching at Dwaile last year was rejected by the Board. Compton claimed pay for the 10 days during which, he said, he was ill. Two weeks' vacation pay for Darwin Hunt who worked till June 1, last year, as garage mechanic was allowed. Employment of Ed Howell for two months as bus driver in the absence of the regular driver was approved.

The Board will approve for payment bills incurred only by its authorized representatives, it was said.

## KY. EDUCATION NEEDS CHANGE

### Edmunds Tells P.-T.A., Citing Legal Barrier To Equal Opportunity

Facts and figures to prove the urgent need of a minimum foundation program for Kentucky's educational system were produced by Fred Edmunds, Irvine, Ky., Regional Supervisor of State Education, at a recent meeting of the Prestonsburg Parent-Teacher Association.

Pointing out that Kentucky ranks 46th educationally in the nation, Mr. Edmunds declared the hope of lifting the state from that lowly rank is to adopt a minimum foundation program such as has already been adopted by 43 other states.

This move, he said, would be begun by the people by ridding the state Constitution of Section 189 which requires that at least 75 per cent of the general school fund be distributed on a per capita basis—on the number of children who live in a school district rather than on the number who actually attend school. The Constitutional amendment which would remove that educational "roadblock" he reminded the P.-T.A., will be voted on at the November, 1953 election. If passed by the popular vote, it would enable the Legislature to write a school program guaranteeing a minimum education for all.

As the law now stands, Mr. Edmunds declared, there is no incentive to get the child in school. The present program also works this injustice, he said: A poorer district with 818 children per 1,000 population, say, has a property evaluation of only \$680 per child, while a wealthier district with 225 children per 1,000 population backs each child with an assessment of \$11,098.

Under the defective program now in effect, he added, these conditions prevail in Kentucky:

One of three Kentuckians is rejected by the armed forces. In a re-

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With at least 10,000 cattle in Fescue fields in Spencer county withstood the drought better than fields of ladino clover, orchard grass and other grasses.

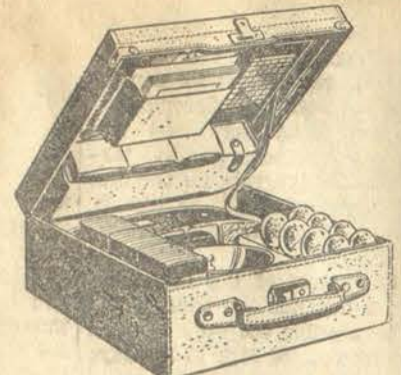
**SAN FRANCISCO** — The big military transport, Gen. Nelson M. Walker, docked with 1,377 Army combat veterans from Korea. Pikeville College managers are considering growing vegetables on eight acres for the college's dining hall.

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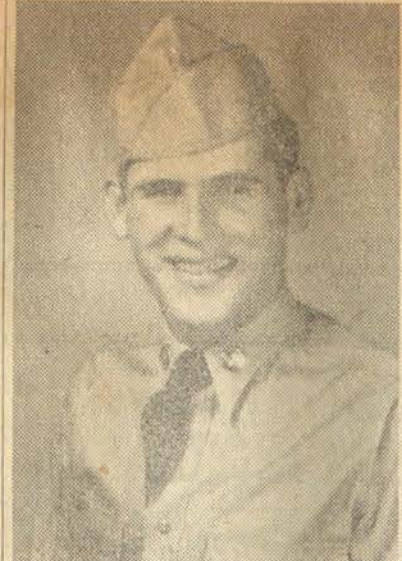


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**WITH THE ARMED FORCES**

**SGT. GEARHEART WILL RETURN**

Tokyo—Sgt. Emmitt Gearheart, of Hueysville, Ky., has received orders to return to the U.S. from Japan for release from active army duty. During the past three years he has been stationed in Tokyo with the 64th Engineer Base Topographic Battalion, an army map-making unit.

**PVT. GIBSON AWARDED**

With the 7th Inf. Div. in Korea—The Combat Infantryman Badge for excellent performance of duty under enemy fire in Korea was awarded to Pvt. Theodore R. Gibson, whose wife, Shannon, lives in Langley, Ky. A rifleman in Company C of the 17th Infantry Regiment, Gibson entered the army last January, arriving in Korea in July. He has also been awarded the Korean Service Ribbon with one campaign star and the United Nations Service Medal. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Ted Gibson, also of Langley.

**PVT. STEPHENS IN JAPAN**

With the 1st Cav. Div. in Japan—Pvt. Cledie Stephens, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Stephens, of Hueysville, Ky., has arrived in Japan for duty with the 1st Cavalry Division after serving three months in Korea. Part of the security forces for Japan, the 1st Cavalry Division was rotated from Korea last year after 17 months of combat duty. Stephens, who entered the army in February, 1947, has been awarded the Combat Medical Badge, Army of Occupation for service in Japan and the Korean Service Medal.

**MISS CLARK ENLISTS**

Miss Mary Jean Clark has been accepted for service with the United States Air Force, according to an announcement by Sgt. Glenn R. Walke, of the army and air force recruiting service. Miss Clark was examined at Ashland and forwarded to Lackland Air Force Base in San Antonio, Texas where she will take a 13-week basic training course. Prior to enlistment Miss Clark attended Prestonsburg high school. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ezra Clark, of Riverside Drive, Prestonsburg.

**PFC. KAZEE IN KOREA**

With the 7th Inf. Div. in Korea—Pfc. Jess J. Kazee son of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Kazee, of Justell, Ky., recently arrived in Korea and has been serving with the 7th Infantry Division. Since making the amphibious landing at Inchon in the fall of 1950, the 7th Division has fought in every sector of the Korean peninsula. Elements of the 7th were the only U.S. forces to reach the Yalu river. Kazee was engaged in farming before entering the army in August, 1945.

**JAMES ON TRAINING COMMITTEE**

Tom James, former commander of the 10th District American Legion, has received notice of his appointment as a general member of the National Security Training Committee of the American Legion. It was said this week. Lewis K. Gough, national commander of the American Legion, advises that the term will run until the close of the 1953 meeting of the National Executive Committee. The National Executive Committee has approved the appointment.

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**PVT. TURNER PROCESSED**

Fort Meade, Md., Nov. 30—Private Thurston Tennyson Turner, 21, son of Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Turner, Garrett, Ky., has completed processing at the 2053rd Reception Center here and is assigned to the Ordnance Replacement Training Center, Aberdeen Proving Ground, Md., for basic army training.

**PVT. TACKETT COMPLETES BASIC**

Pvt. Victor E. Tackett, son of Mr. and Mrs. Leland Tackett, Melvin, Ky., completed his basic training at the Quartermaster Replacement Training Center, Fort Lee, Va., November 29. Pvt. Tackett entered the army Sept. 25, this year. Before entering the armed service he graduated from Pikeville Junior College.

**PFC. MARSHALL GRADUATES**

Recent graduates of the U. S. Army Engineering School in Murnau, Germany, include Pfc. Robert Marshall, son of Mrs. Martha Marshall, Langley, Ky. He attended classes in fire prevention and studied the administrative duties of an Army chief,



The people of Williamsburg voted an \$80,000 bond issue for a recreation center with only seven votes to spare above the required two-thirds majority. In a letter to your correspondent Harold A. Browning, Jr., editor of the Whitley Republican, says much of the opposition was from "sincere people who couldn't see spending that much money for that they characterize as foolishness."

It probably didn't occur to these sincere objectors in Williamsburg that a recreation center that would save one child each year from delinquency would be worth far more than the annual payments on the bonds. I would wager one inflated dollar that practically all the opposition will subside by the time the recreation center is one season old. Mr. Browning gives some interesting facts about the bond campaign, and about the town of Williamsburg:

"Civic clubs and organizations co-operating with the City Council were the Chamber of Commerce, Rotary Club, Lion Club, American Legion, Veterans of Foreign Wars, Parent-Teacher Association, Woman's Club, Junior Woman's Club, B & W Club, and Study Club. "Members of the Woman's Club and Junior Woman's Club called at every home not represented in their memberships, explaining the issue, its benefits, etc. They also sponsored a contest in the schools which did a lot of good. Each child made a poster depicting some reason for

voting for the pool, and it is not easy for a man to go out and vote against something that his little boy wants very much and is trying to draw.

"City officials and other business men decided some months ago that the bond issue method was the fairest and best way to provide the money for basic facilities—adequate in size and permanency. The various clubs and individuals may now devote themselves to providing equipment, sponsoring events, etc. No individuals have donated money to date, but this will come when the time arrives to purchase equipment.

"A representative of each of the organizations that I mentioned above served on a general Recreation Committee. Credit should go especially, I think, to Mayor H. R. White and his son, H. R. White, Jr., who worked unceasingly to get the thing over to the public. Of course, there were many, many others including school children who had a parade downtown last Saturday, some of whom were stationed at each precinct on election day.

"Williamsburg (3,600 population) has been a well-run little city for many years. We are always fortunate in having successful business men as Mayor and City Councilmen who are happy to give their time and talents. Some of them even pass on their salary checks to the various churches or charities. Partisan politics never plays any part in their selection. We never ask whether a man is a Democrat or Republican when the city election is up and usually only capable men offer themselves as candidates."

**Appropriation Approved**  
**UNITED NATIONS** — The U.N. General Assembly approved a supplementary appropriation of \$2,450,880, bringing the world organization total budget for 1952 up to \$50,539,200.

**Trial for Fourteen Accused of Threats Docketed for Jan. 5**

Pikeville, Ky., Dec. 1—Fourteen men, charged in a federal indictment with threatening non-union miners in an attempt to force them to join the United Mine Workers union, will be tried in U.S. district court here Jan. 5.

The defendants were indicted in Richmond, Va., on a charge of threatening Virginia miners on Cumberland Mountain in May, 1951. The case was transferred here and trial scheduled Dec. 29.

It was recently postponed to Jan. 5, but court officials could give no reason. Indicted are Dock Bartley, Ralph Ratliff and Dial Mullins, former Pike county deputy sheriffs; Milburn Hall, former deputy constable in Letcher county; Carson Hibbitts, Joseph Davis, Tilden Johnson, Sherman Maggard, Harry Radcliff and Bob Newsum, all of Pike county, and Charles Minton, Carl Conley, T. N. Fleming and M. Bloomer, all of Letcher.

Hibbitts, Davis, Radcliff and Newsum are UMW field workers.

**BEGINS STUDY OF RABIES**

Miss Martha Alice Pergren, graduate of Auxier high school, left Sunday for Atlanta, Ga., where she will make a study of rabies at the Communicable Disease Center. The course was made possible by the State Board of Health, with which Miss Pergren is employed. She is a daughter of Dr. and Mrs. C. B. Pergren, of Hellier.

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**Mrs. Campbell Begins  
Floyd Relief Work,  
Effective Dec. 1st**

Mrs. Irene F. Campbell, of Allen, began work Monday as child welfare worker in this county, succeeding Miss Sue Mitchell who resigned recently to work with the Public Assistance Department at Lexington.

The Division of Child Welfare office for this county has been moved from the Midland building to the Layne building on Court street here, Mrs. Campbell announced.

The new child welfare worker is a former teacher in the Floyd school system and is the wife of Lewis Campbell, principal of the Allen school.

Explaining that the primary purpose of the Division of Child Welfare is to protect, preserve and strengthen family relationships, Mrs. Campbell said the Division specifically offers aid to:

Children whose parents are dead, children without parental care through desertion or other cause, or whose parents are unable to provide a satisfactory home for them; babies born out of wedlock (also aid to their mothers); families who wish to adopt children or provide foster home care, and parents who may need guidance and support in becoming better parents or in working out their difficulties.

Homemakers in south Madison and Rockcastle counties froze 19,142 pounds of food last year.

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- 1946 Chevrolet 4-door sedan.
- 1947 Chevrolet 4-door sedan.
- 1949 Chevrolet 4-door sedan.
- New 1952 Chevrolet truck, 1/2-ton Pick-Up.

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**OBITUARY**

J. M. Arnett, better known as Uncle Jack Arnett, was born October 27, 1892, and passed away November 16, 1952, at the age of 60 years, 2 weeks and 6 days. He was the son of the late Reuben and Celia Whitaker Arnett and was born in what is now Magoffin county. He spent over 20 years as a school teacher and also engaged in farming. He was married to Delaney Salyers. To this union, three children were born, Lillie (now deceased), Nora and Boone. Some years after the death of Mrs. Arnett, Uncle Jack was married to Nannie Howard. To this union was born one son, Hargis, now deceased. Again death took Uncle Jack's second companion, and later he was married to Delilah Hicks, and to this union was born one son, Charles Callihan. Upon the death of this companion and after a few years, he was married to Addie Wilson Burke, widow of John Burke. No children were born to this union, but Uncle Jack proved his faithfulness to God by being a father to the three Burke children, Carrie, Teddy and Tuka, the latter two now deceased.

Uncle Jack has been a Christian and a member of the Baptist Church for well over 10 years. His faithfulness and untiring zeal for his God is well-known in this community and throughout Floyd and surrounding counties.

Surviving Uncle Jack are his widow, Addie Arnett, two sons, D. B. Arnett, Prestonsburg; C. C. Arnett, San Francisco, California; one daughter, Nora Hatcher, Ashland, Kentucky, and one step-son Carrie Burke, West Prestonsburg, 21 grand children, 46 great-grandchildren and seven great-great-grandchildren together with a host of other relatives and friends. 1t-pd.

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dise, including variety and department stores, had sales of \$4,832,300, amounting to another 22 per cent.

The stores handling furniture, household supplies and radio equipment had a sales volume of \$1,970,000, or 9 per cent.

The total retail volume attained by the local stores was \$21,683,000 for the year. This was ahead of the 1950 figure, \$20,414,000.

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**A Place for the Loser?**

**THE SATURDAY REVIEW** in an editorial written before the country had gone to the polls to elect a President for the next four years raised an interesting question.

Pointing to the splendid qualities of the two candidates for the nation's highest office, the editorial expressed the view that one or the other through defeat would be relegated to a sort of limbo for the full term of his victorious opponent, and thus the services he might perform with a high degree of ability would be lost during that time.

For that reason, argued THE REVIEW, the post, say, of Senator-at-large should be created and this position filled by the losing candidate for the Presidency, so that a man of national stature would not be even temporarily lost to the public service.

Perhaps the editorial writer has something there. The country can ill afford a vacation for any man of real ability and of the unselfish interest in his country a would-be chief executive should possess.

As matters now stand, Governor Stevenson will serve the country in no official capacity for the next four years at least. The Democratic Party will assign to him the job of leading the opposition to the Administration, but that task could work ill as well as good for the United States. Carping criticism, without constructive thinking, could do the country a disservice.

A "loyal opposition" is a good thing, almost a necessity under our form of government. But loyalty to the country should come above party, self and all ambition.

In the Senate or out, this man Stevenson will be better known at the end of the coming four years to most Americans. He can during that time establish himself as the great American a large segment of the voters thinks he is, or he can reduce himself to the lowly estate of a mere politician.

**SOIL CONSERVATION**

By L. R. JOHNSON  
Soil Conservation Service

The Floyd County Soil Conservation District supervisors met Nov. 10, 1952 at the Soil Conservation office for their regular monthly meeting.

J. B. Clarke reported that he attended the ninth annual meeting of the State Association of Soil Conservation Districts at Cumberland Falls State Park. This meeting brought together supervisors from throughout the state, and a good program was provided. Many talks and panel discussions were presented on Soil Conservation practices and the agriculture outlook by leading agriculture men of Kentucky. Mr. Clarke stated the meeting was very interesting and educational and everyone seemed to enjoy their trip to Cumberland Falls.

Billy Merritt, chairman, reported that he had been appointed temporary deputy fire warden by the State Conservation District for firefighting duty during the emergency period. Forrest Burchett, county fire warden, stated that Mr. Merritt and other local agencies were helpful in getting the fires under control.

The procurement of sericea seed for next spring was discussed. It was pointed out that because of the drought the seed supply would be low. Plans were discussed for securing the seed early so that there would be sericea seed available for the increasing demand by the farmers.

Plans for the essay contest were made and the supervisors agreed to sponsor additional county prizes to create interest and get more essays written this year.

**COOK BOOK**

A United States Department of Agriculture cook book has been presented to members of homemakers clubs in Logan county.

**Mineworker Is Victim  
Of Seizure En Route  
To Mare Creek Home**

Thomas Jefferson Lewis, 58, of Mare Creek, died of coronary occlusion about 4 o'clock in the afternoon, Thanksgiving Day, near Maytown.

Mr. Lewis, who was an employee of Turner Elkhorn Mining Company, worked that day in the mines and had started home in an automobile being driven by a fellow employee. He was stricken while enroute and an ambulance was called. Although oxygen was administered on the way to a Martin hospital he was pronounced dead upon arrival.

He was a son of the late George and Mahala Sparks Lewis, of Mare Creek. His wife, Octavia Stratton Lewis, survives.

Surviving also are the following children: Shirley Lewis, of Prestonsburg; Thomas E. Lewis, Jr., Detroit and Mrs. Ruth McKenzie, Huntington, W. Va. Surviving brothers and sisters are Mill and Ballard Lewis, of Betsy Layne, and Mrs. Tom Clark of Endicott, Ky.

Funeral rites were conducted Sunday, Nov. 30, at the home, the Revs. Carl Layne, Carl Senters and Isaac Stratton, officiating. Burial was in the family cemetery under direction of Hall Brothers Funeral Home.

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Duncan Rose, soil conservationist, with the Floyd county soil conservation district, showing width of open drainage work performed by John Allen and Forrest Burchett, of Sugar Leaf vicinity. It is 650 feet long and 10 feet wide. This conservation work added to the area of the field and provided for water run-off of Sugar Leaf Creek where none had existed.

**PFC LUMPKINS ASSIGNED**

The good growth of Kentucky 31 Pfc. Charles E. Lumpkins, son of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Lumpkins of Langley, Ky., has been assigned to the 5th Armored Division at Camp Chaffee.

