

THURSDAY

PRESTONSBURG, KENTUCKY

NOVEMBER 27, 1952

This Town-- That World

WE ARE THANKFUL It's Thanksgiving again, and as usual we are having to work. But there's not one of us here at The Times who are not thankful for life, liberty and for the opportunity to stage our own separate pursuits of happiness.

NO BARGAIN One of the poorest investments of the year may have been that of the big cereal manufacturer who paid Phil "the Scooter" Rizzuto, Yankee shortstop, good, hard money to say on a radio program that he owed his great store of energy to generous helpings, every morning, of Crunchies (or some other breakfast food). What made the investment look bad was the Scooter's complaint, which a sports-writer printed next day, that he had to take vitamin pills to keep going through the grind of the baseball season.

ECHO Reminiscent of George Hereford's crack to the effect that any fool oughta have as much sense as a goose and go South for the winter is this yarn from The Readers Digest:

A V-shaped string of cucks flew over, headed south, and Pete, a lanky southerner, stood motionless on his hooks watching them. Then he slowly descended the pole and ambled over to the foreman. "How about gettin' me my money, boss?" he said. "Where are you going?" Pete waved his hand in the direction of the departed ducks. "I figure there ain't no ducks in the whole world that's smarter'n I am."

Mrs. Bert Crisp Dies At Wheelwright Home, Stroke Victim Monday

Mrs. Pearl Little Crisp, 46 years old, wife of Bert Crisp, died at her home in Wheelwright at 10:30 p.m., Monday, shortly after she had suffered a paralytic stroke. The stroke followed an illness of a few weeks.

Mrs. Conn was a daughter of Miles and Lucy Hall Little and was a native of the community where she died. Besides her husband and parents, she leaves two sons and three daughters, Donald Gene Crisp, Detroit, Michigan, Bert Kenneth Crisp, Mrs. Russell Elam, Jr., Misses Betty Jo and Patsy June Crisp, all of Wheelwright. Two brothers and one sister also survive: Oscar and Robert Lee Little and Mrs. Worley Johnson, all of Wheelwright.

Funeral rites were conducted today (Thursday) at 11 a.m. from the Freewill Baptist Church, Wheelwright Junction, by the Revs. Kelly Patton and Adam Osborn. Burial in the Branham cemetery at Wheelwright was under direction of the Hall Brothers Funeral Home.

TV Stars To Sing Here Friday Evening

Their program at the grade school auditorium here Friday evening at 8 under the auspices of the Mountain Anglers will probably be the last 1952 appearance in Floyd county of the Huntington Harmonaires, famous television singers of spirituals and religious hymns, it was said this week.

Court House Happenings

SUITS FILED John Warrick, etc. vs. Henry Stumbo, etc.; J. K. Lewis, atty. Calvin Smith vs. Irene Johnson Smith; Tackett & Tackett, attys. Arvilla Raines Collins vs. Arthur Collins; W. W. Burchett, atty. Ralph Jack Stone vs. Janice Stone; W. W. Burchett, atty. Valley Motor Car Co., Inc. vs. Ernest King, etc.; Jarvis Allen, atty. Esther Sammons vs. Richard Sammons; Tackett & Tackett, attys.

R. E. Harlowe Addresses Chicago Safety Congress

Robert E. Harlowe, safety supervisor for the Remington Arms company at its Independence, Mo., arsenal, was a featured speaker at a session of the National Safety Congress and Exposition in Chicago, Oct. 23.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Elliott Vanderpool and Barbara Shepherd. Freddie Spears, 24, Printer, and Renda Meade, 20, Orkney; married at Martin, Nov. 22, by the Rev. S. D. Osborne. Kenneth Van Leer Miller, 22, and Anna Marie May, 21. Keith Scott and Helen Hirsks. Glen Collins and Ivalce Keathley. Hassell Boggs and Opal Irene Delong.

COURT RULING RESTORES TRIO BOARD OUSTED

Appellate Court Holds Martin Commission Must Act Until Bonds Paid

The long-standing dispute over control of the municipally-owned Martin waterworks last week again was the subject of a Court of Appeals decision, and the high court this time held illegal the abolishment by the Martin City Council of the original three-man Water Commission and its replacement by a Water Committee.

Effect of the court's ruling was to restore to office on the Water Commission Lawrence Keathley, chairman, Ray R. Allen and Lloyd McGary.

The Appellate Court held that a three-man Board of Water Commissioners must run the waterworks until its \$100,000 bond issue is paid off. The decision reversed the judgment of the Floyd circuit court which upheld discarding of the commission for a committee composed of T. J. Allen, Clyde P. Allen and Z. C. Dingus.

The Board of Trustees of Martin in October, 1949, authorized sale of the bonds to extend and improve the waterworks system. The bonds were sold to Westheimer & Company, Cincinnati.

The Cincinnati firm attached a condition to its bid that a three-man commission would be appointed to run the system throughout the life of the bonds.

The ordinance setting up the commission said it was designated to prevent the system from being "subjected to political or partisan favoritism" in its management.

Lloyd McGary was named for a two-year term as commissioner, Ray Allen, for four years, and Lawrence Keathley, six years. The town trustees later removed Keathley and Allen and named C. P. Allen and

WHY PUPILS QUIT SCHOOL

Is Topic of Study Discussed at Meet; Parents Are Blamed

Why pupils quit school was the subject of a conference held at the grade school building here Tuesday by Fred Edmunds, regional supervisor, Department of Education, with school supervisors, principals, attendance officers and teachers from four counties sitting in on the discussion.

Starting with figures showing that over the nation only one of 10 pupils who start in the grades complete high school and that in Kentucky the record is worse—only one out of 14—, data on the reasons for 59 Pike county pupils quitting school was released to the group:

Sixteen quit because of lack of interest; four, to go to work; five, because of illness; two, because of home conditions; one, to marry; three, for lack of adjustment; 12, for undetermined causes. No report was available on 16 of those who quit.

After all available data was studied, the feeling persisted that back of all this failure of youngsters to continue in school was the lack of parental interest.

The study will be continued, Mr. Edmunds told the gathering of 34, 23 of whom represented Floyd county. Other counties represented were Pike, Johnson and Magoffin.

Harlowe's address, "Meetings That Foremen Like," was one of three in a session arranged by the American Society of Safety Engineers on the general topic of "Making Safety Meetings for Supervisors Productive."

Remington's safety supervisor attended the week-long meeting, the 40th annual event sponsored by the National Safety Council.

Man Pleads Guilty To Idle Pay Fraud; To Repay \$90 Total

Arrested on six warrants, each of which named him as having received a week's unemployment pay while actually employed, Fred Conn, of Martin, Saturday entered a plea of guilty, and was fined \$10 and costs on each count by County Judge Henry Stumbo. The minimum fine was assessed only after Conn had agreed to repay the Kentucky Unemployment Commission the \$90 he illegally collected.

Conn was accused of drawing benefits in 1951 while employed by Allen & Allen, truck mine firm, Glenn S. Anderson, manager of the Kentucky Employment Service office here, said. When the warrants were first issued the wrong Fred Conn was arrested, he added.

FEDERAL JOBS TO BE FILLED

Floyd Not in Running For Two Top Positions As Appointments Loom

Two of the top federal jobs which will be open with the induction to the presidency of Dwight D. Eisenhower will not be sought by a Floyd politician, it was said here last week by a Republican who is in contact with district political maneuvers.

One of these posts is that of U. S. District Attorney, currently held by Claude P. Stephens, of Prestonsburg; the other, that of U. S. Marshal, now held by John Moore, of Pikeville.

The Times learned that Floyd county is not in the running for either federal job, but that it stands a good chance to be represented by assistants to the District Attorney and the U. S. Marshal.

Most often mentioned for the office of U. S. District Attorney are Chas. D. Trivette, of Virgie, Pike

'A GIFT FROM THE HEART,' IS THEME OF MARTIN BLOODMOBILE SPONSORS

"A Christmas gift from the heart" is the slogan of the Martin group sponsoring the last 1952 appearance in this county of the Bloodmobile, which will be at Martin, Wednesday of next week.

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All Commonwealth testimony (See Story No. 2, Page 6)

Governor Says Dewey Lake Might Have State Park, But Nobody Has Asked It

New industry for Eastern Kentucky, canalization of the Big Sandy river, improvement of U. S. 23, a greater tourist business for this area, a state park at Dewey Lake—hope of all these and the oneness of spirit of the 400 business and civic leaders who attended the gathering made of the Town Hall meeting in Ashland last Thursday evening what a Prestonsburg man described as "the best meeting of the kind I've ever attended."

Governor Lawrence W. Wetherby flew to Ashland from New Orleans to appear on the program and to join others in giving frank answers to blunt questions. The questions were submitted in writing, and one of these was:

"What is the possibility of developing a state park at Dewey Lake?" To which the Governor replied: "The possibilities of developing a state park at Dewey Lake are excellent. But nobody ever has asked the state Administration to develop such a park."

And that brought on discussion among themselves by representatives of Floyd and neighboring counties, then and later.

The speakers panel consisted of the Governor, Mayor David Aronberg

Tax League Files Fourth Suit



These Kentucky residents were among 108 employees of Columbia Gas System who received service emblems Nov. 18 in Charleston, W. Va. Shown with them are three officials who participated in the presentation: First row, left to right, Samuel Parsley, Warfield, Ky., 35-year pin; James Hyden, Langley, Ky., 25-year pin; Paul F. Jarrell, Mt. Sterling, Ky., 25-year pin; Earl Frasure, Langley, 25-year pin; C. C. Reffitt, Langley, 25-year pin; and Fed Allen, Hunter, 25-year pin. Back row, left to right, Oliver S. Hagerman, Charleston, chairman of the Board, Charleston Group Companies,

Columbia Gas System; Everett Booth, Louisa, 25-year pin; James M. Cook, Prestonsburg, Ky., 35-year pin; Stuart M. Crocker, New York, Chairman of the Board, Columbia Gas System, who made the awards; Charley L. York, Louisa, Ky., 35-year pin; John W. Partridge, President and General Manager, Charleston Group Companies; Wayne O. Hagans, Langley, Ky., 25-year pin; and William R. Minner, Lexington, Ky., 30-year pin. Ten others from Kentucky received awards but not in person.

JURY FINES LESTER \$250

Night Session Ends Martin Case Hearing; Week in Court, Dull

A trial which ended with a verdict just an hour short of midnight last Thursday saw a Floyd circuit court jury levy a fine of \$250 against Policeman Hershell Lester, of Martin, for the serious wounding there, several weeks ago, of Ed Hicks.

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Freed, Thankful Gloria Kramer Vows To Steer Clear of Crime

Mrs. Gloria Kramer's troubles with the law are over, unless she gets involved all over again—and she vows she won't.

The Louisville woman, who last week for the second time went on trial for the unlawful imprisonment and armed robbery of Nolan Worley, of Pike county, entered a plea of guilty to the charges, Tuesday, and was given a one-year pen term, and Wednesday morning was placed on probation by Circuit Judge Edward P. Hill.

Her guilty plea was made after she had been assured probation would be recommended. To the recommendation made by Commonwealth's Attorney Burnis Martin were added the pleas for clemency made by other officials and one or more jurors at his recent trial.

Last week's trial, as he did the first, ended in the jury failing to agree. Conviction on an armed robbery charge in Kentucky could carry the death sentence. The armed robbery indictment, however, was not considered against the woman.

Mrs. Kramer indicated to jail officials that she would return to Michigan to make a new start. At the time she allegedly forced Worley

at gun's point to drive her from the Kentucky end of the bridge at Williams, W. Va., to this county she was hoping to reach Louisville to join her mother, it was claimed. She was aroused from sleep while sitting in Worley's car at Betsy Layne and arrested by deputy sheriffs.

A Luger automatic with which she allegedly had threatened Worley was taken from her by Deputies Frank Crum and Frank Parsons.

At her two trials Mrs. Kramer denied forcing Worley to drive her to this county, but in a letter written at the county jail Tuesday to Circuit Judge Hill the woman expressed the hope that "Nolan Worley will forgive me."

Her letter to Judge Hill follows, in part: "It is daylight now and I will know your decision pretty soon. I want you to know that I will take prison with an humble and respectful attitude, and that at no time while I am there will I do anything to make the people of Prestonsburg sorry they showed me kindness and understanding. And when I get out I will live a good, clean life and show them how much I appreciate what they have done to show me that.

And if your decision is to probate me, I will always be very grateful for the chance you have given me.

"I also want you to know that I was praying practically all night, not for you to probate me but for God to help me and forgive me for the wrongs I have done. Last Sunday a preacher from the Baptist Church was here and I went and took his hand. Sir, I am going to join that church if they will have me. . . I will get down on my knees and pray every day for help in my new life. . . And I am asking Nolan Worley to forgive me, too, and I hope that he will. . ."

"We could have tried the girl a dozen times and never got a conviction," was the view expressed by one official. And that seemed to be the consensus of opinion.

