

That California girl and her swim who broke into the news with record-breaking telephone conversation should be sent to represent somebody in this endless Korean parleying.

Vishinsky couldn't sleep for laughing about the U. S. peace proposal. Now, the U. S. can't laugh or sleep either while our side scoffs at Russia's peace talk.

Guess which newspapers in the country are giving California's rain and snow the biggest spread. Haven't seen a Florida paper, but we have a good idea.

OUCH!
Any time you feel like butting your head against a stone wall, just have a go at this Big Sandy canalization project. It'll do till bigger and better walls are built.

With the U. S. Corps of Engineers sticking to its figures, we can yell bloody murder and inveigh against the injustice of it all along as we like, and still we'll be behind the well-known eight-ball. Cold facts, dollars and cents figures will have to be produced if we're to get anywhere.

SO THERE!
This--had you heard?-- is tax-paying time. So this oldie seems apropos. It has to do with the citizen who, rugged individualist though he was, had to conform with the law and file his income tax return.

Still, they couldn't make him be happy about it. In one corner of the return there was a square, inside which appeared the admonition, "Do Not Write in This Space."

So the taxpayer inscribed in that very space, in a John Hancock hand, these words: "I'll write where I darned please!"

GIVE!
Call it superstition if you care, but, having children of my own, I would have to be in desperate straits to deny the March of Dimes, the Christmas Seal Sale, or any other of these great causes my contribution.

I would be afraid that, some day, my own would need help in time of mortal need and that by my failure to give I had failed them.

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HUNT'S TRIAL SET JAN. 28

Is Only Murder Case Docketed; Cook Trial Slated Here, Friday

The lone murder trial of the current court term, that of Milt Hunt for the slaying of Jake Salisbury, will be held Jan. 28, an order on Hunt's execution of \$10,000 bond for his release after indictment shows.

One other murder case, that of Willard Hughes in the killing, near Hueysville, of Bert Shepherd, was dismissed Saturday for lack of evidence, but this order was later voided and the case remains on the docket. It is not expected to be heard at this term, however.

Attracting more local interest even than a murder trial is that of Leon Cook, former Prestonsburg high school principal, whose hearing on a charge of conversion of funds is slated for Friday of this week.

Hazel Helton, former practical nurse here, was given a two-year pen term last Friday upon her conviction of having concealed the birth of a bastard child. She later was granted a new trial. However, the second trial was granted when it was recalled that two reversible errors had been made in the trial: No.

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Court House Happenings

SUITS FILED
Forrest Conley vs. Commonwealth of Kentucky (injunction); Tackett & Tackett, attys. Scott Motor Co., Inc. vs. Merle Kinney, et al; Wine & Venters, attys. Samuel J. Hale, et al; Roy Turner vs. Paul E. Hayes, atty. Math Boyd vs. A. B. Meade, Sheriff, et al; Tackett & Tackett, attys. Bulah Mae May vs. Willard Ward; Dave T. Martin, atty. Grace Wireman vs. Charlie Wireman; J. B. Clarke, atty. Martin Loan Co., Inc. Ted Martin, etc.; Marshall Davidson, atty.

MARRIAGE LICENSES
Joe W. Shepherd, 22, and Hazel Meadows, 21, both of West Prestonsburg; married here, Jan. 12, the Rev. Charlie Rowe officiating. Walter Williamson, Jr. and Rosanna Blankenship, Clyde Wireman, 20, Waldo, Ky., and Ida Howard, 23, Handshoe, married here, Jan. 15, by the Rev. Alex Stephens John Hall and Nora E. Hall, Wesley Rose, 21, and Geneva McKenzie, 17, both of West Prestonsburg; marriage solemnized here, Jan. 16, by the Rev. Edgar R. Miller.

MARCH DRIVE PLANS TOLD

Brashear Named Head Of Drive; Wheelwright Next for Blood Unit

L. B. Brashear, of Manton, will head the Floyd county drive for Red Cross funds to be launched in March in Floyd and all other counties of the United States, it was announced here last week. A planning committee meeting was held last week, and during the next month organization for the drive will be perfected at other meetings.

To carry on its greatly expanded services to the armed forces, its blood program, disaster services and other activities, the American Red Cross has set an "absolute minimum" national goal of \$85,000,000.

The regional Red Cross blood center work will be resumed in Floyd county, Jan. 29, when the mobile unit from Huntington, W. Va., will pay its third visit to Wheelwright, the one Floyd county community which has never fallen short of its quota. The mobile unit procured 135 pints of blood on its first call there and 155 pints during its second visit. Arthur Bradbury is community chairman.

The new blood quota per visit is now 125 pints. An average of 12 visits a year will be made to this county. After the Wheelwright call on Jan. 29, the mobile unit will next visit Wayland, Feb. 12.

DEPUTIES FIND BOOZE CACHE

On Premises of Former Floyd Official, Report Made by Deputy Sheriffs

Armed with a search warrant, Deputy Sheriffs Sanford Reffitt, Frank Crum and John Hobson found 11 half-pints of whiskey on the premises of Jack Allen, Garrett restaurant-owner, and former Floyd county Magistrate, Saturday night. Allen executed bond.

Some of the prisoners taken by officers over the week-end were indicted by the grand jury this week. Among these were:

Robert Sammons, Chester Stone and Frank Lumpkin, who were arrested Saturday night by Deputy Sheriffs Don Meade and John Hopson on a grand larceny charge in the theft of an automobile from C. C. Hunter, of Martin; Curtis Bartley, booked by Deputy Constables Obe Ousley, Scott Compton and Ed Amburgy for drunk driving and possession of alcoholic beverages; and Bill Hunt, who was arrested Monday by Prestonsburg Policemen Nelse Gilliam and Bill Potter for petit larceny after he allegedly had taken two bottles of barbiturates from the office here of Dr. G. D. Callihan.

Others booked at the jail: Woodrow Wilson Monk, child desertion, by Sgt. Spencer, of the state police; Roland Adams, drunk driving and possessing alcoholic beverages, fined by Magistrate M. C. Wright \$12.50 and costs; Bill Stratton, drunk driving, arrested by Deputy Sheriff Hopson; Mrs. Morg Crum, arrested by Deputy Constables Ousley, Compton and Amburgy and booked for drunkenness and lewdness, fined by Magistrate Wright a total of \$135; Bee Bolen, driving with a revoked license, arrested by Deputies Frank Crum and Hall, fined \$38; Sam Keel, drunk and resisting arrest, arrested by Police-

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\$489,188 PAID FLOYD NEEDY

In 1951, Report Shows; 836 Aged, 51 of Blind Get Public Assistance

During the past year, \$489,188 went to residents of Floyd county in public assistance payments, according to a year-end report released Sunday by Vego Barnes, commissioner, Department of Economic Security.

Under the public assistance program, three types of aid are administered: Old age assistance, aid to needy blind, and aid to dependent children. Total 1951 payments in Floyd county were distributed among the three types of recipients as follows: \$237,397 to aged people; \$236,149 to dependent children; and \$15,642 to needy blind.

Average payment in Floyd county to 836 needy aged people in December was \$27.61. During the same month an average of \$39.62 went to families of 1,311 dependent children and a total of 51 needy blind people in the county received an average of \$29.57. All these Floyd averages were slightly below the state average payments.

Total public assistance payments of \$31,079,485 went to nearly 90,000 needy Kentucky families during 1951, Barnes reported. A monthly average of \$2,664,957 was paid to recipients who qualified under the state-federal aid programs administered by the Department of Economic Security.

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THURSDAY

PRESTONSBURG, KENTUCKY

JAN. 17, 1952

Officials of County, City Charged by Grand Jury

DUTY NEGLECT CHARGE FILED IN TWO BILLS

Two Election Officers Among Those Indicted; Grand Jury Adjourns

With the number of persons indicted by the grand jury at the 105 mark on adjournment Wednesday afternoon, the jury's actions this week created considerable interest as two indictments named a Floyd county Magistrate and a Prestonsburg official and another accused two election officers of a violation at the November, 1951 polls.

Magistrate M. C. Wright, of Magisterial District 2, was named Tuesday in an indictment which accused him of wilful neglect in the discharge of his official duties.

One of the indictments accused R. W. Feller, Prestonsburg Police Judge, with wilful neglect in the discharge of his official duty.

Charged with receiving an illegal vote were Bill Sherman, judge, and Lon Childers, sheriff, at Cow Creek precinct during the Nov. 6 election. They were accused of receiving the vote of Jack Garrett when each knew he was not on the registration book for the precinct.

The Magistrate's indictment resulted when Ed Martin, charged in circuit court with drunk driving, stated that Wright as Magistrate had accepted his guilty plea on that count and had levied on him a fine of \$100 and costs for the offense. When told that Martin's driver's license was not revoked, Circuit Judge Edward P. Hill asked that Martin be recognized before the grand jury.

This is the first such indictment made in court here. One official said Magistrate Wright, only a few days ago, had turned in the drivers' permits of three persons convicted in his court, but added he could not say if Martin's permit was among these.

City Council members indignantly protested the action against Judge Feller. "The best police judge the city has ever had has been put under unjust blame," said one.

Judge Feller is accused of levying a \$50 fine on Charles (Nig) Hall on Hall's plea of guilty to a charge of possessing red liquor for the purpose of sale, and of failing to impose a jail sentence and to require a peace bond.

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It's Still a Scrap between Old Rivals But Latest Is Planned in Common Cause As P'Burg, Paintsville Plan Drive Aid

Prestonsburg and Paintsville, those old rivals, are getting together on a matter of common interest, although they'll be scrapping it out on the basketball floor on two occasions while they're cooperating with each other.

The Kiwanis Clubs of the two towns are joining in the March of Dimes, and players from the two clubs will meet in a basketball benefit at the Prestonsburg gymnasium next Monday night. All the proceeds from that game will go to the Floyd March of Dimes.

Then Prestonsburg's Kiwanis Club will go to Paintsville, the night of Jan. 28, for a return engagement, with the Johnson county drive for funds to fight polio to receive the gate receipts.

Both games will be for the full quarters, hammer-and-tongs.

Gabe Crum, 47, Dies At West Prestonsburg; Victim of Tuberculosis

Gabe Crum, 47, died at the West Prestonsburg home of his parents, Wilce and Liza Lewis Crum, at 9 o'clock Tuesday morning, a victim of tuberculosis. He had been ill for the past 15 months.

Mr. Crum was never married and had resided with his parents since 1919.

Surviving besides his parents are the following brothers and sisters: Jack, Robert, Bill, and Wilce Crum, Jr., all of West Prestonsburg, Mrs. Virginia Gay, Scottsburg, Ind., Mrs. Charles L. Palmore, Waynesburg, Va., Mrs. Anna Goble, and Mrs. Alice Kelly, both of Underwood, Ind.

Funeral services were conducted from the Assembly of God Church, Wednesday, at 10 a.m., the Rev. G. R. Fannin officiating. Burial was made in the Daniels Creek cemetery near Banner under direction of the Carter & Callihan Funeral Home.

HOLD THREE IN SHOOTING

After Three Employes Of Coal Company Hit By Shotgun Pellets

Indictments were filed late Wednesday by the grand jury, charging the three Johnson county youths with shooting and wounding on three counts.

Three youths of the Caney Fork of Middle Creek section were held in jail here Wednesday while an investigation was being made into the wounding of three employes of the Floyd Elkhorn Coal Company on Caney, late Tuesday night, as the result of shotgun fire.

Those jailed and held incommunicado temporarily were George Johnson, 19, his younger brother, Henry Johnson, Jr., and their kinsman, Bill Johnson.

Suffering slight wounds from shotgun pellets were Jay Stephens, Dewey Burchett and Virgil Porter. Stephens was struck in the ear and right cheek; Burchett, in his hip, and Porter in an arm. All the shooting was done from the neighboring hillside and from a distance of around 75 yards.

The three prisoners and their relatives maintained they were innocent and that they knew nothing of the shooting till officers appeared at their homes. Some of the evidence accumulated by Sheriff Meade was expected to be given to the grand jury before its adjournment, Wednesday afternoon.

The three who were wounded and others of a man-trip were fired upon as they emerged from the mine, en route to the tippie on Caney, about 11 o'clock Tuesday night. They said upwards of 25 shots were fired, and Stephens expressed the belief three shotguns were used from two points of vantage. This coincided with the theory of officers who found both 12-gauge and 16-gauge shells, near the scene.

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JURY URGES ENFORCEMENT

Of Dog Law in Floyd After 30-Day Notice; Quizzes 144 Witnesses

Enforcement of the law requiring purchase of licenses for dogs was urged by the grand jury of the Floyd circuit court in its final report to Judge Edw. P. Hill made on adjournment Wednesday afternoon.

The grand jury's statement on the dog situation in this county echoed Judge Hill's sentiments expressed on the opening day of court when he advocated control of dogs and collection of license fees, so that sheep-raising might be a profitable Floyd county industry.

The grand jury's report, signed by Arthur Sturgill, foreman, said: "We wish further to report to the court that the grand jury is in favor of enforcing the dog law, and we request the County Clerk to order dog licenses, and after the public is given 30 days or a reasonable time in which to license dogs, the Sheriff should make diligent effort to impound stray dogs and enforce the law."

The report noted that the nine days allotted the grand jury is insufficient time to complete all the work facing it. From the examination of 144 witnesses, 105 true bills were returned.

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Bodies of War Victims En Route to Floyd-Co.

Bodies of Cpl. Roy L. Layne, son of the Rev. and Mrs. Carl Layne, of Betsy Layne, and Pfc. Jake R. Thomas, son of Mrs. Ruth Thomas, Prestonsburg, arrived in San Francisco Monday, to be sent to this county for burial. Both were killed in Korea.

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'VEEP' MEETS FELLOW-KENTUCKIAN



Melvin O. Francis, quartermaster, second class, USN, son of Mr. and Mrs. William O. Francis, of Paintsville, husband of Mrs. Della M. Francis, of Hueysville, is greeted by Vice President Alben W. Barkley at the U. S. Naval Hospital, Yokosuka, Japan, where Francis is a patient. The Vice President was on a tour of Far Eastern military installation at the time.

CAMICIA TO SUCCEED HARMAN AS AUDITOR

William Crawford, general manager of the Princess Elkhorn Coal Company at David, has announced that James R. Camicia, of Prestonsburg, will assume on March 1 the position of auditor, succeeding Russell Harman who was recently promoted to the position of secretary-treasurer of the Company.

Mr. Camicia was born in Welch, West Virginia and has resided in Prestonsburg for several years. He was graduated from Bowling Green University in 1940 with a B.S. degree in Business Administration. Upon graduation he accepted employment with the Elkhorn Coal Company.

Surviving brothers and sisters are C. C. Scalf, of Betsy Layne, William Scalf, of Pikeville, Talitha James, of Gulgare, Ruth O'Neil and Ada Mayo, both of Prestonsburg.