Private Lumpkins recently returned from Korea where he served with the U. S. 24th Infantry Division for eleven months.

The blossom blight disease plus lack of moisture reduced the apple crop in Jefferson county.

Twenty families in Bell county are interested in taking part in the Farm and Home Development Program of the University of Kentucky.

Using grills for outdoor cooking will be demonstrated in Homemakers Clubs in Anderson county. John Denny of Pendleton county has 80 western ewes and 20 Hampshire ewes.

LONDON — Foreign Secretary Anthony Eden said Red China's attitude toward the Indian proposals for ending the Korean War was "far from encouraging."

COLUMBUS — The American Legion said it will give Christmas gifts to every veteran in Veterans Administration hospitals or soldiers' homes in Ohio.

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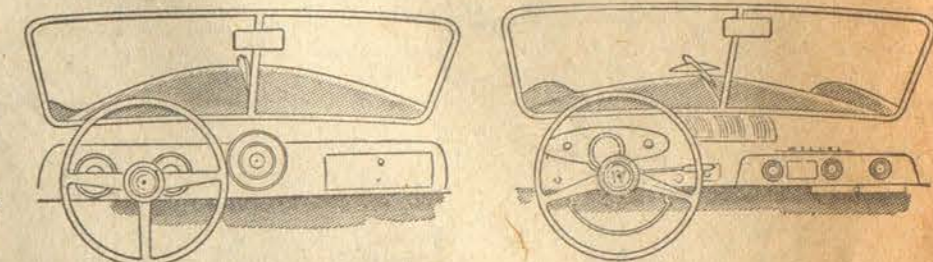
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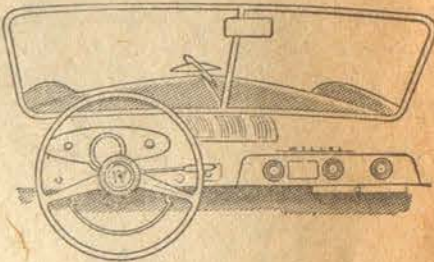
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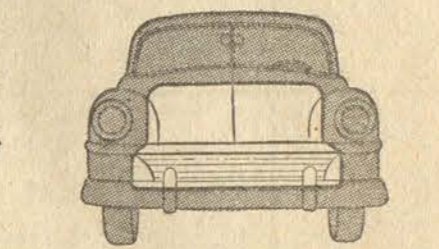
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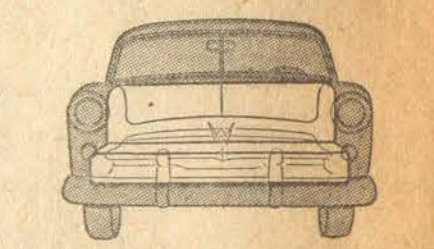
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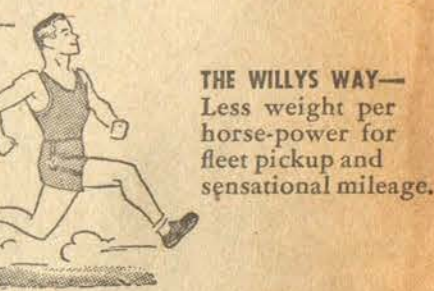
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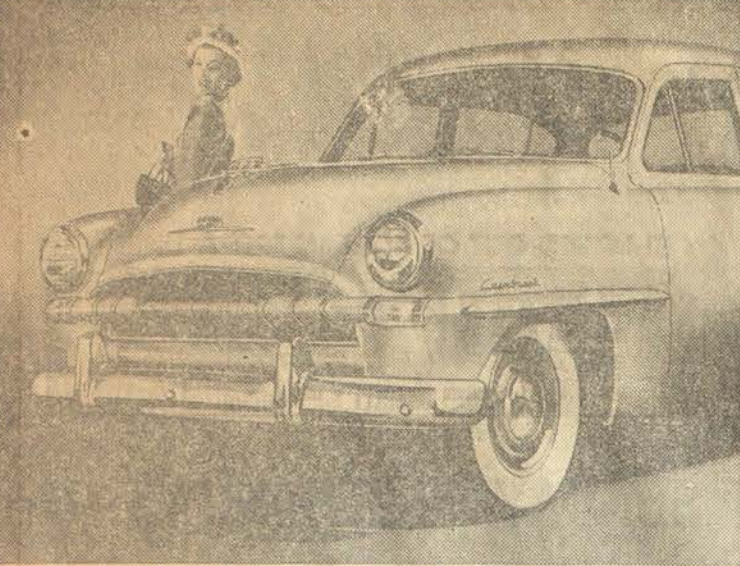
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**CIRCLES UNITE FOR ANNUAL MEETING**

The Julia Mayo May, Chaddie Salisbury and Daisy Harris Circles of the Baptist Church united Monday evening for the annual Little Moon Week of Prayer program for Missions at the home of Mrs. Olga M. Latta. The program was presented by Mrs. L. W. Benedict. The Christmas spirit was evidenced by the exchange of gifts. The hostess carried out the holiday motif in a delightful dessert course to the following members and guests: Mesdames Edward B. Leslie, Bill Pettry, John Hale, Russell Shaw, E. A. Smith, Anita Ketterhagen, Iva Potter, Robert Sirkle, L. W. Benedict, James Clark, M. Robert Regan, John Caudill, Harry Sandige, Wm. Napier, S. C. Carpenter, Zella Fielder, Wm. Dingus, Woodrow Burchett, A. J. Davidson, Fred Martin, Edith Johnson, S. L. Isbell, Tom Dingus, Cora Cook, Joseph D. Harkins, Raymond Sirkle, John Archer, H. C. Francis, Troy Sturgill, Marvin Ransdell, O. S. Parkins, Hoover Harrington, Manis Conley, Nealous Collinsworth, J. B. Clarke, Phil Schroeder, Edward P. Hill, E. O. Brewer, Virginia Brewer, Misses Annie Allen, Anna Martin, and the hostess, Mrs. Latta.

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**Thomas Prater Dies At Bonanza, Aged 87; Rites Held Wednesday**

Thomas Prater, 87 years old, well-known Bonanza man, died at his home Tuesday, a victim of an illness attendant upon advanced age. A son of Elise and Zilphie Prater, he was a native of the county. He had been a member of the United Baptist Church for a number of years.

Surviving him are four sons and two daughters, Thomas Prater, Jr., Renselaer, Ind., Jim, Malcolm and Russell Prater, all of Bonanza, Mrs. Amanda Davis, Urbana, Ind., and Mrs. Eliza Miller, West Prestonsburg. He also leaves 32 grandchildren, 58 great-grandchildren and 20 great-great-grandchildren.

Funeral rites were conducted Wednesday afternoon from the residence, the Rev. Alex Stephens officiating, and burial was made in the family cemetery.

**HERE MONDAY**

Mrs. Bill Pettry had as her guests, Monday, Mrs. C. B. Ison, Mrs. E. C. Blanton, and Mrs. Rudolph Spencer, all of Garrett.

**ATTEND MEADOWS RITES**

Those from Prestonsburg who attended the funeral of Mrs. John Meadows in Inez, Sunday were:

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Hale and son, Mrs. Dave Cornett, Rainley White, Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Isbell, Mrs. Betty Stephens, Mrs. Meadows was a cousin of Mrs. Cornett and Mrs. Stephens.

**THANKSGIVING WEEK-END**

Mrs. Mabel Branham, Miss Ellen Connors, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Clark, accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Paul Simmons and son, of Huntington, to Dayton, Ohio, to spend Thanksgiving week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Peters, Jr. While there they were joined by Mary Louise Branham, of Evanston, Ill., Laura and Carolyn Branham, of Masonic Home, Ky., Mrs. Shirlene Stove and daughters, of Dayton, Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Brehne and children, of Cincinnati, and Faye Branham, of Dayton. En route home to Prestonsburg, they visited Mr. and Mrs. Brehne in Cincinnati on Saturday.

**MARTIN**

Sgt. John F. Billips, who has served the last 15 months in Korea and Hokkaido, Japan with the First Division, has returned home. He has received his discharge from active duty to inactive reserve status. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Billips, of Martin.

George Billips, Jr., of Los Angeles, Calif., recently visited his parents here, Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Billips. He is employed by the North American Aviation Co., in Inglewood, Calif.

Johnnie Billips has accepted a position with the Whitesburg Funeral Home.

Little Jim Bob Vance, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Vance, of Pikeville, spent the Thanksgiving week-end here, with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Billips.

Clark county's turkey crop numbered 115,000 birds this year.

**Mrs. Hall Is Victim Of Stroke at Topmost**

Mrs. Lullie Hall, 54, of Topmost, died of cerebral hemorrhage at her home on Dry Creek, Nov. 27.

She was a daughter of Squint Waddle and the widow of Ernest Hall who died sometime ago. She is survived by the following sons and daughters: Harold Hall, Topmost; Homer Hall, Wayland; Mrs. Allen Collins, Topmost; Mrs. Velma Hall, McDowell; Miss Olive Hall and Miss Thelma Hall, Topmost. A brother, Diamond Waddle, of Topmost, and a sister, Mrs. Levi Johnson, of Bevinsville, survive.

Funeral rites were conducted at 10 a.m., Sunday, Nov. 30, at the Dry Creek Regular Baptist Church, the Revs. Ellis Hopkins, Green Bradley and Coy Combs officiating. Burial was in the family cemetery under the direction of the Hindman Funeral Home.

**NOTICE TO BIDDERS**

Sealed bids will be received by the Floyd Fiscal Court for moving a barn of Miller Smiley on Prater Creek from the Banner - Harold road right-of-way. Bids will be received by the County Court Clerk up till 10 a.m., Dec. 22, 1952. Moving of said building will be done in accordance with plans furnished by the County Judge. The court reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

Floyd Fiscal Court  
By W. W. Burchett, County Attorney  
12-5-52.

**PRESENTS MASONIC AWARDS**

Dr. R. R. Sirkle, Rainley White, Z. S. Dickerson and Bill Pettry attended the Wayland Masonic lodge Wednesday night of last week, when Dr. Sirkle presented Dr. M. M. Collins, of Lackey, a 50 year pin and Spencer Stone, of Dema, a 25-year pin.

**MRS. HILL SUFFERS BURNS**

Mrs. Edward L. Allen left Wednesday for Lexington after learning that her daughter, Mrs. Bill Hill, was severely burned at her home there, Monday.

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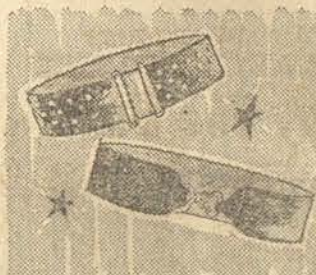


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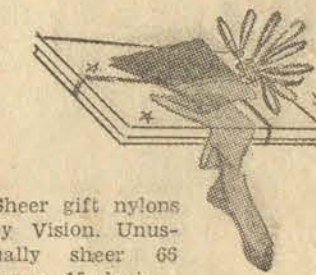
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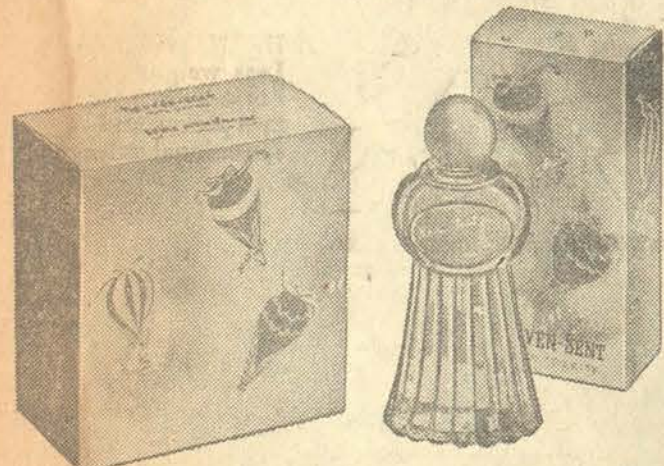
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 9:45 a.m.—Sunday School.  
 11:00 a.m.—Morning worship.  
 7:30 p.m.—Evening worship.

**Wednesday—**  
 3:15 p.m.—Junior Choir.  
 7:30 p.m.—Midweek service.  
 8:30 p.m.—Senior choir.

Grade A milk regulations are causing farmers in Owen county to install modern water systems.

**BRIETENMOSE-RICE WEDDING, DEC. 6th**

Mr. and Mrs. John W. Rice, of Prestonsburg, announce the forthcoming marriage of their son, Sgt. James C. Rice, to Miss Edith Marie Brietenmoser, of Nashville, Tenn. The wedding will take place December 6, at the home of Miss Brietenmoser.

They plan to reside in Nashville, Sgt. Rice is now stationed at Camp Campbell, Ky.

**Society**  
 Notes

Dr. and Mrs. A. J. Davidson entertained to Thanksgiving dinner members of their family. Covers were laid for Mrs. Laura Davidson, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Fields, Mr. and Mrs. Alex L. Davidson, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Perry, Mrs. Gertrude Davidson, Mr. and Mrs. George T. Roberts, Mrs. Martha D. Carpenter, Marshall Davidson, Dr. and Mrs. Davidson.

Tom Bunting, of Wheelwright, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. V. Bunting, Thanksgiving.

Glenn Weygant, Ashland, Arthur Barnes, Cynthia, Jack Frost, Huntington, were business visitors here Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Francis entertained to Thanksgiving dinner, Judge and Mrs. Richard Feller, Mrs. Wm. Osborne, Mrs. H. C. Francis, Miss Una Pigman.

John Lykins, of Glasgow, was here Monday, calling on friends.

Carl Riffe, of Ashland, was here Monday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Lee Meade entertained to Thanksgiving dinner Mr. and Mrs. James Nesbitt, Mr. Sterling, Miss Ella Noel White, Mr. and Mrs. N. M. White, Jr., Donna Ann Meade and Steve Meade.

Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Stumbo and children, Olive Carolyn and Philip, of Lexington, are here visiting relatives in the county.

Mrs. John R. Clarke has been the guest here of her mother, Mrs. Osa F. Ligon.

Mrs. Una Pigman returned to her home at Hindman this week after a two-week visit here with her aunt, Mrs. H. C. Francis.

Mrs. Ridda Findlayson and daughter, Johnnie, were Thanksgiving guests of Mr. and Mrs. Joe A. Spradlin.

Rev. Orville Pearson has been confined to his home with week with a severe cold.

Mrs. Jo M. Davidson and Mrs. Ruth D. Sowards called on friends in Pikeville, Thanksgiving. They were supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Trivette.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Music and daughter, Peggy, were in Huntington, Saturday, on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Shivel and daughter, Mary Jo, spent Thanksgiving in Ashland with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Dane Young and daughter stopped here last Wednesday evening and visited friends, en route to their home at Dante, Va.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Ford and daughter, Jane Carol, returned to their home at Frankfort, Sunday, after a visit here with his sister, Mrs. Robie Marcum, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph B. Davis, Mrs. Ray Davis and Ralph Davis, Jr., visited Mr. and Mrs. Harris S. Howard and new son, Harris, Jr., in Lexington, Sunday.

Major and Mrs. David May and children, of Fort Knox, arrived last week for a visit with his sister, Miss Margaret Elizabeth May, and his uncle, Dr. G. D. Callihan. Major May will soon be transferred from Fort Knox to Korea.

Miss Mary Loretta Goble spent several days last week with her grandmother, Mrs. Cecil Kendrick, and Mr. Kendrick at Pikeville, where they are residing this winter.

Miss Judith Carol Leete returned to her home in Ashland, Sunday, after a short visit here with her grandparents, Dr. and Mrs. M. J. Leete.

Ray Howard has returned home from Louisville where he consulted a specialist. He has been confined to his home with a severe cold.

Mrs. Mary Ford Hygen, Mrs. Cliff Rinehart, Mrs. Winston Ford and Sonny Ford were in Huntington, Saturday, on business.

Mrs. Walter Van Landingham left Monday for Charleston, W. Va., where she will visit her son, Grover Howard, Jr., and family before returning to her home in Miami, Fla.

Mr. and Mrs. James Nesbitt spent Thanksgiving here with her sister Mrs. N. M. White, and family.

Mrs. Andrew Auxier, Mrs. Mayo Davis, Mrs. Callis P. Hudson, Pikeville, were here, Saturday, visiting relatives and friends.

Misses Sylvia Helen Davis and Nora Ann Davis, who are students in Louisville, spent Thanksgiving Holiday, here with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Davis.

Wm. Allen returned to Louisville Sunday, having spent the holiday here with his family.

Mrs. R. C. Adams, and son, Richmond Adams, Lexington, spent Thanksgiving with her brother, Mr. and Mrs. Henry B. Patrick.

Harry Banks, student at the Louisville College of Dentistry, spent the Thanksgiving Holiday here with his sister, Mrs. T. Y. Martin, and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Banks, on Bull Creek.

Mrs. Virginia Short, Martin, was here Tuesday shopping.

Mrs. May Ruffitt, Langley, was here Tuesday shopping.

Arnold Clarke and Montaine Clarke were in Lexington, Monday, where Arnold consulted a specialist. He has been ill for the past three weeks.

Mrs. Johnnie Marcum and daughter, Terry, are here from California visiting her mother, Mrs. Paul Pate. She has been with her husband who is stationed in the army there.

**PRESBYTERIAN AUXILIARY MEETS TUESDAY**

The December meeting of the Presbyterian Auxiliary was entertained Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. Marvin Music at Cliff. Mrs. Ernest Osborne opened the meeting with prayer. Announcement was made that Roy Brigg, Washington, D. C., associated with the Allied Youth Movement, would speak on Tuesday, Dec. 9, at 1:30 p.m., at the grade school auditorium. The public is cordially invited to attend this lecture. The Society pledged \$25 for its Thank Offering for the coming year. Plans were made for food contributions to be brought to the home of Mrs. Frank Layne on Thursday night to be packed and shipped to Koreans. Clothing will be accepted from anyone desiring to contribute to this worthy cause.