CLARK WILL GO TO KNOTT

Before Grand Jury If Wanted; Cooper At Hindman Monday

Curtis Clark, Republican nominee for Congress at the recent election, in a telephone conversation with Knott County Attorney Cordell Martin, offered to appear before the grand jury at Hindman if he "was wanted" it was said Tuesday.

Senator John Sherman Cooper had appeared Monday and was closed with the Knott grand jury for half an hour. Clark's non-appearance was not due to the fact that he was not subpoenaed, he says, but after detailing certain irregularities in the Knott election to County Attorney Martin in the telephone conversation he was only asked to appear if he wanted to do so.

Subpoenas had been issued for Senator Cooper and Congressman Thurston B. Morton to tell the grand jury there what they knew of reports they said they had received of irregularities in Knott county during the recent election.

No subpoena was served on Senator Cooper, he said, but he went to Hindman because he had seen newspaper reports that he was expected to appear before the grand jury. "I am here to do that, if they want me," he said.

A few minutes later, after a brief conference with Circuit Judge John C. Cornett, Senator Cooper went into the grand jury room.

"I can only repeat what I said on election day," the senator from Somerset declared, "that I had heard reports on election irregularities in this and some other counties,

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PAY RAISES HIT BY SUIT FILED FRIDAY

Judge, 4 Magistrates Are Named Defendants Ask Court Injunction

A second suit was filed Friday by the Floyd County Good Government Tax League and its directors against County Judge Henry Stumbo and the four Magistrates comprising the fiscal court elected in 1949, this latest action contending that salary raises voted by the fiscal court at a special meeting Dec. 31, 1949 were illegal.

Claiming that the order of Dec. 31, 1949 could not supersede the action of the court at its April 5 meeting that year, when lower official salaries were set for the four year period, 1950-1954, the Tax League asks: 1. An accounting of Judge Stumbo's salaries and fees paid to him by the county in excess of the rate of pay set by the court at its April, 1949 meeting.

2. A judgment against the defendants, jointly and severally, for any sums which may appear to be due after this accounting is had.

3. The Floyd circuit court to restrain the fiscal court from paying any further salary or compensation of any kind to Judge Stumbo until an accounting is had.

Judge Stumbo's only comment this week was: "When the auditors make their final report, if it is found that any money has been paid me that doesn't rightfully belong to me, I intend to pay it back to the county treasury. And nobody will have to sue me to collect what is right and just."

The League's petition points out that at the April, 1949 meeting, which was attended by Magistrates Henry Stumbo, John May, Dewey Roberts and Glenn Burchett, salaries for the period, Jan. 1, 1950 to Dec. 31, 1954, were set as follows: County Judge, \$4,200; County Attorney, \$1,800; Jailer, \$1,200; County Clerk, \$750.

At the November election that year the state Constitution was amended to raise official salaries,

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DRAFT CALLS HIT TEACHERS

Replacements Lacking School System Seeking Temporary Deferments

Demands of the military draft are hitting Floyd county's schools hard, County Superintendent Virgil O. Turner said Wednesday as he discussed past and prospective losses of key teaching personnel.

Moreover, said the Superintendent, it isn't certain what can be done to relieve the situation. State selective service headquarters have declined to take action to defer teachers, apparently leaving the decision to local boards.

Turner said that a check with the several teachers' colleges has failed to find replacements for members of the Floyd teaching staff called up for service. Deferment till January when some students at these colleges will be completing their work and possibly be available as teachers would ease the situation, he added.

The subject arose this week when at least two teachers were listed among the 20 notified to appear here Monday for induction. The induction list follows:

Clyde Wayne Lee, Wayland; Haskell Gene Sturgill, Harold; James Oliver Dineus, Martin; Marvin Sexton, Drift; Edward Mann, Wayland; Curtis Sanford Conn, Printer; Talmadge Stephens, Manton; Irvine Arrowood Senters, Betsy Layne; Press Johnson, formerly of Bevinville, now of Ligon; Wheeler Shepherd, Pyramid; James Wesley Keathley, Osborn; Clarence M. Rister, Garrett; Arthur Shepherd, formerly of Hippo, now of Norwalk, O.; Walter Lee Sparks, Wayland; Willie Gene Spradlin, Brainerd; John Isaacs, Teaberry; Willie Martin, Jr., Garrett; Gordy Lowe, formerly of Thomas, now of Heenor, Ky.; Jim Osborne, Melvin; Jack Donald Stratton, Betsy Layne.



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Notes

George Humphreys, of Huntington, and Arthur Barnes, Cynthiana, were here Tuesday, on business.

Arnold Clark is a medical patient at the Prestonsburg General hospital. He has been suffering from a throat infection.

Miss Martha Katherine Greenwade, student at the University of Kentucky, Lexington, spent the week-end here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Greenwade.

Mr. and Mrs. R. V. May left Tuesday for Richmond, Va., to visit their daughter, Julia Mayo May, who is attending school there.

Mrs. H. B. Patrick has returned home from a visit with her daughter, Mrs. John Hardin, and new grandson at Lexington.

Mrs. G. C. Bevins, sister of Mrs. Chas. Wiechers and Miss Elizabeth Harris, is "holding her own" at the Pikeville hospital. She is suffering from a heart ailment.

Cecil Kendrick, of Pikeville, was here on business, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Pettry returned home last week from Clifton Forge, Va., where they visited their brother-in-law, Frank Rasnick, at the C. & O. hospital. Mr. Rasnick, who was improved enough to return to his home at Garrett, was accompanied by Mrs. Rasnick and Mr. and Mrs. Pettry.

Mrs. R. C. Minix, of Paintsville, has been the houseguest of her daughter, Mrs. Carol May, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Vanhose returned to Detroit, Mich., Friday after spending the Thanksgiving holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Spradlin, of Cliff.

Mrs. Bill Pettry and Mrs. Grover Lowe were visiting at Garrett Monday.

Mrs. Bertha Patton is a patient at St. Mary's hospital, Huntington, where she is receiving medical treatment.

Mrs. W. H. Jones and Miss Frances Jones visited Mrs. Jones, brother, George Goble, at Dayton, O., last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Porter, of Allen, were here Tuesday on business and calling on sick patients at the Prestonsburg General hospital.

Wm. O. Allen, student at the Louisville School of Dentistry, spent the Thanksgiving holiday here with his family.

Miss Hazel Hill was confined to her home last week on the Abbott road by illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Allen, of Goose Creek, were here shopping, Tuesday.

Mrs. J. C. Maggard, Mrs. Walden, Mrs. J. C. Vanhose, Mrs. J. B. Wells, Mrs. William Garland, Mrs. Joseph Rapier, Mrs. Robert Conley, all of Paintsville, were here shopping this week.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Ley were business visitors in Ashland, Monday. They will entertain as their Thanksgiving guests, Mrs. Pauline Fields and son, Billy, of Ashland.

D. H. Clark is slightly improved at the Pikeville hospital, having suffered a stroke recently. Mrs. Clark is co-owner of the Ben Franklin Store here.

Mr. and Mrs. Kermit Balridge and children, Patsy, Judy, Donald and Kermit, Jr., spent Thanksgiving at Paintsville with her father, Mr. Williams, and Mrs. Williams.

Mrs. Frank Laughlin and young daughter, of Morehead, were visitors in Prestonsburg, Wednesday. They have been guests at Estill of her parents, Dr. and Mrs. M. V. Wicker.

Mrs. George Vaughan, Miss Billie Harris and Miss Bertie Bingham were in Lexington, Saturday, on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Spurlock visited his sister, Mrs. Jenny McMillan, of West Hamlin, W. Va., last week-end. Sunday they drove to Hurricane, W. Va., and visited his brother, Long Spurlock. They had not seen each other in 20 years.

Mrs. Alice Ball, Mrs. Jerry Laferty and Mrs. Tom Laferty were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Prent Ball at Williamson, W. Va., Sunday.

Mrs. L. J. Music was visiting her sister-in-law at the Paintsville hospital Monday.

Howard Goble was home over the week-end from West Virginia.

**BIRTH ANNIVERSARY**  
Lyda Margaret Spradlin was honored on her 14th birth anniversary by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe A. Spradlin, at her home, Sunday, with a family dinner. Covers were laid for Lyda Margaret, Mary Jo Shivel, Mr. and Mrs. John W. Hensley, Mrs. Lyda D. Spradlin, William Arnold Spradlin, Joe Mayo Spradlin, Mr. and Mrs. Joe A. Spradlin. A decorated cake centered the table flanked by personal gifts from the family group. After opening the presents, she expressed her appreciation for the presentation.

**ATTEND AUXIER FUNERAL RITES**  
Among the relatives who attended the funeral of John F. Auxier here last week were Jane Day Auxier, of Winchester, Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Moles, Paintsville, Mr. and Mrs. Garland H. Rice, Mrs. Martin L. Price, Paintsville, Mrs. Robert Simpson, Robert Simpson, Jr., Louisville, Miss Mayo Davis, Pikeville.

**RETURNED TO CINCINNATI**  
Miss Frances Thomen returned to her home in Cincinnati, Ohio, Saturday after a week here as analyst for the Helena Rubenstein Products at Leva's Shop.

**CALLED HERE BY DEATH OF FATHER**  
Miss Jane Day Auxier, of Winchester, was called here Thursday by the sudden death of her father, John F. Auxier. She visited her uncle, S. R. Auxier, and family during her stay here. She returned to her home, Sunday.

**RETURNS TO CALIFORNIA**  
Jim Clark left last week for his home at Palm Springs, Calif., accompanied by his sister, Mrs. Helen Clark Anderson. He has been seriously ill but was improved enough to return to California.

**INFANT ILL OF RHEUMATIC FEVER**  
Tommy Johnson, Jr., is critically ill at his home in Columbus, Ohio. He is at a Columbus hospital suffering from rheumatic fever. His parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Johnson, who formerly resided here, and his grandmother, Mrs. Hershell Graham, are at his bedside.

**CONDUCTING REVIVAL AT CANADA, KY.**  
Rev. Orville Pearson is the evangelistic pastor at Canada, Ky., this week at the Presbyterian Church there. Rev. Phillip Bembower, the pastor, recently conducted a two-week revival at the Presbyterian Church here.

**IN HOSPITAL HERE**  
Mrs. Ruby Wallace, of Garrett, is a patient at the Prestonsburg General hospital. She is a sister of Mrs. Grover Lowe.

**SUBMITS TO TONSILLECTOMY**  
Harry James Wallace, of Garrett, son of Mrs. Ruby Wallace, is a patient at the Prestonsburg General hospital, having submitted to tonsillectomy last week. He is doing nicely.

**WOMAN'S CLUB TO MEET DECEMBER 4**  
The Prestonsburg Woman's Club will meet Thursday, Dec. 4, at the home of Mrs. Mark Reed, on Garfield avenue. Mrs. H. L. Ley, program chairman, has arranged for Mrs. Iley B. Browning, of Ashland, to speak on her various travels to foreign countries. All members are urged to attend.

**HONORED ON BIRTHDAY**  
Mrs. John Warix was honored with a party on her birthday, Sunday evening, Nov. 23, by her sister, Mrs. Bureita Gearheart, at her home on Third avenue. Games were enjoyed by the group until the presents were opened by Mrs. Warix. She was recipient of many attractive gifts which she graciously acknowledged. A salad course was served to Mrs. John Warix, Mrs. Grover Lowe, Mrs. John Hale, Mrs. Virgil Warix, Mrs. Bill Pettry, Mrs. Estill Hyden, Mrs. Estill L. Gearheart, Miss Nelle Music.

**PRESTONSBURG METHODIST CHURCH**  
Gerstle M. Haggard, Minister  
Sunday—  
10:55 a.m.—Sermon topic, "One Will," by the pastor.  
7:30 p.m.—Sermon topic, "Witness My Word."  
Monday—  
7:30 p.m.—WSGS Christmas party at home of Mrs. Mary Jane Harkins with WSG as hostesses.  
Wednesday—  
8:30 p.m.—Official board meeting

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**MISS STEPHENS SUFFERS SEVERE BURNS**

Miss Elsie Stephens, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Stephens, of Bull Creek, is a patient at the Prestonsburg General hospital where she is being treated for severe burns, received last Friday at her home while making icing for a cake. Water in a double-boiler exploded causing the hot icing to spread to her face and hands. She has the wishes of her numerous friends for a speedy recovery.

**DAUGHTER BORN**  
Mr. and Mrs. Wm. O. Goebel, Jr., are announcing the birth of their first child, a daughter, born Nov. 21, at the Prestonsburg General hospital. She has been named Deborah Kay. Mrs. Goebel is the former Ruth Lucille Mayo, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Mayo. Both mother and daughter are doing well.

**ATTEND KENTUCKY-TENNESSEE GAME**  
In spite of the heavy snow, the following attended the Kentucky-Tennessee game at Knoxville: Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Greenwade, Miss Martha Katherine Greenwade, Bob Sullivan, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Bingham, Mr. and Mrs. Astor Meade, Mr. and Mrs. Hack Estep, of Ashland.