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THUMBS DOWN BY ENGINEERS

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US 23, KY. 80 IMPROVEMENT PLANS TOLD

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U.S. 23 -- Prestonsburg-Pikeville road, from east city limits of Prestonsburg to the Pike county line, 19.7 miles, widen, revise alignment where practical, and resurface, \$775,000. Prestonsburg - Paintsville road, from north city limits of Prestonsburg to the Johnson county line, 6.1 miles, widen, revise alignment where practical, and resurface, \$250,000.

The program, affecting more than 800 miles of roads throughout Kentucky, would cost an estimated \$42,000,000. All projects are in the primary road system and are to be financed on a fifty-fifty basis by the state and Federal Bureau of Public Roads. The program does not include rural road construction which is financed by a separate fund.

Culin said the plan is the most far-reaching in the history of the Department of Highways. He said the proposal has been under study by state and federal engineers for the last year and its purpose is to provide systematic improvement of the state's key highways.

Included in the program are new construction, widening, relocation, resurfacing, and bridge construction. All projects are subject to restrictions on steel by the Defense Production Administration.

Pike county is scheduled to benefit from \$1,995,470 worth of road work under this program.

CLARK KILLED IN CAR WRECK

Maysville Man's Body Returned to McDowell; Four Others Injured

Kennard Clark, 24 years old, of Maysville, formerly of this county, was instantly killed Sunday when his car wrecked on U.S. 52, west of Aberdeen, O., and four others in the car with him were reported seriously hurt.

The tragedy occurred when the car failed to round a curve, left the highway and struck a tree. The injured were D. R. Purdon, William Bruce Hampton, George Thomas Field and Charles Arnold, all of Maysville and vicinity.

The victim was a son of Mr. and Mrs. John D. Clark, and was a nephew of Palmer L. Hall, Superintendent of Floyd schools. Survivors include four brothers and four sisters: Stallard Clark, of McDowell, Ishmael Clark, Clarksville, Ohio, Dempsey and Waltham Clark, both of Maysville, Mrs. Macie Newcomb, Muse's Mill, Ky., Mrs. Douglas Hunt, Mrs. Alle Craycroft, and Miss Rebecca Clark, all of Maysville.

Funeral rites were conducted Tuesday from the McDowell school, the Revs. Troy Nickles, Marion Chaffin and Sherman Crum officiating. Burial was made in the Lucy Hall cemetery under direction of the Hall Brothers Funeral Home.

Infant Is Victim At Martin Hospital

Ellis Sizemore, three-month-old son of Wilce and Lillian Moore Sizemore, of Minnie, died January 14, at the Beaver Valley hospital. Funeral services were held today (Thursday) at 10 a.m. Burial was under direction of Hall Brothers Funeral Home.

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PROMINENT MINISTER TO CONDUCT REVIVAL



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Dr. Jordan has an A.B. degree from Duke University, a B.D. degree from Emory, an A.M. from Yale, a D.D. from Duke, and a Litt. D. from Lincoln Memorial University. He is author of more than a dozen books, among them "Intimate Interests of Youth," "Courage that Propels," "The Supreme Possession," "Look at the Stars," "The Emerging Revival." He also contributed to other works, such as "The Prophetic Voices," "After Pentecost, What?," "The Pulpit of the South," and "Talks with Youth." One of the top-ranking preachers and pastors of the South, Dr. Jordan has served as pastor of College Place Methodist Church, Greensboro, N. C., Wesley Memorial Methodist Church, High Point, Centenary Methodist Church, Winston-Salem, N. C., and First Methodist, Charlotte, N. C., from which church he came to the chair on Preaching in Emory University.

A bloodhound brought to the scene from Johnson county followed a trail from where the shotgun shells were found to the home of George and Henry Johnson. Several empty shotgun shells were found near the home of Frank Johnson, father of Bill, but both the father and son denied knowledge of how they came to be there. Both readily agreed they would submit to paraffin tests to determine if they had fired a gun within the last 24 hours. The elder Johnson was not a suspect, but he told officers he had fired his shotgun at a hawk threatening his chickens.

Bill Johnson, though claiming he had not fired a gun in two years, admitted telling a workman at the mine "he had better watch out Monday night, there'd be some shooting," but added that this was spoken only in jest.

Authorities were unable to establish a definite motive for the shooting, although previous trouble on Middle Creek reportedly arose from employment problems.

HONORED ON BIRTHDAY

Elder Wm. Hall, a former moderator of New Hope Association, United Baptist Church, was honored Sunday at his home on Big Branch of Bull Creek on his 81st birthday anniversary as friends and relatives gathered to present him gifts and enjoy with him a birthday dinner. The large gathering heard sermons by Elder Alex Stephens, Ernest Ward and Wallace Calhoun.

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LIGHT THE WAY FOR MOTHERS' MARCH ON POLIO

Third Draft Group Of Month Notified For Exams, Monday

Floyd county's third group of draft registrants slated for preinduction tests during this month will leave here Monday morning. The call is for 35 men.

Draft Board 25 said this week it needs the addresses of six men whom it has unsuccessfully attempted to contact. All these men are not necessarily wanted for the draft, it was added. Names and former addresses of the six are:

Lonnie Eulan Compton, Teaberry; Harold Gene Newsome, Melvin; Ross L. Adams, Martins; Paul E. Newsome, Alliance, Neb.; Benjamin Moles, Martin; Larry Conley, Prestonsburg.

Names and addresses of those notified to appear for preinduction tests Monday follow:

Robert Eugene Billter, formerly of Martin, now of New York; Lee Roy Jones, McDowell, now of Lewisburg, W. Va.; Mickey Childers, Emma, now of Postoria, O.; Eugene McKinney, Printer; Kendle Evans, Craynor; Chester Spradlin, Bonanza, now of Ada, O.; Mitch Blankenship, Dony; Grady Osborne, Drift; Marvin Roy Jarrett, Weeksburg, now of Edgworth, W. Va.; Nelson Robert Allen, Hueysville; Bob Ray Thompson, Betsy Layne; Dings Darel Bradley, Dema; Dennis Brown, West Prestonsburg; Buck Patton, Eastern; Orris Franklin Caldwell, Betsy Layne; Clarence Isaac, Hunter; Noah Tackett, Printer, now of Drift; Rody Ousley, Hippo; Douglas Dillon, Water Gap, now of Lagro, Ind.; Donald Keathley, Galveston, now of Lorain, O.; Fred Bryant, Melvin; Birt Melvin, Dony; William Rufus McCoy, Martin; Arvel Hall, Grethel.

Newton Daniels, Jr., East McDowell; Vernon Roosevelt Jones, Amba; Charles Billy Ricker, Hi Hat; Bobby Frank Walker, Wheelwright; Jimmie Woodrow, Bvinsville; Billy Ray Howard, Estill; Roland Moore, McDowell; Irvin Shepherd, David; Ermal Ermon Hicks, Langley; Shular Jackson Hurd, Ivel; Freeman Hamilton, Grethel; Henry Elles Burchett, Mare Creek, now of Woods; James Howard Hamilton, Amba; Bill Ousley, Hippo; Walter Cecil Collins, Auxier; Raymond Dotson, Craynor; James Bailey Hall, Wheelwright; Eugene Hamilton, Grethel; Clyde Eldon Lafferty, Prestonsburg; Virgil Johnson, Melvin; Andy Rose, Prestonsburg, transfer from Logan, W. Va.

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Mr. Blackburn had been a minister of the Regular Baptist Church for 33 years.

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A son of the late Frank Whitaker, and of Easter Yates Whitaker, he was a former railroad section worker.

Surviving are his mother, four children, Roger, Thomas, Myrtle and Patsy Whitaker, all of Ohio, and the following brothers and sisters: Mrs. Eva Collins, East Point, Mrs. Nancy Caudill, Pontiac, Mich., Mrs. Virgie Tackett, Whitaker, Ky., Elsie Whitaker, of Cliff, Reuben, of East Point, and Ernest Whitaker, of Rushton, O.

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Among 40 indictments returned here last Thursday was a murder bill against Milt Hunt in the slaying at Harold of Jake Salisbury. He was admitted to \$10,000 bond, and his trial was set Jan. 28.

At the same time a falsifying bill was voted against Hubert Ferrell after he had made an affidavit before a notary public that he had not sworn to a previous affidavit taken by County Judge Henry Stumbo in a liquor case. Judge Stumbo produced the original affidavit.

An indictment alleging malicious striking and wounding with intent to kill was filed against Elmer Blackburn on testimony of Policeman Bill Potter, of Prestonsburg. Potter testified that Blackburn, who now is convalescing in an army hospital from wounds received in Korea, attempted to run over him and Policeman Bill Kazee with his truck. This was one of the alleged incidents of the night on which Blackburn's wife was killed by a bullet fired by Kazee. The latter was afterward named in an indictment for shooting at without wounding.

Major indictments filed since last week follow:

Claude Johnson, malicious striking and wounding Gomer Little; Claude Johnson, carrying concealed deadly weapon; Johnnie Henson, carrying concealed deadly weapon; Ed Martin, drunk driving; Melvin Wilson, breaking and entering; Jim Nobel, striking and wounding Garret Hall; Joe I. May, drunk driving; Billie Jean Martin, selling liquor; Fred Martin, possession of alcoholic beverages; Fred Martin, detaining a woman against her will; Eva Hall, accused of Martin, falsifying; Jack Hunt, knowingly receiving stolen property; Orville Bentley, drunk driving; Bob and John Burgess and Arnold Tackett, grand larceny, accused by Eugene Hall.

Arthur Stone, robbery, accused of taking \$399.00 from Clyde Manns; Andrew Blevins, selling whiskey; Johnnie Henson, shooting at without wounding Willie Salisbury; Orville Bentley, possessing alcoholic beverage; Flora Little, child desertion; Valis Prater, drunk driving; Woodrow Meade, William Huff and Ransom Case, each for child desertion; Maude Dye, selling liquor; John Reynolds, drunk driving; Raymond Meade, cutting and wounding; Robert Horn, grand larceny; Billy Jean Martin, possessing alcoholic beverages; James Jewell and Melvin Wilson, breaking and entering commissary at Justell; Noah Akers, assault and battery with an auto.

Sam Smith, Lucille Smith, Osie Page and Lizzie Terry, spreading slanderous reports, accused by Wes Bryant of stating he was a vagrant and did not keep food for his family, causing warrant to be issued for him and his confinement in jail for several days; Bob Haywood, obstructing public road; Chalmer Stracy and Leslie Arnett, selling diseased livestock, two hogs to Everett Ratliff; Virgil R. Cavins, carrying concealed deadly weapon; Joe I. May, drunk driving; Lilly Mae Crum, selling liquor; Hillard Mitchell, Everett Korr and Hargis Conley, each for child desertion.

Holbert Blevins, assault and battery with an auto; Oscar Isaac, hitting; Cecil Jacobs, breaking and entering B. A. Hughes' store; Ollie Hall, knowingly possessing unexpired beverages; Elmer Clifton, knowingly receiving stolen property; Malcolm Adams, reckless use of a deadly weapon; Shade Adkins, selling whiskey; Virgil S. Cavins, shooting and wounding Jessie Cavins; Ted Goble, deserting his wife ill of tuberculosis; Charles Caldwell and Paul Kazee, aiding and abetting Melvin Wilson and James Jewell in breaking and entering case; Aster Meade, drunk driving; Virgie Cavins, shooting and wounding George Wright; Woodrow Monk, child desertion; Bert A. Wright, cold check; Dave Gearheart, child desertion; Joe I. May, resisting arrest; Ollie Hall, liquor (second offense).

Vernon Lazarr, knowingly receiving stolen property; Frank Lumpkins, Chester Stone and Robert Sammons, grand larceny, accused of theft of auto from C. C. Hunter; Jack D. Burchett, child desertion; Curtis Bartley, possessing alcoholic beverage and drunk driving. Sam Keel, disorderly conduct; Clarence Brown, cold check; Freddie Newsom, selling liquor; Bill Hunt, petit larceny, accused of taking two bottles of medicine from office here of Dr. G. D. Callihan; Mary Henson, forgery of promissory note; Hershell Hall, carrying concealed deadly weapon; Denver Coburn, Ed Hall and Billy Skeens, petit larceny; Bumm Hays, drunk driving and possessing liquor.

George, Bill and Henry Johnson, malicious shooting and wounding (three cases each); Kermit Moore, driving while license revoked; T. W. Woods, Clay Daniels and Paul C. Wallen, each for cold check; Denzil Whitten, selling liquor; Bill Hunt, unlawful possession of barbiturates; T. J. Kendrick, Melvin Osborne and Willie Harris, breaking and entering warehouse of Harris Brothers Construction Company (Osborne and Kendrick indicted under the Habitual Criminal act); the same three indicted for knowingly receiving stolen property.

Garmel Barker broke tobacco production records in Elliott county when he grew 3,214 pounds on one acre, selling it for \$54.84 a hundred.



The marriage of Miss Frances Layne, granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Layne, of Tram, Ky., and Robert C. Branham, of Prestonsburg, was solemnized, Dec. 29, at the Mayo Memorial Methodist Church, Paintsville, Ky.

Mr. Branham is the son of Mrs. Fannie Branham and the late Lee Branham. The marriage was conducted by the Rev. J. J. Meyers.

The bride and groom were accompanied to the church by the groom's mother and Miss Roscine Layne, Benny Joe Fannin, Mrs. G. E. Richman, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Conn, Nancy Stratton, all of Betsy Layne, Bonita Hinchman, of Tram, Ky.

The bride wore a light gray suit with blue and pink accessories. Her only jewelry was a rhinestone necklace and earrings. She carried a bouquet of pink carnations on a white-covered satin Bible with satin streamers.

The couple planned a simple, quiet wedding. The bride is a senior at the Betsy Layne high school. She plans to enter the Mayo Vocational School, Paintsville, Ky., for a business course after her graduation in May.

Mr. Branham is a graduate of Prestonsburg high school. He has served in the army for over three years and has had overseas duty. He is now employed by the Arrowwood Hardware Co., Prestonsburg.

The couple left for a brief honeymoon, touring parts of North Carolina and Tennessee. They plan to make their home in Prestonsburg.

Business, Civic Leaders To Attend Irvine Meet Of C. of C. Committee

Businessmen and civic leaders of this area including representatives of the Prestonsburg Chamber of Commerce will gather at Irvine January 23 for the regional meeting of the Kentucky Chamber of Commerce's Industrial Development Committee. Progress reports by officers of the area's test-city organizations, presentation of the regional winners in the State Chamber's "What My Community Needs" essay contest, and a report on a new proposed state-wide community contest will highlight the program, according to Dewey Daniel, Hazard, regional vice-president of the Kentucky Chamber.

Trained specialists will lead discussions on major phases of community activity, Daniel said. Charles J. Vetter, head of the Jefferson County Recreation Board, Louisville, and Miss Marion Preece, of the National Recreation Association, New York, will consult with local leaders on aspects of recreational programs and facilities.