Mrs. Orville Pearson had charge of the Christmas program, assisted by Mrs. George Sizemore, who read "The Christmas Story," followed by prayer. Christmas music was played during the program by Mrs. E. R. Burke. Assisting the leader in the program were Mrs. Dick Davis, Mrs. W.C. Rimmer, Mrs. E.H. Sowards and Mrs. Mary E. Powers. A dessert course was served by the hostesses, Mesdames W. C. Rimmer, P. L. Heinze, E. R. Burke, W. V. Bunting, Charles Weddington, Dick Davis, Rainey White, Cecil Willis, George Sizemore, Everett Sowards, Ray Howard, Dan Reed, O. T. Stephens, Ray Davis, Mrs. Anderson, Charles Crum, Ernest Osborne, Orville Pearson, Marvin Music, Ralph Davis, Misses Alma Collins, Catherine Reed and Mary E. Powers.

**CELEBRATES FIRST BIRTHDAY**

Little Debra Anne Gunnell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert G. Gunnell, celebrated her first birthday Thursday, November 27, with a turkey dinner served at the home of her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Beecher Woods, Emma. Those attending and sending gifts were Mr. and Mrs. James Gunnell and Frank, Mr. and Mrs. Den Burke and Jack, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey L. Gunnell, Mrs. Easter Evans, Lois Garnet, Betty and Jimmy Woods, of Emma, Mr. and Mrs. James O. Gunnell and Roger, of Allen, and Mr. and Mrs. Walter C. Gunnell, Printer.

**ENTERTAINS AT COUNTRY HOME**

Miss Jane Hill entertained to dinner at her home on the Abbott road, Tuesday evening. Covers were laid for Misses Bureita Gearheart, Alma Collins, Nelle Music, Mrs. Billie Paris Gunnell, Mrs. Wm. O. Allen, W. J. May, Henry D. Fitzpatrick, Mr. and Mrs. Polk Hill.

**STUDENTS HOME**

Among those attending college who spent the holiday here with their parents, were Sue Goble, Mary Belle Layne, Barbara Jane Hale, Martha Katherine Greenwade, Mary Martha Williams, Nora Ann Davis, Floyd Arnold Mann, Robert Bunting, Cliff Latta, Jr., Jimmy Mayo, Quentin Allen, Vyvyan Combs.

**D.A.R. TO MEET TUESDAY**

John Graham Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, will meet Tuesday, Dec. 9, at 7:30, at the home of Mrs. R. V. May. All members are urged to attend.

**RETURNS TO CALIFORNIA**

A-3c Robert Preston, son of Mr. and Mrs. Don Preston, of Mally, has returned to his new station in California. He spent a 15-day leave at home recently. Another son, A-3c Donald Preston, has arrived safely in France. Both are graduates of Prestonsburg high school.

**SPEND THANKSGIVING HOLIDAY HERE**

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Neal and children, Chuck and Anna Bruce, of Hopkinsville, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Tolbert and son, Jimmy, of Wythesville, Va., Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hill and son, John Howard, and Mr. and Mrs. Belvard Friend and daughter, Susan, spent the Thanksgiving holiday here with Mr. and Mrs. Edward L. Allen.

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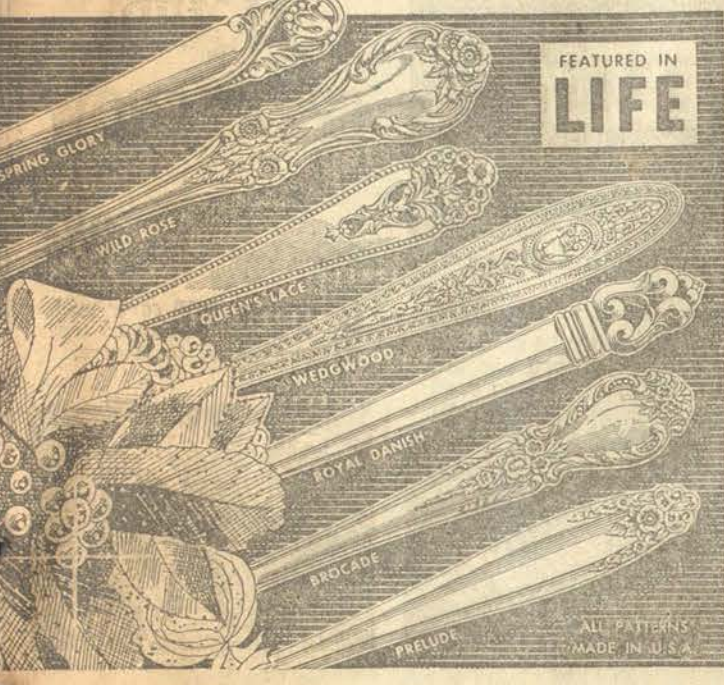
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# Floyd County Historical Notes

By HENRY P. SCALF

Material and notes left over from the McGuire article and unused because it was not germane to the main story are excerpted here.

There was Squire McGuire, who is unidentified. He sued one James Davis in 1817 for allegedly taking him as ball for Reuben Clark. Clark, it is stated by E. E. Clark, of Ashland, was the first of the name to settle in Floyd county. It is inferred from the suit that Reuben lived on Johns Creek. We are unable to place Squire McGuire properly in the family tree. Joseph Davis, the officer, is loath to deny taking the ball and hedge "that he is advised to say every officer who is acting under oath is presumed to do his duty."

Another old suit, bearing date of Nov. 21, 1866, is Lindsay Layne against William N. Cecil and Zachariah T. Cecil. Layne, veteran of the 39th Infantry, USA, was administrator of the estate of Elizabeth McGuire, deceased widow. No indication of her husband's name. William Cecil had bought the interest of Elizabeth's heirs in the estate but Layne sued to recover on a note of the two Cecils for \$832.70, dated March 28, 1855. The administrator finally got judgment for an amount slightly in excess of \$100. But that is not the main interest of this note. The suit says the heirs of Elizabeth are "E.G. McGuire, Weeks Sammons and Harriet, his wife, late McGuire, Jacob P. Akers and Louise, his wife, late Louise McGuire." Does anyone know who these old McGuires were and where they lived?

Then, there was Witten McGuire. In 1853 he sued William McGuire, Harry Stratton and Henry C. Harris. This suit grew out of another under date of May 2, 1843. The defendants had instituted the 1843 suit to get rights over the lands of Harry S. McGuire. At this time (1853) Easter McGuire was deceased. Perhaps Witten McGuire was the son of Harry S.

Names given by early settlers to places survive for decades in most cases if connected to some important event or person. Several of the names of streams and localities of Floyd county are used today by people who have long forgotten the

## CORN, BLUE OR ROMAN RED IS TASSELED WITH LORE

Wherever farmers meet, if it is in the corn belt, they talk corn. There are "corny" jokes and tall tales of corn, or tales of tall corn. Like the old mountaineer who spoke disdainfully of an indolent neighbor and offered to wager "that he ain't got a jigger of corn likker in the house." Or the other who complained to his wife: "That new ground hill ain't what it used to be. Once I could get a fine crop of corn. For the last five years it ain't been worth planting."

It just shows the hillman's pre-occupation with corn. Corn made settlement in the hills possible for it would thrive on slopes with hand cultivation. Today we know this method is costly and impractical. Back then it was the height of practicality, for with corn he could eat and survive on the rugged land.

The word corn is older than our knowledge of the present plant, for Europeans knew nothing of it before the discovery of America.

Centuries ago, corn was wheat or rye or barley or many of the cereals that man uses for bread. The Romans called cereals corn. When Rome was at its height of power and the wealthy patricians wanted to curry favor with the populace, corn was imported from Africa or the provinces and distributed. In this way the rich entrenched themselves in the Roman government. Before long, the Republic was doomed and the Caesars ruled.

In America the Aztecs and Mayas raised what they called maize, but in reality it is our corn of the present. It was not developed as is ours. Archeologists show us evidence that this corn, or maize, which was a member of the grass family, was rather primitive. It grew small ears and produced only a fraction of the yield of modern corn.

The North American Indian revered the grain, for in the cold winter its storage after cultivation and harvest by the squaws saved Indian lives. Hunting and fishing might be impossible because of winter, but corn was in the wigwams for food. It provided many a variant dish or was parched by him on the war trail or hunting path.

It was Hiawatha who wrestled with Manitou. The defeated spirit returned to the earth and grew as corn. A beautiful legend, beautifully preserved for us in the Song of Hiawatha. The universal knowledge of the corn legend indicates the importance of corn or maize in Indian life. It was the greatest of the many Indian gifts to the pale-face.

John Smith was on a trip to procure corn from the Indians when he was captured by them. It was corn that enabled the pioneer American to survive. It is corn that today supports our mid-west economy. Truly, the greatest of Indian gifts.

Pioneer Big Sandians brought the seed with them. It was the lack of corn that caused Charles Vancouver to leave his weak settlement at the

original circumstance that contributed to it.

Graham's Bottom is an exception. Maybe a few oldsters remember that their elders called it Graham's Place. It is called by both names on the records. Judge John Graham settled at Emma either in the year 1803 or 1804. It soon assumed the name Graham's Bottom. Some called it Graham's Place. The name, now in disuse, died a generation ago, perhaps as common use, longer ago than that. It was a good name and, as a historical reminder, it should have been continued.

Since the main road, or what was called a road, nearly a century and a half ago, followed Big Sandy in general as U.S. 23 does today, there was of necessity a ford across the river at Graham's Place. The ford was called Graham's Ford. Since the ford itself was near a shoal that came to be called Graham's Shoal. Early records of roads to be built called for the shoal as a starting point. Very early there was one from Ivy Creek to Graham's Shoals. Another started there and ended in "the Gap of Mud." To paraphrase an old Roman saying: "All roads led to Graham's Shoals."

When this columnist, in an unaware and semi-lucid moment, got started on local research, the name Graham's Shoals began to intrigue him. A drive along U.S. 23 reveals no place that looks like a shoal prominent enough to receive a name from one of Floyd county's most influential fathers.

Wesley Martin, of Allen, knew the answer and pointed out the place, saying that the rocks rolling into the stream as a by-product of construction of the highway so changed the natural formation of the shoals as to render it almost invisible. But a careful observer can yet discern where the early settlers, clad in buckskin or linsey-woolseys and coonskin caps, forded the Big Sandy at Graham's Place.

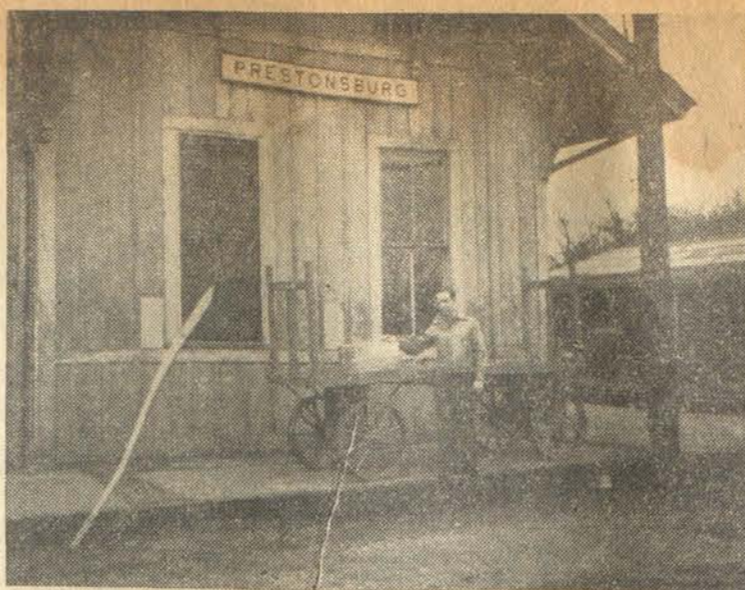
Graham's Bottom, Graham's Place, Graham's Shoals. No, sir. We moderns care little for euphonious, historical reminders of our past. It is Emma, and as names persist, it may be Emma for a long time.

cent survey 37,600 adults in the state admitted they had had no full year of schooling; 223,000 admitted they had had less than four years in school. At present one out of eight children, aged 6-18 years, is not enrolled in school.

Some Kentucky children board a bus at 5:45 a.m.; some reach home at 6 p.m. Some buses transport as many as 329 pupils per bus daily.

One-fourth of our children attend one-room schools. In the state there are 114 high schools with fewer than 100 students, in spite of the fact that 300 is the minimum number for an economical system. Only 122 school buildings can be classed as satisfactory.

Of the 19,739 teachers in the state 2,971, or 15%, are teaching on an emergency permit. From May, till September of this year, 700 teachers changed to other districts, and 300 left Kentucky to teach elsewhere. Seven thousand eight hundred eighty-five teachers had more than the recommended 30 pupils per room.



The first shipment of coal from samples taken from Floyd county mines for germanium tests being shipped to a Missouri industrial laboratory last week. Seen in the picture is Hansford May, corresponding secretary of the Prestonsburg Chamber of Commerce, who is handling the exploratory work.

helped along by the dismissal of two such cases. One of these was against Willard Hughes in the slaying of Bert Shepherd, near Hueysville—a crime for which his father, Billy Hughes, is now doing time at the state reformatory. The other was the charge against Sid Conley, who shot and killed his wife at Wheelwright. Conley is now an inmate of the Eastern State Hospital after having been adjudged insane.

Convictions in circuit court, beginning with last Friday:

James Conn, drunkenness, \$10 and costs; Bill Hinton and Robert Ousley, possessing intoxicants for the purpose of sale, \$100 fine each; Irene Newberry and T. J. Fitzpatrick, Jr., the charge of carrying a concealed deadly weapon against each reduced to that of reckless use of a deadly weapon, and each fined \$50 and costs; Jane Webb, elderly Middle Creek woman, charged with selling whiskey, fined \$20 and given a 30-day jail term.

Eva Hall was acquitted Saturday of a falsifying charge.

### CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our appreciation to all those who helped in any way upon the death of our dear loved one, J. M. Arnett; to those who sent flowers; to the ministers, Revs. Charlie Rowe, Glenn Whitaker, W. H. Horne, F. S. Vanhoush and Scott Castle, for their comforting words, and to Carter and Callahan Funeral Home for its kind and efficient service.—Wife and Family.

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RESTAURANT, equipment and stock for sale. Used about two years. BRACK CRAFT, Garrett, Ky., Box 115 10-2-1-pd.

FOR SALE—M. M. Hall's Cafe, near Beaver Valley hospital, Martin. A profitable business. See owner at Cafe. -9-9-vt-pd.

FOR SALE—6-room house. Bath, lights, water, gas. Three acres land on U.S. 23. Foot of Abbott Mountain on north side. HANSFORD MAY, Realtor, Office phone 7361. Home phone 7363. 10-16-tf.

FOR SALE—25 acres of land, 3 acres bottom. Five-room house, gas, lights, well, barn, chicken house, fruit trees. Left fork of Bull Creek. HANSFORD MAY, Realtor, office phone 7361. Home phone 7363. 10-16-tf.

NOTICE—All REA customers will pay or mail their electric bills to L. B. MOORE at Meade Brothers Hardware store, Mayo Trail, Prestonsburg. 11-6-tf.

If in need of a gas heater or floor furnace, see MEADE BROTHERS HARDWARE, Prestonsburg.

FOR SALE—Used brick. Perfect condition \$3.00 per hundred. PHONE 3843. tf

FOR RENT—Ground floor of Wright Building, corner Court and Arnold avenue. ELDER WRIGHT, Phone 5012 and 4102, Prestonsburg. 10-23-tf.

FOR RENT—Small home at Emma. In good community, near bridge. Call 6341, Prestonsburg. tf.

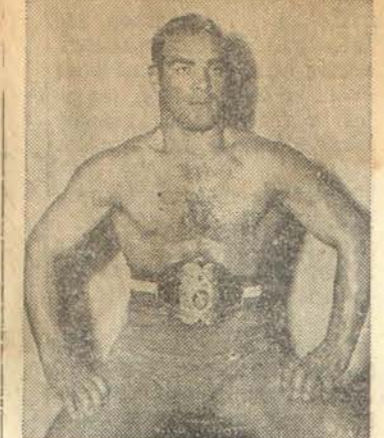
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FOR SALE—4-room house completely furnished, eight acres land, garden. Three-fourths mile off Brandy Keg road on Corn Fork. \$3,500. See EUGENE WELLS, Lancer, Ky. 10-23-4t.

FOR SALE—50 acres land, three-room house, barn, timber, electricity, on Abbott Creek. Contact MILT STANLEY, Bonanza, or C. B. NAPIER, 2822 Xavier Street, Louisville, Ky. 11-20-tf.

GIVE THE BEST Christmas gift this year—a magazine subscription! Price list free upon request. (No postcards, please.) BARTLEY 1551 Bardstown Road, Louisville 5, Ky. 11-13-6t-pd

## Booked for Main Go In Wheelwright Gym



Joe Scarpello (above) and Edmund "Duffy" Francis, two top heavyweights, will face each other in the main event of the wrestling card to be presented the night of Dec. 12 at the Wheelwright high school gymnasium.

Scarpello, former Big Ten collegiate champ and member of the U.S. Olympics team, is one of the most sought-after of pro wrestlers. His opponent, a 210-pounder, is a favorite of those who watch bigtime wrestling via television.

Other matches of the evening will pit George Drake vs. Marco Polo and Donna Dieckman vs. Ella Waldeck.

The Floyd county appearances of these professionals is being sponsored by the Wheelwright Band Parents.

INTERESTED in a new Singer machine or Singer sweeper? Then write or call SINGER SEWING CENTER at 5 Second ave., Williamson, W. Va. We are now offering new consoles for Christmas gifts at only \$121.50, \$125.00, \$4.98. Boys' Overalls, \$1.98. Men's Gaberdine Jackets, \$8.49. MILLER'S STORE, Prestonsburg, Ky. 11-13-tf.

FOR SALE—House with four lots. See BOLTEN MARTIN, Eastern, Ky. 11-13-40-pd.