**ANNOUNCE BIRTH OF SON**  
Mr. and Mrs. Harris Stephens Howard, of Lexington, announce the birth of their first child, a son, born Wednesday evening, Nov. 19, at Good Samaritan hospital, Lexington. The babe has been named Harris Stephens Howard, Jr.

Mrs. Howard is the former Jane Davis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Davis, of Prestonsburg. Mr. Howard, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Howard, is a law student at the University of Kentucky.

**SUNDAY NIGHT SUPPER**  
Mr. and Mrs. Herbert L. Ley entertained to Sunday night supper at their home at Cliff. Covers were laid for Mr. and Mrs. Ley, Mr. and Mrs. Kilmer Combs, Dr. and Mrs. Fred Cross, of Martin.

**Here From Ft. Knox**  
Lt. James A. May and guest, Lt. Bill Sharpe spent Thanksgiving here with Lt. May's mother, Mrs. Bess S. May, and sister, Barbara.

**FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH**  
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Rev. Orville Pearson, Pastor  
Sunday—  
9:45 a.m.—Sunday School.  
11:00 a.m.—Morning worship.  
7:30 p.m.—Evening worship  
Wednesday—  
3:15 p.m.—Junior Choir.  
7:30 p.m.—Midweek service.  
8:30 p.m.—Senior choir.

**LETTERS TO THE EDITOR**

**THANKS MRS. DINGUS**  
Editor, The Times:  
If there is anybody this county owes a vote of thanks to, it is "Aunt" Manda Dingus and her kind heirs, who so graciously permit the use of their lovely hillside for the Passion Pageant, free of charge.

Aunt Manda is known as one of the most devout women of this section. Many are familiar with the strength and power of her prayers. Had it not been for her vision and generosity, there would be no pageant.

She alone is indispensable to the pageant. It can do without everyone else. In a quiet, behind-the-scenes way, she has been a vital force and moving factor in it, seeking no limelight, getting little praise and thanks, but her influence is deeply and constantly felt by the leaders.

The task is so huge that only recently everyone felt inclined to give up the undertaking, which brought rapid fame to the small mining village last spring. Somebody asked Aunt Manda to pray and in no time new life was felt creeping into the organization.

Aunt Manda may not live to see the complete fruition of her dreams; she has always prayed that the hill might some day be used for the glory of her saviour. She may not be here when the pageant reaches the heights expected, but she has done more than any one else to make it possible, and Martin will long remember her reverently for it.

**WILMA MAY**  
SAYS RACKET EXISTS  
Editor, The Times:  
There appears to be a vicious speed trap racket being operated on Right Beaver Creek in Magistrate M. C. Wright's district. Motorists have been arrested for speeding when, as far as they knew, no speed limit exists. These arrests are being made by deputy constables, one of whom is Dewey Mosley.

If you are caught, you pay a \$22 fine.

The only interest the writer of this letter has is seeing that this racket is broken up. It's not right that deputy constables parade the highway like road-runners preying on innocent people.

**HENRY HOWARD**

**CHURCH CIRCLE MEETS**

The November meeting of Circle No. 3 of the Methodist Church met at the home of Mrs. W. H. Brown. Mrs. Woodrow Allen, chairman presided. A scripture reading was given by Mrs. Phyllis Ranier. Refreshments were served to the following guests: Mesdames Harry Ranier, C. H. Hale, William Wallen, Woodrow Allen, Virgil Webb, Thomas Hereford, Homer Salisbury, Glenn Sprodlin, Richard Spurlock, W. H. Brown and master Woodrow Allen, Jr.

**WILL RETURN TO FLORIDA THIS WEEK**  
Mrs. Walter Van Landingham left this week for her home in Miami, Fla., after an extended visit here at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Harkins.

**PVT. HOWARD IN GERMANY**  
Kaiserslauten, Germany — Pvt. Halbert Howard, of East McDowell, Ky., now is serving at the Army's Rhine military post in Germany. A recent arrival in Germany, he is assigned to the 16th Field Artillery Battalion.

Before entering the army last March, Pvt. Howard was employed as a truck driver.

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**MISS HALE, REPRESENTATIVE**

Berea, Ky., Nov. 22—Miss Mary Elizabeth Hale, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Hale, Betsy Layne, Ky., has been elected a representative of the freshman class to the Student Council of Berea College, Berea, Ky.

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and the Legislature enacted legislation enabling that purpose.

Then, on Dec. 31, that year, the fiscal court had its special meeting with Magistrates Burchett, Stumbo and Roberts attending. The salaries for the four-year period were set at that meeting, as follows:

County Judge, \$5,400; County Attorney, \$3,000; County Clerk, \$1,200.

County Judge Alex L. Davidson presided at both meetings. It was said here this week that the court had an Attorney General's opinion

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saying the procedure was legal, in view of the fact that salary raises had been provided by the Constitutional amendment and by legislative action.

The Tax League contends, however, that the fiscal court during 1950 and the two succeeding years levied taxes for public purposes and that the court was authorized only to budget, appropriate and expend funds for lawful public purposes and that the court was authorized to pay the Judge only such sums as were voted by the court at the April, 1949 meeting.

The suit attacks payment of salary amounting to \$450 a month to Judge Stumbo during 1950, 1951 and 1952.

The petition prepared by Jesse K. Lewis, Tax League attorney, names M. C. Wright, J. E. Harris, Edgar Howell and Ellis Martin, Magistrates, as co-defendants with Judge Stumbo. The list of plaintiffs includes League directors, John Warrick, Gorman Collins, Joe H. Cooley, Polk Saunders, Henry P. Scaif and Dr. Edward B. Leslie.

A total of 1,779 people participated in the 4-H fair and parade in Pike county including 27 clubs and four bands.

## PRAYER, PRAISE AND PROPHECY REWARDED



For fear I will be misunderstood by wise men I would be thankful if you would print another article for me, to prove to saints and sinners, Democrats and Republicans that my letter-writing has been divinely guided, as I proved in Floyd county circuit court Feb. 13, 1948. I have a letter from a man in Washington, D. C., that prophesied on divine guidance of Dwight D. Eisenhower, President-elect and he uses the No. 7.

I can use the No. 7 and prove all my points. I work with Bible numbers.

Oct. 7, 1945, I wrote a man a letter with divine guidance I wrote it on a Bible with a blood-stained pen. I proved it to be a true letter, and I am still writing letters with divine guidance. I am the first-born of my mother of 7 children. I am the mother of 7 children. I was 3 times seven when I was first married. I was 4 times 7 when I was first widowed by death. I believe 4 and 3 are numbers that link divinity and humanity. I was born the 4th month, 3rd day.

I know the Bible says the widows were neglected in the days of the apostles and I know they are neglected today. I know the Bible says (Acts 6:3) to look out 7 men of honest report full of Holy Ghost and wisdom to look after the neglected widows.

I know Psalms, 146th chapter 9th verse, says: I, the Lord preserveth the stranger; He relieveth the fatherless and widows. But the way of the wicked He turneth upside down.

I had a printed prayer on my gate and picture of man and woman that was sent to me from Washington, D. C., called the White Robed of 40. I use the No. 40. I have to work alone. If it takes 40 days to get a special prayer answered, I work until a voice and a knock on my door tell me my prayer is answered.

I sent the copy of the prayer to County Judge Henry Stumbo for a witness, and I reserved one for future reference to any one who is divinely guided to my rescue. I had on my gate the picture of Judge Bert T. Combs in 1951. Divinely guided and rewarded. I had on my gate the picture of Coroner James J. Carter, Aug. 1952. Divinely guided and rewarded. I had on my gate a picture of Dwight D. Eisenhower, President-elect. Divinely guided and rewarded. If that is not enough proof, read Rev. 22:17: And the Spirit and the Bride say, Come.  
EVA MEADE HALL

The prophecies of Dwight D. Eisenhower's destiny are printed below:

June 30, 1948

Mr. Dwight D. Eisenhower, President Columbia University  
New York, N. Y.

Dear Sir:

Under the direction of the Spirit of God, I write you this letter. It was under the guidance of the Holy Prophets of old that God made sure and unerring the steps of men who were ordained by Him to end His people.

Your rise to power and influence has not been political, nor has it been by the will of men but by the will of God. God raised you up to serve His people—America, made up of every kindred and tongue... living under one flag in peace. Your humble and unselfish spirit declares this to be true. These characters mark your greatness:

The Number Seven, which is God's Perfect Number (for God works only in cycles of "sevens"), has climaxed and confirmed your every move which established the fact that you are under Divine Guidance. You rose to prominence in a war that this country was ushered into by the dastardly attack of the Japs at Pearl Harbor, December 7, 1941.

You began your operation as Supreme Commander of the Allied Forces against the Germans in Africa on November 7, 1942. Tunisia fell on May 7 under the attacks made under your command. The period from November 7 to May 7 is exactly seven months. "V-E" day came in Europe on May 7, 1944; it was officially announced in America on May 8. "V-J" day came on the 14th of August, which is a multiple of seven. You retired as Chief of Staff on February 7, 1948, and were officially sworn in as president of Columbia University on June 7, 1948.

From your humble servant, in the service of God and humanity,  
Elder Lightfoot Solomon Michaux

April 3, 1952

General Dwight D. Eisenhower  
Supreme Commander  
Supreme Headquarters,  
Allied Powers Europe  
No. 1, Rue De Presbourg  
Paris 8, France

Dear General:

The "Sevens" are up again. God's Perfect Number (7).

Enclosed you will find a copy of the letter I sent you in 1948. Also enclosing a sketch that God moved me to make of your start to the White House. I got our church artist to draw it for you and Mrs. Eisenhower. The lady in the drawing is Mrs. Eisenhower.

The 7 votes in New Hampshire were cast for you; all the 14 delegates were given to you. Seven votes and 14 delegates total 21, which are three sevens. "Twenty-One" means MAN, or to speak more pointed, YOU ARE GOD'S MAN!

From your friend,  
Elder Lightfoot Solomon Michaux  
THE PROPHET

(Adv.)

Homemakers in Robertson county are planning to send a Christmas box of homemade cookies to every service man from the county.

Nin farm families in Morgan county have enrolled in the Farm and Home development program.

## ALPHORETTA

A surprise birthday party was given for Mrs. Willie Crisp at her home, Friday night. Those attending were Mrs. James Ward and son, Jimmie, Mrs. W. M. Ward and daughter, Billie Jean Hondel, Mrs. Walter England and daughters, Mrs. Vincent Adams and daughters, Mr. and Mrs. Dock Patton, Mrs. Brodie Amburgy, Mrs. Marvin Compton, Mrs. Scott Compton, Mrs. Dock Ratliff, Mrs. Sadie Sturgill, Mrs. Caner Crisp, Mrs. Leon Hall, Linda Mae Gregory, Mrs. M. D. Isaac, Mrs. Columbus Crisp, Mrs. Willard Ousley, Mrs. Herbert Ousley and son, Michael, and grandson, Vernon Crisp. A three-layer birthday cake with 62 candles was baked and decorated with green and yellow icing by Mrs. Caner Crisp. Many nice gifts were brought and sent by many friends who couldn't be present. Refreshments were served after the presents were opened.

Mrs. Willard Ousley and Mrs. Herbert Ousley and son, Michael, were shopping in Prestonsburg Friday.

Mrs. Ora Meadows and children, Linda Sue, Marina Ann and Robert, were visiting Mrs. Vincent Adams and Mrs. Walter England, Saturday.

Mrs. Joe Reffitt and family were visiting Mrs. M. D. Isaac, Sunday.

Basil Compton was visiting here Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Goble are the parents of a daughter, born at the Beaver Valley hospital Thursday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Isaac and children have returned home from Ohio.

Mrs. Sam Tackett, Mrs. Walter England and daughters were Sunday evening guests of Mrs. Vincent Adams.

Mrs. Walter England, Mrs. Dona Click, Crawford Sturgill and son, Adam, were in Prestonsburg on business, Wednesday.

Mrs. Lorraine Patton was in Prestonsburg on business, Saturday.

Mrs. Walter England was at Stephens Branch, Thursday, visiting Mrs. Myrtle Conley and Mrs. Ira Meadows.

Pfc. Kelly V. Adams is now stationed in North Africa. He wrote home that he had met one of his old schoolmates, Jimmie Hayes, of Salisbury, Ky.

Crawford Sturgill and son, Adam, Sadie Sturgill and Loma Clark attended church at Drift, Sunday.

Mrs. A. H. Mandt, of Manton, was visiting Mrs. Vincent Adams Tuesday evening. She left posters to post in the postoffice to remind people to come to the Martin gym Dec. 3, to give blood for use overseas in Korea.

Mr. and Mrs. Taylor Risner spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. C. Sturgill.

Mrs. Harry Gregory was shopping in Martin Friday night.