Officials of community development associations at Middleboro, Irvine-Ravenna, Prestonsburg, London, Stanford, Pikeville, and Somerset will make progress reports on the functions of their organizations, designed along the lines of the State Chamber's test city program.

First, second, and third prize winners in the Kentucky Chamber's youth essay contest for this region will be presented at the meeting. First prize, a \$100 defense bond, will be awarded by the Hazard Insurance Agency, Hazard; second prize, a \$50 defense bond, will be given by the Kentucky & West Virginia Power Co., Ashland; and Lexington's Honey Krust Bakery will present a \$25 defense bond as third prize.

"The meeting is open to all interested persons of the area," Daniel said, "and we are anticipating a profitable exchange of ideas and information which should be of great assistance to Kentucky leaders in their efforts to improve their communities."

NOTICE

Edgill Davis has filed application with the Floyd County Court for roadhouse license in the operation of a restaurant at Garrett, Ky. DuRAN MOORE, Clerk Floyd County Court

TRUANCY LESS IN FLOYD-CO.

Attendance Figures Cited As Suit Filed On Fund Distribution

Figures released in connection with the suit filed at the behest of the Kentucky Chamber of Commerce to force the state to distribute the common school fund on the basis of attendance rather than on the school census disclosed that school attendance in Floyd county is above the state average of 70 per cent of those listed in the census and, too, that this county is high among seven Eastern Kentucky counties listed as examples of nonattendance.

The state average of attendance is 70 per cent of the school census—i.e., all the children between the ages of 6 and 18. Floyd county's attendance average for last year was 72.5 per cent, with a census total of 15,088 and 10,942 of these in school.

Floyd, Bell, Breathitt, Harlan, Letcher, Perry and Pike were listed as examples in a Courier-Journal story of the court action, because few Catholics live in these counties and few children attend parochial schools here.

With 23,654 children in the school census and 17,017 of these attending school last year, Pike county's attendance percentage stood at 71.9.

In counties such as Campbell, Kenton, Jefferson and Nelson where a large part of the school population attends parochial schools, the percentage of public school attendance in relation to those in the census was lower even than in Eastern Kentucky counties. These counties, however, are paid on the basis of the census, as are all others.

The lawsuit, filed by J. J. Leary, Frankfort, and S. S. Willis, Ashland, asks the court to do two things:

- 1. To enjoin the Superintendent of Public Instruction from making payments on a census basis.
2. To direct him to make them on an attendance basis at the start of the next term, July 1, 1952.

"This suit," Leary said, has been filed only after long and mature study. And we have timed it for a decision by the Court of Appeals in January, while the 1952 Legislature is sitting.

"We wanted a final answer early in the session for two reasons. First, if we win the suit, the Legislature will have plenty of time to make all the old sections of law conform to the ruling of the court. Second, the Legislature will have time to give relief to districts adversely affected if it deems that course necessary.

Distribution of state money on the basis of the census, instead of attendance in public school, has had this principal effect:

It has enabled low-attendance districts to reap substantial profits on children not in school. This profit has been at the expense of districts where attendance at public schools roughly corresponds to the number of children in the census.

This term, the state is sending to 231 school districts \$38.40 for each child between 6 and 18 living in the district. These payments amount to \$26,212,500.

The districts get this money whether the children are in school or not. The fewer pupils in attendance, the fewer teachers to be employed, the less coal to buy, and so on.

If Leary and Willis win their suit, hereafter the more pupils there are in public school the more money a district will collect from the state. Backers of the suit believe this stimulus to the purse will make local sentiment hostile to wholesale non-attendance.

A corncrib on the Pritchard Bros. farm in Webster county holds 7,000 bushels and is filled by a conveyor operated with an electric motor.

WATER WELL DRILLING

SEE OR WRITE J. W. KINZER Phone 2876 ALLEN, KY.

Advertisement for J. W. Kinzer, Water Well Drilling, Phone 2876, Allen, Ky.

Advertisement for DRS. WALDEN & WALDEN Optometrists, Eyes Examined—Visual Training, 113 Main St., Paintsville, Ky., Phone 368.

Sixty-seven Green county 4-H members sold 71,278 pounds of tobacco for \$41,527, or an average of \$58.26 at the second annual Greensburg District 4-H Club tobacco show and sale.

In Monroe county, more than 100 crops of tobacco produced a ton or more leaf to the acre.

Shoe Sale

FINAL REDUCTION

WOMEN'S

Red Cross — 1/2 Off
Star Brand and Peters
\$ 5.00 to \$ 6.95 — \$3.79
\$ 7.00 to \$ 9.95 — \$4.99
\$10.00 to \$12.95 — \$6.99

PENALJO'S

\$12.95 — \$8.39
\$10.95 — \$6.49
\$ 9.95 — \$4.99

MEN'S

One Section — \$4.49
One Section — \$ 6.79
20 pr. Flor. — \$10.00

CHILDREN'S

One Section — \$2.79
One Section — \$1.99

FRANCIS

SHOE STORE

PRESTONSBURG, KY.

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istered by the Economic Security Department, he said.

Old age assistance payments totaled \$20,160,951 for the 12 months just ended, Barnes reported. Aid to dependent children grants totaled \$10,965,951, and aid to needy blind \$852,583, he said.

Comparison of average monthly payments based on Dec. 1951 figures with those of Dec. 1950 shows \$29.64 to the aged, \$9.17 above the Dec. 1950 average. Total aged people on the rolls was 65,858 last month compared to 61,751 in Dec. 1950.

Aid to the needy blind shows a similar situation in that average payments last month to 2,525 blind recipients was \$31.52 while in Dec. 1950, the average was \$22 to 2,441 people.

Aid to dependent children payments per family averaged \$41.86 against \$36.73 in Dec. 1950. The case-load, however, was smaller, 21,245 last month against 24,007 in the same month of 1950.

Printing tobacco paid at the rate of \$26 a day for Mr. and Mrs. Quint Gibbins of Taylor county.

BEST POP CORN YOU EVER ATE

JOLLY TIME

HOSTESS TO CLUB

Mrs. Rebecca Arnett was hostess to the 900 Club at her home, Friday, January 11. As president, Mrs. Arnett opened the meeting, and Mrs. Cora Johnson led the group in prayer, after which they sang "Peace in the Valley."

Ray Howard, local chairman of the March of Dimes, spoke to the members concerning this drive and asked their support. It was voted to help with this and the election of new officers followed.

The hostess served refreshments to Mesdames Easter Burchett, Mabel Fannin, Thelma Stafford, Zela Green, Francis Bowling, Virginia Wright, and Mrs. Wright's family.

The next meeting of the club will be held February 8, at the home of Mrs. Thelma Stafford.

HOSTESS AT HOLIDAY PARTY

Miss Marlene Spradlin and Miss Barbara Jane Hales' names which were omitted last week through error, were co-hostesses with a group of young friends at Open House at the Eagles' Club during the holidays.

RETURN HOME AFTER VISIT HERE

Mrs. Jack Salisbury and daughter, Chaddie Ann, and her mother, Mrs. George Pincel, left Monday for their home in Frankfort after a visit here with Mr. and Mrs. C. W. May and other relatives. Capt. Jack Salisbury left Sunday for New York where he will soon sail with the U. S. army forces for LeHarve, France, where he will be stationed.

ANNOUNCE BIRTH OF SON

Mr. and Mrs. Robert J. Salisbury announce the birth of their first child, a son, born on January 10, at the Baptist General hospital, Louisville. The baby weighed 7 lbs., and has been named David Paul Salisbury. Both mother and son are doing well, and have the congratulations of their many friends and relatives here. Mr. Salisbury is a medical student at the University of Louisville.

Eighty-one 4-H club members in Christian county are carrying the baby-beef project.

Society

Notes

George Cohen, of Mt. Sterling, was a business visitor here last week.

Mrs. F. M. Rasnick, of Garrett, entertained over the week-end her sister, Mrs. Bill Pettry, of Prestonsburg.

Mrs. H. C. Francis entertained to dinner at her home last Friday Mrs. Jo M. Davidson, Mrs. Everett Sowards and her niece, Miss Una Pirman, of Hindman, who was her guest.

Carl Riffe, of Ashland, and Mason C. Miller, of Huntington, were here Monday.

Mrs. Fanny Archer, of Paintsville, was here last week visiting her son, Dr. George Archer, and Mrs. Archer.

Mrs. M. Robert Regan visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Conley, at Falcon, Ky., last week-end.

William Runnels, student at the University of Kentucky, spent the week-end here with his mother, Mrs. Fanny Runnels. He returned to Lexington, Sunday, accompanied by Miss Alice Harris and Miss Hazel Hill, who returned here that evening.

Mrs. M. White and granddaughter, Donna Ann Meade, will leave for Florida this week. Mr. and Mrs. Steve Pieratt, of Mt. Sterling, will accompany them.

Mrs. Fanny S. Jarrell entertained to dinner Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Lee Hall, of Winchester, Joe W. Jarrell, of Louisa, Bill Bailey, of Frankfort, John F. Auxier and Hester C. Stephens.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Hester, who have been visiting Mrs. Hester's mother, Mrs. Dalena Cooley, have returned to their home in Houston, Texas. Mrs. Cooley accompanied them home.

Rudolph F. Barsis, of Somerset, Pa., Walter Webb and Rod Cameron, of Louisville, were week-end guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Barney, of Dema.

Charles D. Ferguson, of the navy, is home on 15-day leave from San Diego, Calif., which he is spending with his mother, Mrs. Lillian Ferguson, and his grandfather S. C. Ferguson.

Mrs. O. T. Stephens has been confined to her bed this week with a severe cold.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Salisbury spent the week-end in Louisville with their son, Robert J. Salisbury, and their first grandson, David Paul Salisbury.

Frank H. Layne has been ill with a severe cold for several days.

Marshall Davidson was a business visitor in Pikeville, Tuesday.

EXCHANGE PULPITS LAST SUNDAY

Rev. Rankin, pastor of the Pikeville Presbyterian Church, was the supply pastor at the Presbyterian Church here last Sunday, when communion was observed and a baptismal service was held.

Rev. Orville Pearson, pastor of the Presbyterian Church here, visited the Pikeville church, preaching at the morning service. Mrs. Pearson accompanied him there for the day.

TO MODEL SPRING CLOTHES

Miss Charlotte Salisbury will model the new spring clothes at the Easter showing of the Margaret-Mann Shop Saturday, Jan. 19. This is Prestonsburg's first time to view a style show with a model showing the latest styles in wearing apparel.

VISITORS HERE FROM GARRETT

Mrs. Bill Pettry entertained, Tuesday, Mrs. F. M. Rasnick, Mrs. T. J. Webb, Mrs. Rudolph Spencer and Mrs. E. C. Blanton, of Garrett.

MISCELLANEOUS SHOWER

Mrs. Claude Hale, nee. Miss Creasia Cornett, was honored with a miscellaneous shower at the Brown hotel, Friday evening, at 8 o'clock. The hostesses were Mrs. J. E. Ball, Mrs. Betty Stephens, Mrs. Carrie Johnson and Mrs. Nora Blackburn. Many useful gifts of crystal, china, linens and housewares were displayed on tables. A refreshment plate was served by the hostesses to about 50 guests. Many who could not attend sent useful gifts.

ATTEND GOBLE FUNERAL

Among the relatives from here who attended the funeral of James A. Goble at Matewan, W. Va., January 13, were: Mr. and Mrs. J. Y. Goble, Mrs. Belva Quisenberry, Mrs. W. H. Jones, Jr., and Miss Frances Jones.

SUBMITS TO SURGERY

Miss Minerva Friend is a patient in a hospital at Paris, Ky., where she submitted to major surgery, Monday morning. Her condition is favorable, according to reports from her sister, Mrs. Carl Colcord, who resides in Paris. Mrs. Wendell Spurlock, a cousin, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. B. P. Friend during Miss Friend's stay at the hospital.

BIRTHDAY HONORS FOR TWO

Mr. and Mrs. David Herndon entertained with a birthday dinner at her home Jan. 7, honoring Edward L. Allen and his daughter, Mrs. Tilden Belvard Friend, whose birthdays were that week. Covers were laid for Mr. and Mrs. Edward L. Allen, Mr. and Mrs. Tilden Belvard Friend, Susan Friend, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Salisbury, Misses Marion and Charlotte Salisbury, Mr. and Mrs. Herndon.

RETURN FROM FLORIDA

Dr. and Mrs. Thomas Roberts and son and Miss Katherine Greenwade returned home last Monday from a visit with relatives at Vero Beach, Florida. They spent the holidays there.

TWO YEARS OLD, JAN. 10

Little Susan Friend, who celebrated her second birth anniversary on January 10, was hostess to a group of little friends and their mothers from 3 until 5 p.m., at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tilden Belvard Friend, on Second avenue. Games were enjoyed for a brief period, then the birthday cake was cut and served to her friends who brought her lovely remembrances. Hand-made doll favors were on the refreshment plates served to Malissa Francis, Mrs. Fred Francis, Vickie Harkins, Mrs. J. D. Harkins, Jr., Mary Lynn Combs, Mrs. Paul C. Combs, Richard and Kay Hatton, Mrs. Richard Hatton, Martham Archer, Kathie Camicia, Mrs. James Camicia, Barbara Nunnery, Mrs. Byron Nunnery, Virginia and Josephine Archer, Mrs. W. T. Archer, Winnie Archer, Mrs. A. J. Archer, Jr.

HERE FROM VIRGINIA

Mrs. Paul Heddeston and Mrs. Raymond Underwood, of Portsmouth, Va., were called here, a few days ago, by the serious illness of their mother, Mrs. Grade Hubbard. Mrs. Hubbard's condition shows improvement, Monday, Mrs. Underwood was called back to Portsmouth by the illness of her young son, Julian Russell.

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Orville Pearson, Pastor

WEEK OF JANUARY 20:

Sunday—
9:45 a.m.—Sunday School
11:00 a.m.—Morning Worship
2:30 p.m.—Mission Sunday School at Buckeye
4:00 p.m.—Session meeting
6:30 p.m.—Fr.-Hi. Westminster Fellowship
7:30 p.m.—Evening Worship

Wednesday—
7:30 p.m.—Mid-Week Prayer Service

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11 Red check	69.95	35.00
11 Grey flannel	55.00	27.50
11 Brown gaberdine	69.95	35.00
13 Red gaberdine	55.00	27.50
13 Grey flannel	49.95	17.50
13 Purple gaberdine	75.00	37.50
13 Red check	59.95	29.95
15 Black check	69.95	35.00
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14 Red flannel	99.50	49.95
14 Red worsted	99.50	49.95
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Mrs. Molly Belcher Is Victim of Stroke At Daughter's Home

Mrs. Molly E. Belcher, 62, died here at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Clyde Smith, at 12:45 p.m., Tuesday, the victim of a stroke. She had been ill for the past three years.

A daughter of Wade and Rosie Burchett, she was a native of Floyd county. Mrs. Belcher was a member of the Freewill Baptist Church, and the Miriam Rebekah Lodge here. Her husband, John D. Belcher, Sr., preceded her in death in September, 1942.