JUST UNLOADED a truck load of new merchandise at Bargain Prices. Men's \$10 Dress Shoes, \$4.98, and Slippers. Molekin Pants, \$3.49; Women's Galoshes, medium heel, \$1.98; Boys' Gaberdine Jackets, \$4.98. Boys' Overalls, \$1.98. Men's Gaberdine Jackets, \$8.49. MILLER'S STORE, Prestonsburg, Ky. 11-20-4t-pd.

OFFICE ROOMS for rent in the Odd Fellows building, Prestonsburg. See ED MAY, J. M. PARSLEY or JOHN GUNNELL. 11-20-tf.

FOR SALE—5-room house with full basement, all utilities; nine acres of land, in city limits of Martin. KRUGER MARTIN, Phone 3316, Martin, Ky. 11-27-tf.

FOR SALE—7-room dwelling and restaurant in front of Betsy Layne high school. All utilities. See or write ORA BICKFORD, Heller, Ky. 11-27-3t-pd.

FOR RENT—4-room house on Earl street, Prestonsburg. Call ED MAY at Kroger's Store, or Phone 7292. 11-27-tf.

NAME OR INITIALS, gold-stamped, free of charge, on billfolds purchased from us. THE POUNTAIN KORNER, Prestonsburg, Ky.

FOR SALE—Several Singer and National sewing machines, all reconditioned, at a reduced price while they last. Also the famous new Admiral Electrics, guaranteed 20 years. Working parts interchangeable with Singer 15-30, but much cheaper. M. D. HUBBARD, 189 Euclid Ave., Paintsville, Ky. 12-4-tf.

FOR SALE—House, 4 rooms and bath, on Second avenue, Prestonsburg. EARL COMPTON, Prestonsburg, Ky. 12-4-tf.

WANT TO TRADE—48 Chevrolet 3-4-ton truck to later model and pay difference. MILLER'S STORE, Prestonsburg, Ky. 10-4-2t.

THREE-ROOM HOUSE in Wayland for sale or rent. See J.A. RECTOR. 12-3-2t-pd.

FOR SALE—40 acres of land on Left Abbott Creek. Good timber. Joins C. B. Napier property. Price \$1,400. MRS. AMY RADER, Route No. 4, Wapakoneta, Ohio. 12-3-3t-pd.

FOR SALE—House of six rooms, 2 complete baths, and lot 65 x 140 feet on Second avenue, Prestonsburg, between Mrs. Combs and Russell Hagwood residences. Price \$13,500. E. B. Brown, Phone 2148, Prestonsburg. 12-4-tf.

FOR RENT—4-room house, all utilities. See SAM THOMAS Betsy Layne. 12-3-3t.

LOST, STRAYED or STOLEN. A part bulldog, white with brown spots. James Carter, Phone 3542. 1t.

ROOMS FOR RENT — Victoria House, Steam Heated. Day, weekly or monthly rates. Phone 3843, Prestonsburg. 12-4-tf.

FOR SALE — Frigidaire, in good condition. Phone 3843, Prestonsburg. 12-4-tf.

FOR RENT—Two houses on Second avenue. One has 7 rooms and enclosed porch. The other, 3 rooms and bath, too small for family with children. Both newly decorated. MRS. C. L. HUTSINPILLER, Phone 3531, Prestonsburg. 12-4-tf.

## CATS DRILLING FOR NET TILT

Green Team To Open Here Next Tuesday Against Auxier Hi

Their football togs in mothballs, the Prestonsburg Black Cats are hard at work trying to get football out of their systems as the first game of the basketball season is to be played here next Tuesday evening.

The Cats' opposition in this season-opener will be the Auxier high school team. Both first and second teams will play, the second team contest to start at 6:45 p.m.

Coach Bill Damron has 32 boys out for the team, but most of his material is green. He has only four lettermen back this year—Delmar Hughes, John Dixon, Billy Rowe and Marshall Woods.

"I wouldn't say our prospects are bad, but I won't say they're too good, either," Coach Bill Damron said this week. "It's all up to the boys."

Coach Damron added that his starting line-up will average six feet, with six-foot-four Marshall Woods looming tallest.

The team's schedule after next Tuesday evening's opener follows: Dec. 12, Maytown, away; Dec. 13, Wayland, home; Dec. 16, Paintsville, away; Dec. 19, Wheelwright, home; Jan. 3, Ashland, away; Jan. 6, Meade Memorial, away; Jan. 9, Oil Springs, away; Jan. 10, Martin, home; Jan. 12, Inez, away; Jan. 14-17, Paintsville Invitational; Jan. 20, Paintsville, home; Jan. 23, Elkhorn City, away; Jan. 24, Garrett, home; Jan. 28-31, Eastern Kentucky Mountain Conference at Pikeville; Feb. 6, Garrett, away; Feb. 7, Wayland, away; Feb. 10, Wheelwright, away; Feb. 13, Meade Memorial, home; Feb. 14, Elkhorn City, home; Feb. 17, McDowell, away; Feb. 21, Martin, away; Feb. 24, Inez, home; Feb. 27, Maytown, home.

**Martin High Scores Three Net Victories In Four-Day Period**

Martin high school's Purple Flash racked up three victories in as many games, last week and this, in one of these downing Hindman, the only team to which the Flash had lost this season.

Coach Deniz Halbert's boys defeated Estill County High, 59 to 37, at Martin Friday night, and the next night went to Betsy Layne where they edged past the Bobcats, 60 to 53. The Martin-Hindman encounter was staged on the neutral Hazard floor with Martin downing the strong Knott county five, 67 to 57.

Line-ups:  
Martin Pos. Estill County  
Click, (13) ..... f ..... Whittaker (2)  
Flannery, (2) ..... f ..... Dunaway (5)  
Tackett, (24) ..... c ..... Roberts (1)  
Westfall, (1) ..... c ..... Combs (10)  
Frazier, (7) ..... g ..... Arnold (2)  
Lafferty, (2) ..... g ..... Alexander (16)  
Ratliff, (5) ..... g ..... Williams (1)  
Baldridge, (5) ..... g

Martin Pos. Betsy Layne  
Click, (13) ..... f ..... Clark, (27)  
Flannery, (2) ..... f ..... Rice  
Tackett, (12) ..... c ..... Hall, (1)  
Frazier, (18) ..... g ..... Wallace (8)  
Ratliff, (7) ..... g ..... Adkins, (2)  
Baldridge, (8) ..... g ..... Hopkins, (3)  
Lafferty ..... g ..... Jones, (7)

Martin Pos. Hindman  
Click, (5) ..... f ..... W. Conley, (6)  
Flannery, (5) ..... f ..... Risner, (6)  
Tackett, (37) ..... c ..... Waddel, (16)  
Frazier, (14) ..... g ..... T. Martin, (11)  
Ratliff, (3) ..... g ..... Eagle, (3)  
Baldridge, (2) ..... g ..... G. Martin, (10)  
..... V. Conley, (5)

**Looney To Demonstrate New Basketball Rules At Clinic Here Susday**

Dick Looney, of Elkhorn City, veteran basketball official, will conduct a basketball clinic at the Prestonsburg high school gymnasium Sunday afternoon at 2:30. It was announced Tuesday by Bill Damron, net coach here.

Using Prestonsburg high school players, Looney will demonstrate the new basketball rules. The public is invited to attend the clinic. There will be no admission charge.

TOKYO. — A Japanese organization plans to sprinkle the world with cherry blossoms to "replace the fear of World War III with pleasant bright hope." The "Friends of the World" group said the success which attended the presentation of cherry tree seeds to 32 foreign nations in September encouraged the organization to plan to distribute 20,000,000 seeds next year.

Irrigation systems are being planned on the farms of James Barnett and P. O. Thacker in Mercer county.

## WHOOOPS!



It may be a little late in the season for such matters, but we couldn't neglect a whooper of this size. It is a seven-pound (and that's no fish story) largemouth bass which was caught by Ernest Meek, of Paintsville, Nov. 24, while trolling in the lower section of Dewey Lake. A Bomber was the bait.

## RUPP SLATED AS SPEAKER

At Football Banquet Here Next Thursday, Kiwanians Announce

Adolph Rupp, famed coach of the University of Kentucky basketball team, will be the speaker at the banquet scheduled next Thursday evening to honor the Prestonsburg high school football team.

The annual football banquet will be sponsored, as usual, by the Kiwanis Club. The dinner will be held at 6:30 p.m., in the grade school cafeteria.

Harry Lancaster, assistant to Rupp, will also attend and possibly take part in the program.

At the end of the football season the team elected Johnny Hill captain and John Gordon Goble, alternate captain. J. R. Dixon was named the team's most valuable defensive player and Delmer Hughes most valuable on offense.

These athletes and all other members of the team will come in for their share of honors at the banquet. The event will take the place of the regular Thursday evening meeting of the Kiwanis Club.

## GUIDE: A conservationist whips job it is to protect the fish by taking you where they aren't.

PLUGS: Imitation of bugs, birds or bees guaranteed to fool any fisherman and lure a dollar or more from his pocket.

ROD: A sporty name for a fish pole costing over \$5.00 Rods are sold by weight. The lighter the rod, the heavier the tax.

REEL: A coffee grinder invented by satan and designed to snarl at critical moments—thus inducing lurid and profuse profanity.

FISH LINE: An expensive piece of string guaranteed to snag and break at the right time so that the fisherman can boast about the whooper that got away.

WHOPPER: A term used to describe any fish—however small—that got away.

CREEL: An ice box in which to keep liquid refreshments.

BOOTS or WADERS: Effective devices for carrying large quantities of water to the place where you sit down to take them off. Waders hold more water than boots and are preferred for putting out camp fires.

PLIES: Feather imitations of nothing ever seen which are used to desecrate fishermen's hats.

LIAR: A fisherman. All fishermen lie—but all liars do not necessarily fish.

## Betsy Layne Man, 77, Native of Johns-Cr., Victim Last Friday

Buck Hatfield, 77, of Betsy Layne, died at the home of a daughter, Mrs. Richard Moles, of Justell, Friday, Nov. 28. He had been ill five years. He was a retired farmer, and had resided in Betsy Layne for the last 20 years.

Mr. Hatfield was a son of Samuel and Jane Thompson Hatfield, natives of the Johns Creek section of Floyd county.

Surviving are one daughter, Mrs. Richard Moles, and eight grandchildren.

Funeral rites were conducted at 10 a.m. at the Moles residence, the Rev. Clyde Layne, officiating. Burial was in the Community cemetery at Justell under the direction of the Carter and Callihan Funeral Home.

## JIM MAYO STARS AS KICKER, LONE MEILINGER WEAKNESS

This guy Steve Meilinger is just about all things to all people who follow the fortunes of the University of Kentucky. He plays end by note, as they say, is a wizard at snagging passes, runs like a mad bull with tremendous speed, then switches to quarterback, calls the signals, hands the ball off from the split-T, and himself goes back to fling touchdown passes.

But there is one thing he doesn't do well in a football game. For a time this season he did Kentucky's kicking. When he connected the pigskin took off for distant reaches of the field. But too often the oval skidded off the side of his foot, blooing a matter of a few yards, and sometimes this happened when it hurt.

That weakness wasn't fatal, however. "Bear" Bryant turned to a Prestonsburg boy, Jim Mayo, a freshman, whose kicking feats while playing with the Prestonsburg Black Cats had been nothing short of sensational. And Mayo delivered.

In his first game he averaged 45.5 yards per kick from the line of scrimmage—and football-wise men will tell you that's booting it. In the game against Tulane he averaged 35 yards per try, despite the fact he netted only three yards on one kick when the ball took a series of crazy bounces backward. His booming kicks have consistently kept the opposition in a hole since he went into action, and the Cats haven't lost a game since he took over the kicking chores from the redoubtable Meilinger.

His kicking in the Cats' recent tie "victory" over Tennessee was hailed by Knoxville sports writers. On one occasion the pass came back to him as he stood deep in the Kentucky end zone. It was wide and high. But with the aplomb of a veteran, the freshman Mayo seized the pigskin and sent it soaring 40 yards upfield as Tennessee linemen charged him.

A knee injury has kept the Prestonsburg star out of play except for the punning assignment. When he is fully recovered "Bear" Bryant will find himself, some afternoon, with a sure-fingered pass-receiver who can travel with the ball after he snags it.

The Kentucky freshman is the last of what might be called the Mayo football dynasty hereabouts—for the present, anyway. He followed on the team here his brother, Henry Louis, and his cousins, Harkney, Dick and Porter Mayo, Jr.—all brilliant backfield stars.

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Garrett high school was the Floyd county pioneer in this field, two or three years ago, but the course now is being taught in this county only in the Prestonsburg school. County Superintendent Virgil O. Turner said this week the other schools are being readied for participation in a highway safety program but added that not less than five automobiles, equipped with dual controls, must first be made available before a course such as is being carried out at Prestonsburg high school can be offered as a countywide project. Even with that number of cars, he said, only about half the nine high schools in the county could have classes going at one time.

Here, the course, "Drivers Education and Training," which is provided by the Department of Education, is taught. It covers classroom lectures, eight hours of behind-the-wheel training for each senior and the showing of films stressing safety.

Two textbooks recommended by the State Department, "Sportmanlike Driving" and "Man and the Motor Car," are used. Using an auto which the Music Motor Company here provided, and which has dual controls, Mr. Frazier takes out driving three seniors at a time. One drives the car; the other two are in the back seat—not as back-seat drivers but as students of the game.

"Our objective," Mr. Frazier said, "is to train every senior." Each member of the class earns one-half credit through work in this course, and only seniors are admitted for training.

LICENSES ON SALE  
County Clerk DuRan Moore announced today (Thursday) that 1953 automobile and truck licenses are now on sale.

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**Dr. Offen Heads Staff Of Hospital at Virgie**

Dr. J. Allen Offen has resigned his place on the staff of Our Lady of the Way Hospital to accept the position of chief of staff at Community Memorial Hospital, Virgie, Ky. He assumed his new duties, Dec. 1.

**PRICE THEATRE**

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FRIDAY, 7 p.m.—  
"Lure of the Wilderness"  
Jean Peters, Jeffrey Hunter.

SAT., 7 p.m.—Double Feature—  
"Fearless Fagan"  
Janet Leigh, Carleton Carpenter.

"Man of the Street"  
Randolph Scott.

SUNDAY, 2 p.m. and 7 p.m.—  
"I Dream of Jeanie"  
Ray Middleton, Muriel Lawrence.

TUES., 7 p.m.—Double Feature—  
"Rough, Tough West"  
Chas. Starrett, Smiley Burnette.

"To Have or Have Not"  
Humphrey Bogart, Lauren Bacall.

WEDNESDAY, 7 p.m.—  
"Paula"  
Loretta Young, Kent Smith.

COMING FRI., DEC. 12—  
"WAC from Walla Walla"  
Judy Canova, Stephen Dunne.

COMING SUN., DEC. 14—  
"What Price Glory"  
James Cagney, Dan Dalley.

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FRIDAY—  
"Voodoo Tiger"  
Johnny Weismuller, Jean Bryon, James Seay.

"Let's Dance"  
Betty Hutton, Fred Astaire, Robert Young.

SATURDAY—  
"The Lemon Drop Kid"  
Bob Hope, Lloyd Nolan, Marilyn Maxwell.

"Blue Canadian Rockies"  
Gene Autry, Gail Davis, Pat Buttram.

LATE OR LAST SHOW—  
"The Lemon Drop Kid"  
Marilyn Maxwell, Robert Hope.

SUNDAY-MONDAY—  
"Battle Zone"  
John Hodiak, Stephen McNally, Linda Christian.

"Blasting out of Korea's front lines. See front line action taken right up front in Korea.

TUESDAY—  
"Tripoli"  
Maureen O'Hara, John Payne.

WED.-THURS.—  
"Eight Iron Men"  
Bonar Colleano, Arthur Franz, Lee Marvin.

**David Girl Scout Meet Hears Regional Report; Plan Building at Lake**

The four representatives of the Sandy Valley Council of Girl Scouts who went to the Kenova region convention held Nov. 8, 9, 10 at Huntington, reported to the regular monthly board meeting of the Council held at David, Nov. 25.

Three of the representatives, Virginia Hatcher, Marie Summerville and Barbara Goddard were from Pikeville. Ada Parker, the lone Floyd representative, was from Wheelwright.

Gist of the report was statistical and stated that 158,000 Girl Scouts were enrolled in the region of Kenova, with 7,000,000 in the United States. They informed the David meeting that there were 7,000 lone troops in the United States and 22 districts without executives.

One representative said: "National aim is to have every troop in a council and that redistricting be done so that troops may be in close contact with each other, thus making it more convenient to operate. In addition there should be an executive for every district."

Mrs. Ray Howard, who was at the board meeting, stated that a part of the report included a resume of the speech of Mrs. Mary Lawrence, niece of Juliette Lowe, who founded the Girl Scouts. The next Kenova regional convention will be held at Dayton, Ohio, in Oct., 1954.

William Crawford, permanent camp chairman, reported that contractors had estimated prices for the construction of the main building at Dewey Lane camp site and that the work would begin early in spring.

One Scout executive said that the construction of this building would give Girl Scouts, especially Senior Scouts, a better opportunity to advance in the work.

Mrs. Ray Allen, of Martin, reported the organization of Brownie Troop No. 7, there and that trays favors for the hospitals at Thanksgiving were made.

The next board meeting will be held at the home of R. V. May, Prestonsburg, in January.

**DRIFT THEATRE**

DRIFT, KY.

FRIDAY, 7 p.m.—  
"Bright Victory"  
Arthur Kennedy, Peggy Dow.

SAT., 7 p.m.—Double Feature—  
"Jungle Jim, Forbidden Land"  
Johnny Weismuller.

"The First Time"  
Robert Cummings, Barbara Hale.

SATURDAY, 10 p.m.—  
"Red Ball Express"  
(War Picture)  
Jeff Chandler, Alex Nicol.

SUNDAY, 1 and 7 p.m.—  
"Don't Bother To Knock"  
Richard Widmark, Marilyn Monroe.