George E. Robinson, of Maytown, was visiting Tom Manuel, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Vincent Adams were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Taylor Risner, Monday.

Mrs. Whitts Click, sister of Mrs. Rufus Stephens, underwent an operation at St. Mary's hospital, Huntington, this week. We wish for her a speedy recovery.

E. C. Reed of Powell county reported satisfactory results from the curing of his tobacco with natural gas from a well on his farm.

## Tackett Leads Martin In Defeating Garrett And Maytown Teams

After losing its season-opener to the powerful Hindman Yellow Jackets, 46-42, the Martin Purple Flash stormed back to defeat two of its strongest Floyd county net rivals, Garrett and Maytown, over the week-end.

Led by Tackett, sensational center who scored 60 points in the two contests, the Flash defeated Garrett at Martin November 7, 84 to 48. Away from home the following evening, they downed Maytown, 64-55, in a much-closer and more interesting game. Tackett scored 33 points in the game against Garrett. Against Maytown he netted 27 points and his teammate, Click, at forward scored 20. Turner led the Maytown attack at Guard with 21 points.

The line-ups:  
Martin Pos. Garrett  
Click, (4) f. A. Lovely, (2) f. Salisbury, (2) f. D. Chaffins, (10) Flannery, (8) f. Rister, (5) Stephens, (1) c. Conley, (6) Tackett, (33) c. Francis, (1) Westfall, (3) c. Sexton, (4) Martin, (8) c. Cayton, (10) Frazier, (8) g. Baldrige, (6) g. Ratliff, (6) g. Lacerly, (11) g. P. Salisbury, (2) g.

Martin Pos. Maytown  
Click, (20) f. Fraley, (10) Flannery, (10) f. B. Lafferty, (10) Tackett, (27) c. Blevins, (10) Frazier, (7) g. Ratliff, (2) Lafferty, (3) g. Turner, (21) Ratliff, (7) g. Caudill, (3) Baldrige, (6) g.

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## AT BOWLING GREEN

Miss Pearl Shannon Hicks, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Hicks, of Hueysville, is a freshman at the Bowling Green College of Commerce, Bowling Green, Ky. She attended Maytown high school before entering Bowling Green. She is studying Commercial-Secretarial course.

TIMES WANT ADS PAY!


## REVIVAL BEGINS

Beginning Monday night, Nov. 29, a revival will be conducted at the Church of God at Lancer. Services will be under the direction of George Flipper, of McDowell, and will begin promptly at 7 p.m. The public is invited.

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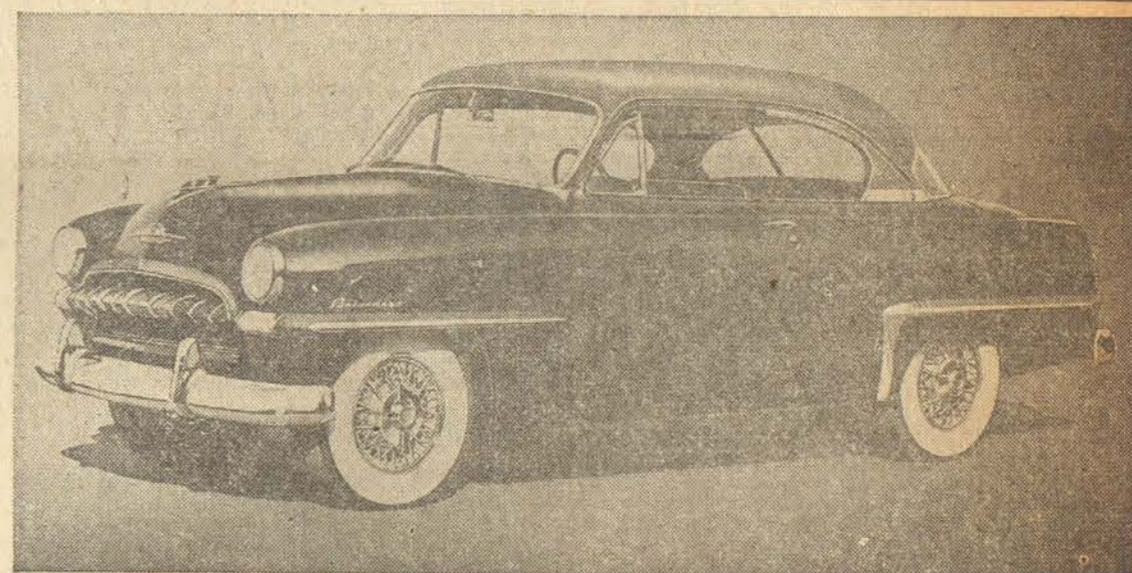
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A/2c Crisp has been in military service since September, 1942.

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FOR RENT—Apartments, furnished and unfurnished. T. E. NEELEY, Phone 3031, Prestonsburg, Ky. 10-23-tf

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

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DAYS AND WEEKS... AND DAYS...

This month and next, I stand reminded, are just full of days and weeks. Not just 30 days and four weeks each. But particular Days and Weeks, if you follow me.

November, for instance, started off with National Authors' Day. My source material suggests that's time to buy the editor a cigar, but it strikes me we've run across that a little late. The first week of the month was National Art Week, and as far as I'm concerned that left at least one editor completely out of the running for anything.

Nov. 1-9 also was National 4-H Club Achievement Week—recognition of our finer youngsters—and the very next seven-day period was National Beauty Salon Week, whatever that's supposed to do for the commonweal.

We were aware (and did nothing much about it) that Nov. 10-15 was National Education Week. Beginning a day after NEW (presuming you know your alphabetical listings after all these years), and lasting two days longer was National Cat Week.

Newspapers were told that dealers in pets and puppies were good advertising sources during National Cat Week, but we failed to get the connection. Also failed to get any ads in that department.

On that next day we have our informant up a tree. It says here that Nov. 15 is Sadie Hawkins Day. Now if there is any Day I know anything about, it's SHD. And it ain't been run off this year. Old Man Mose made his predicshun, all right, but the Day itself is next Sattidy—and may the best gal win!

Diabetes Week was Nov. 16-22, and National Hotel Week was scheduled to begin even as this was written, Nov. 25, winding up Dec. 1. Too, there's that wonderful event of this Thursday.

And then we start December off. We are told, with National Prosperity Week. If this means anything, maybe the editor can buy his own cigars.

We hail the 4-H's, National Education Week, Diabetes Week and Thanksgiving and the week to start, Dec. 7-14—National Golden Rule Week. Oh, brother, we could do with a lot of this one!

And then there's Christmas, full stockings and flat pocketbooks. This day, it is suggested, take the editor to church. And that isn't a bad idea for us all. . . . Why do folks think only the editor needs to be there?

ATTEND MEETING. Lackey—Dr. and Mrs. M. M. Collins attended the C. & O. surgeons' meeting at White Sulphur Springs, W. Va., this week. They were guests of the C. & O. at the Greenbrier Hotel.

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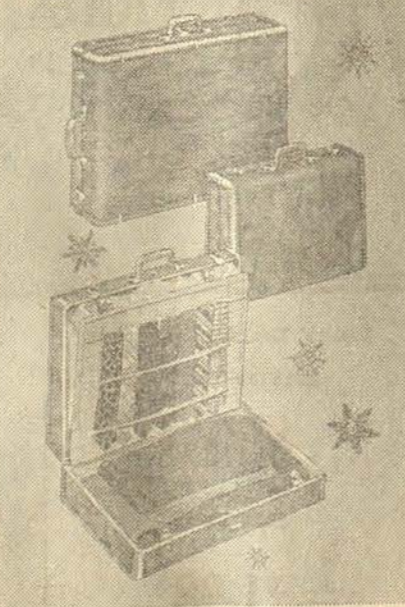
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but the information was inconclusive."

County Attorney Cordell Martin quoted Cooper as saying Curtis Clark, Prestonsburg, was the source of his information that there were irregularities in Knott county, the Associated Press said.

Congressman Morton, of Louisville, is said to be in Florida. The subpoena for him, mailed to sheriff Bernard J. Bax, of Jefferson county, was returned to Knott County Sheriff Ruby Watts. It was stamped "Not found—unable to locate."

Before Senator Cooper's arrival in Hindman Monday morning, Judge Cornett didn't appear greatly perturbed over the absence of the senator and the congressman.

"If they know something," he said, "I expect they will be here. If they don't appear it will indicate they have nothing to report to the grand jury."

When the grand jury convened for four days last week, Judge Cornett said he charged it to look into any election irregularities it might have heard of. However, no indictments have been returned along that line and none is anticipated.

The grand jury questioned several witnesses, Judge Cornett said, but found nothing in the way of election irregularities in the county.

Neither Judge Cornett nor County Judge Merd Stone have been able to discover anything wrong with the manner in which the election was held or in the counting of votes.

Judge Stone pointed out that the Republicans received several hundred more votes in the recent election than they polled four years ago. He added that the Democrats did likewise.

Knott is predominately a Democratic county.

In the last election Stevenson received 4,399 votes to 1,127 for Eisenhower; Underwood received 3,989 to 1,036 for Cooper.

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# LAKE SECTION NOT CLOSED

To Hunters This Year As Posting Incomplete; More Turkeys Liberated

Contrary to reports which were widespread, the Dewey reservoir area has not been closed to hunting this year, E. R. Burke, seventh district supervisor, Department of Fish and Wildlife Resources, said here Saturday.

The area has been planned as a game refuge and would have been closed to hunting this season, it was said, had there been time to post it so as to make enforcement possible.

Mr. Burke also announced that 46 wild turkeys have been released in the area within the last 10 days. These, added to turkeys previously liberated there, brings to more than 100 the number used in an attempt to stock the reservoir section with this type of wildlife.

Kentucky's nimrods start on their annual pilgrimage in quest of quail and rabbits this (Thursday) morning, and early indications are that they should have better than average success. Reports from throughout the state, the Department of Fish and Wildlife Resources claims, indicate that hunting for both rabbits and quail generally throughout the state should be better than for the last season. In many sections great increases in the supply of rabbits and birds are claimed, while in other areas it is reported that the populations are just about the same as for last season.

The ruffed grouse hunting season also opens today, as well as hunting with dogs and guns for furbearing animals. The trapping season, beginning at the same time, continues through Jan. 18. The duck season opened Monday at noon and will continue through Jan. 10. The season closes on rabbit, grouse and

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county, and Ex-Congressman W. Howes Meade, of Paintsville and Lexington, both original Eisenhower men in Kentucky.

Appointees to the two offices, as well as deputy marshals and assistant district attorneys, will be named, it was said by John Sherman Cooper, new U. S. Senator from Kentucky. Senator Cooper was in the Seventh district this week, but his presence in the area was not considered primarily a study of the political situation.

U. S. Attorney Stephens could not be reached at his home here this week, but it was said he plans to return to private law practice. Mrs. Stephens said she understood his plans to be the maintenance of law offices both in Prestonsburg and Lexington. He served first as assistant district attorney, and had held the office of U. S. District Attorney under President Roosevelt and Truman. He will be eligible for retirement at the end of this month, it was said recently.

Kit C. Elswick and Joseph C. Lewis, both named to their jobs as assistant district attorneys under Democratic Administrations, were not appointed to specific terms, but serve "at the pleasure of the attorney general."

U. S. Marshal Moore first was appointed to that office in 1935 by the late President Roosevelt and has been reappointed every four years since, the last time in April 1951.

Friends said they "thought" he would resign. A federal attorney said an appointive officer could be dismissed at any time, regardless of an unexpired term. And several government employees said it was general practice for officers holding appointive jobs to submit resignations when a new national administration came into power.

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# Soil Conservation Essay Contest Plans Announced

By R. L. JOHNSON  
Soil Conservation Service

The Soil Conservation Essay contest for 1952 has been announced by its sponsors, The Courier-Journal, The Louisville Times and Radio Station WHAS in cooperation with the Kentucky Association of Soil Conservation Districts and the State Department of Education.

The rules:

1. The subject of this year's essay is: "How Does Better Soil Conservation Affect the Educational Opportunities of Kentucky People?"

2. Your essay is not to exceed 1,000 words. The number of words in the essay is to be shown on the first or cover sheet of the essay. Essays will be disqualified if this rule is not followed.

3. Your essay is to be written in ink or typewritten on one side of the paper only.

4. Each essay must bear the following certification: "I hereby certify that the essay is the original work of (student's name)," and signed by one parent and either the principal or school superintendent.

5. Your name (indicate Miss or Mr.), address, school, county, and soil conservation district should be placed on a separate sheet of paper and attached securely to the essay.

6. All essays from a school should be taken to the office of the County Superintendent or Soil Conservation office prior to midnight, December 20, 1952.

Any boy or girl enrolled in a grade or high school in Kentucky is eligible to compete for one of the three state prizes. Any boy or girl enrolled in a grade or high school and who lives in a Soil Conservation District is eligible to compete for soil conservation district awards.