She is survived by four sons, John D. Belcher, Jr., Prestonsburg, Marion E. Belcher, Memphis, Tenn., Jack Elliott Belcher, with the army air force, San Antonio, Texas, Gordon Wade Belcher, with the navy in Newfoundland, two daughters, Mrs. Ruth B. Priestly, Island Creek, W. Va., Mrs. Clyde Smith, Prestonsburg, two step-daughters, Mrs. A. J. Bryson, Ashland, and Mrs. Arthur Smith, Columbus, O. Also surviving are five brothers, Dave and Tom Burchett, of Lancaster, Marion Burchett, Baltimore, Wade B. Burchett, Honolulu, John Burchett, Arlington, Va., three sisters, Mrs. Minnie Merritt, Emma, Mrs. Cecchie Wright, Scotoville, O., Mrs. Ruth Watkins, Baltimore, Md., and 12 grandchildren.

Funeral services will be held at 2 p.m., Friday, at the Freewill Baptist Church, the Rev. H. C. Church officiating. Burial will be made in the Mayo cemetery under direction of the Arnold Funeral Home.

Three women in Barren county who sell on the homemakers market had a total sale of \$535 in December.

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Instead of exchanging gifts at Christmas, members of the Vine Grove Homemakers Club in Hardin county brought gifts to a member whose house had burned.

H. C. Campbell of Perry county has completed a concrete building to house three incubators; he has also added a 30 by 90 foot unit to his laying house.

METHODIST CHURCH

Dr. Gerstle M. Haggard, pastor

Sunday—
10:55 a.m.—The Church at worship. Sermon topic, "I'm a Child of the King."
7:30 p.m.—Evening worship. Sermon topic "Thomas, a Faithful Doubter."

Wednesday—
8:30 p.m.—A called session of the Quarterly Conference, with Dr. Fosssett in the chair.

Master Bill Bailey To Serve as House Page

Master Bill Bailey, grandson of Mrs. Fanny Jarrell, returned to Frankfort Monday to resume his duties as page in the House of Representatives. Bill was chosen special page to the Speaker of the House.

This is the second year Bill has had the honor of being the Speaker's special page. He says it will be more difficult this year, however, since he had to leave with a load of Seventh grade books under his arm, so he could study when not on duty. His teacher, Miss Pauline Hereford, made his assignments with the admonition, "No work, no passing." He will be the guest of his aunt, Mrs. George Glenn Hatcher, while in Frankfort.

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TO BE AT LOCAL CHURCH Deacon Terry and his singers from Wheelwright will take part in the services at the Church of God here Saturday night, it is announced by the pastor, the Rev. Guy Rorer.

WHEELWRIGHT THEATRE

WHEELWRIGHT, KY.

SAT., Jan. 19—Double Feature—Matinee 2 p.m., night show 6:30 p.m.

"Blues Busters" Leo Gorecy, Huntz Hall.

"Pals of the Golden West" Roy Rogers, Dale Evans.

SUN.-MON., matinee, Sun. 2 p.m., Night show, 6:30 p.m.—"Warpath"

Edmond O'Brien, Dean Jagger. "Elephant Mouse."

TUES.-WED., starting time 6:30 p.m.

"Love Nest" Wm. Lundigan, June Haver. "Pilgrim Popeye."

THURS.-FRI.—Starting time, 6:30 p.m.—"The Iron Man"

Jeff Chandler, Evelyn Keyes. "Bedtime Worries."

"Party Smarty."

Illegal Unemployment Claim Costs Floyd Man \$50 Fine in Court Here

J. D. Allen, of Printer, was fined \$50 and costs after pleading guilty Friday in Floyd county court to receiving unemployment insurance benefits for a week in which he was employed by Carter Elkhorn Coal Company.

Four other warrants for the same offense, but for additional weeks, were filed away on condition that Allen repay \$264 which he received during the period of disqualification resulting from his failure to report earnings when questioned by claims takers in the Prestonsburg office, Division of Employment Service.

Three warrants for another Floyd county claimant and 38 warrants for seven Johnson county claimants, all charged with claiming unemployment insurance benefits while working, have been issued. These cases are scheduled for trial in the next few weeks.

Convictions have resulted in all cases that have been prosecuted in the Prestonsburg area up to the present time.

Notice to Taxpayers

All unpaid 1951 state and county taxes are delinquent, and a 2 per cent penalty has been added to these tax bills. Unless these bills are paid on or before Feb. 1, 1952, there will be an additional 6 per cent penalty. Please save the penalty by paying these taxes before Feb. 1.

1-17-52. A. B. MEADE, Sheriff

Mrs. Watkins Is Victim At Abbott Creek Home Of Heart Condition

Millie F. Watkins, 67, died January 11, at her home on the Left Fork of Abbott Creek, victim of a heart ailment. She had been ill for the past month.

A daughter of Allen and Susan Pruitt Lewis, she was a native of Greenup county. Mrs. Watkins had been a member of the Church of Christ since girlhood. She was married in 1906 to Sol W. Watkins, who survives.

The following children also survive: John J. Watkins, Dayton, O.; Mrs. Della Johnson, Cincinnati; Mrs. Angelina Tackett, and Mrs. Arretta Gilpin, both of Bonanza. Also surviving are 10 grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

Funeral services were held at the Church of Christ, Siloam, Ky., January 13. Burial was made in the church cemetery under direction of the Arnold Funeral Home.

Notice to Bidders

Bids on diplomas for the 1952 high school graduating class will be received by the Floyd County Board of Education up to the Board's Feb. 5, 1952 meeting.

PALMER HALL, Supt., Floyd County Schools

PRICE THEATRE

HI HAT, KY. Code 1091

FRI., 7 p.m.—"Saturday's Hero" John Derek, Donna Reed.

SAT., 7 p.m.—Double Feature—"Elephant Stamped" Johnny Sheffield as Bomba.

"The Harlem Globe-Trotters" Thomas Gomez and the original Harlem Globe-Trotters.

SAT., 10 p.m.—Late show—"The Highwayman" Philip Friend, Chas. Coburn, Wanda Hendrix.

SUN., 2 and 7 p.m.—"Cattle Drive" Joel McCrea, Chill Wills.

WED., 7 p.m.—"The Dakota Kid" Michael Chapin, Eilene Janssen.

"Yukon Manhunt" Kirby Grant.

MARTIN THEATRE

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FRI.—Double Feature—"Thunderhead, Son of Flicka" Roddy McDowall, Preston Foster, Rita Johnson.

"The Longhorn" Bill Elliott, Phyllis Coates.

Late or last show—"Sunny Side of the Street" Frankie Laine, Billy Daniels, Terry Moore.

SAT.—Double Feature—"Criminal Lawyer" Pat O'Brien, Jane Wyatt, Jerome Cowan.

"The Whistling Hills" Johnny Mack Brown, James Ellison.

Late or last show—"Let's Make It Legal" Claudette Colbert, MacDonald Carey.

SUNDAY—One Day Only—In Person on Stage Don (Red) Barry AND HIS HOLLYWOOD SHOW "Aladdin and His Lamp" Patricia Medina, John Sands, Richard Erdman. Adm. 40c and 75c.

MONDAY—One Day Only—Double Feature—"Lawless Cowboy" Whip Wilson, Andy Clyde.

"Snake River Desperadoes" Charles Starrett, Frog.

TUES.—Double Feature—"Let's Go Navy" Leo Gorecy, Huntz Hall, Bowery Boys.

"Valley of Fire" Gene Autry, Pat Buttram, Gail Davis.

WED.—THURS.—"Teresa" Pier Angeli, John Ericson, Patricia Collinge.

FLOYD MEETS US STANDARD

Sanitation Regulations In Force Here Followed In Only 346 U.S. Counties

(Special to The Times) NEW YORK, Jan. 9 — Floyd county is one of a limited number of communities in the United States which have sanitation regulations for public eating and drinking establishments that meet official Government standards.

This was revealed by the U. S. Public Health Service in a study of the progress made in restaurant sanitation in recent years.

Ordinances and other regulations meeting federal standards are now in effect in but 675 municipalities and 346 counties across the country. This, however, represents a considerable advance since 1946 when the tabulation was made. The number of people under protection then was only half what it is now.

The government's model ordinance was developed as an aid in protecting citizens from food-borne diseases emanating from public dining and drinking places. It provides for the purity of edibles and beverages sold, their proper storage and handling and for the cleanliness of utensils and equipment.

In addition to Floyd county there are only 25 municipalities and 31 counties in the State of Kentucky that have adopted these federal sanitary standards, the survey shows.

"We know a good deal about food-borne diseases and how to prevent them but this knowledge has to be translated into practical programs," stated a spokesman for the government bureau. "The actual regulation of eating and drinking establishments is, of course, a matter for the States, counties and municipalities, and they, in turn, need the whole-hearted cooperation of the restaurant operators and others concerned."

The sanitation ordinance has been in effect in Floyd county since 1946, when the county adopted it.

Prestonsburg Native Victim at Matewan Saturday Morning

James A. Goble, 64 years old, native of Prestonsburg, died of a heart attack at his home in Matewan, W. Va., Saturday at 1 a.m., after an illness of only a few minutes.

Mr. Goble, who was widely-known in this section, was a successful business man, operating a restaurant and music shop in Matewan and owning considerable real estate there. He was a son of the late Judge James Goble and of Mrs. Elizabeth Goble, of Prestonsburg. He was married to Miss Sadie Smith, and to this union were born two sons and one daughter.

Besides his mother and his widow, he leaves his children, Keith Goble, Pikeville, James Goble, of the navy, Norfolk, Va., and Mrs. Gwendolyn Vaughan, Majestic, Ky., one brother, George Goble, Dayton, O., and three sisters, Mrs. W. H. Jones, Sr., Mrs. Belya Quisenberry and Mrs. L. S. Moles, all of Prestonsburg. He also is survived by three grandchildren.

The funeral was conducted Monday from the Matewan Methodist Church, and burial was made there.

HAROLD—Mrs. Laurie Hamilton was in Prestonsburg, Tuesday, shopping.

DRIFT THEATRE

DRIFT, KY.

FRI., Jan. 18, 7:00 p.m.—"Utah Wagon Train" Rex Allen, Penny Edwards.

SAT., 7:00 p.m.—Double Feature—"Vigilante Hideout" Allan (Rocky) Lane.

"Disc Jockey" Ginny Simms, Tom Drake.

SAT., 10:00 p.m.—"The Day the Earth Stood Still" Michael Rennie, Patricia Neal.

SUS., 1:00 and 7:00 p.m.—"That's My Boy" Dean Martin, Jerry Lewis.

MON., 7:00 p.m.—"The Day the Earth Stood Still" Michael Rennie, Patricia Neal.

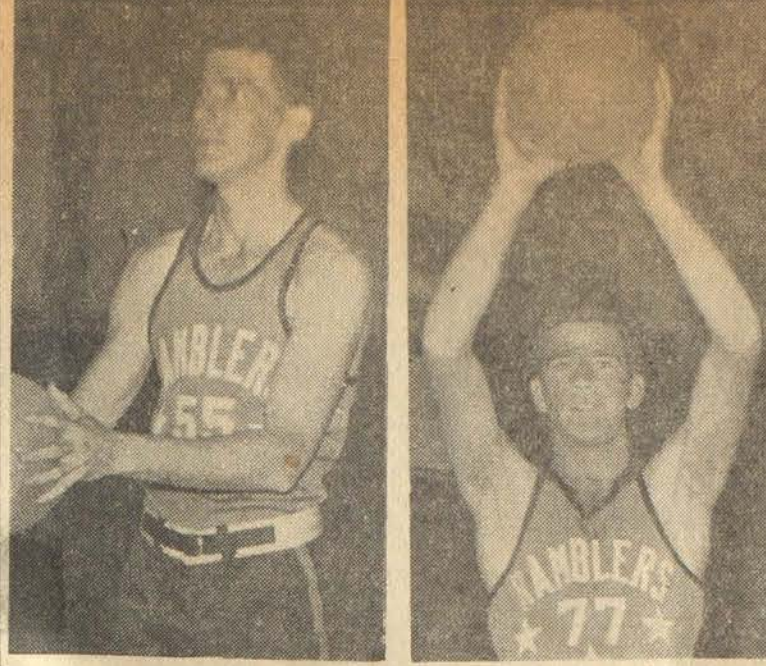
TUES., 7:00 p.m.—"The Whip Hand" Elliott Reed, Lurene Tuttle.

WED., 7:00 p.m.—"On the Loose" Joan Evans, Lynn Earl.

THURS., 7:00 p.m.—"Happy Go Lovely" (In Technicolor) David Niven, Vera Ellen.

FRI., 7:00 p.m.—"Little Big Horn" John Ireland, Lloyd Bridges.

BROTHERS LEAD SEMI-PRO FIVE



The Blackburn brothers, Tommy (left above) and Adrian, deprived some college of a lot of basketball talent when they did not continue in scholastic sports. The two have been with the Prestonsburg VFW Ramblers during the three consecutive years in which they won the state VFW basketball championship, and Tommy currently is the leading scorer for the Prestonsburg Semi-Pro Ramblers, with Adrian in the runner-up spot.

BUDGET PLANS EDUCATION AID

Gov. Wetherby Proposes Increase of \$7,900,000; Asks New Purgation Act

Frankfort, Ky., Jan. 15—State education services will receive an increase of \$7,900,000 during the next two years under a budget proposed by Governor Lawrence W. Wetherby to the General Assembly today.

Health and Welfare services will receive \$4,200,000 more and all governmental activities will be increased by \$1,900,000. The budget calls for expenditures totaling approximately \$159,000,000 during the 1952-53 and 1953-54 fiscal years.

The figure is an increase of \$14,000,000 over the current rate of spending for the two years and is based on anticipated income for that period. The rate of spending at present is \$72,500,000 a year. The new budget calls for expenditures of \$78,000,000 the first year of the biennium and \$81,000,000 the second year.

Governor Wetherby delivered his budget recommendations to a joint session of the House and Senate in a speech that also contained his "State of the Commonwealth" message and several legislative recommendations.

The major proportion of the proposed increases for education will go to the common school fund. The recommended appropriation for the biennium is \$64,588,500—an increase of \$15,588,500 over the appropriation made by the 1950 General Assembly. The new figure retains for two more years the \$6,000,000 increase made by the 1951 special session of the Legislature and adds to it \$3,588,500 in new money.

Increases for the University of Kentucky and the five state colleges and for other educational services were also recommended.

Proposed appropriations for mental health during the biennium are \$9,942,000, an increase of \$1,100,000 over the current rate of spending. Wetherby said the increase will enable the state to go ahead with plans for an intensive treatment program that will be both humanitarian and economical.

He proposed that the Department of Health be given an increase of \$844,800 to enable it to establish health units in all counties and to bring them up to a high operating level.