MONDAY, 7 p.m.—  
"Red Ball Express"  
Jeff Chandler, Alex Nicol.

TUES.-WED., 7 p.m.—  
"Flesh and Fury"  
Tony Curtis, Joan Sterling.

THURS.-FRI., 7 p.m.—  
"Just Across the Street"  
Ann Sheridan, John Lund.

**Pneumonia Claims Langley Woman, 76, At Mar'in Hospital**

Mrs. Daisy Dudley, 76, of Langley, died at the Beaver Valley hospital, Dec. 3, of pneumonia.

She was the daughter of Ben and Jane Smith, of Knott county, and was the wife of Ballard Dudley. They resided on Turkey Creek.

Surviving besides the husband are the following sons and daughters: James Branham, of Eastern, a son by a former marriage; Maynard Dudley, New London, Ohio; Forest Dudley, Martin; Edward Dudley, Langley; Mrs. Pearlie Martin, Mousie; Mrs. Anna Stone, no address; Mrs. Sabrea Stone, Elgin, Ohio.

Surviving also are Johnnie Smith, of Florida, a brother, and Mrs. Susan Osborne, of Shelbyville, a sister.

Funeral rites will be conducted Friday, at 10 a.m., at the home on Turkey Creek, the Rev. M. C. Wright officiating. Burial will follow in the Hayes cemetery under direction of the Turner Funeral Home.

**Conley Wins Round 1 At Pikeville Friday In Oratorical Contest**

Franklin Conley, the Prestonsburg high school senior who is Kentucky's Youth Governor, last Friday won the district phase of the national contest, "I Speak for Democracy," which is sponsored by Junior Chamber of Commerce over the nation.

Conley's recorded speech on the subject will go to Louisville for regional competition. If he wins in Louisville he will go to Washington for the national finals and to take part in the Voice of America program.

The district contest was held at Pikeville under auspices of the Pikeville Junior Chamber. Young Conley and other contestants were guests of the Junior Chamber of Commerce and the Pikeville Kiwanis Club at their joint luncheon meeting.

Twelve 4-H'ers from Scott and Bourbon counties sold 23 fat calves for \$7,312 at a show and sale at Paris.

**Knott Woman, Kin Of Floyd Residents, Succumbs At Mousie**

Mrs. Susie Hall, 69 years old, wife of Frank Hall, of Mousie, died at her home there Nov. 20. She had been in declining health for some time.

Mrs. Hall was a native of Dickinson county, Va., and had lived at Mousie for years. She was a member of the Big Branch Regular Baptist Church from which services were conducted at 10 a.m., Nov. 23. Ministers officiating in the service were Charlie Cornett, Coy Combs and Bert Howard. Burial was made in the Campbell cemetery at Mousie.

Besides her husband she is survived by four daughters, Mrs. May Moore, Columbus, O., Mrs. Lula Ratliff, Wheelwright, Mrs. Ethel Hays, Mousie, and Mary Jane Hall; five sons, Steve Hall, Pikeville, John Hall, Wayland, Elmer Hall, Columbus, O., Everett Hall, Columbus, O., and Bill Hall, Mousie. There are 38 surviving grandchildren and five great-grandchildren.

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all of the masonry work on the building has been let to Dave Patton, Prestonsburg contractor. Local labor will be used on the building, and as much of its materials as possible will be bought locally, Mr. Spurlick said.

Levelling of the structure occupying the bank site has caused a lot of moving in that vicinity. Moore's Barber Shop has moved across the street to a new building owned by H. D. Fitzpatrick; Worland's to a part of the Harkins building opposite the courthouse, a part of which is now occupied by Halstead's Shoe Shop; and the Mission Store to the building formerly occupied by Halstead.

**THANKS CHURCH**  
I wish to express for myself, those who work with me and for prisoners at the county jail thanks to the Allen Baptist Church for the visit on Thanksgiving Day and services held at the jail.—Guy Horn, Jailer.

**STRAND THEATRE**  
PRESTONSBURG, KY.

FRI.-SAT., DEC. 5-6—  
"Rodeo King and the Senorita"  
Rex Allen, Mary Ellen Kay, Koko the Miracle Horse of the movies.

"Lady in the Iron Mask"  
Louis Hayward, Patricia Medina.

"Mister Bigs"  
Donald O'Connor, Gloria Jean, Peggy Ryan.

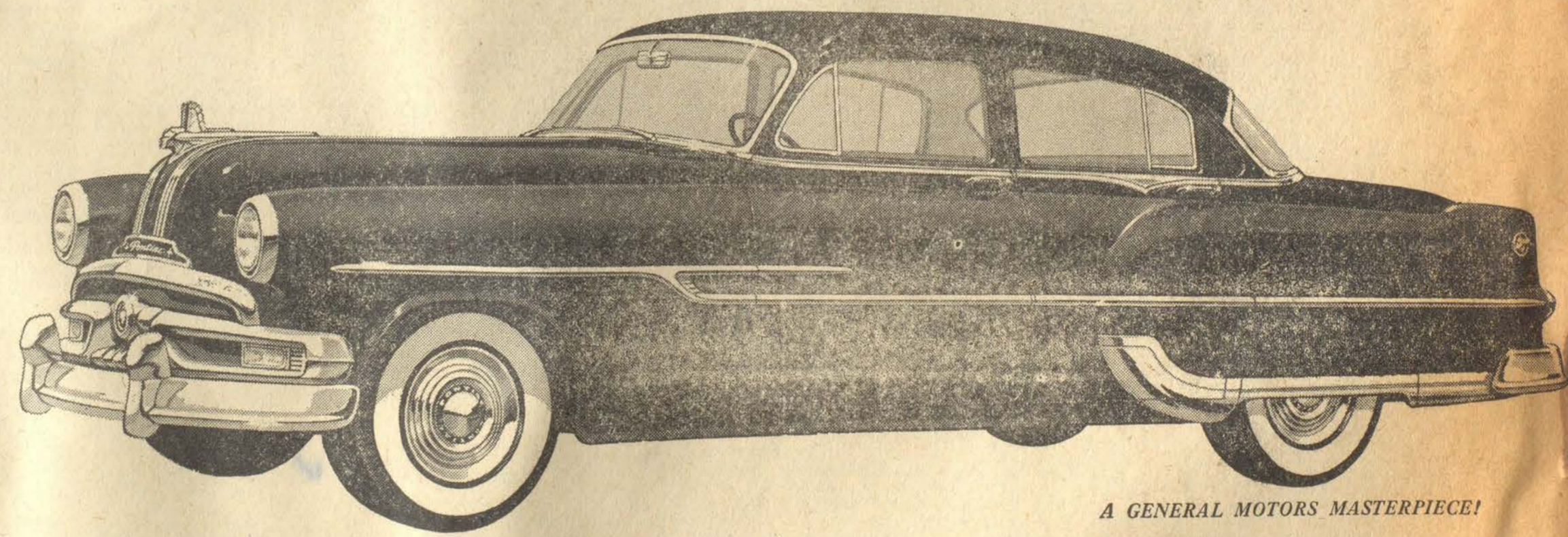
SUNDAY-MONDAY—  
"Snows of Kilimanjaro"  
Gregory Peck, Susan Hayward, Ava Gardner.  
News and Comedy.  
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TUESDAY-WEDNESDAY—  
"Outcast of Poker Flats"  
Dale Robinson, Anne Baxter, Miriam Hopkins.

THURSDAY—  
"When in Rome"  
Van Johnson, Paul Douglas, J. Calleja.

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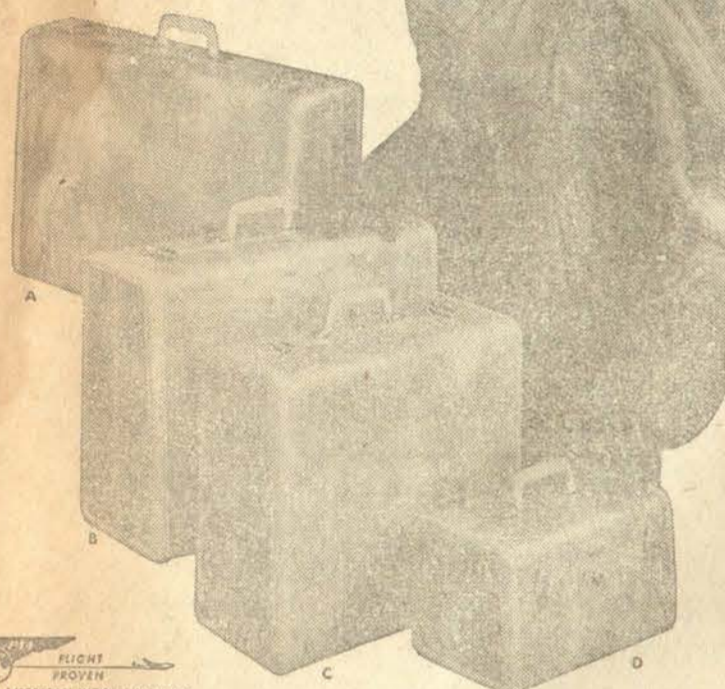
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and spare not, and let some of Floyd  
county's educators or prophets name  
a bird for me.

No man need not curse me, for the  
birds and spiders talk and write  
what is going on. At 5 o'clock  
Thanksgiving morning a bird flew  
under my prayer sign, alighted on  
my door and I took it in my left  
hand and it died almost suddenly. It  
was red, white and blue—red bill and  
red crown.

On my porch I keep a flag, a  
white Bible, an emblem of two blue  
doves; a rod, a sign for any one to  
know I am the Lord's free  
woman. And it is time for Bible  
readers and leaders to get the  
beams out of their eyes before they  
try to run me out of my home by  
smoke, filth, harlots, drunkards,  
army deserters, child deserters and  
money-loving men.

Birds carrying a message: Eccles-  
iastes 10th chap., 20th verse: Curse  
not the king, no, not in thy thought  
and curse not the rich in thy bed-  
chamber, for a bird of the air shall  
carry the voice and that which hath  
wings shall tell the matter.

When I was working for Judge  
Bert T. Combs' sure election two  
birds brought me a message. Three  
days before Levi Hall was murdered  
a spider wrote war, and murder on  
my gate in 1937 and war was de-  
clared Dec. 7, 1941.

I lost a son in the war in 1945. So  
you see God warns His people. All I  
do or say to help any one is free and  
all it costs any one to read my ar-  
ticles is their time and it is their  
free choice—read or not to read.

I want my hands clean, my heart  
pure. I pray day and night for lead-  
ers and all in authority, that we  
might live a quiet, peaceable life.  
With men things are impossible but  
with God all things are possible.

Danger of following men: Acts 5th  
chap., 37th verse: After this man  
rose up judges of Galilee in days of  
taxing and drew away much people  
after him; he also perished and all  
even as many as obey him was dis-  
persed. 38th verse: Now I say unto  
you, refrain from these men and let  
them alone, for if this counsel or  
this work be of men it will come to  
naught. 39th verse: But if it be of  
God you cannot overthrow it; lest  
happily you be found to fight against  
God.

Sincerely and prayerfully,  
EVA MEADE HALL

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Approximately 40 percent of the  
tobacco in Wolfe county was frozen  
due to delayed maturity as a result  
of the drought.

A county-wide campaign for the  
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### Legion Post Elects New Service Officer; District Meet Stated

Former County Clerk Jarvis  
Allen was elected service officer of  
Floyd Post 123, American Legion,  
at the Post meeting Monday night.  
He was elected to fill the vacancy  
created by the recent death of John  
P. Auxier.

Legionnaires were told at Mon-  
day night's meeting of plans for a  
membership drive and of the district  
Legion meeting which will be held  
at Martin Saturday and Sunday,  
Dec. 13 and 14.

The Martin meeting will be at-  
tended, it was said here, by Harry  
Hansbrough, Louisville, commander  
of the Kentucky Department, and  
by Tom Hayden, adjutant.

Several farms in Hardin county  
are asking for information on irri-  
gation of tobacco, alfalfa and other  
crops.

### BRAINARD

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Watson and  
son, of Newburgh, Ind., and Ray  
Risley were Friday guests of her  
parents, Mr. and Mrs. Earn Salyers.  
Earn Salyers, Clayton Watson,  
and Ray Risley were shopping in  
Huntington, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Michel Whitaker and  
family are visiting her mother and  
brother before he leaves for the  
army.

Friends are sorry to see Willie  
Spradlin go to service.

Fairy Dean Bailey, Orben Bailey,  
and Clayton Watson are visiting  
friends at Elsie, Ky.

Mr. and Mrs. Earn Salyer attended  
church at Stephens Branch, Thank-  
sgiving day.

### SGT. SMOCK ASSIGNED

Fort Sam Houston, Texas—Sgt.  
Lank D. Smock, of Prestonsburg, Ky.,  
has been assigned to Brooke Army  
Medical Center as a military police-  
man. Smock served in Europe prior  
to his coming to B.M.A.M.

### PRICE

Mrs. Morgan Bridgeman, of North  
Carolina, was visiting her daughter,  
Mrs. James Frazier, here this week-  
end.

Pvt. Gene Patton, of Fort Knox,  
was visiting his wife, Mrs. Grace  
Little Patton, during the Thank-  
sgiving holiday.

Mrs. Omery Hall and children vis-  
ited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. J.  
Gearheart, over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Arpie Frazier were  
Thanksgiving dinner guests of Mr.  
and Mrs. Raymond Langley.

Mr. and Mrs. Ecel Hicks are vis-  
iting at Sizemore.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy D. Gearheart  
and L. G. Frazier were visiting in  
Salem, Va., over the week-end.

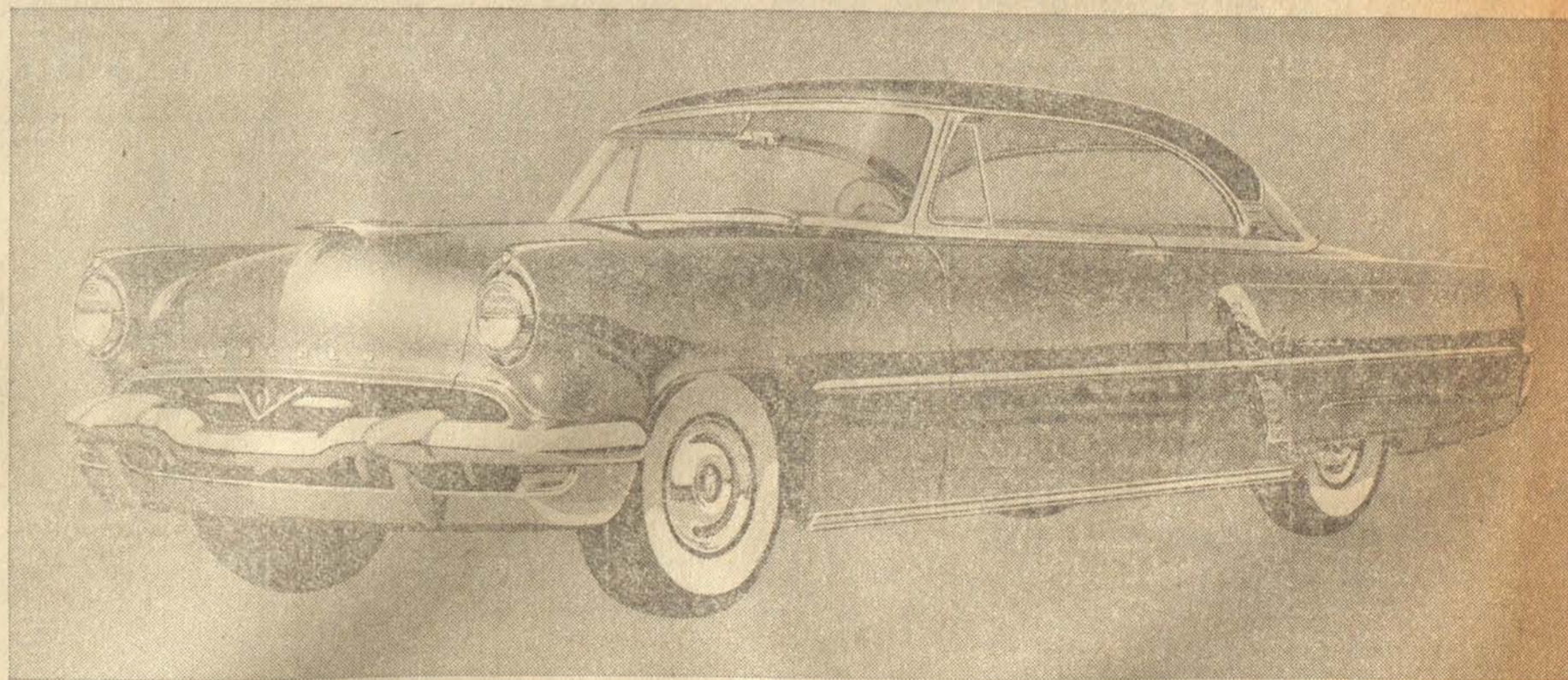
### SEAMAN BRANHAM SERVING

William Branham, Jr., seaman,  
USN, son of Mrs. Willie Branham,  
of Harold, is serving aboard the  
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freshment-Training Cruise in the  
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## Ky. School Enrollment 60,101 Less Than Census, Director Ward Reports

Frankfort, Ky., Nov. 14 (Spl).—Public, private and parochial school enrollment in elementary and high schools totaled 622,229 at the close of September—or 60,101 fewer than the whole number included on the school census rolls—it was reported today by C. T. Ward, director of Census and Attendance of the State Department of Education.

Teachers in these schools aggregate 21,976, an average of less than 30 pupils for each teacher.

The school census includes all children from 6 to 17, inclusive, while the compulsory school age ceases at 16. Ward explained that a number of the children not in school had passed compulsory school age, others had married and that some few had not reached the enrollment age of seven.