The state awards will be: First place, \$100 savings bond; second place, \$50 savings bond; third place, \$25 savings bond.

District awards: A \$25 savings bond will be awarded for first place in each of the 120 state soil conservation districts where at least five essays are submitted.

Additional awards will be made the Floyd County Soil Conservation District as follows: High school, first prize, \$10; second, \$5; third, \$3. Grade schools: first prize, \$5; second, \$3; third, \$2.

For additional information the pupil may contact the local Soil Conservationist at his office in Prestonsburg.

# Rev. Ferrell Williamson Succumbs to Hemorrhage

Rev. Ferrell Williamson, 55, of Betsy Layne, died November 21, at the Prestonsburg General hospital. Death was ascribed to a cerebral hemorrhage.

Although he had resided at Betsy Layne for many years, he was born in Martin county, a son of the late George and Minnie Williamson. Rev. Williamson had been a minister of the Freewill Baptist Church at Betsy Layne for the past 15 years. He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Dovie Mills Williamson.

Also surviving are the following children: Oliver Williamson, Hatchler, W. Va.; Howard Douglas Williamson, Clothier, W. Va.; Bill Tom Williamson, Cincinnati; Gordon Lee Williamson, Charlene and Madonna Gail Williamson, all of Betsy Layne. Three brothers and one sister survive. They are Roy Williamson, Cinderella, W. Va.; Hubert Williamson, Betsy Layne; Albert Williamson, and Mrs. Blanche Crum, both of Boone's Camp, Ky.

Funeral services were conducted at the Freewill Baptist Church, Betsy Layne, November 24, the Revs. Isaac Stratton and R. L. Anderson officiating. Burial was made in the Ferguson cemetery under direction of the Carter and Callihan Funeral Home.

# Commonwealth of Kentucky Department of Highways Notice to Contractors

Sealed bids will be received by the Department of Highways at its office, Frankfort, Kentucky, until 10 a. m., Central Standard Time on the 5th day of December, 1952, at which time bids will be publicly opened and read for the improvement of: FLOYD COUNTY, MP 36-2156-3 The Salyersville-Prestonsburg road. Repairs to bridge over Levisa Fork at Prestonsburg.

The attention of the prospective bidders is called to the prequalification requirements and necessity for securing certificate of eligibility, the special provisions covering subletting or assigning the contract and the Department's regulation which prohibits the issuance of proposals after 9:00 a. m., CENTRAL STANDARD TIME on the day of opening of bids. Proposals will not be issued except during official business hours.

NOTE: A PURCHASE CHARGE OF \$2.00 WILL BE MADE FOR EACH PROPOSAL. REMITTANCE MUST ACCOMPANY REQUESTS FOR PROPOSAL FORMS. REFUNDS WILL NOT BE MADE FOR ANY REASON.

Further information, bidding proposals, et cetera, will be furnished upon application to the Frankfort office. The right is reserved to reject any and all bids.

DEPARTMENT OF HIGHWAYS  
Frankfort, Kentucky  
November 13, 1952

# IRENE COLE MEMORIAL BAPTIST CHURCH

L. W. Benedict, Pastor

Announcements for Nov. 30

Sunday—  
9:30 a. m.—Sunday School at Lancer.

9:45 a. m.—Sunday School at the church.

10:55—Morning worship, with sermon by the pastor: "The Glory of the Church."

2:30 p. m.—Sunday School at Slick Rock.

6:30 p. m.—Training Unions at the church.

7:30 p. m.—Evangelistic service. Old-fashioned congregational hymn singing. Hymns selected by the audience. Sermon by pastor: "The Keys of the Kingdom."

Choir practice practically every night.

Wednesday—

3:30 p. m.—G. A.'s meet at church.

7:30 p. m.—"Know Your Bible Better" period. Prayer and praise.

"The Lord's people should be in the Lord's house on the Lord's Day." Others are cordially invited.

HELP STAMP OUT T.B.—BUY CHRISTMAS SEALS!

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T. J. Allen. The ouster was upheld by Floyd circuit court, but reversed by the Court of Appeals on the first appeal.

Then, Martin having advanced to a fourth class city from the sixth-class passed an ordinance to abolish the water commission, creating a waterwork committee instead. T. J. Allen, C. P. Allen and Z. C. Dingus were named members of the committee.

The high court, in an opinion by Judge Parker Duncan, said last week that if the Council's right "to wrest control in the indirect method" were upheld, succeeding councils could do the same.

"The plant would then be subjected to the very evils" which the original ordinance sought to eliminate.

The court held that the original ordinance was "contractual in nature" and cannot be repealed as long as the bonds are outstanding.

# New Grade Net Loop Begins Its Schedule

Teams of a new basketball league composed of several Floyd county grade schools have begun their season schedule.

Organized only last month, the league provides basketball experience for boys 10 to 12 years of age. At present the league is comprised of Stone Coal, Drift, Martin and Maytown. As yet the league is so new a name has not been selected, nor has the final size of the group been determined.

The David team is sponsored by the Pecco Foremen's Club and the P-T-A. New uniforms, green-trimmed in white, have been furnished the team. The gym has been provided with wall protection mats and with nets.

Oliver Allen, David school principal, coaches the team which is made up of Albert Dawson, Curtis Tussey, Billy Shepherd, Billy Stone, Billy Clark, Tommy Harmon, William Grimm, Rex Music, Dexter Music, Wayne Dixon, Richard Castle and Henry Shepherd.

# Morgan Clark Dies Nov. 16 on Johns Creek

Funeral services were conducted at 1 p. m., Wednesday, Nov. 19, from the Philadelphia Church of Christ, of Johns Creek, for Morgan Clark, 81, of Odds, Ky., life-long resident of Johnson county and brother of the late J. B. Clark. Mr. Clark died Sunday, Nov. 16, in a Paintsville hospital following an illness of eight months.

Born July 10, 1871, in Johnson county, he was a son of Samuel and Susan Wells Clark. He was a farmer and merchant by occupation.

He was preceded in death March 27, 1948 by his wife, Maggie Hobson Clark.

Surviving are three sisters, Mrs. Noka Richmond, Odds, Ky., Mrs. Della Salyers, Naples, Ky., and Mrs. Julia Spears, Hunnewell, Ky.

Rev. S. C. Honeycutt officiated at the services. Burial was made in the family cemetery at Van Lear.

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# HEADS FRESHMAN CLASS

Bob Hager, student at Berea College, has been elected president of the Freshman class. He is a graduate of Prestonsburg high school, class of '52, and is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry H. Hager, of East Point.

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# Trade-in

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In Livingston county, about 20,000 acres were seeded to wheat or other small grains, the largest acreage in 10 or 15 years.

### Miss Tackett, Mr. Porter To Wed, December 20

Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Tackett, of Martin, announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Anna Lee Tackett, to Mr. A. Lyman Porter, son of Mr. Arbie Porter, of West Van Lear.

They will be married December 20 at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Tackett. Miss Tackett is employed at the First National Bank in Prestonsburg.

**NEGRO AGRICULTURAL FAIR**  
More than 3,500 people attended the three-day Negro Agriculture Fair in Hopkinsville for Christian and Todd Counties.

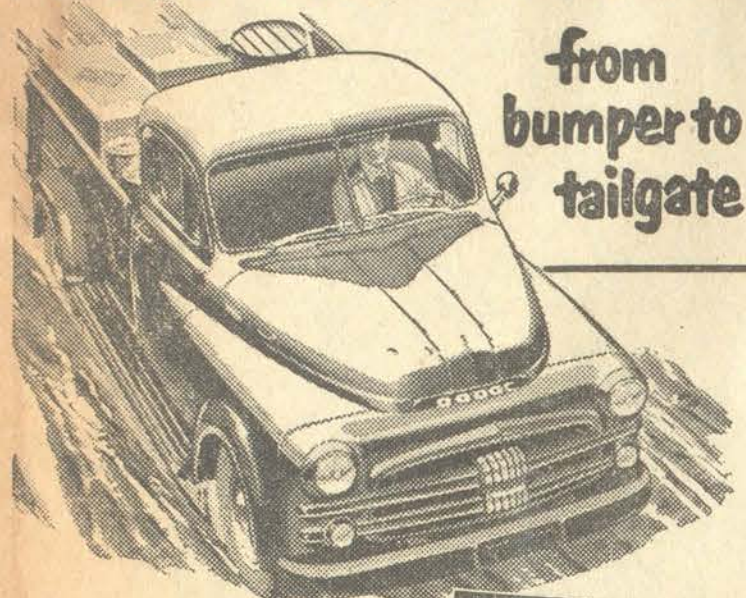
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### Heart Disease Fatal To Grethel Woman, 51, After Brief Illness

Mrs. Martha McKinney Deal, 51 years old, wife of Pharaoh Deal, died Sunday at her home at Grethel following a 12-hour illness. Heart disease was given as the cause of death.

Mrs. Deal was a daughter of Milton and Rosa Moore McKinney and was a lifelong resident of the Grethel community. She was a member of the Regular Baptist Church.

Surviving, besides her husband, are two sons and one daughter, George, Paris and Bessie Deal, all of Grethel. One brother, John McKinney, Barnabas, W. Va., and three grandchildren also survive.

The funeral was held Tuesday morning at 11 from the residence, the Rev. Luther Conn and others officiating. Burial in the family cemetery was directed by the Baker Funeral Home.

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SUNDAY-MONDAY—

"Because You're Mine"

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TUESDAY-WEDNESDAY—

"Sallie and St. Anne"

Ann Blyth, Edmund Gwenn, John McIntire.

THURSDAY—

"Bells on Their Toes"

Jeanne Crain, Myrna Loy, Debra Paget, Jeffrey Hunter, Edward Arnold.

COMING, SUN.-MON., DEC. 7-8—

"Snows of Kilimanjaro"

Starring Gregory Peck, Susan Hayward, Ava Gardner.

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claimed that Hicks was shot as he ran, unarmed, and while offering no threat to the officer.

After the Thanksgiving holiday today, court will resume Friday with the trials of Hershell Hall, accused of carrying a concealed deadly weapon, and Eva Hall, charged with falsifying.

The next major trial will be the murder case of Milt Hunt, charged with the slaying of Jake Salisbury at Harold. The trial was postponed earlier in the term when it was claimed that Mrs. Hunt, one of the three defendants in the case, was unable to make her court appearance.

Last Wednesday, the court ordered that Arnold Artrip show cause at the first day of the January, 1953 term why probation of his sentence on a child desertion conviction should not be revoked. On his failure to do so, the order provided, his bond will be forfeited.

This week saw little activity in the court. These cases were dismissed:

Hobert Blevins, assault and battery with an auto; John May, carrying a concealed deadly weapon, lack of evidence; Marion Hatfield, entering and conspiracy, lack of evidence; John Rice, child desertion, and Homer Prater, assault and battery.

Bonn Germany — An official spokesman of the West German government criticized foreign correspondents for playing up neo-Nazi activities and election victories of several former Nazis.

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FRIDAY—

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"David Harum"

Will Rogers.

SATURDAY—

"Hangman's Knot"

(Color)  
Randolph Scott, Donna Reed.

"The Steel Trap"

Joseph Cotten, Teresa Wright.

SUNDAY-MONDAY—

"The Snows of Kilimanjaro"

(In color)  
Gregory Peck, Susan Hayward.  
Adm. 40c and 99c

TUESDAY—

"Blazing Forest"

(Color)  
John Payne, Susan Morrow.

WED.-THURS.—

"I'd Climb the Highest Mountain"

Susan Hayward, William Lundigan.

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FRIDAY, 7 p.m.—

"Washington Story"

Van Johnson, Patricia Neal.  
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SAT., 7 p.m.—Double Feature—

"Flame of Sacramento"

William Elliott, Constance Moore.

"Sudden Fear"

Joan Crawford, Jack Palance.

SUN., 2 p.m. and 7 p.m.—

"The Story of Will Rogers"

Will Rogers, Jr., Jane Wyman.  
(He put a grin on the face of the world.)

TUES., 7 p.m.—Double Feature—

"Cpl. Oolan Goes A.W.O.L."

Eddie Albert, Payne Marlowe.

"Desert of Lost Men"

Allen "Rocky" Lane.

WED., 7 p.m.—

"Lovely to Look At"

Kathryn Grayson, Red Skelton, Ann Miller.

COMING, FRIDAY, DEC. 5—

"Lure of the Wilderness"

Jean Peters, Jeffrey Hunter.

COMING, SUNDAY, DEC. 7—

"I Dream of Jeanie"

Ray Middleton, Muriel Lawrence.

### ALLEN

Reuben Allen, of West Virginia, visited his mother, Mrs. Mary Allen, here last week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. David Louder were business visitors in Huntington, Tuesday.

Born recently to Mr. and Mrs. Berman Martin, a son, Dwight David.