Wetherby said estimates indicate the state will have a surplus of \$12,894,720 at the end of the present fiscal year in June. He recommended that the entire amount be appropriated for non-recurring expenses. Under his plan the State Property and Buildings Commission will get \$10,600,000 for new structures. The teacher retirement fund, the Department of Education, the Agricultural and Industrial Development Board and the Airport Development account will also share in the surplus.

The Governor made seven recommendations for legislation aside from the budget bill. They are:

- 1. A new Registration and Purgation Act.
2. A Child Welfare Code, containing all laws pertaining to children and establishing a State Youth Authority.
3. An act taking mental hospitals out of the Department of Welfare and establishing a new Department of Mental Health.
4. A law requiring suspension or revocation of the license to sell alcoholic beverages upon conviction of the licensee or his agent of gambling upon the premises.
5. An act making the fixing of athletic contests a felony.
6. An act increasing the penalties for the illegal sale and distribution of narcotics.
7. An act that will remove the University of Kentucky and the state colleges from the control of the State Personnel Division.

He urged prompt action on these proposals and called for a speedy session so that the question of Congressional redistricting may be given full attention during the last days of the meeting.

1. Evidence that the accused was unmarried did not go to the jury to establish illegitimacy of the child's birth as alleged in the indictment; 2. the trial judge failed to investigate, in chambers and not in the presence of the jury, the possibility that the girl's confession may have been obtained through coercion.

Commonwealth's Attorney Burnis Martin disqualified for the trial because he had been consulted for the defense prior to his election.

Otherwise, court was on the dull side this week. Acquittals almost equalled the number of the convictions. Cleared of charges against them were these:

Fred Osborne, rape; Denzil Whitten, selling liquor; Fred Martin, possession of alcoholic beverages.

Those convicted: Malcolm Lewis, drunkenness, \$10 and costs; Lora K. Stephens, possessing whiskey for the purpose of sale, 30-day jail sentence and \$49 fine; Harvey Tackett, his escaping custody charge reduced to breach of peace, \$10 and costs; Ed Lights, Walker Cordell and M. G. Noblett, employes of the Olan Mills Company, fined \$50 and costs each on an appeal from Prestonsburg police court where they were charged with failure to pay license fee for itinerant photographers.

In the case of Afton Martin, Hasel Stanley and Jack Woody, charged with knowingly receiving stolen property, Stanley won an acquittal, one case against Martin was dismissed for lack of evidence and was continued as to Woody.

Other cases dismissed included those against Floyd Buckhannon, obtaining goods under false pretense; Glennis Elliott, deserting pregnant wife; Woodrow Waddill, carrying a concealed deadly weapon; Dewey Shepherd, obstructing a public highway; Naz Patton, obtaining goods under false pretense; Hanford Osborn Preston, breaking and entering; Bill Clark, selling liquor; Hiram Hamilton, child desertion; Fred Martin, detaining a woman against her will.

Bonds of these defendants were forfeited: Will Reynolds and Donald Akers, each for child desertion; Hillard Mitchell, selling mortgaged property; Jake, Ellis and Mulkey Conn, grand larceny.

Trial of Bill Kazee, former policeman here, on a charge of shooting at without wounding, was continued till April 15.

"It is regretted that this is the case, but in view of these conclusions, and the fact that similar criteria are applied to desired projects in other parts of the country, there has been no alternative but to recommend against the desired improvement as a federal project."

The General Assembly resolution sets out that canalization of the Big Sandy would provide a new means of transportation of coal from the Big Sandy area, "thereby putting the valley in an equal competitive situation with that of other areas."

The coal industry in the Sandy valley, according to the resolution, is at a distinct disadvantage in competing with coal-producing regions of some other states.

This is due to the fact that other regions are able to ship their coal to market by river as well as other means of transportation.

The building of a series of locks and dams on the Big Sandy would fit in with the Army Corps of Engineers' recommendations that the project is worthy of consideration by the federal government, the resolution states.

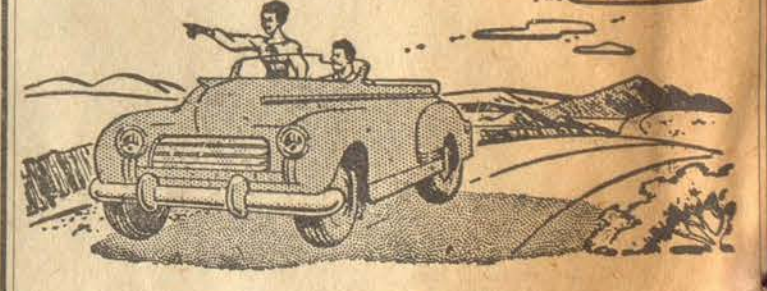
The resolution calls upon Congress to appropriate funds for the project so as to provide a stage of water making possible year-round transportation on the Big Sandy.

It further requests that funds be made available immediately so that construction of the locks and dams can begin during the year 1953.

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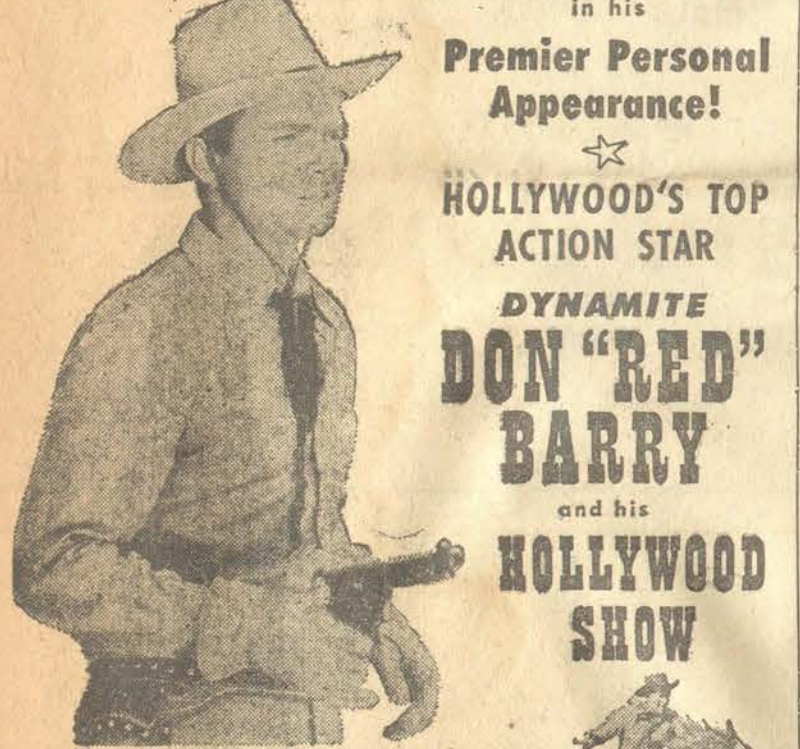
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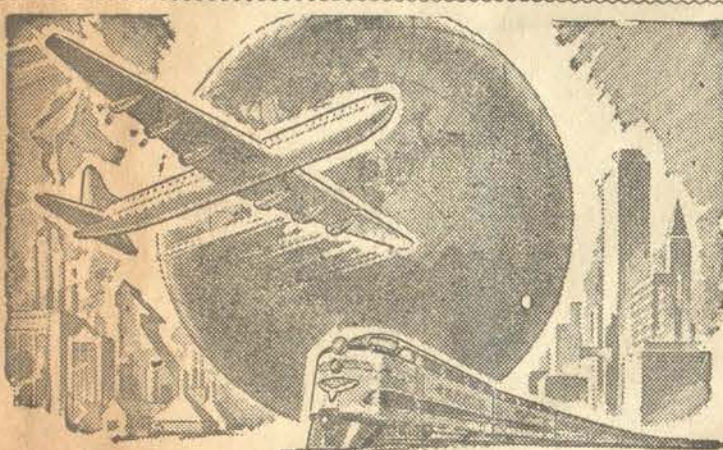
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vs. NOTICE OF SALE

PERRY CRIDER and MINTY CRIDER, Defendants,

By virtue of a judgment and order of sale made and entered in the above styled action at the January Term, 1952, of the Floyd Circuit Court, the undersigned Master Commissioner will on the 4th day of February, 1952, being the first day of the Floyd county court, at the court house door, in the city of Prestonsburg, Kentucky, about the hour of 10:00 a.m., on a credit of six months, sell at public auction to the highest and best bidder the lands described in the judgment and ordered to be sold in the above action, to-wit: Situated on the waters of Coppers Creek, Floyd county, Kentucky, and more particularly bounded and described as follows: Beginning on a planted stone on top of the hill, a corner of Oliver Music; thence with the top of the hill to Henry J. Music's line; thence down with the point to another marked stone at the branch; thence up the branch to marked beech; thence with Oliver Music's line to the beginning.

The purchaser will be required to execute a bond for the purchase price, with approved surety, bearing interest at the rate of six per cent per annum from the day of sale until paid, payable to the undersigned Commissioner, and a lien shall be retained upon the property sold as additional security. However, the purchaser shall have the privilege of paying the purchase price in cash, without executing a bond, or of paying the bond for the purchase price at any time before maturity, with interest thereon to the date of payment.

The amount to be raised is \$349.13, and also the sum of \$46.40 cost herein, making total of \$395.53 due on the day of sale.

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Ralph Carnutte, of Ashland, as a business visitor here this week. He also visited his daughter, Mrs. Ralph Reynolds.

Mr. and Mrs. Mack Taylor have bought the restaurant owned by Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Lester, near the hospital.

Forrest Jones is leaving Monday to be examined for service.

Pfc. J. C. Skeans and the following guests, all stationed at Fort Knox, Ky., spent the week-end at his home here: Pfc. Boyd Eugene Thweatt, of Virginia, Pfc. Milton Gorb, of Paducah, Ky., and Pfc. Donald Foster, of Pennsylvania.

Cpl. Donald Jones is spending a furlough at home here. He spent Sunday visiting friends and relatives at Hi-Hat, his former home.

Luther McCoy, of the merchant marines, spent several days here at his home during Christmas-time. He has returned to duty.

Evelyn Kelso has been receiving treatment in the Beaver Valley hospital for an ear infection. She has improved and is home now.

Mr. and Mrs. Brode Duke have returned home after being in Hindman for a few days, due to the illness and death of her sister, Miss Sue Smith.

John A. Conley has undergone an eye operation, and is recovering nicely at his home here.

Pfc. Johnny Murphy has returned to his post after spending several days here with relatives. He is stationed in Texas.

Neil Click, who is with the air force, stationed in Macon, Ga., has been promoted to T/Sgt. He is the brother of Mrs. Hazel Sammons.

Marine M/Sgt. Bob King, of Cherry Point, N. C., and Felnar Ratliff, of Richmond, Va., formerly of Martin, were business visitors here this week.

Bob Taylor, student at Morehead State College, is home due to illness. He is improving.

Mr. and Mrs. Aster Halbert and children have returned to their home in St. Mary's, O., after spending a week here with relatives.

Cpl. Ford Green, of the air force, was visiting Mrs. Mary Skeans and other friends here this week. Upon conclusion of his furlough he will return to Fort Sampson, N. Y.

Mrs. John Paul Billter gave a birthday party Saturday afternoon honoring her small son, Johnny. Several out-of-town youngsters attended, many whom was Johnny's cousin, Ruth Ann Osborne, of Allen.

Mrs. Mary Dermont has been very ill at her home here. She has improved some.

Mr. and Mrs. Gaston Ducote, who have been living in Evanson, Ky., have moved back to Martin.

Mr. and Mrs. Andy Hamilton made a business trip to Ohio this week.

Mae Skeans and Mrs. Nola Hasto, of Cleveland, Ohio, have been visiting relatives here. Miss Skeans is still here.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Johns had as their guests through the Christmas holidays their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Johns, and children, of Louisville, also their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Swindall and son, Anthony, of Starke, Fla. Mr. and Mrs. Russell Johns returned home Sunday, and Mr. and Mrs. Swindall will leave Wednesday for Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Pickle, Jr., and daughter, Rose Ann, spent New Year's day, guests of Mr. Pickle's parents at Wales, Ky.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Johns and Mr. and Mrs. Homer Swindall and son were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Stumbo Tuesday at Harold.

SPORTSMEN TO HEAR GILPIN AT MEETING

J. J. Gilpin, of the Division of Game and Fish, will present the program at the meeting of the new Dewey Lake Sportsmen's Club which will be held Tuesday evening, Jan. 29, at 6:30 p.m., at the Lakeside Restaurant, it is announced. Dinner tickets for the event are now on sale.

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HAMILTON WAS ONE OF 16 WHO CAME BACK



Left—Newberry Hamilton; right—his cousin, Harold Kidd, son of Lee Kidd, of Harold.

Entering the army at Ft. Knox, Jan. 3, last year, Cpl. Newberry Hamilton, 23, son of Mr. and Mrs. Willie Hamilton, of Harold, was in action in Korea, late in September, and his experiences since that time have been a steady round of deadly action against the enemy.

Recounting his activities in diary form in a letter to his parents, Cpl. Hamilton wrote of his service in Korea:

"Sept. 18. Got another platoon out of a trap.

"Sept. 23. The Chinese opened up on us with their heavy artillery. We had to pull off the Hill and another company took it back. There wasn't enough left of us for us to take it back. I was just lucky.

"Oct. 12. I have had about all I can stand, and too much on Hill 419. I sure wouldn't want to go through that again. I sure was lucky.

"Oct. 30. I am in my foxhole watching the air force bomb and strafe the earth in front of us.

"Nov. 5. My hands are so cold I can hardly write. They have put me in as squad leader. I have 3 machine guns and a bazooka in my platoon.

"On Hill 419 there were 40 of us. The fog was so thick we could not see but a short distance in front of us. We were in 50 feet of the Chinese before we saw them. My machine gun jammed. We had to retreat back down the hill. I fixed my gun and shot 10 boxes of ammunition. When we went back on top there were 200 dead Chinese. There were only 16 of us left. I sure prayed and did a little of everything . . . I guess I was just lucky."

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DAVID

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Chaffins, in the Prestonsburg General hospital, Jan. 12, a seven-pound son.

Mrs. Hershel Waugh, who was ill last week, is better.

Nancy, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Marshall, is ill.

Fair Shepherd, who has been ill in the Prestonsburg General hospital, has returned to his home and is improving nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Hamilton had as their guests last week his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Hamilton, of West Prestonsburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Stambaugh and children were visiting relatives at Wayland, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Clark and daughter were visiting in Huntington, W. Va., Saturday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Dixon and children visited relatives at Lancer, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Dawson visited in Paintsville, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Cole and children were visiting at Estill last week-end.

Rev. J. E. Durham, who was ill in the Prestonsburg General hospital, is able to be out again.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Music had as their guests, last week-end, Mr. and Mrs. Dow Webb and daughter, Gale, of the Auxier road.

You are invited to hear Rev. Roy Shroum at the David Community Church next Sunday night, Jan. 20. Bring your friends with you.