The official figures released by Ward showed that public schools had 425,844 children enrolled in elementary grades and 133,871 in high schools; while private schools had 6,112 elementary pupils, 8,837 in high schools. Parochial schools listed 38,939 elementary pupils and 4,462 high school pupils, while state supported College Training institutions listed 1,258 elementary pupils and 1,368 high school children. Other state supported institutions listed 1,210 elementary and 328 high school pupils.

Teachers were listed in these categories:

Public schools, 19,670; private schools, 824; parochial, 1,238; state supported college training schools, 126, and other state-supported schools, 118.

## MAYTOWN

Rev. and Mrs. W. F. Sharpe and sons spent the Thanksgiving holidays with his family at Columbus, Ky.

Miss Betty May, student nurse at Good Samaritan Hospital, Lexington, spent Thanksgiving with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry L. May.

Kathy Patton, small daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Patton, underwent a tonsillectomy at the Paintsville Hospital last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Roger Turner and small daughter have moved into the apartment over the Turner Funeral Home at Martin.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Allen and children, of Prestonsburg were the overnight guests of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Hopson, Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ned May and children, of Detroit, spent the holiday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry L. May. They were enroute to Vero Beach, Florida where they will spend a week's vacation. They were accompanied to Florida, by Mrs. Henry L. May and Mrs. Arnold Cassidy. Mrs. Cassidy will visit her daughter, Mrs. Curtis Allen, and Mr. Allen, of Dayton Beach.

Mrs. Lucy Patton and family have moved into the H. B. Shepherd house.

Mrs. U. S. Allen is recuperating from a major operation performed recently at the Stumbo Memorial Hospital. Mr. and Mrs. Edgel Allen and children and Agnes Allen, all of Michigan, and Mrs. Stewart Hawkins and daughter, of Sidney, Ohio, came home to be with their mother during her illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Hayes and children, of Michigan, spent the holidays with his mother, Mrs. J. C. Hayes, and other relatives.

Mrs. Wesley Nipp and daughter, Marquette, of Grayson, Ky., spent Thanksgiving with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Cassidy. Mr. and Mrs. Cassidy also had as their houseguests Thanksgiving week, Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Maynard, of Dearborn, Michigan.

Mrs. Joe T. Begley and daughter, Janie, of Boldman, are spending the week with Mrs. Amy Begley. Mrs. Begley is confined to her home while recuperating from a recent illness.

Mrs. Hugh Rowland, Jim S. Click, Mrs. Ballard Dudley, Roger Stewart and Mrs. Catherine Patton were patients in the Beaver Valley Hospital last week.

Sincere sympathy is extended to Mr. and Mrs. Fred Caudill, of Eastern, whose daughter was fatally burned last week. She was a member of the sixth grade in the Maytown school and will be greatly missed by her classmates.

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Evening worship, 7 p.m.  
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## Oldsters May Earn More And Retain S.S. Benefits

Persons receiving old-age and survivors insurance benefits can now earn as much as \$75 a month without losing their benefits, according to Tommy Thompson, of the Pikeville office of the Social Security Administration.

The amount of wages a person getting benefits is permitted to earn in a month without losing his payment was raised from \$50 to \$75, effective Sept. 1. In case a beneficiary is self-employed, he can accept his benefit checks if his net earnings from self-employment do not average more than \$75 a month; that is, more than \$900 for his taxable year. Beneficiaries who work in employment not covered by the Social Security Act, and those who have reached the age of 75 may cash their checks regardless of how much they earn.

Thompson pointed out that this "work clause" applies not only to the retired worker, but also to his wife, child, or parent who is receiving benefits based on the social security account of a retired or deceased worker. Any beneficiary who is working for wages should notify the Social Security Administration promptly if he earns over \$75 in one month. A self-employed beneficiary should notify the Administration as soon as he sees that his net earnings are likely to average more than \$75 a month for the taxable year.

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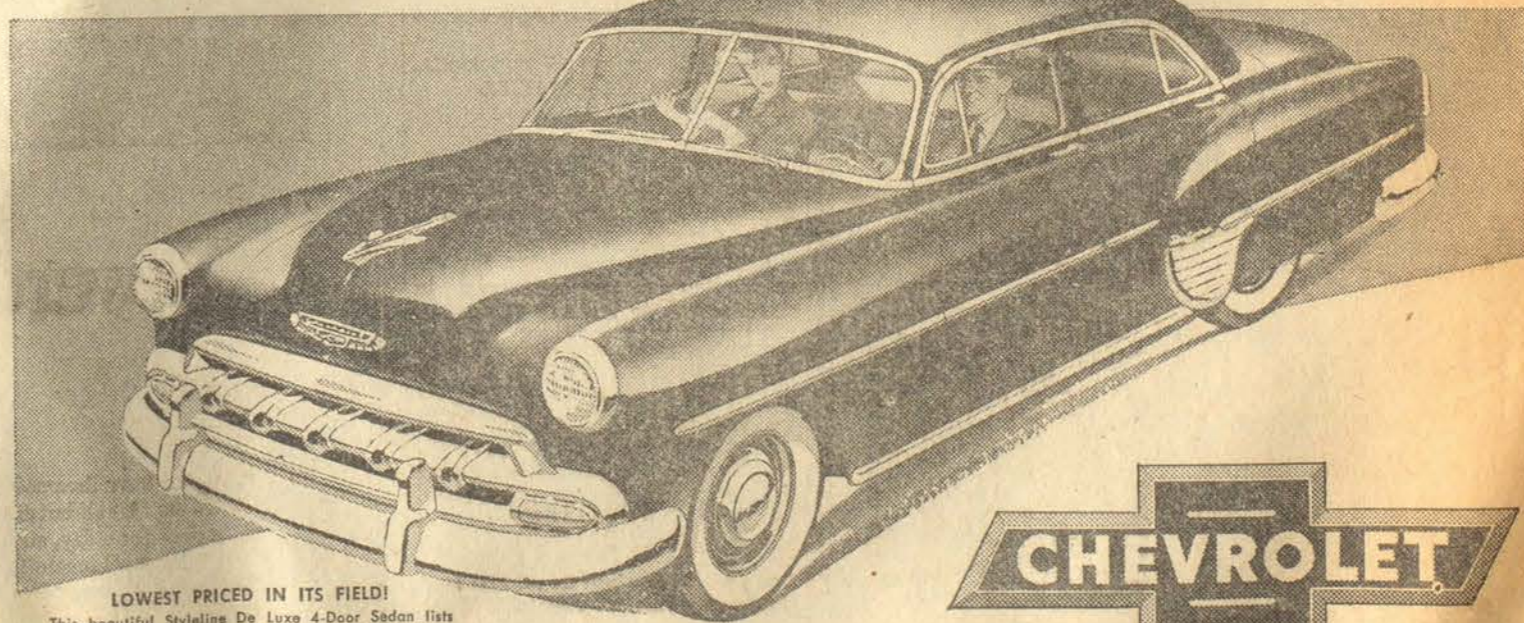
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### IT'S A GOOD WORLD

BY WILMAY

It was a joy this past week to hear Lt. Castle, former student of Wayland high, in chapel. He made a splendid talk. The pupils were advised to study, to do a thorough job of learning while there is time. He also cautioned the boys against playing cards and fooling with liquor, the downfall of many men and boys. Only recently, a young minister expressed himself against the beer our army furnishes men in the service. And the Sunday Herald-Advertiser contained a letter from Luther Smith, of the Second division. He candidly stated that the part of the army he is in is nothing but a lot of drunks. Too many make similar admissions.

Beer for servicemen leaves its mark on the taxpayers' bank accounts' too, though that is the cheapest part of the deal. Its effect on young lives is of more importance. Such corruption helps explain why a number of voters crossed the lines recently, with a hope that matters might improve, since many believe they cannot become worse.

The correct example: Last weekend, when more paceset pictures were made on the grounds for spring issues of magazines going to press soon, a friend came with everything needed for her scenes. She had a box filled with the necessities. She knew what it took and had it, and keeps it all together at home. She is a fastidious person. Her home is immaculately kept. She is one of the most attractive women in the county. Promptness is a part of her character. Dependability is another trait. She does what she agrees to do and does it exceptionally well, never letting down anyone.

She takes the pageant seriously, and her part in it will be successful to the nth degree, for this reason alone. "I do not lend my things to everyone," she remarked, "for some folks just won't take care of anything, and others will not return what they borrow."

Here is a pattern we all may well afford to imitate. Hers is a philosophy the world needs. Carelessness and delay are always costly. Organization and thoroughness are priceless.

We hang our heads in shame over the incident in Tupelo, Miss. Time will prove if the editor is correct in thinking the act was in protest against the paper for its articles. Yes, or may, the South still has plenty of persons who detest the Yankees, and are too uninformed to realize that the prejudice following the War Between the States has handicapped our section ever since.

"To err is human; to forgive is divine." It hurts to see fellow-citizens and friends still despise the name of Lincoln. He happens to be our favorite president of all time. We owe him a debt for preserving the union, else we ourselves would have seen incessant conflict on these shores all these years.

Aren't kids the limit? One youngster who fell below F in his English the last six weeks seemed hopeless. In fact, we thought he might not be capable of doing better, as he is a quiet sort. But his written work since then has ranged from 77 to 85, and, believe it or not, that boy made a round 90 on his examination last week. It was obvious that he was trying at last, and it actually paid off, too. This proves what effort can do, and should be a lesson to teachers who brag about not grading their papers, but guessing at grades instead! It is also a point parents may remember when Sonny falls quite low. Systematic homework and study can do the trick unless the little darling is dumb. Fortunately, few kids are.

It would take the whole paper to comment on the Town Hall meeting Ashland held. It is a step in the right direction for Eastern Kentucky. The sixty-four-dollar question is: How many of us are willing to pay the price to get our section on the map to stay, to attract industries, etc? Words are not sufficient. If every citizen were like me, what kind would there be?

#### To Property Owners

Kentucky law requires all property owners to list for taxation any property they own. If you have acquired property, it is your duty under this law to list same with the Floyd County Tax Commissioner at once, so that your property will be properly listed for the 1953 assessment.

If there has been no change in your assessment, you may ignore this notice. If I can be of further assistance to you, do not hesitate to call on me.

CLIVE AKERS  
Tax Commissioner,  
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11-27-104.

TIMES WANT ADS PAY—

#### HONOR MRS. ANDERSON

A surprise birthday shower was given for Mrs. Robert L. Anderson Saturday evening, Nov. 22. The event was sponsored by the Woman's Society of Christian Service of the Vogel-Day and Betsy Layne Methodist Churches and was held in the basement of the Vogel-Day church. Some 60 women from the two churches and communities gathered for the occasion. Many beautiful gifts were presented to the minister's wife, along with a candle-light birthday cake. While the women were at the church some of the men were busy at the parsonage in Betsy Layne laying new linoleum on the kitchen floor. Several of the women accompanied Mrs. Anderson to the parsonage after the shower to witness the presentation of the surprise gift there.

#### AIRMAN ROWE REPORTS

Airman Third Class Marcena J. Rowe, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Rowe, of Prestonsburg, recently reported for duty with the 650th Headquarters Support Group, expediting organization for the Air Research and Development Command, with headquarters in Baltimore, Md.

A/3c Rowe, a 1948 graduate of Prestonsburg high school, enlisted in the WAS's Jan. 31, 1952, took her basic training at Lackland Air Force Base, San Antonio, Texas, and attended an Air Force Clerk-Typist School at Oklahoma A&M College prior to her assignment to ARDC.

#### CORN CHAMPION BOWS TO SISTER

Cledith Rowe, the Magoffin county 4-H Club boy who had the world's record corn yield in 1951, bowed to his sister, Lula, this year. She produced 151.5 bushels of corn on an acre, while Cledith's acre made 145 bushels.

County Agent Prichard King, of the University of Kentucky, says Cledith probably planted his corn too thick. There were 25,497 stalks on his acre. Lula's had only 19,336 stalks.

Both Cledith and Lula Rowe fertilized their corn heavily, which County Agent King believes helped to resist the drouth. King noted that most 4-H'ers entered the corn derby failed to have good yields, due in most cases to poor fertility, than stands and drouth.

Cledith Rowe last year produced 233 bushels of corn on an acre, the highest yield in the nation.

#### POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

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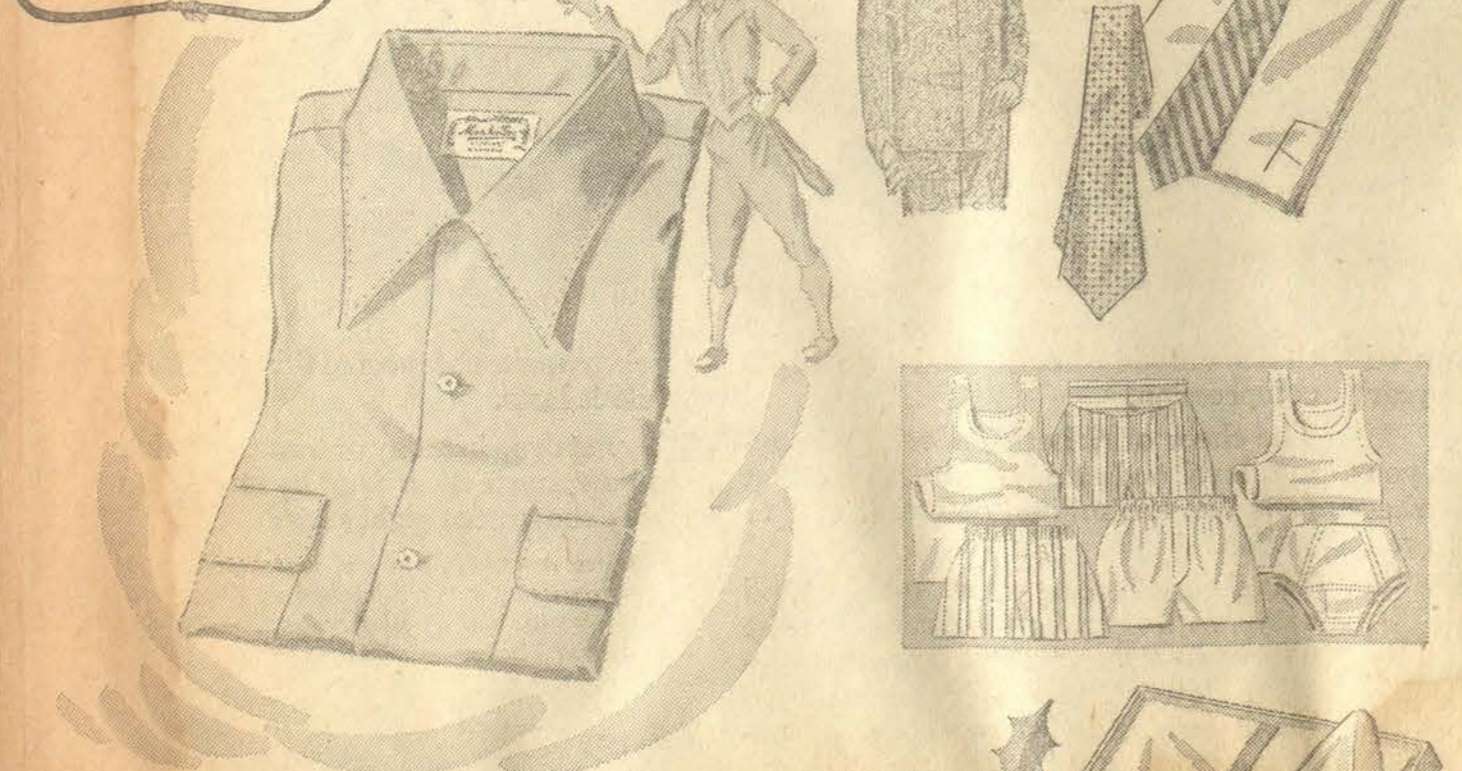
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## LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

### SOLDIER WANTS LETTERS

Editor, The Times:  
I am a lonely, young soldier in Korea. I have no one at home to write to me. Almost all of my buddies have been wounded or aren't with me any longer; consequently I am very lonely. One of them who is still here told me to write my home-town paper and they may put a little ad or something in the paper.

It gets pretty discouraging to go on patrols and go through all this hell over here and never have mail to look forward to. I don't have a picture or I would send one along with this. I am 21 years old, six feet tall and weigh about 185 pounds. Would like to hear from some of your feminine readers or anyone who has the time to write. It gets pretty tiresome eating these "C" rations and stuff, and it will be a long, cold winter over here, and I think a little mail might help pass the time for me. Any help you can give me on this will be appreciated.

Yours truly,  
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## DAVID

Robert Fitzpatrick, son of Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Fitzpatrick, and Barbara Thompson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Thompson, were united in marriage, Saturday morning of last week, at 11 o'clock, at the David Community Church, by the Pastor, Rev. J. E. Durham.

Don Tussey, of Dock, Ky., and Margaret Mae Shepherd, of Goodloe, Ky., were united in marriage, at Martin, Saturday, Nov. 29, by Rev. Bill Flannery.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Prater and daughter, of Wayland, were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Earl Dawson, here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Dixon and family, were visiting relatives at Magoffin, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Therman Clark and son, of Auxier, were visiting Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Wilson, here Sunday.

Mr. Fred Mullett, who has been ill in the Prestonsburg General hospital, has returned to her home some better.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Stambaugh and family, were visiting relatives in Wayland, last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Clay were shopping in Huntington, last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Shepherd, of Fort Wayne, Ind., were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Willie Nelson, recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Eano Van Gelder have as their guests this week, his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Van Gelder, of Washington, D. C.

Mrs. Bessie Arnett, of Arthurville, Ky., is still in the Prestonsburg General hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Macon, of Segro, North Carolina, were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Garland Hall, last weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Francis Harmon and family spent the week-end in Dayton, Ohio, with Mr. and Mrs. Paul Ables, and Mr. and Mrs. Bennie Hofman.

Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Griffith and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Clay were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Griffith, here Sunday.

Oscar Allen, of Findlay, Ohio, was visiting Mr. and Mrs. Harry Prater here last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Wells were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Walter Ward here, Friday of last week.