Mr. and Mrs. George Adcock and children moved to Clifton Forge, Friday. Mr. and Mrs. Everett Marcum, of Louisa, have moved into the home vacated by the Adcocks.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Porter and baby, of Michigan, visited Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Porter and other relatives here, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Gray had as Sunday afternoon guests, Mrs. Liza Garrett, Mrs. Dee Branham Dwayne, and Mrs. J. B. Laferty, of Hi Hat.

Rev. M. N. DeHaven, Methodist pastor, has returned from a visit with relatives in Dayton.

Attending the Methodist Youth Fellowship sub-district meeting in the Garrett Methodist Church, Monday night, were: Mr. and Mrs. David Louder, Donald Ray Soalf, Betty Martin, Mrs. Palmer Crisp, Wanda Boyd, Barbara Boyd, Klora Laferty, Jimmy Delano Gray, Phyllis Woods, Mary Alice Parsons, Bennie Lynwood Laferty, Melvin Adcock, Forrest Porter, Charlotte Snodgrass, Goldia Porter, Marcia Adcock, Betty Jean Vanhousse and Janice Spurlock. Garrett won the banner attendance.

Refreshments were served by the host church to about 140 persons. Rev. Church, of Prestonsburg, presented a film of missionary work done by him in Floyd county. The December meeting will be in the Martin church.

Mr. and Mrs. Parker Brown and children have moved here from Sloan, Ky. They are living in the Albert Laferty property.

Mr. and Mrs. Clark Laferty and daughter, Betty Mae, were business visitors here, Monday afternoon. They also visited relatives.

Mrs. Nancy Louder and Mrs. Rebecca Setser were visiting in Paintsville, Thursday afternoon.

Melvin Adcock and Marcia Adcock were honored with a farewell party in the Methodist Church, Friday night, by members of the Methodist Youth Fellowship, with Mrs. Harry Snodgrass as leader. Each was presented an identification bracelet. Games were played and refreshments were served.

Mrs. Elmer Laferty and Miss Florence May, who were patients in a Martin hospital, last week, have returned to their homes.

### Fox and 'Coon Hunt Ban Lifted by Commission

The ban on hunting coons with dogs only, fox hunting and bird dog field trials, which was invoked due to forest fires, has been lifted by the Department of Fish and Wildlife Resources as of Monday.

There still is no open season on any game that may be taken by guns, and the "gun" season will not open until November 17 when ducks and geese may be killed. On November 20 the season for killing quail and rabbits opens as well as the taking of coons and opossums with guns.

The announcement of the lifting of the ban was made Monday morning by Earl Wallace, Commissioner of the Department, following widespread rains over the week-end which lessened the threat of forest fires.

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"Storm Over Tibet"

Diana Douglas, Rex Reason.

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"Lure of the Wilderness"

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Jean Peters, Jeffrey Hunter.

SUNDAY, 1 p.m. and 7 p.m.—

"Bend of the River"

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James Stewart, Arthur Kennedy.

MONDAY, 7 p.m.—

"Lure of the Wilderness"

(In Technicolor)  
Jean Peters, Jeffrey Hunter.

TUES.-WED., 7 p.m.—

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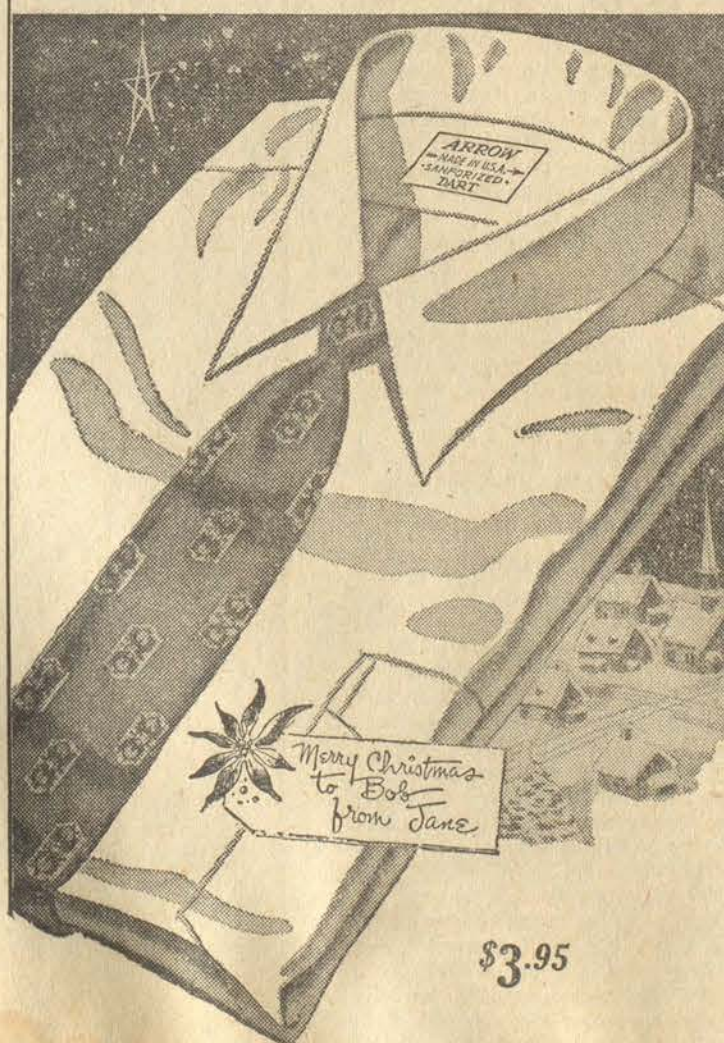
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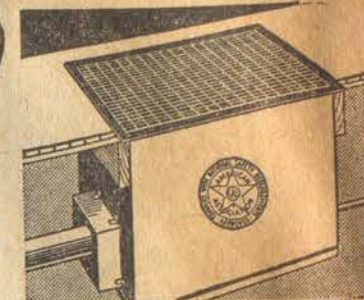
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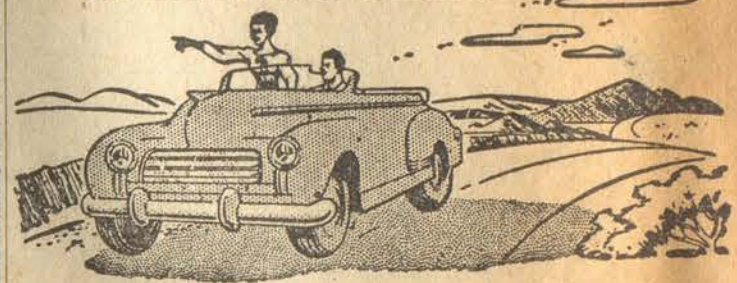
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# First of McGuire Family Here Was Magistrate and Minister

By Henry P. Scalf

The Garrett recreation building was recently completed, and women of the Methodist Church there are paying for the structure by giving Saturday night dinners. The concrete block structure was completed last month and opened Oct. 18. The last function field there was a turkey dinner Monday night.

### APPOINTEES NAMED

Ernest Williams, Bowling Green, and Maxwell Schulten, Louisville, were appointed to the State Board of Pharmacy for four and one year terms, respectively. Williams replaces Terry Hagen, Lebanon while Schulten was appointed by the Governor.

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The history of any family begins in the dim past—far back into the earliest days where you can pin down the first authentic fact or discover from the record the first name. It is thus with the McGuire family.

Centuries ago, they lived in the highlands of Scotland, and their cousins of the same name (but perhaps with a variant in the spelling) lived in Ireland. They were Celt and Gaelic, descendants of the Picts and Scots who emerged into the first faint light of the historic period as residents of Scotland.

These first McGuires lived under the crags of the Scottish Highlands. Their brothers wandered over the hills and, crossing the Irish Sea, settled in Ireland. Restless, as many a people under the stimulus of stories about America were, some of the family came here. Who was the first and where he settled we do not know. Like the Scotch-Irish of which so much has been written, these first McGuires entered the wilderness of the western woods and penetrated over the Alleghenies.

We find the first McGuires in Augusta county, Virginia, which at the time of its establishment in 1738 was a vast domain including all of Western Virginia and that part now West Virginia, a great segment of Pennsylvania, Kentucky and the wild, uninhabited wilderness on the Ohio. In this vast land of Augusta the McGuires lived and left their name upon the record. From the court records of Augusta we pick up the first names.

There was John, William and a Jesse. Just names on a deed or some official record that had to be recorded at Staunton. These are old family names. When they intermarried with other families, they seldom broke the chain of Johns and Williams.

William McGuire and his wife, Mary, lived in that part of Augusta that is now Tazewell county. His name is on the Augusta and Tazewell county records as well as that of Floyd county, Kentucky. He grew old on the frontier. In his lifetime he knew all the prominent men on the Big Sandy. Men like John Graham, John Hatcher, Harry Stratton and Spencer Adkins. These men had in him a confidence to the extent that they deposited with him papers of an official nature for safe-keeping on the frontier where court-houses were few and far away.

William McGuire came to Big Sandy but did not take up perma-

nent abode here. He acquired land here that for a fleeting time was his by purchase or pre-emption. Being old and vexed with a law suit to take his lands by Richard Damron, he executed a power of attorney to John Hackworth, of Floyd county. The date of the instrument is April 20, 1816. Hackworth was to have power to act for him in the suit.

William McGuire and his wife, Mary, were witnesses in one of the most important lawsuits of the early days. This was the suit of John Hackworth vs. John Graham, brought in 1817 in Floyd county. The land in controversy was Graham's Bottom, consisting of 150 acres, later to form the nucleus of the Graham homestead at the present site of Emma. John Graham had leased the land, which was in reality a part of the John Preston Grant, to Hackworth and Moses Preston. Hackworth says in the old suit that he bought out Moses Preston and, later, John Graham. The agreement was deposited with William McGuire in Tazewell county.

One day John Graham and John Hackworth came riding over the Tazewell hills and arrived at the McGuire home. Their business was to lift the agreement from the McGuires and re-deposit it with John Hatcher back on Sandy. John Hatcher's home, near the present site of Harold, later burned, and with it the agreement between Graham and Hackworth. So the evidence went, supported by William and Mary McGuire, John Sellards and others.

William McGuire died and is buried in Tazewell county. His relationship to certain other McGuires is uncertain. He was, and this is a mere guess, probably father of Cornelius, the early Methodist minister in Floyd county. Jesse may have been a brother. Certain it is that these three were close relatives.

We digress here from the Big Sandy McGuires to call attention to others of the name that came to early Floyd. These were the McGuires of the present Morgan county, which was a part of the original Floyd county. The connection of this family to the Big Sandy McGuires is not established and is probably remote.

There was John McGuire who married Nancy, daughter of William Robert and Elizabeth Buchanan Leslie. William Robert Leslie was the first settler on Johns Creek and choked to death on broiled venison in the first decade of the nineteenth century. Certain family historians state that Nancy Leslie married John McGuire in Montgomery county, Virginia. John, while Hackworth was back in Virginia, and was being given a power of attorney from William McGuire to defend a lawsuit from Richard Damron, bought from John Graham a parcel of Floyd county land. It may have been, and evidence corroborates that it was, when Graham and Hackworth made the journey to pick up the agreement at William McGuire's that later was the subject of a legal controversy between them.

The land that John bought of Graham was at and around the mouth of "Buffalow" Creek, for the gap going over into Sowler's Creek is mentioned. The date was April 9, 1816. It was for 230 acres and the consideration was \$150. The McGuires later sold this land to John Crider and it remained in that family until the Dewey Reservoir was built and the government acquired title. An interesting comment would be comparison of the original \$150 purchase price of the 1816 transaction and the large sums paid by the government in 1950.

John McGuire died sometime between the purchase of the land and October 23, 1817—a period of about seven months. This is deduced from the old records. His widow later married Richard Elkins and they went to Hart's Creek on the Guyan River in 1816. Children of John and Nancy were William and Nancy, records of the Leslie family state.

It is not very important in the McGuire story, but it is well here to point out what may be a discrepancy in the Richard Elkins and Nancy Leslie McGuire story. Certain

it is that she married Elkins in 1816 but whether they moved to Hart's Creek to or near the present Logan, W. Va., we cannot say. Ragland in his History of Logan County states: "Richard Elkins of Montgomery also came with William Dingess and settled near the big island on Island Creek. The island was covered with a heavy growth of cane and Elkins leased it from Dingess and cleared it out and the first year that he cultivated it in corn he raised three thousand bushels or about 100 bushels to the acre." He was the father of a large family, his wife being a Miss McGuire of Montgomery.

We go back to the main stream of the McGuire story with reluctance, for we pick it up with misgivings as to how accurate is the genealogical data we are putting together. Our uncertainty as to what limb we are on in the family tree begins with Cornelius McGuire, the early minister who married Esther Stratton, daughter of Solomon Stratton. Cornelius and Esther married in Montgomery county, Virginia, Dec. 29, 1787. For this we are indebted to the research of Joy Sparks, of Ashland, Ky., a Stratton descendant.