Eleven of 20 homemakers clubs in Scott county had speakers from England, New Zealand, Germany, or Czechoslovakia on International Day.

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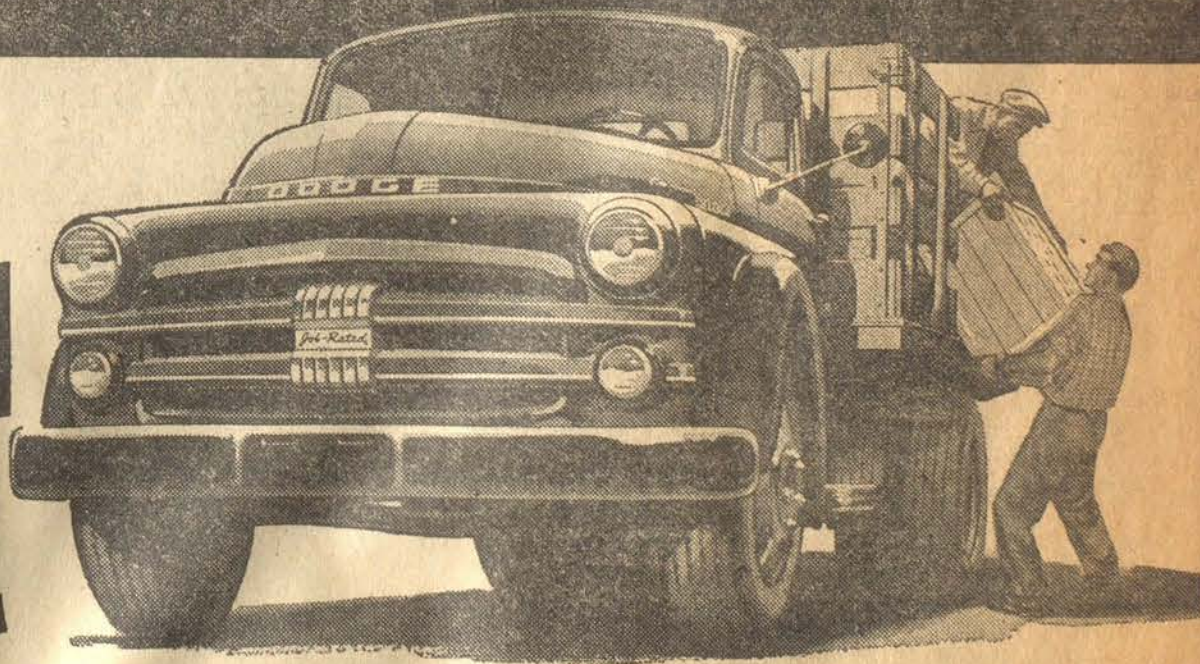
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WOMAN'S CLUB MEETS

Martin, Ky.—The Allen-Martin Woman's Club met January 7 at the home of Mrs. Ted Akers, Allen.

The club collect was read by Mrs. Virginia Short, followed by the reading of the minutes by Mrs. William Lyon and the treasurer's report by Mrs. Louis Warren. Mrs. Russell Laven introduced Mrs. Fred A. Hatmaker, formerly of the Fikeville Woman's Club, who was welcomed as a new member.

The national convention was discussed and ideas were presented for the raising of funds to send a delegate to the convention, which will be held in Minneapolis in May.

The club is helping with the March of Dimes drive and members are to distribute the iron lung banks to the various stores in Martin and Allen. A letter from Mrs. Bary, state president, was read by Mrs. Stinnette, urging the club's help with the Heart drive in February.

A salad course was served to the following: Mesdames Mack Elliott, Charles Marshall, William Lyon, John Snodgrass, James Webb, Jr., Bermon Martin, Walter Frasure, M. E. Mitchell, Louis Warren, W. O. Huddleston, William Stinnette, Boone Hall, George Laven, Belford Reitz, Clarence Akers, Virginia Short, John W. Hall, Ted Akers, Earle Martin, and Fred A. Hatmaker, guest.

The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. George Laven, with Mrs. William Martin in charge of the program and Mrs. Edgar May as guest speaker.

WOMAN'S CLUB NEWS

The Lackey-Garrett Woman's Club met in the home of Mrs. M. M. Collins, Lackey, Thursday evening, January 10, with Mrs. F. M. Rasnick as co-hostess, for the regular sewing meeting. Work was done toward completion of another "Saw-Tooth" quilt top for which the club is well-known.

During a brief business session, it was voted to contribute \$5.00 to each of the Tuberculosis and Infantile Paralysis drives. It was decided to sponsor the Heart Drive in February.

Miss Lois Benton, director of the club-sponsored play, "Going Places," reported the progress made in production and distributed tickets. Proceeds will be used for the club's annual scholarship fund.

The financial report was read by Mrs. George Evans, treasurer.

Letters of commendation from Mrs. Hiram Houghton, president of G.F.W.C., and Mrs. Jack Williams, Governor of the Seventh district, were read by Mrs. R. F. Vinson. A dessert course was served to club president, 21 members and three guests: Mrs. Duncan, Garrett, Mrs. Elliott, Stumbo Memorial Hospital, and Miss Lois Benton.

The next meeting will be in the home of Mrs. Fred Hall, January 31, with Mrs. Willard Castle in charge of the program.

JUNIOR WOMAN'S CLUB MEETS

The regular meeting of the Wayland Junior Woman's Club was held in the home of Mrs. David Sloan, Monday evening, January 7. The club was busy with many activities during the month of December. One of the projects was getting the Christmas socks ready to be shipped to veterans in hospitals, with Mrs. Jack Hammett in charge. The club also sent a Christmas package to Mae Sisco, of the Beulah Heights Orphanage. Misses Fay Petry and Anna Belle Fallin selected the gifts to be sent.

The social highlight of December was the Christmas party which was held at the home of Mrs. Herman Harmon.

There was discussion of the stamps to be collected for the disabled veterans and Mrs. Charles Adkins was appointed chairman of the project. There was also a discussion on the project, "Building Freedom with Youth". Mesdames David Sloan and Henry Fults were appointed to organize some of the activities for the project.

The club discussed the tea to be given February 2, with the Prestonsburg and Jenkins Junior Women's Clubs as guests. Miss Clara Shaw will be guest-speaker.

The next meeting will be in the home of Mrs. Ruel Hicks, January 21.

TO THE CITIZENS OF FLOYD COUNTY:

I wish to express my appreciation for the support given me in my election to the office of State Representative, 96th District, Floyd county. I shall attempt to carry on the program of legislation which I have sponsored heretofore.

If any citizen of this county has in mind legislation which he would like presented to the General Assembly, I should very much appreciate your contacting me in person, on week-ends, here in Floyd county, or by letter addressed to me in care of the House of Representatives, Frankfort, Ky.

Assuring you that your suggestions in this regard will be given the attention they deserve, I remain,

Your friend,
HENRY S. HALE,
State Representative
96th District.

TRAM

Patty Hinchman celebrated her eighth birthday Saturday afternoon. Her guests presented her many gifts. All played games and refreshments were served.

L. A. Blair, who has been ill for quite a while, is improving now.

Clyde Hinchman, of Williamson, W. Va., visited his parents here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tilgman Collins, of Ashland, visited Willie Collins, here, Saturday and Sunday.

Rev. and Mrs. Lee Burgess, who have been visiting friends and relatives at Grand Blanc, Mich., have returned home.

Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Williams visited Mr. and Mrs. Thurman Harvel, Sunday afternoon.

Morgan and Kelly Layne were visiting friends here, Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Lora Conley is visiting her son, Avery Wright, and family, in Cincinnati at present.

Miss Ethel May Harvel was the overnight guest of Bonnie Hinchman Saturday.

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Mrs. Ted Collins has been a patient in the Beaver Valley hospital, the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Milford Hall, of Flemingsburg, were visiting relatives here last week.

Harold James and Tilden Ray Stumbo, students at the University of Kentucky, were home over the week-end.

Mrs. Rosa Hall, of Dayton, O., is staying here with her sister, Mrs. One Martin, who is seriously ill.

Mrs. Fannie Collins and daughter, Miss Alma Collins, of Prestonsburg, were Saturday night guests of Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Stumbo.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Stumbo have gone to Florida for the winter.

Mrs. Troy Mullins, of Garrett, and Mrs. Tilden Stumbo spent Sunday with Mrs. Dewey Stumbo.

Mrs. Maggie Hopkins, Mousie Turner, Mrs. Rosa Hall, Marion Martin, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Turner attended the Pilgrim Rest Church at Orkney Sunday.

In Monroe county, 134 homemakers made 525 red baskets, mats and trays.

Sunday School Campaign Committee In Meeting

Several members of the Martin Sunday School Campaign Committee met Sunday afternoon in the Baptist Church. The meeting was opened with prayer by Dr. Wade Mahood. Mrs. Joe Allen reported on the activities of the school children's committees in connection with the program. Those attending decided to continue the movement with further adult leadership.

Goals for 1952 were discussed. The following objectives for January were agreed upon: printed posters, car and home stickers, and membership buttons for everyone who is enrolled in any Sunday School. Those attending voted to ask the young people of the various churches to take a religious census as soon as possible. Cards for this will be on hand at the January meeting, which will be held in the Christian Church on January 20 at 2 p. m., Dr. Mahood presiding. The meeting was closed with prayer by Rev. Mearl Wadley, pastor of the Baptist Church.

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SUGAR LOAF

(Last week's correspondence)

Pfe. Hansel Roy Hicks is serving with the 7th FA Bn. Battery, in Germany. He has been in an army hospital but is improving, his wife, Mrs. Dorothy Hicks, has learned.

Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Hurd, newlyweds, have moved into their new home.

Ernest Collins and Billy Wallen have returned home from Columbus, Ohio.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmo Wallen celebrated their 42nd wedding anniversary, Dec. 24.

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Mrs. Maudie Lucas visited her mother, Mrs. May Wallen, who is ill at her home on Sugar Loaf.

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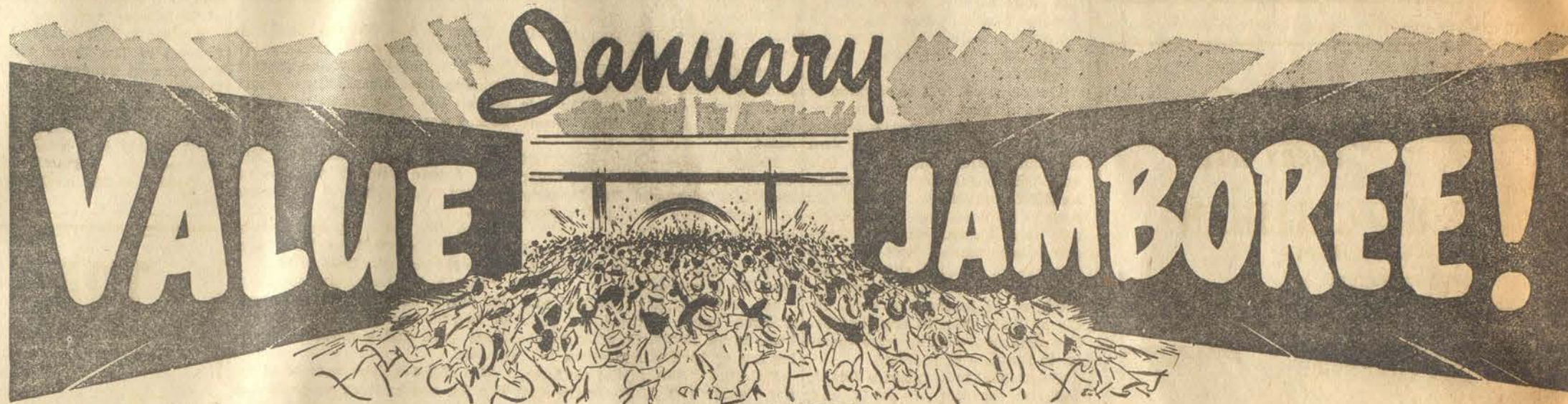
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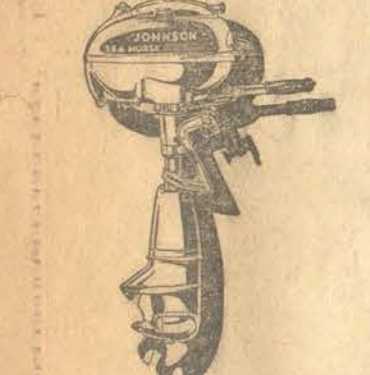
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VFW AUXILIARY MEETS V.F.W. Auxiliary Post No. 5839 held its regular meeting Friday night at the home of Mrs. W. V. Bunting. Those present were Mesdames C. R. Hutton, Kate Ward, Lucy M. Crisp, Florence Lemaster, Fannie Runnels, and Miss Geraldine Burchett. After the meeting closed, refreshments were served. Next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Tom James, Feb. 1.

A married man with two children must have an annual income of \$10,542 to have the same buying power he had in 1940 on a \$5,000 income, according to statistics released by the Kentucky Chamber of Commerce. In 1940 a married man with three dependents and a \$5,000 income paid only \$75 Federal income tax, netting him \$4,925. In order that he might have the same purchasing power today, he must make \$10,542, and pay \$1,913 in income tax. But the tax is not the only cut, according to the State Chamber study. Of that \$10,542, he loses \$3,704 in purchasing power as a result of inflation.

Regardless of how deeply rooted in the earth, the strongest tree as well as the smallest must some time yield to the fierceness of the wind, the lightning's blast or the power of disease. So, likewise, must the best and greatest of men, though deeply set in the educational, agricultural, social, economic, scientific and religious life of our world, inevitably yield to the cycle of death. We are vividly reminded of these facts in the passing of our fellow-citizen, our neighbor and our friend, Beverly Lewis Clark May, son of the late John May and Darcas Conley May, who was born November 14, 1859 on Beaver Creek, Floyd county, Kentucky. About the year 1882 he was married to Amanda J. Allen. Unto this marriage were born two sons John May, who now resides at Lauri, Mississippi, and Felix May who passed away in infancy. Soon after this his wife, Amanda J., died.

And the First Baptist Church of Martin proves this. It is one of the fastest growing churches in the county—thanks to the Rev. and Mrs. Merle Wadley, of Oklahoma, who came on the job last June as the first fulltime pastor and wife since the church was organized. Everyone rightly gives the credit to the Lord. The Wadleys praise the members, while the latter commend their work, since this growth took place after their arrival. Attendance has increased so that the partition must be removed. Then the auditorium, together with an elevated choir under consideration, will seat approximately 200 persons. One of the foremost charter members, Clarence King, has suggested that a baptistry be installed, and since he is the sort who gets what he goes after, no doubt one will be forthcoming.