The Church is the foundation of our civilization. If our churches fail, our Nation will perish. What are you doing to help the churches? Start going to church now before it is too late. You are always welcome at the David Community Church. Services every Sunday night, seven o'clock.

### Pharmacists Hear Drug Traffic Law Purpose Explained

Twenty-five pharmacists from the Ashland area recently heard Mrs. Sarah Vance Dugan, Director, Division of Foods, Drugs and Hotels, discuss Kentucky's new barbiturate law at a meeting of the Seventh District Druggists Association.

Mrs. Dugan explained the purpose behind the law and, with Lawrence Biemer, of the Division of Public Health Education, answered questions about its function and enforcement. A joint meeting of physicians, nurses and pharmacists was suggested to help make clear how cooperation among these professional people can assist in compliance with the law.

According to Mrs. Dugan, a number of investigations, arrests and convictions in narcotic and barbiturate cases are resulting from close cooperation of the State Department of Health's new Narcotic Control Section, federal narcotic agents and local police.

Recent actions include the arrest and conviction in Louisville of Frank E. Janos, "doctor" of naturopathy, after authorities seized a narcotic and barbiturate cache worth several thousand dollars. Much of it represented loot from burglaries over the state. Janos received a four-year prison term in federal court on a narcotics charge and a one-year concurrent jail sentence for illegal possession of barbiturates under the state barbiturate law.

In another case, an itinerant worker, found unconscious in a Louisville bus station, was charged with illegal possession of barbiturates after 1,000 phenobarbital tablets, not covered by a prescription, were found in his luggage. He said he had been selling the tablets for \$1 each. In police court he was fined and placed under a \$1,000 peace bond and released into the custody of his father on condition that he return to his home state.

More recently in Louisville, a pharmacist was arrested, who, narcotic control inspectors said, sold sleeping pills to a woman on several occasions. He received a \$300 fine. A 26-year-old woman was held to the grand jury on a charge that she gave a false statement to a physician to obtain narcotics.

"Continued cooperation and vigilance by local police, federal agents and our own narcotics investigators should go far to control illegal traffic in narcotics in our state," Mrs. Dugan said.

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Millions of World War II veterans who hold five-year or 8-year GI term life insurance still may convert to permanent plans of GI insurance with guaranteed values that term policies do not have.

VA said no law has been passed by the Congress which takes away or otherwise limits the right to convert from term to permanent plans of NSLI.

The only GI life insurance which may not be converted under present laws is the special 5-year nonconvertible term policy that is issuable to veterans with service since June 27, 1950, the start of the Korean hostilities.

This insurance is provided under the Servicemen's Indemnity and Insurance Acts of 1951, otherwise known as Public Law 23, 82nd Congress, which also indemnifies servicemen against death up to \$10,000, less any other GI life insurance in force.

The conversion rights of NSLI were not affected by this law.

Therefore, nearly 5,000,000 NSLI term policies, with a face value of \$38.6 billion, which are now in force by payment or by waiver of premium, may be converted to one or more of the six permanent plans of NSLI—ordinary life, 20-pay life, 30-pay life, and three endowment plans.

These policies may be converted upon application to VA at any time before the period term expire. No physical examination is required, but the veteran must pay the first premium of the converted policy with his application.

Other millions of NSLI term policies, which have been permitted to lapse for non-payment of premiums when due, also may be reinstated and converted upon application to VA before their term expire. Two monthly premiums are required with such application—one for the grace month of coverage after lapse of the term policy and the other for the first monthly premium on the new converted policy. A physical examination also is required if the term policy has been lapsed three months or longer.

Term policies provide only coverage against death. Moreover, if veterans wish to retain this type of insurance, they must renew their policies every five years at progressively higher rates, based on the attained age at the time of renewal.

In the older age brackets when the earning capacity of the veteran usually begins to decline, the premium rates for term NSLI are almost prohibitive. Permanent plan policies, on the other hand, are payable at the same premium throughout the premium-paying life of the policy. And they have guaranteed values which term policies do not.

Those guaranteed values, which are available to veterans after premiums have been paid for one full year, include cash surrender value, policy loan provision, extended term insurance, and reduced paid-up insurance.

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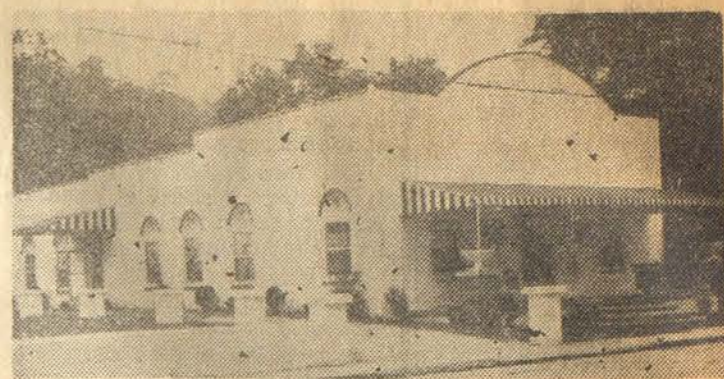
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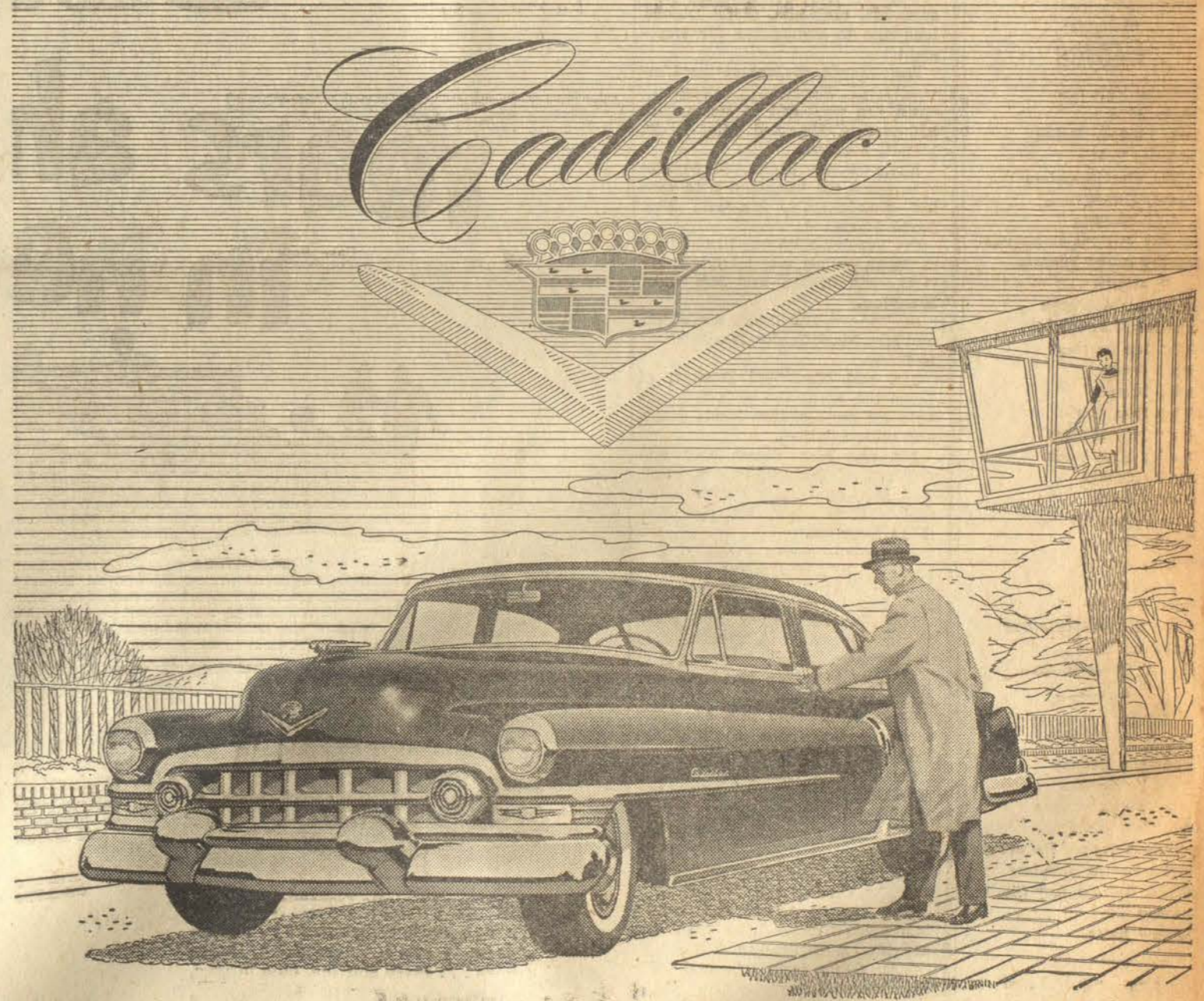
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Lackey, Ky.

**MARTIN**

Lt. James Conn left last week for Camp Stoneman and then Japan. He had spent 30 days at home.

Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Barnett, of Columbia, O., spent the week-end here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Will Barnett.

Marine Cpl. Alroy Click spent the holiday week-end home with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Click. Cpl. Click will get a 15-day leave during New Year's.

Pvt. Donnah Jean Barnett, of the WAC, has spent her first furlough home with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Quince Barnett. She will report to Camp Breckinridge, Ky.

Mrs. Luttral Bentley, of Chelsea, Mich., is spending a few days here with relatives and friends.

Cpl. Roy Ratliff, of the army, is spending a furlough at home. He is looking forward to being discharged in two months.

Bill Skeans, of Detroit, spent the week-end here with his mother, Mrs. Mary Skeans.

Bobby Biliter, of the University of Kentucky, Lexington, spent Thanksgiving at home with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Biliter.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Stapleton and children, of Jenkins, were visiting friends in Martin during the Thanksgiving holiday.

Mrs. Gypsey Collins was the Thanksgiving Day dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Osborne.

Mr. and Mrs. Hillard McKinney and son were Thanksgiving dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Haas Stone.

Mr. and Mrs. Mark McCoy and children, who have been living in Michigan, have moved back here.

Rebecca Roberts spent Thanksgiving week as the guest of her brother, Bill Roberts, and other relatives in Detroit, Mich.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Compton, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Compton, all of Raceland, Ky., were visiting Mrs. Gypsey Collins here during her recent illness. Also here are her sons, Vernon C. Hall, and Mrs. Hall, and Foster Hall, of St. Mary's, Ohio.

Sgt. Dow Smith has sailed from San Francisco for Korea. His wife, Elsie, is staying here with relatives.

Walter Clyde Dingus suffered a broken arm here last week. His parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Dingus, took him to Huntington for treatment.

Jack Mandt, student at the University of Kentucky, Lexington, spent the week-end at home with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Mandt, Manton.

Little Sandy Marrs, of Paintsville, spent the week-end here with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. David Marrs.

Pvt. Tommy Hampton has arrived in Japan on his way to Korea. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Hampton.

Madine Sgt. Bill Taylor, son of Mr. and Mrs. Mack Taylor, is on his way to Korea.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Brickey, of Lexington, spent the week-end here with his mother, Mrs. Mona Mayo, and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Kish and children, of Beckley, W. Va., spent Thanksgiving here with his sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Dermont.

**MAYTOWN**

Mrs. Myrtle Conley and sons, Freddy Douglas and Vernon, were visiting here Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ora Meadows have moved here recently.

Mrs. W. England and daughters spent Friday night at Stephens Branch.

Mr. and Mrs. Adis Click and sons, of St. Mary's, Ohio, were visiting Mr. and Mrs. C. Sturgill and Mrs. Click's mother, Mrs. Dona Click, during the week-end.

Mrs. Dona Click was visiting Mr. and Mrs. Charley Compton, Friday.

Mrs. Vincent Adams and daughters spent Thanksgiving with Mr. and Mrs. Allen Bradley at Manton.

Mrs. Othey Lumpkins and Mrs. Sid Marshall were visiting Mrs. Louis Marshall, late Thanksgiving.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Sturgill, of Eastern, were visiting here Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Stith were visiting Mrs. Ora Meadows, Sunday.

Mrs. Walter England and daughters, Mrs. Ora Meadows and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Stith motored to Eastern, Sunday night.

**CARD OF THANKS**

We wish to express our gratitude to those who helped in any way up to the death of our beloved mother, Mrs. Rebecca Allen; to those who sent flowers, and to the ministers, Rev. Banner Manns and Rev. Burton Howard for their comforting words. We also thank the Carter & Callihan Funeral Home for its efficient service.

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The study disclosed that 42 per cent of the pupils attending public schools are housed in buildings that are overcrowded or obsolete.

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The survey also revealed that to relieve overcrowded conditions there are needed 150 units of 1,138 rooms that would cost \$19,058,650 in the elementary, secondary and combined fields alone. These rooms would accommodate 35,198 pupils.

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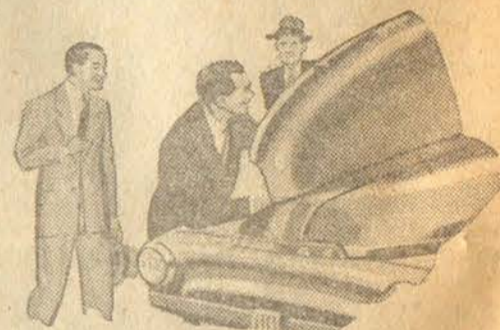
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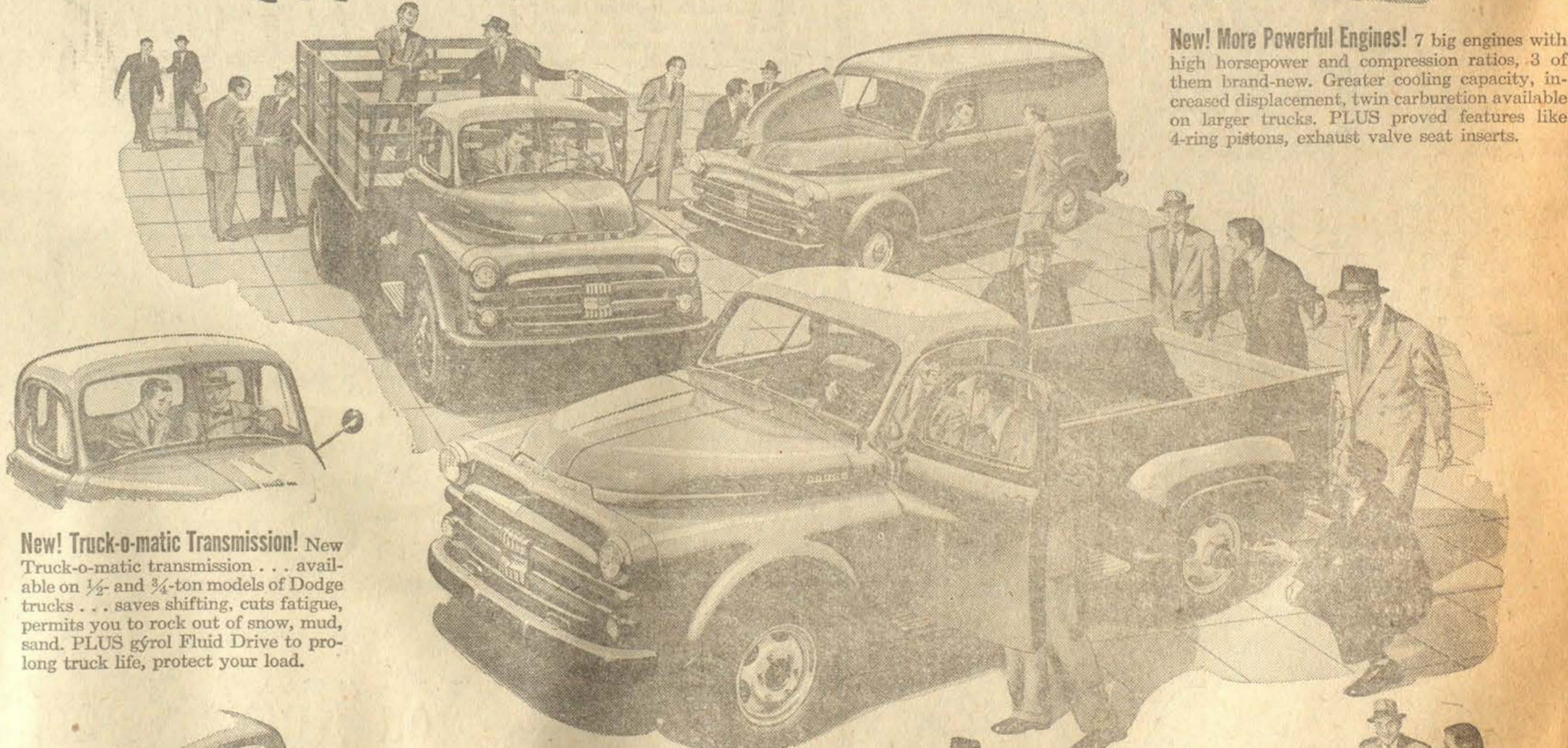
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**Blast Causes Damage To New Boys' Dormitory At Magoffin Institute**

Mountain Valley, Ky., Nov. 26 (Spl.)—A boiler explosion last night did considerable damage to the new boys' dormitory of the Magoffin Baptist Institute here. The blast razed the interior walls and a large section of the front wall, in addition to destroying the furnace. Parts of the furnace were found more than 50 yards from the building.

No one was injured in the explosion which occurred about midnight. The dormitory was still under construction and had been occupied less than three weeks.

D. M. Aldridge, president of Magoffin Baptist Institute, said the building was being erected by free-will contributions. An investigation is being conducted to determine the cause of the explosion.

The Rev. L. W. Benedict, of Prestonsburg, is a trustee of the school.

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**ONE CHURCH!**

By J. VANDER PLOEG

"No, I don't go to church. Why should I? The churches can't even get along with one another. Baptists, Methodists, Presbyterians, Lutherans, Reformed, Christian Reformed, and what have you—think of all these denominations. Why don't they quit fighting one another and all go under one roof? Then a fellow might see some sense in going to church. Don't talk church to me."