Historians of the McGuire family state that Cornelius and Esther had two children named William and Nancy. Shades of confusion! The present writer is inclined to think that this is right as to William but in error as to Nancy and that there were others.

Children of Cornelius and Esther Stratton McGuire were, the present writer thinks, Mary who married Pruitt, Peggy who married Henry B. Mayo, Lavina who married George Martin, Jesse, who married Elizabeth Garriott (Garrett), Solomon who married Susannah Garriott, William who married Polly Stratton, Jane McGuire and Harry S. who married Diana K. Friend.

Cornelius was a noted Methodist minister in the early Big Sandy. He was one of the first Justices of the Peace in Floyd county when it was organized as a separate governmental unit, having been appointed by the Governor, Dec. 27, 1799. Henry (Harry) Stratton was another of the Justices. Harry built a

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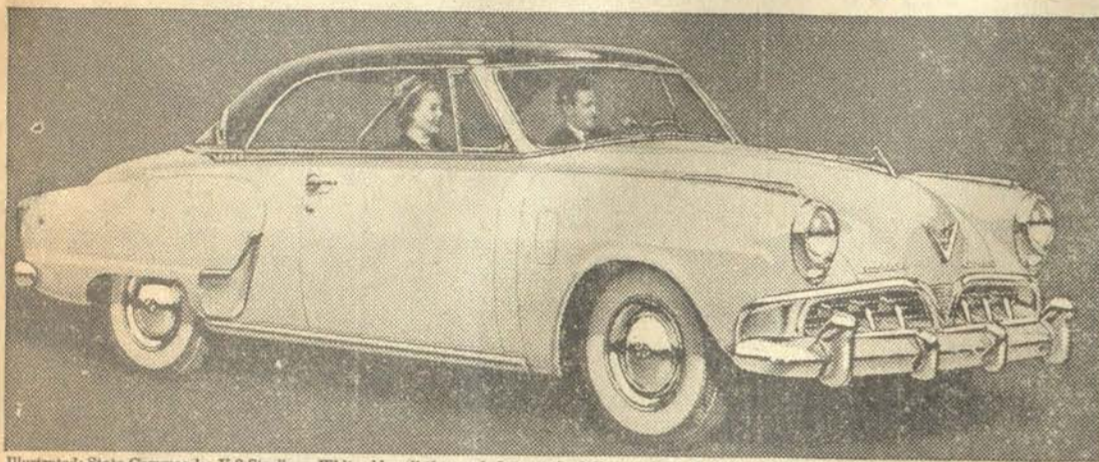
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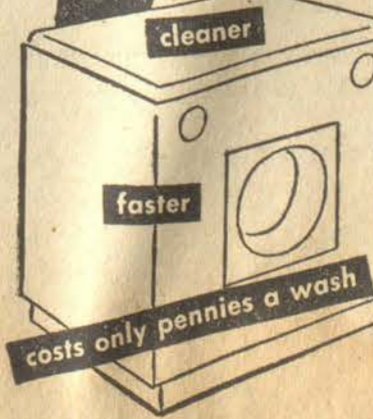
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## 4-H NEWS

### MAYTOWN

The Maytown 4-H Club met in the high school auditorium, Nov. 11, for the purpose of organizing the club for the coming year.

The meeting was called to order by Zena Bradley. New officers elected were Donald L. Lowe, president; Judith Gibson, vice-president; Reba Joyce Salyers, secretary; and Zena Bradley, reporter. Song leaders are Myra Gibson, Bonnie Hopson, and Donnie Robinson. Cheerleaders are Mary Alice Hicks, Brenda C. Gayheart, and Janice Gayheart. Recreation leaders are Claudena Lowe and Patsy Ruth Blevins. Jimmie Hopson was chosen pianist.

The meeting was attended by 75 members. Mrs. Nora Martin, who will lead the sewing this year, attended the meeting. Harold B. Rice, County Agent, discussed 4-H records and set the next meeting for December 9.

### BETSY LAYNE

The Betsy Layne Sr. 4-H Club met at the high school, Nov. 11, and elected officers for the coming year. Joyce Sturgill was elected president; Buck Hale, vice-president; Patricia Sargent, secretary, and Billie Meade, song leader. Cheerleaders are Reba Lawson, Delores Hunt, Connie Caldwell and Lola Little.

Miss Billie Ruth Elkins is sponsoring our club. She was a 4-H Club member at Harold.

The regular meeting date is the second Tuesday of each month at 10:30 a.m.

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## BETSY LAYNE

### WOMAN'S CLUB MEETS

The Betsy Layne Woman's Club held its regular monthly meeting, Thursday night, Nov. 20, at the home of Mrs. Edward Lykins. The program leader, Miss Alice Williams, presented a program on American History, entitled, "Our Native Land." Miss Williams then presented a picture of the Statue of Liberty and read the inscription as it appears on the base of the statue, written by Emma Lazarus. A few moments from the book, "Inside USA," by John Gunther, was read and then a short poem by F. Scott Fitzgerald was read. Miss Williams briefly discussed the Constitution of the United States and quoted from Gladstone concerning the constitution, "It is the greatest piece of work ever struck off at a given time by brain and purposes of man." She urged every member to familiarize herself with the constitution. The next feature was a picture story of our country presenting America as her greatest writers have seen her. Miss Williams attempted to portray the eras of our country through this picture story, with brief discussions of each author and the presentation of pictures pertaining to their works on their lives, thus showing the progress of a new young country to a great and wonderful nation. The final feature of the program was a quiz, "What D. You Know About Presidents of the Past?" with Mrs. Glenn Blackburn winning the prize for the highest score. Miss Williams concluded the program with the following quotation from Edgar A. Guest, as it appears in the club yearbook, "For this America began; To make a brotherhood of man."

Mrs. Beecher Hardwick, club president, presided at the business session. She announced mailing date for the veterans' Christmas stockings that the club members will fill.

Mrs. Hardwick urged members to enter the short story contest sponsored by the Literary Division Fine Arts Department, KFWC. It was voted to write a letter to Governor Wetherby and to the county school board, stating that the club wants every Kentucky child to have benefit of driver training. Miss Williams was appointed Art contest chairman. Mrs. Glenn Blackburn reported on the progress of the Brownie Scout Troop and discussed ways of raising funds for the Girl Scout drive. The meeting was closed with a display of gift articles made by members for sale. A salad course was served to the following members: Mesdames T. J. Chandler, R. L. Anderson, Albert Greenwald, Glenn Blackburn, O. J. Williams, W. P. Howell, Beecher Hardwick, Miss Alice Williams, and the hostess, Mrs. Lykins.

The next regular meeting will be the annual Christmas party at the home of Mrs. O. J. Williams, Thursday night, Dec. 18, with Mrs. Glenn Blackburn, program leader.

### COMMISSION REAPPOINTED

Governor Lawrence Wetherby re-appointed members of the Kentucky Crippled Children's Commission: Former Governor Keen Johnson, Richmond; Millard Cox and John T. Metcalfe, both of Louisville; Dr. C. L. Hafer, Covington; Fred Bryant, Lexington; Mrs. Paul Wickliffe, Greenville; and Hecht S. Lackey, Henderson. He also renamed Dr. Oscar O. Miller, Louisville, to a four-year term on the State Tuberculosis Hospital Commission.

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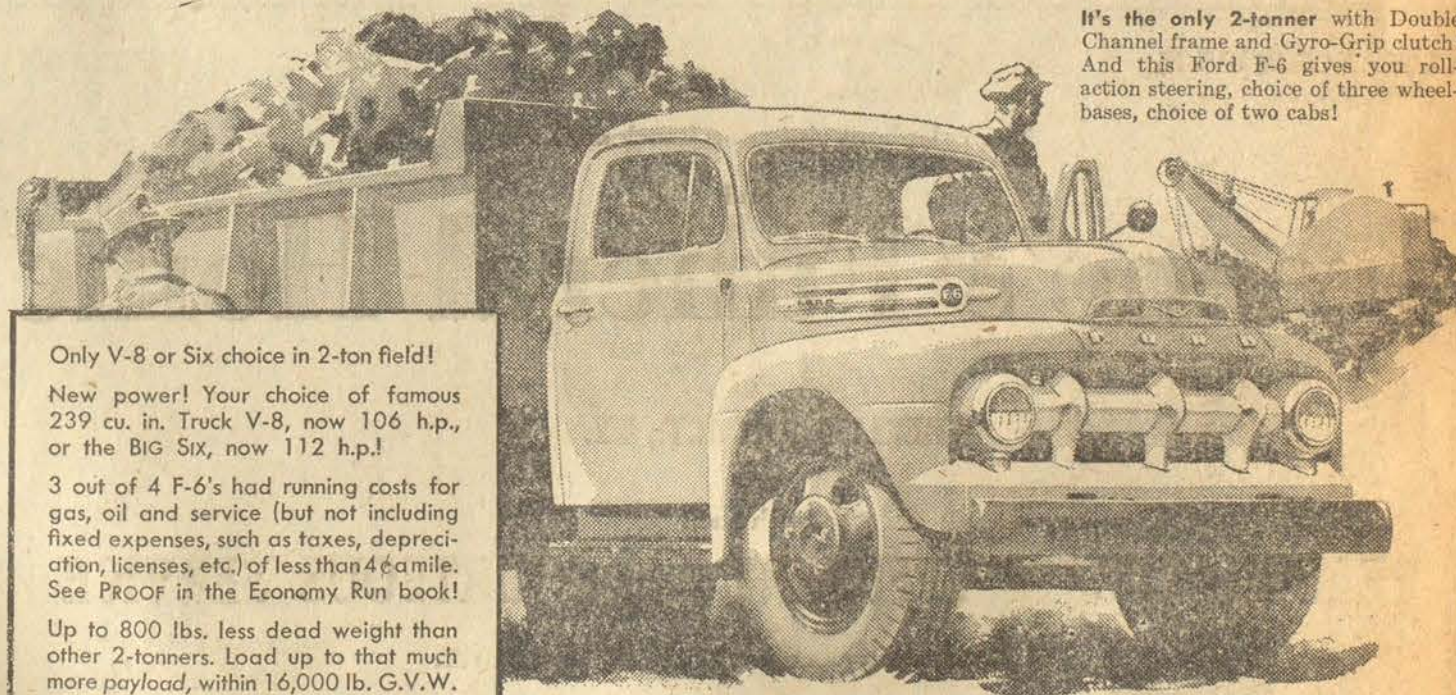
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### MARTIN

Jimmy Skeans, son of Mrs. Mary Skeans, celebrated his birthday with a cake made by his former teacher-friend, Wilma Snoddy. Those who enjoyed the cake with him were his cousins, Florence Biliter and Magdalene Branham, Wilma Snoddy and Jackie Justice. Mr. Justice is with the navy and is the houseguest of Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Branham.

Mrs. Florence Crisp and grandson, John Paul Biliter, were shopping recently in Prestonsburg.

Donald Froste, of Whitesburg, and Sam Webb, of Lexington, visited Magdalene Branham, the past week. Mr. Froste is with the funeral home in Whitesburg.

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### WAYLAND

#### JR. WOMAN'S CLUB MEETS

The regular meeting of the Wayland Junior Woman's Club was held in the home of Miss Faye Petry, Nov. 3. There was a short business session and after it the president introduced the guest speaker, Mrs. O. J. Williams, of Betsy Layne governor of the Seventh district. Mrs. Williams said this was her first club visit since the beginning of the club year. She spoke on the importance of being a 100 percent club and cooperating with the G.F.W.C. Her speech was inspiring and gave a grand boost for the coming club year.

Refreshments were served to the following guests: Mrs. O. J. Williams, Mrs. Beecher Hardwick and Miss Alice Williams, all of Betsy Layne, and members: Mesdames David Stone, Ed DeCoursey, Henry Fults, Charles Hughes, James Wallace, A. N. Begley, Anthony Lyons and Misses Faye Petry, Joyce Terry and Anna Belle Fallin.

The next meeting will be Nov. 17 in the home of Mrs. David Sloan. Mrs. Ruel Hicks will present a program on national and state legislation.

### ALPHORETTA

(Last week's correspondence)

Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Manuel and children left Sunday for Lima, Ohio. Henry Layne was visiting here this week.

W. M. Sturgill was visiting here Saturday.

Mrs. Jack Patton was visiting Mr. and Mrs. Willie Crisp during the week.

Mrs. Joe Bailey and sons spent the past week with Mrs. L. Patton. Mrs. Bailey is a patient at the Beaver valley hospital.

W. M. Ward has been seriously ill for the past week.

Jim Manuel visited his daughter, Mrs. W. M. Sturgill, at Eastern, Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Vincent Adams visited Mr. and Mrs. Sid Marshall at Eastern.

Mrs. Walter England and daughters, Mr. and Mrs. Vincent Adams and daughters, were Sunday guests of Mrs. Allen Bradley and Mrs. Ora Meadows.