Georgianne and Geraldine Allen, of Maytown, have both volunteered for fulltime work. Gerry wants to become a missionary, and she is one member who has not missed a service, it is reported. She teaches one class of the younger children in Sunday School. As superintendent, Bro. G. C. Sargent, keeps the Sunday School humming. Bible, offering and attendance banners stimulate interest. The Baptist Training Union, for all ages, will be organized in January and meet at 6:30 p.m. The pastor starts teaching a BTU study course on Sunday evenings, Jan. 13. Everyone is invited to attend. Sunday night Rev. Smith, of Hindman, Knott county, showed a marvelous film on alcohol and youth. A church library was started recently, with Mrs. Don Prater, of Dinwood, as librarian. She and her fine young husband are recent converts. The week following the arrival of the first books found Bro. Charlie Rickman, our other good deacon, at the church making a bookcase. He made pockets for mission tracts not long ago. Wayne Haggans, church clerk, made a fine bulletin board. Many others serve in various ways, but lack of space prevents mention of more this time. Like several other good churches in Martin, this one is going places! The committee sponsoring the city-wide Sunday School campaign invites everyone to attend the church of his or her choice any time. Many church leaders throughout the community attend services in various churches, enjoying the fellowship with the others.

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A man receiving an income of \$6,072 today no more than equals the buying power of a man making \$3,000 in 1940, for in that year a person in the \$3,000 income bracket paid no Federal taxes. In 1951 the man with a \$6,072 income and three dependents must cough up \$816 to the Government, and he loses another \$2,256 to inflation. These figures are based on tax rates which became effective on November 1.

The higher the income, the more a person loses in purchasing power. In 1940, a three-dependent man commanding a \$25,000 income netted \$21,429 after taxes. To equal that dollar value today, he would have to make \$76,322—more than three times as much. His tax would figure at \$38,778, and devaluation of the dollar would slash off another \$16,115, the Chamber study points out.

Executors Notice All persons having claims against the estate of E. P. Arnold, deceased, are hereby notified to present same, properly proven, to the undersigned executor at Prestonsburg, Ky., at once; and all persons indebted to said estate are notified to settle same promptly. W. W. COOLEY, Executor Estate of E. P. Arnold, deceased. 1-17-52.

During the year 1890 he was united in marriage to Arzilla Pratt. Unto this union were born eleven children. Those who survive him are Mrs. G. C. Patton, Alphoretta, W. H. May, Langley, A. J. May, Jr., Miami, Florida, M. M. May, Alphoretta, O. P. May, Alphoretta, Mrs. Ray Flannery, Langley, Henry E. May, Alphoretta and Mrs. E. M. Hayes, Alphoretta, Elmon, Josie and Tom preceeded him in death. Surviving are 27 grandchildren and 18 great-grandchildren. His brothers were Ruben, Albert, David, Felix, William H. and A. J. May, Sr. Sisters were Sarah May, Emily Francis Ratliff, Margaret May, Mary Jane May and Darcas May.

Beverly Lewis Clark May was in his life an example of energy, of strength and industry. By hard work and good management he accumulated about 900 acres of Beaver Creek's finest land, most of which he divided among his children. His second wife, Arzilla Pratt, passed from this life during the year 1931. For 20 years he remained a widower. While a young man in 1889 he was received into the fellowship of the Methodist Church at Maytown by the late Rev. James Laferty. Some years ago he requested Rev. Isaac Stratton to preach his funeral and the writer is informed that he told Rev. Stratton during his late illness that he was ready and prepared to go. Being of early, honorable, pioneer, Colonial Virginia ancestry, Clark manifested the finest traits of rugged honesty and energy. He not only leaves his surviving children, neighbors and friends but an only brother, the Hon. A. J. May, able ex-Congressman of Prestonsburg, Ky.

Clark will be greatly missed by his many friends, but his contribution to the citizenry of our country through his fine sons and daughters and grandchildren will be long remembered. A friend, W. S. AKERS

The church has 49 members, including nine men. Offerings surpass \$100 weekly quite frequently, and gifts come unsolicited. Surprise donations appear in other forms, a communion service and offering plates recently. The church owns a bus, which covers Right Beaver to Maytown, and operates a station wagon on Left Beaver as needed. For months Mason Moore has furnished car and driver to bring many children. He is a strong new Christian who believes in witnessing. He declined reimbursement for repairs to the bus and many months of gas bills. Those gifts are above the Moore tithe. Brothers in distress always find Brother Moore and other good men of the church ready for a word of prayer together, any time or place. The men have organized the Baptist Brotherhood. They meet for programs and dinners, with guest speakers. Rev. Smith and his musicians from Knott county were present for the first meeting, while the Paintsville Baptist Church furnished the guest-speaker and singers for the January meeting, when the WMS served dinner as usual.

Mrs. E. R. Coleman is the live-wire president of the WMS, which meets every Tuesday at 7 p.m., to study and to carry on a program of community missions. The WMS sponsors the Sunbeam Band, for little folks nine and under, meeting first and third Saturdays at 1:30 p.m., Miss Georgianne Roark in charge, with Mrs. Henry Adams as assistant. Mothers may leave their little ones with them while shopping on Saturday afternoons. Miss Roark is also church pianist, while Mrs.

The Holland Homemakers Club in Allen county set shrubs on the school grounds, then had a box supper to raise money for installing a water system in the school. Four broiler houses, 30 by 50 feet, have been built in Elliott county, production in 1952 being estimated at 38,000 chicks.

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MINNIE (Last week's correspondence) The home of Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Collins at Salisbury was the scene of a family reunion on Christmas Day. Eight of their 10 living children and their in-laws and grandchildren were present, also two grandchildren they reared, Pauline Hall, of McDowell, and Paul Collins, with the navy stationed at Charleston, S. C., and three other grandchildren, Joe Edward, Myrtie and Richard Lee Collins, of South Webster, O. Mr. and Mrs. Ed Collins and Tilden Collins motored to South Webster, O., recently, to visit relatives. Freda Collins, of Salisbury, visited her grandmother, Mrs. Jess Pack, Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Preston Collins visited Tom Turner at Wayland Sunday. His condition seems unchanged.

More than 80 hooked rugs are being made by Hardin county homemakers. Approximately 80 tobacco growers in Owsley county suffered losses from black shank in 1951.

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RETURNS FROM KOREA

Sgt. Ernest Dingus, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Dingus, Mare Creek, spent a 30-day furlough with his parents after 14 months' service in Korea. Sgt. Dingus has returned to Camp Le Jeune, N. C., where he expects to get his discharge on Feb. 25 after four years' service with the U. S. Marine Corps.

COMPLETES 'BASIC'

3RD ARMORED DIVISION, FT. KNOX, Dec. 27 — Pvt. Herbert Mosley, 21, son of Mrs. Gracie Curtnutte, Garrett, Ky., has completed Army branch immaterial basic training conducted by the 3rd Armored Division here. Pvt. Mosley entered the army in October.

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REPORT OF CONDITION OF THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK

OF PRESTONSBURG, IN THE STATE OF KENTUCKY, AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS ON DEC. 31, 1951. PUBLISHED IN RESPONSE TO CALL MADE BY COMPTROLLER OF THE CURRENCY, UNDER SECTION 5211, U. S. REVISED STATUTES.

ASSETS

1. Cash, balances with other banks, including reserve balance, and cash items in process of collection	\$ 955,537.79
2. United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed	2,051,412.50
3. Obligations of States and political subdivisions	165,241.35
5. Corporate stocks (including \$9,000.00 stock of Federal Reserve bank)	9,000.00
6. Loans and discounts (including none overdrafts)	1,630,946.67
7. Bank premises owned \$12,000.00, furniture and fixtures \$15,645.00	27,645.00
TOTAL ASSETS	\$4,839,783.31

LIABILITIES

13. Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	\$2,657,775.25
14. Time deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	1,333,450.82
15. Deposits of United States Government (including postal savings)	14,336.73
16. Deposits of States and political subdivisions	434,153.28
17. Deposits of banks	29,018.57
18. Other deposits (certified and cashier's checks, etc.)	20,975.55
TOTAL DEPOSITS	\$4,489,710.20

CAPITAL ACCOUNTS

25. Capital Stock:	
(c) Common stock, total par \$100.00	\$ 100,000.00
26. Surplus	250,000.00
27. Undivided profits	73.11
TOTAL CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	350,073.11
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	\$4,839,783.31

MEMORANDA

31. Assets pledged or assigned to secure liabilities and for other purposes \$ 510,000.00
State of Kentucky, county of Floyd, ss:
I, Russell Hagewood, cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.
RUSSELL HAGEWOOD, Cashier.

Correct—Attest:
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B. M. SPURLOCK)
A. B. COMBS) Directors.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 8th day of January, 1952.
IRENE McINTOSH, Notary Public.
(SEAL) My commission expires May 12, 1955.

LETTERS

TO THE EDITOR

'We Spent a Christmas in Korea'
Today is Christmas. Although we are far from home, this is the day that every soldier and person should be thankful for. One thing that made hundreds of soldiers happy was the Christmas tree and church services that took place here in Korea. Lots of GIs received many Christmas packages, and I know that was pleasing to any one here.

It makes a guy feel strange to work most of the day on Christmas eve, but it's a job that has to be done. I took time out with my buddies, Cpl. Edward Ratliff and Pfc. Dean Bence, to go to church. It was over two miles to where the chaplain held the service. It was nice. The scripture was about the day Christ was born, with the most beautiful Christmas carols that could be sung by a group of girls. On our way to service the trees were all broken down where the enemy had shelled us, two nights before Christmas eve, but Christmas was still in our hearts, and the church service was on our minds.

After we had returned to our company, a nice big turkey dinner was waiting. Our mess kits were full. We all sat down on our helmets to enjoy the nice Christmas dinner that had been prepared for us. I know this Christmas wasn't like the one we could have had, if we had been home with mother and dad and our small brothers. When we were only kids, we always looked forward to receiving gifts. Well, today we pulled out our small Bibles and thanked God for taking care of us.

Some day we will be back home, and return to a normal, clean life, but until then we have a job to do, and I'm sure God will watch over us until the job is well done. I know the people back home are trying to do their best in every way to stop this war. All we can do now is thank you all from the bottom of our hearts.

You all have helped us in blood and Red Cross drives. Speaking of the Red Cross, we can thank them for the wonderful job that they have done, for their work has saved many GIs' lives here in Korea.

We will win like we have always and we will keep the peace in our country if we have to die to do that. I know there are lots of mothers worrying over their sons here in Korea. But God is with us, and that's the greatest thing you can have.

We hope that you all at home will write to us and pray for us that we may spend the next Christmas at home.

This is to wish you all a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year. Yes, we spent a Christmas in Korea.

PFC. DEWEY L. COLLIER
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A Tough Law Is Needed

THE Kentucky Legislature should, without delay, enact legislation to curb the sale and use of narcotics in all their varied forms, in the absence of a physician's prescription. Governor Wetherby has wisely requested action along these lines.

Such legislation should not be designed to cover only morphine, heroin and those other more potent drugs whose damaging influences have long been recognized. There are those less powerful sedatives which under present law are easily procured and which, as a result, are even more alarming than those narcotics which are usually introduced hypodermically into the bloodstream.

In Prestonsburg, for example, the widespread use of "sleeping pills" and the obvious effects on their users have become alarming. The effect of these so-called sedatives has, on occasion, been more permanently damaging than has alcohol.

Some veteran drinkers who under the influence of alcohol were never considered dangerous have shown a tendency to violence, their minds manifestly deranged.

More alarming than all this, however, is the unimpeded flow of traffic in these narcotics and the ever-present possibility of youths being induced by traffickers in the drugs to become users. Sellers seek new outlets; habitues seek new sources of supply.

Alcohol is an age-old problem. So is "dope." To disregard either while devoting full attention to the other is to commit more than the mere sin of omission.

Gentlemen, write this law clearly. Make it tough—and, please, make it enforceable.

MAY BEAT DEADLINE

Pikeville, Ky. (Spl.)—Students enrolling in the teachers course at Pikeville Junior College this month will be in the last class which will earn the provisional elementary certificate in two years, President A. A. Page of Pikeville, said today. Registration for the spring semester in the teachers course and the college's other courses of study will begin January 29. Prospective teachers entering then and attending classes until August of next year will just beat the legal deadline, Dr. Page said. The requirements for the certificate will be raised in September, 1953, to include four years of college study.

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Miss Janice Spurlock was honored with a birthday party in her home Saturday night by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Spurlock. The following attended: Sonja Johnson, Marcia Adcock, Joy May, Lois Faye Woods, Shirley Chaffin, Sally Jo Frazier, Betty Jean Vanhoose, Pauletta Spurlock, Lana Spurlock, Jimmy D. George, Jimmy D. Gray, Dennis Ray Spurlock and Otis Ray Burton.

Miss Peggy McCarty enjoyed a birthday party in her home Friday night, given by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry McCarty. A number of guests attended from Martin and Allen.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Fraley entertained with a party in their home Tuesday night honoring their daughter, Janet Sue, on her 16th birthday anniversary. The party, a surprise, was enjoyed by 29 of her friends at Allen and Martin.

The Allen Methodist basketball team defeated the Wayland Methodists by two points in the Wayland gym, Monday night, James W. Laferty is coach for the Allen team.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Snodgrass and children, Charlotte and Ronnie, were shopping in Huntington and Ashland, Saturday.

Mrs. Charles Laferty spent the week-end with her husband at Ft. Meade, Maryland.

Mrs. Bessie Laferty accompanied her brother, Mont Hall, to Cincinnati Sunday to visit Betty Lou Hall, a student at the conservatory of music. They also visited other friends there.

Mrs. Billy Ball and baby, June Ellen, visited Mrs. G. L. Gray, Friday, while enroute home at Weeksbury after a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Noah Ball at Catalpa.

Mrs. Lizzie Bentley is improving from a six-week illness at her home here.

Bob Clifton has been removed from the C. & O. hospital to his home and is slowly improving.

Revival services will be held in the Methodist church, Jan. 21 through February 3, at 7:30 p.m., daily, by the evangelist, Rev. G. C. Gaunce, of Carlisle, Ky. Fred Daniels will be song leader. Rev. Gaunce will stay in the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Auxier. Rev. M. N. DeHaven is pastor.

Mrs. Barden Gilbert of Laurel county sold 33 bushels of tomatoes at \$3 a bushel, canned 60 quarts for home use and had fresh tomatoes until snowfall.

ANTIS WEAK IN ASSEMBLY

Rep. Weintraub Loses By Big Edge in Fight For Delay in Rules

The first week of the 1952 session of the Kentucky General Assembly established that the House leadership is firmly entrenched and intends to hold its position.

The firmness of the leadership was demonstrated in a running debate between Majority Leader Harry King Lowman and Representative Morris Weintraub concerning adoption of the House rules.

Weintraub proposed delay in adopting the rules until the members had time to read them, but this was badly beaten and then followed almost staccato rejection by voice vote on four Weintraub amendments to the rules. Weintraub is a biennial "anti", and treatment of his objection to rules gives an early inkling of anti-administration weakness.

With the Assembly in session only two days its first week, Representative Carl Ruh, of Kenton county, took time to urge the members to conduct themselves with dignity. "Behave sensibly," he said, "Let's act like people."