Sounds familiar, doesn't it? It may even be that you feel the same way about it.

Now, it will take you less than two minutes to read what I would like to say about this objection to the church.

If you unite with one of these denominations which are truly Christian, you will find that in reality they are one after all. Charles Reade tells of an interesting diagram which he found on a blank page in his grandmother's Bible. It was a circle with several radii or lines running out from the center which was called Christ. Each line bore the name of some Christian denomination. Beneath the circle these words were written: "The nearer to the center, the nearer to one another." What Paul once wrote to the Ephesians is true for all Christians everywhere: "There is one body and one spirit . . . one Lord, one faith, one baptism, one God and Father of all, who is over all, and through all, and in all faith."

Eph. 4:4-6. Please be fair with the church. Even though its members are the children of God, they are still very human. If all Christians were of the same race, instead of being red or yellow, black or white, things might be different. The fact is that they come from different nations and that they speak perhaps a thousand different languages. Besides all this, God's truth is so broad in its scope that none of us do full justice to it.

Different groups look at it from different angles and one may see what the other fails to grasp. Don't understand this to mean that we are now placing all denominations on one level. Naturally, one will be closer to the Bible than another. Our duty is to find what we sincerely believe to be best among these various denominations and then to become an active and faithful member of it.

One more thought: The true church of Jesus Christ, washed in his precious blood, is on the way to heaven. We want you to go along. In heaven the church will be one, not only inwardly as it is now, but also in its outward manifestation. When the roll is called up yonder, will you be there?

Four 4-H Clubs in Calloway county have a membership of 651 boys and girls.

The second annual Rowan County Youth Fair had an estimated attendance of 8,000 persons.

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**TO THE PEOPLE OF FLOYD COUNTY:**

I regret that I have been delayed in expressing to you my sincere appreciation for the loyal support you gave the Democratic ticket at the November election. In explanation for this delay I mention the fact that I underwent surgery in a Huntington, W. Va., hospital and my recovery from that was rather slow.

I am not only indebted to the individual voters who supported our cause but also to all those who worked with me, and to the United Mine Workers of America in particular. I am grateful for their great record of loyal support. I am very proud of Floyd county's record—the second largest Democratic majority in Kentucky.

DOUG HAYS, Chairman  
Floyd County Democratic Campaign Committee

11-pd. In Clark county, a county-wide 4-H club was organized for older boys and girls who had no organized club in their own communities.

**FELLOWSHIP SPONSORS**

The Methodist Men's Fellowship met at the Vogel-Day Methodist Church, Boldman, for its monthly meeting, the evening of Nov. 21. A fried oyster supper was served to members and guests. Kenneth Burcheit, Billy Elkins and Omar Ceell, guests of the Fellowship, presented an enjoyable program of sacred music.

John I. Dean, Scout executive from Pikeville, delivered a talk illustrated by a chart setting forth the basic principles of the Boy Scouts of America. The Fellowship voted to sponsor a Scout troop for the community. Joe Begley was chosen Scoutmaster, with Harry Trimble and Simon Akers, assistant Scoutmasters. A Scout committee, composed of Edgar Layne, Fred Daniel, Donald H. Shoemaker, Hershel Morrison and Rev. Robert L. Anderson, was named. The Fellowship meeting was presided over by Donald H. Shoemaker, vice-president. Russell Wodren, Pikeville, was a guest.

Springs will supply the water for a water system that has been planned on the 500-acre farm of Everett Watson, of Rockcastle county.

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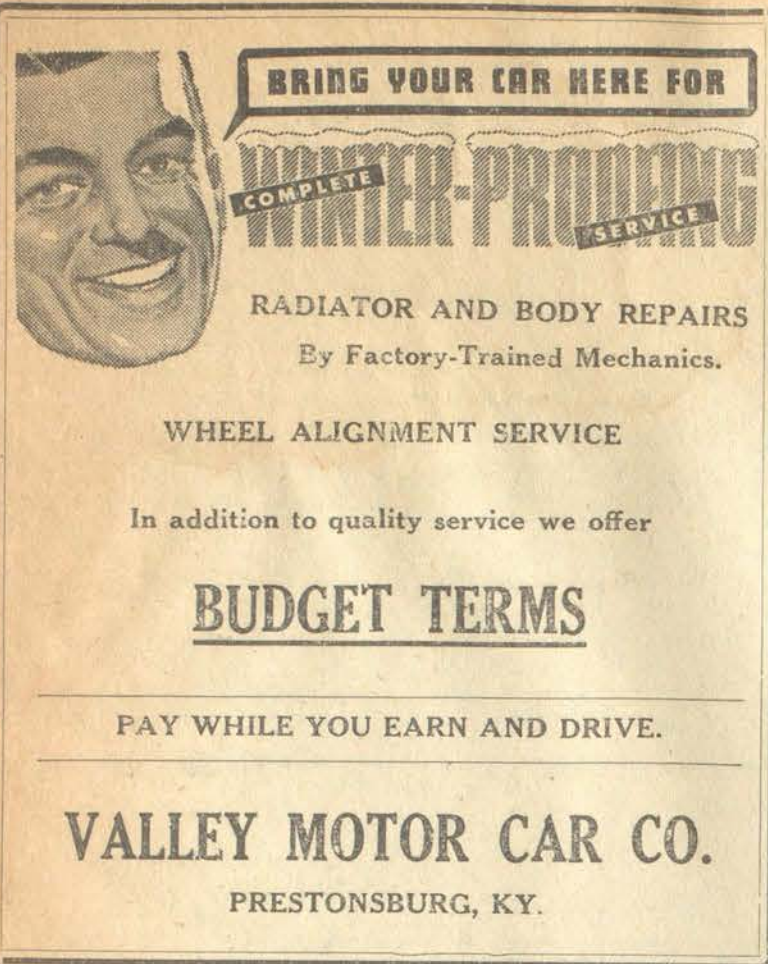
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**CLUB ENTERTAINS**  
The Allen-Martin Woman's Club entertained its "Mother" club, Lackey-Garrett Club, and its "Daughter" club, the Drift Woman's Club, Monday evening, Nov. 17, at the Methodist Church in Martin with a turkey dinner served buffet style. Each lady was presented a corsage of pine cones and bitter-sweet. Mrs. Earl Martin was in charge of the program and she introduced Mrs. Arkady Webber, teacher from Pikeville College, who gave an interesting talk on China. She had spent some 20 years in that country. Mr. Webber played several piano selections.

Those attending from Lackey-Garrett Woman's Club: Mesdames Tom Hatcher, Felix Coburn, L. B. Price, J. T. Spillman, J. Crittenden Wells, Fred A. Wolfe, J. E. Miller, Willard Castle, G. E. Field, C. B. Ison, F. M. Rasmick, Charles Hornsby, Gorman Collins, Earl Castle, Carroll Baldwin, George E. Evans, Jr., Fred Hall, N. D. Howard, Ervin Mullins, F. M. Picklesimer, P. Spencer, R. H. Messer, Miss Marie Coburn. Attending from the Drift Woman's Club were: Mesdames Ray Turner, Alan Reece, Bobby Hall, Joe C. Moore, Lloyd Stumbo, Ben Martin, F. T. Jones, H. D. Hewlett, Howard Stickler, R. W. Ankrom, Misses Catherine Reed and Ruby Aker. Those from the Allen-Martin Club were: Mesdames Belford Reitz, Russell Laven, William Lyon, John Snodgrass, German Vance, James Webb, Jr., Virginia Short, Boone Hall, Earl S. Martin, William Martin, John P. Sammons, Ray Allen, Ray Beckham, Louis Warren, Fred M. Gross, W. O. Huddleston, M. C. Elliott, E. P. Grigsby, T. J. Allen, Lloyd Crum, Walter Frasure, George Laven, Maurice Mitchell, George Sims, Tom Martin, Jr., C. R. Marshall, Miss Nelle Music and Mrs. Allie Howard, guest.

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**NOTICE**

The partnership of Hall & Hunter, doing business at Martin, Ky., as the Hunter Motor Sales, having been dissolved on Nov. 18, 1952, the undersigned, a former member of the said partnership, hereby notifies the public that he is no longer connected with the Hunter Motor Company and is not responsible for the company's business transactions or any debts incurred by the Hunter Motor Company.

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**GARRETT**  
**LACKEY-GARRETT CLUB MEETS**  
"Chinese flowers are as aromatic as American women are temperamental," stated Mrs. Arkady Webber, as she spoke on "Flowers of China," last Thursday evening, as guest of the Lackey-Garrett Woman's Club, which met at the home of Mrs. George E. Evans, Estill.

Mrs. Webber spoke with authority on the subject, having spent the last 30 years as a missionary with her husband in China. She explained the difference between the useful white lotus of China and its lovely pink sister, which is beautiful to look upon but of no value. She told how the young Chinese girls gather peonies in order to bathe their faces in the juice. She compared many of our flowers with those of the same name in China—the iris, magnolia, acacia, azalea, aster, chrysanthemum, and others.

Accompanying Mrs. Webber was her husband, who is music instructor at Pikeville College. Mr. Webber played the following piano selections: "Fantasy, Chopin; "Polichinelle," Rachminoff, a waltz by Chopin, Etude by Chopin, and a medley of Gypsy tunes.

This program was in keeping with the subject, "Neighbors in Other Lands," with emphasis on Music, Literature, and Art, with Mrs. R. H. Messer in charge.

At a brief business session prior to the program, presided over by the president, Mrs. Frank Rasmick, the following were appointed to collect the veterans' socks which the club members fill each Christmas: Mrs. J. E. Miller, Wayland; Mrs. Gorman Collins, Lackey; and Mrs. Rudolph Spencer, Garrett. Mrs. Rasmick requested all members to have these socks filled and ready for collection by Dec. 6.

Mrs. Spencer brought before the club the need for a new walk leading to the bridge at Garrett, and a committee headed by Mrs. C. B. Ison was appointed to present this matter to the proper authorities in Prestonsburg.

At the conclusion of the program a dessert course was served by Mrs. Evans and her co-hostess, Mrs. Bert R. Stapleton, to the following guests and club members: Mr. and Mrs. Arkady Webber, and Mesdames Rudolph Spencer, W. T. Hatcher, Willard Castle, J. E. Field, J. C. Wells, Frank Harman, Earl Castle, M. M. Collins, H. J. Sherman, Felix Coburn, Richard Vinson, J. E. Miller, F. M. Rasmick, R. H. Messer, Troy J. Webb, Everett Blanton, C. D. Francis, C. B. Ison, Charles Hornsby, Estill Hughes, Thomas Hatcher, S. M. Martin, Otto Martin, and Miss Marie Coburn.

**MARE CREEK**  
(Last week's correspondence)  
Mr. and Mrs. James Hamilton are the parents of a daughter, born Nov. 18 at the Methodist hospital, Pikeville. The babe has been named Regina.

Donald Clark, who is employed at Columbus, O., spent the week-end end here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Clark.

Fred Hall spent Sunday with his father, Jerry Hall, who is ill at his home at Banner.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Earl Scalf, Nov. 18, at the Methodist hospital, Pikeville. She has been named Elona Faye.

Walter Scalf, who is employed in Clyde, O., spent the week-end with his family here.

John Paul Osborne has returned to Baltimore, Maryland, after spending a few days' leave here with relatives. He was accompanied as far as Baltimore by his mother, Mrs. Cinda Osborne.

Mrs. Calvin Carpenter and son, Dale, and Mrs. Edgel Allen, of Willow Run, Mich., have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Carpenter.

A daughter was born Sunday, Nov. 23, to Pvt. and Mrs. Ernest Hall, Jr., at the Beaver Valley hospital, Martin. The babe was named Donna Sue. Pvt. Hall is serving with the army in Korea.

Halleck Hamilton left Sunday for Columbus, O., where he expects to be employed.

Hassel Collins, Beecher Hardwick and Walter Hall spent the past Sunday rabbit hunting in Montgomery county.

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**W. S. C. S. Meets At Glo, November 20**  
The Woman's Christian Service Club of the Church of Christ, Glo, met Thursday afternoon, Nov. 20, for its Thanksgiving program, at the home of Mrs. Cecil Johnson, Wayland.

The meeting was opened by the group singing "Count Your Blessings," after which Mrs. J. T. Spillman, vice-president, read Psalm 100. This program consisted of the following: An article entitled, "Faith and Love," by Mrs. Ben Hall; an original poem on Thanksgiving by Mrs. Otto Martin; a sermonette entitled, "Thou Shalt Not Take the Name of Thy God in Vain," by Mrs. James Sparks; "Secrets of Prayer," by Mrs. J. T. Spillman; the 23rd Psalm with comments by Mrs. Spillman; and a poem entitled "My Bible," by Mrs. Anthony Lyons. The program was concluded with prayer by Mrs. James Sparks.

At a business session following the program names of needy families were submitted and a committee was appointed to collect food for Thanksgiving baskets.

It was unanimously agreed upon that each member is to earn at least \$1 between now and December 18 to be turned over to the treasurer to help pay current expenses.

A combination salad and dessert course was served by the hostesses to the following: Mesdames John Reid, James Sparks, Mitchell Nichols, Ben Hall, Henry Barnett, Buford Rollins, Anthony Lyons, J. T. Spillman, Ralph Blankenship, Otto Martin, and little Miss Pam Nichols and Master Michael Lyons.

The next meeting will be held December 18 at the home of Mrs. Ben Hall, Estill, with Mrs. Otto Martin in charge of the program. Each member is requested to bring an exchange Christmas gift not to exceed \$1 in value.

**Church Joins Drive To Enlist Bible-Readers**  
Wheelwright—Plans have been announced by the Rev. Alfred E. Atkinson that the Wheelwright Community Church will join in a simultaneous drive to increase Bible-reading throughout the world. The period from Thanksgiving to Christmas has been designated for a concerted campaign to enlist several million individuals who will read from the Bible each day.

Extensive publicity will call attention to this campaign, which was observed last year in 38 countries. President Truman, who is honorary chairman of the sponsoring committee, has issued a full endorsement of the movement. The President has declared: "The Bible remains, after the lapse of all the centuries since it came into being, the greatest book ever written. The Bible has an ever-increasing claim upon us. It is a unique and incomparable work."

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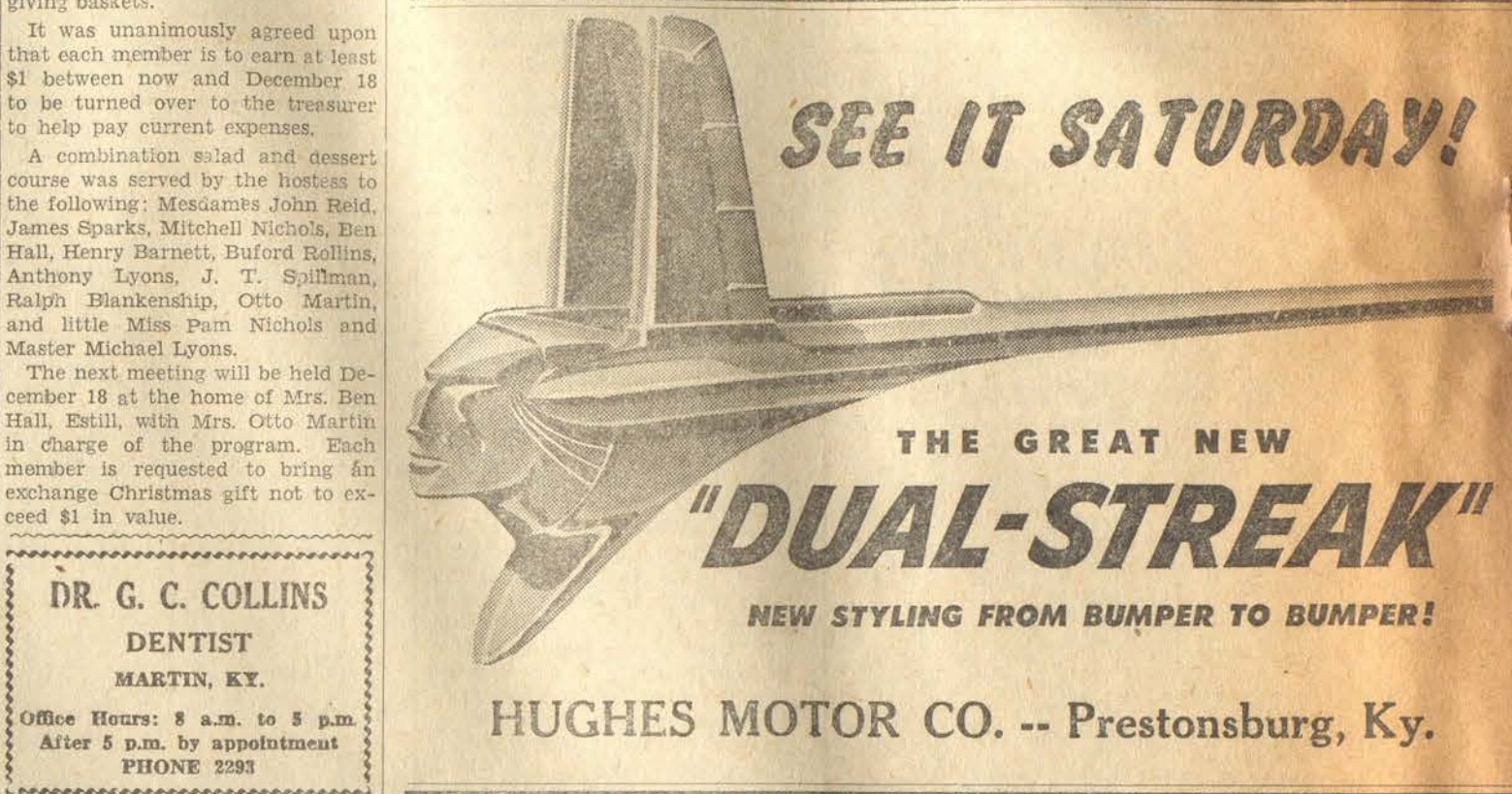
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