Although 10 bills were introduced in the Senate, six of them by Senator Ed P. Warriner of Albany, and three in the House, none of these aroused the corridor comment that three other expected matters did.

In the opening week, absence of the Governor's message on budget, appropriations and taxation, the reports of the Functions and Resources Commission held chief interest in the House. Two of these favor the State taking over retail liquor sales and opening up the relief rolls to public scrutiny.

Local school politics may be expected to flare up on the House floor, since a number of representatives advocated popular election of county school superintendents in their campaigns last fall.

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The program has been arranged under the joint chairmanship of Mrs. Clark Todd, Den mother, Mrs. Bert Price, assistant Den mother, and Hershel Waugh, Cubmaster. Jack Hodge, area Scout executive, will conduct the award ceremony.

The following will receive advancements:

Bobcat—Bronnie Branham, Walter Arrowood, Jr., Douglas Tilow; Wolf—Tommy Cole, Roger Waugh; Bear—David Todd, David Price, Billy Harman; Lion—Clark Todd, Jr., Rodney Bussey.

Parents of the Cubs have been invited to attend the ceremony.

Miss Leslie Elected Berea FTA Secretary

Berea, Ky. (Spl.)—Mary Alice Leslie, a sophomore in Berea College, Berea, Ky., has been elected Secretary of the Future Teachers Association.

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MAYTOWN

W.S.C.S. MEETS AT HOME OF MRS. PATRICK

The Woman's Society of Christian Service met at the home of Mrs. Thomas Patrick, Tuesday evening, for the regular monthly meeting. Mrs. Arnold Maggard, program leader, opened the meeting by giving a talk on "What Bring We to Our Savior?" "Praise Him! Praise Him!" was sung by the group and was followed by prayer by Mrs. Kenny. Sandra Sue Patrick sang, "We Three Kings of Orient Are," and Mrs. Henry L. May gave a talk on "The Gift of New Members." These were followed by talks by Mrs. Howard Ramey on "The Gift of a Better-Educated Membership"; Mrs. George Patton on "Volunteers for Christian Service"; and Mrs. Thurnal Click on "The Gift of a Better-Educated May presided over the business meeting with Mrs. Howard Ramey giving the secretary's report and Mrs. Thurnal Click reporting on the treasury. Following the business meeting, refreshments were served to Mesdames Roger Turner, Thurnal Click, Arnold Maggard, Henry L. May, Raymond Hobson, Arnold Cassidy, Rebecca Hayes, James Allen, W. J. Kenny, Howard Ramey, Edward Robinson, George Patton, Charles Patton and Misses Sandra Sue Patrick, Patty Kenny and Tersea Turner.

Good attendance awards were presented at Sunday School this week. Those receiving pins were: 3 1/2 years—Mrs. Thomas Patrick, Sandra Sue Patrick, Billy Tallent; 3 years—Rebecca Hayes, Glenda Raye Patton, Bobby Tallent; 2 1/2 years—Glennis and Stannie Ramey, Mrs. Howard Ramey; 2 years—Linda Maggard, Sharon Patton, Doris Maggard, Catherine Patton, Donna Branham; 1 1/2 years—Ruby Mae and Rodane Gayheart, Jimmy Ison; 1 year—Kathy and Paul Patton, Shelby Jo Thacker, Joyce Ann Ellis; 6 months—Charlotte Maggard, Charlene Patton, Randy Ousley, David Patton, Shirley Thacker, Deanna Patton.

J. G. Gibson, who has been spending a 30-day furlough with his parents Mr. and Mrs. Seltan Gibson, has returned to Mitchell Field, N. Y. Mr. and Mrs. Ted Gibson accompanied him to Ashland.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert L. Allen, who are employed at Wheelwright, spent the week-end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ted Stapleton, and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Allen.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Taylor Begley and children, of Boldman, spent the week-end with Mrs. Robert Allen.

Mrs. Viola Stewart was a business visitor in Prestonsburg, Saturday.

Mrs. Louisa Ison and son, Delbert Ison, have been visiting Johnnie Ison and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Patrick and Sandra Sue were the dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Ramey, Sunday.

Sincere sympathy is extended to the family of B. L. C. May who passed away last week. The Methodist Church would like to thank the family for the lovely flowers they gave to the church for the service, Sunday. After the church services, the flowers were sent to Ruth Hicks who is ill.

Kendall L. May, of Cincinnati, was the dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Sutton, Friday.

Marcella Patton and son, David, were the overnight guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Estep, of Paintsville, last week.

Dr. J. H. Allen and daughter, Harriet, left Sunday for Florida where they plan to spend the remainder of the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. John M. Allen and daughter, Tonia, of Cincinnati, were here for the funeral of B. L. C. May. They were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Sutton for several days. Also visiting Mr. and Mrs. Sutton last week was their daughter, Mrs. John A. Crow, of Covington, Ky., who was here for the funeral of Mr. May.

Mesdames C. L. and G. E. Allen were shopping in Huntington, Wednesday and Thursday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Ousley entertained the members of the MYF at their home, Sunday evening.

The following Boy Scouts, led by Scoutmaster Edward F. Robinson, went on a hike Saturday up through Turkey Creek and across the hill into Wayland: Frank and Ermil Reffitt, Nicky Turner, Robert Reffitt, Rodney Click, Danny Allen, David Fraley, Bill Martin, Morris Maggard, Jimmy Hopson, Lee Edward Caudill, Joe Taylor Gayheart, Glennis Ramey and Chalmer Hicks.

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John Wesley Moore was guest of honor Sunday at a dinner given by Mrs. Moore and his daughters, Mrs. Bill Pettrey, Mrs. Frank Rasnick and Mrs. Rudolph Spencer, at the home of Mrs. Rasnick, on his birth anniversary. Guests were Dr. and Mrs. A. N. Begley, Dr. and Mrs. M. M. Collins, Mr. and Mrs. Felix Coburn, Mr. and Mrs. Troy Webb, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Blanton, Gladys Wright, Tommy Johnson, Rudolph Spencer and Frank Rasnick.

Charles Wright, student at the U. of K., spent the week-end here, guest of Betty Ann Martin, and Mrs. Martin.

Mr. and Mrs. Don C. Harris, Jr., of Lexington, spent the week-end here with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Rasnick.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Curnutte, of Ashland, visited Mrs. Kate Martin and other relatives here last week.

Kathleen Bolen and Mrs. Goldie Bailey, of Louisville, were called here last week by the illness of their mother, Mrs. French Bolen.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry May, of Langley, visited Mr. and Mrs. Troy Webb, Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Brown, of Georgetown, announce the arrival of a son. Mrs. Brown is the former Marcia Triplett, of this town. The baby has been named Hugh Douglas.

Dr. and Mrs. R. H. Messer, Mrs. C. B. Ison and sons, Bernie and David, and Nora Bolen left last week to spend several weeks in Bonita Springs, Florida.

Rev. and Mrs. G. B. Allen are visiting their daughters in Long Island, N. Y.

Rev. D. J. Smith left Tuesday to attend a meeting in Louisville.

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Past Noble Grand Club Meets
The members of the Past Noble Grand Club met at the home of Mrs. Estill Shepherd, Jan. 4. After the business meeting, refreshments were served to the following: Mrs. C. F. Rinehart, Mrs. Henry Harris, Mrs. Opal Fitzpatrick, Mrs. Nancy

Gaudill, Mrs. Robert Wallace, and the hostess, Mrs. Shepherd.
New officers for the ensuing year were elected: Mrs. Elizabeth Collins, president; Mrs. Robert Wallace, vice-president; Mrs. Henry Harris, treasurer, and Mrs. Opal Fitzpatrick, secretary.

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Council To Stress Cub Packs in '52, Picklesimer Says

The organization of Cub Packs for younger boys of the Lonesome Fine Council will receive major consideration during the year 1952, according to Council President Virgil Picklesimer.

The program has proved to be extremely popular throughout America after it was first introduced in 1939. In some sections there are more Cub Scouts than Boy Scouts enrolled, Picklesimer said.

Cub Packs are already organized in these towns of the Lonesome Fine Council: Prestonsburg, Pikeville, David, Wheelwright, Jackson, Hazard, Hindman, Salyersville, Elk-horn City, Paintsville, McDowell, Feds Creek, in Kentucky; and McClure and Stonega in Virginia. Field Scout Executives will help local volunteer leaders in organization efforts, and give training to the Cubmaster, Den Mothers and other Cub Scout leaders. Parent-Teacher Associations of many towns of Eastern Kentucky and Virginia have been asked to sponsor Cub Scouting for younger boys.

Picklesimer said that Cubbing has much to offer as a character building program and as a preventive of juvenile delinquency.

Orville Jennings of Rowan county averaged 2,940 pounds of tobacco per acre on 2.1 acres.



The 1951 gridiron campaign is now just a memory, and one of the fondest memories University of Utah fans have remaining is represented by the photo reproduced here. It shows "Set" Branham, son of Mrs. Fanny Branham, Prestonsburg, dragging three Brigham Young University players across the goal line to score Utah's only touchdown of the game and give Utah a 7 to 6 victory over its traditional grid rival.

Beaver Valley Kiwanis Officers Are Installed; Leatherman Is President

Albert K. Moore, Salyersville, Lieutenant-Governor, Division 7 of Kentucky-Tennessee District, Kiwanis International, installed the new officers of the Kiwanis Club of Beaver Valley at a meeting, January 7, at the Wheelwright club house. Officers for 1952 are: president, George Leatherman; vice-president, Wayne Ratliff; secretary, Waldo Cummings; treasurer, H. M. Wilkinson, Jr.; board of directors—Cliff Akers, Rex Ankrum, Steve Clark, John Parker. Poster Spence, Hobart Smith, Harry Zimmerman; Immediate Past President, Alvin Reed.

Lt. Gov. Moore spoke to the club briefly on "The Importance of Leadership."

The ladies of Kiwanians were the special guests of the evening.

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MARTIN EDGES CATS, 54-53

P'burg Team in Win
Over Wayland Wasps
As Attack Improves

Prestonsburg high school's Black Cats moved forward in the sectional net ratings last week as they won one game and barely lost a second in encounters with two of the county's stronger basketball fives.

Coach Bill Damron's boys, who have floundered a bit in trying to find themselves, surprised the visiting Wayland Wasps last Tuesday night, winning 45-38 with a strong fourth-quarter rally, and then on Friday night extended the fast Martin Purple Flash down to the wire, the Martin team winning, 54 to 53.

The Cats trailed Martin through every quarter, but were never far back after the first quarter when Coach Denzil Halbert's boys held a 16-7 lead.

Against Wayland they were behind as late as the end of the third quarter. Hughes and Pike with 17 and 14 points, respectively, led the Cat offensive, while Roberts and Griffith with 16 and 13 points were the Wasps' big guns.

Grigsby's 24 points vanned the Martin attack, while Hughes' 15 were best for Prestonsburg. Woods, a big newcomer at center, showed promise for the Cats with 11 points.

Line-ups:

Prestonsburg	fg.	ft.	Pts.
Mayo, f.	2	3	2
Hughes, f.	7	3	17
Patton, c.	1	2	0
Pike, g.	6	2	14
Caudill, g.	1	1	4
Totals	17	11	12

Wayland

Wayland	fg.	ft.	Pts.
Edwards, f.	1	0	2
Polly, f.	2	1	5
Griffith, c.	5	3	13
Roberts, g.	6	4	18
Branham, g.	1	0	3
Totals	15	8	14

Quarter scores:

Prestonsburg	7	23	29	45
Wayland	11	26	33	38

Prestonsburg

Prestonsburg	fg.	ft.	Pts.
Mayo, f.	3	3	9
Hughes, f.	7	1	15
Woods, f.	4	3	11
Pike, g.	3	3	9
Dixon, g.	2	1	5
Patton, c.	1	1	3
Caudill, g.	0	1	2
Totals	20	13	16

Martin

Martin	fg.	ft.	Pts.
Frazier, f.	4	0	8
Ratliff, f.	0	2	3
Clek, f.	5	2	12
Grigsby, f.	9	6	24
D. Lafferty, f.	1	0	2
J. Lafferty, f.	0	1	1
Flanery, f.	1	1	3
Baldrige, f.	1	0	2
Totals	21	12	21

Score by quarters:

Martin	18	29	41	59
Prestonsburg	7	23	37	53

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Ramblers Lose First Of Season to Clowns; Defeat Pike Alumni

After losing their first game of the season last Wednesday to the Broadway Colored Clowns, a team which has won 94 consecutive games, 45 during a tour of South America and Africa, the Prestonsburg Semi-Pro Ramblers came back Tuesday night to defeat the Pikeville College quintet at Pikeville, 89 to 77 in an overtime contest.

The Clowns defeated the Ramblers, 53-39, holding a decided height advantage with a team average of 6 feet, 4 inches.

At Pikeville the Ramblers led all the way until the alumni team knotted the score in the last two minutes of the game on Dickie Frater's two field goals in a row. In the overtime Tommy Blackburn, who led the Rambler offense with 27 points, flipped in a fielder and a charity toss to clinch the game.

Prater usually plays with the Ramblers but switched over to play with his former team-mates, Tuesday night. He led the alumni with 26 points.

Line-ups:

Clowns (53)	Pos.	Ramblers (39)
Vincent (4)	F.	Prater (11)
Johnson (4)	F.	Coleman (6)
Thompson (15)	C.A.	Blackburn (2)
Cooper (11)	G.	T. Blackburn (8)
Dumpson (8)	G.	J. Heinze (6)
Substitutions: Clowns—Foster (4), Moore (6); Ramblers—Goble (6), Heinze, Hutchinson.		
Ramblers (8)	Pos.	Alumni (77)
Coleman (8)	F.	Butcher (7)
F. Heinze (18)	F.	Prater (26)
A. Blackburn (20)	C.	Hambrik (11)
J. Heinze (7)	G.	Keene (11)
T. Blackburn (27)	G.	Bolen (6)
Substitutions: Ramblers—Fannin; Alumni—Cline (11), Adams (4), Hinkle (1).		

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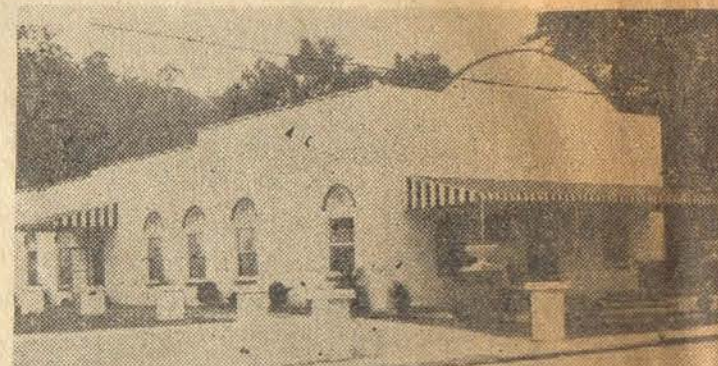
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