Mr. and Mrs. Cleveland Adkins, of Oak Hill, O., visited Mrs. Tavis Allen during the week-end and also attended the funeral of Mrs. Rebecca Allen, at Wilson Creek.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Allen and grandson, of Goodloe, also visited Mr. and Mrs. Tavis Allen.

The many friends of Alphoretta wish to express sympathy to the Allen family upon the death of Mrs. Rebecca Allen, of Wilson Creek.

Mrs. James Ward visited Mrs. Johnny Ward, Sunday.

Mrs. Ervin Hall spent Sunday night at Allen with her mother, Mrs. Carr.

Dock Ratliff is taking treatment at the Beaver Valley hospital.

Mrs. W. M. Ward, Mrs. James Ward, Mrs. Robert Hondel, and Mrs. Vincent Adams attended a surprise shower at Martin at the home of Rev. and Mrs. Waddles for Mrs. Donald Prater, of Warco, Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Carroll attended church at Drift, Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Sturgill and daughters, of Eastern, visited Mrs. Vincent Adams, Sunday.

Mrs. W. M. Ward and Mrs. Robert Hondel were shopping in Martin, Monday.

C. Sturgill and daughter, Sadie, Mrs. Martha England and daughters attended church at Drift, Sunday night.

Vincent Adkins and James Ward were visiting Troy Layne, at Maytown, Sunday.

Vincent Adams is now employed at the Twin Bridge Service Station. Miss Sadie Sturgill has been a patient at the Beaver Valley hospital.

Earl Rudder and E. B. Miller have gone to Lima, O.

Mrs. Henry Gregory has as her guests her sister, Mrs. E. B. Miller, and sons, Butch, Chuck, Joe and David Lee, of West Virginia.

Willard Ousley spent Sunday at Stephens Branch.

### NOTICE TO BIDDERS

The Floyd County Board of Education will receive up till its regular meeting Dec. 2, 1952, sealed bids on transporting pupils from the Left Fork of Abbot Creek to the school bus line on main Abbot Creek. The Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

VERGIL O. TURNER, Supt. Floyd County Schools

### HEADS DRIVE



Heading the record contribution of the Cadet Corps of Kentucky Military Institute, Lyndon, Ky., to success of the Louisville Community Chest drive was Co. B, of which Ronnie Rice, son of Mrs. J. M. Hall, of Prestonsburg, is captain. Rice's company collected \$120 of the record \$286.20 collected for the drive by the Cadets, and in recognition of his achievement he was a guest at the recent Community Chest dinner in Louisville.

Co. B also was adjudged best-drilled of the K. M. I. Cadet Corps at the school's Homecoming this year. A senior at the age of 18, Rice is a leader scholastically and played the end position on the K. M. I. football team.

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### MARTIN

Miss Carolyn Beverly, telephone operator in Columbus, O., was the week-end guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Miles Beverly.

Rev. and Mrs. Ernest Collins, of Pikeville, were Sunday guests of her brother, John Biliter, and his family.

Mrs. E. Rone was visiting relatives at Eastern, recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Astor Halbert and Daughter, Patricia Ann, and son, Donald Ray Martin, and Miss Freida McClothen, of St. Mary's, O., spent a few days here and in McDowell last week with relatives.

Andrew Young, of Allen, was visiting friends in Martin, Sunday.

Cpl. James Perry (Pedo) Osborne is spending a much-needed furlough here with his mother, Mrs. Mary Osborne. Cpl. Osborne has just returned after serving a year in Korea, and will be here 30 days. His sister, A/3c Pauline Osborne, of the Air Force, flew home from her base, Shaw, S.C., just for one night in order to see him. A/3c Mary Lou Click also came along and spent one night with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jobie Click.

Kelly Osborne, of Ohio, spent a few days last week, visiting friends.

Mrs. Joe Bailey has returned to her home in Harold after undergoing treatment in the Beaver Valley hospital for a few days.

Major and Mrs. Earl Lynch, of Fresno, Calif., announce the recent birth of a daughter, Nancy Ann. Major Lynch is the son of L. L. Lynch, of Martin. He has orders to leave for Korea soon.

Cpl. Harry Dean Justice writes home that he will get a five-ray rest period in Japan soon. He has been in Korea a while.

Lt. James Conn will leave for New Jersey this week, thence to Germany. He has spent his furlough here with relatives.

Florence Biliter was the Thursday night guest of her sister, Mrs. Rosemary Osborne, at her home in Allen.

Jimmy Skeans celebrated his 18th birthday at his home here, Nov. 16. Guests for the occasion were Magdalene Branham, Wilma Snavelly, Florence Biliter, Gwen Branham. They, together with his mother, Mrs. Mary Skeans, enjoyed a home-made cake made by Miss Snavelly. Another guest was Seaman 1/c Jack Justice, of Charleston, W. Va.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe McCluskey, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Kish and baby, of Beckley, W. Va., were the week-end guests of their sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Dermont.

Miss Blanche Dingus was visiting relatives and friends in Columbus, Ohio, last week-end.

Miss Mae Skeans has returned to her work in Cleveland, O., after spending a week here visiting relatives.

Major and Mrs. Walter Preston and son have returned to Camp Pickett, Va., after spending several days here with relatives.

Tommy Osborne, of Fort Knox, Ky., spent a furlough at home recently. He will be discharged from the army soon.

Mrs. Gypsie Collins has been a patient in the Beaver Valley hospital suffering from bruises and shock, results of a fall. While there she underwent a minor operation.

Mrs. John W. Hall was a patient in the Beaver Valley hospital for several days. She is able to be out now.

A. H. Mandt and George Evans, Jr., attended the football game in Knoxville, Tenn., last week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy (somebody?) of Russell, were recent guests of his sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Stith.

Mrs. John King and baby, of Ashland, were recent guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Goodin.

Stella Dean Caudill and a girl friend, of Louisville, were recent guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Caudill.

Mr. and Mrs. Miles Beverly, of near Martin, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Preston.

Bobby Biliter, student at the University of Kentucky, Lexington, spent last week-end at home with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Biliter.

Edmund Earnett, of Louisville, spent the week-end here with his mother.

Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Dudley, Mary Skeans, Betty Preflatish motored to McDowell, Sunday afternoon.

Sgt. Dow Osborne is spending a furlough home with his wife and mother. Upon completion of his furlough he will go to Germany.

The American Legion is sponsoring a dance at Martin high school gymnasium, Saturday, Nov. 29, from 10:30-2:30. All proceeds to be used for the purchase of uniforms for the Martin high school band.

Long before Indians or white-men lived in Kentucky, the country was inhabited by a race of people known as "Mound Builders." Little is known of them because they left no written record. However, some scientists have been able to discover, by examining the mounds of earth which they erected, a great deal of how they lived and worked.

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### PYNE APPOINTED

Commissioner of Welfare Luther T. Goheen announced selection of William H. Pyne, head of the Greendale Houses of Reform, as director of the Kentucky Youth Authority. Pyne, former assistant superintendent of the Louisville and Jefferson County Children's Home, will continue as head of the Houses of Reform. The Youth Agency was created by the 1952 General Assembly and will supervise a new youth de-habilitation program.

### CODE OPPOSED

Kentucky's Judicial Conference composed of Circuit and Appellate Judges, voiced disapproval of a proposed major change in Kentucky's new Code of Civil Procedure that will require open hearings in all equity cases—rather than permit them to be heard by deposition. The Circuit Judges' division of the conference voted, 23 to 12, against the proposal.

### LAW RULED VALID

The Kentucky Court of Appeals gave its sanction to the 1949 special legislative session act authorizing the state to aid counties in assessing problems and ruled further that the law itself contains machinery for correction of erroneous assessment. It has been doubly charged that the law is invalid, and that under it favoritism had been shown by local officials in making assessments.

Eight farmers in Boyle county are planning to install irrigation systems next year.

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## WAYLAND

### JUNIOR CLUB IN MEETING

The regular meeting of the Wayland Junior Woman's Club was held Nov. 17 at the home of Mrs. David Sloan. It was voted to buy a skirt, shoes and blouse for the club's adopted orphan, Mae Sisco, Beulah Heights Orphanage, Ky. Mrs. Chas. Hughes was elected corresponding secretary.

Committee chairmen were appointed as follows: Scrapbook, Miss Annabelle Falin; Calendar, Mrs. Roy Martin; Publicity, Mrs. Richard Hicks; Refreshment committee for Christmas party, Mrs. Edgar DeCoursey, Mrs. Hedman Harmon, Mrs. Ralph Wright, Mrs. Roy Martin; Entertainment, Mrs. Jack Hammett, Mrs. Henry Fuels, Miss Joyce Terry, and Mrs. David Sloan; Decorations for Christmas party are to be made by Miss Faye Petry, Miss Annabelle Falin, Mrs. Anthony Lyons and Mrs. Charles Hughes.

Refreshments were served by the hostess to the following members: Mesdames Ralph Wright, Henry Fuels, Richard Hicks, Dave Adams, Edgar DeCoursey, Jack Hammett, Herman Harmon, Charles Hughes, Roy Martin, Anthony Lyons, A. N. Gogley, Misses Annabelle Falin, Faye Petry, Joyce Terry.

The next meeting will be December 1, in the church basement at Wayland.

The greatest flood in the history of Kentucky was recorded in 1937.

## DAVID

Dawson Bussey, who was ill in the Prestonsburg General hospital most of last week, has returned to his home here, but is still confined to his home.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Prater and daughter, of Wayland, visited Mr. and Mrs. Earl Dawson, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Stapleton and daughter were visiting relatives at Lowmansville, Sunday.

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

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Tussey and children visited relatives at Martin, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Doug Spears, of Paintsville, visited Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Wilson and children here, Sunday.

James Lloyd Hale, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Hale, left Monday of last week to join the navy.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill McKinney and children were called to West Virginia last Sunday on account of the death of her father. The church and community extend their deepest sympathy.

Mr. and Mrs. Thurman Clark visited Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Wilson here Sunday.

Pvt. Reuben Shepherd, who has been stationed at Harrisburg, Pa., left for Seattle, Wash., last week.

Mrs. Fred Mollette is ill in the Prestonsburg General hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Arrowood and children were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Elijah Banks, of Meally, Ky., Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Seldon Harmon visited Mr. and Mrs. Mart Arnett, of Chelsea, Mich., last week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Sonny Wilkinson and son, Hank, of Wheelwright, were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Marshall, last week-end.

Ernest Honeycutt, of the U.S. army, is visiting his brother, Hansford Honeycutt, and family here.

Russell Harman, of Huntington, was visiting relatives and friends here last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Hershell Johnson and children, of Grundy, Va., were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Willard Johnson, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Garland Hall were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Frank Davis, of Van Lear, Sunday.

Mrs. George Prater, of Charleston, W. Va., is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Everett Hager, here.

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ENLARGES CHURCH BUILDING  
Members of the Freewill Baptist Church at Cow Creek are building two additional rooms to their church house to facilitate Sunday School activities.

## Methodist Youth Meet With Dorton Fellowship

The Pike-Floyd Sub-District Methodist Youth Fellowship met recently at the Methodist Church, Dorton, Ky., for the monthly meeting. The Dorton Fellowship group was in charge of the program which featured the theme of Thanksgiving. Miss Katherine Smallwood, who presided, introduced G. M. Shaw, chief laboratory technician at the Methodist hospital, Pikeville, who gave an interesting talk on "Thanksgiving Through Service." The speaker explained some of the opportunities for service open to the young people through the hospital and other service agencies of the church. Rev. Robert L. Anderson, sub-district counselor, outlined plans for the four commissions of Fellowship: Worship, Community Service, World Friendship, recreation.

The attendance banner was awarded the Elkhorn City Youth Fellowship. The meeting was well attended by the youth, adult leaders and pastors of the churches.

Next meeting of the sub-district group is set for Dec. 15, 7:30 p.m., at the Methodist Church, Elkhorn City.

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10:00 a.m.—Sunday School.

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Thursday—

7:00 p.m.—S.C. Honeycutt preaching

Every one invited to attend these services.

## JUMP

Pvt. Lowell T. Jarrell, of Fort George G. Meade, Md., son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Messinger, of Jump, formerly of Minnie, has spent a three-day pass visiting relatives in Norfolk, Va.

Church services were held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Miller, Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Collins, Mr. and Mrs. S. G. Collins and family, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Daniels and Judy visited Mr. and Mrs. Walter Messinger, Sunday.

Albany — Gov. Dewey met with representatives of the Civil Service Employees Association to discuss salary increases for state workers.



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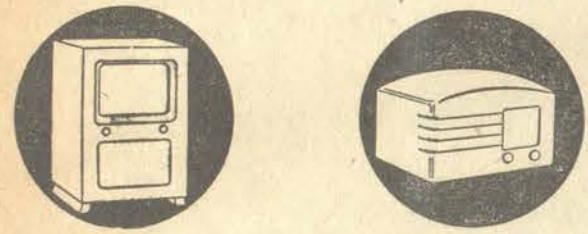
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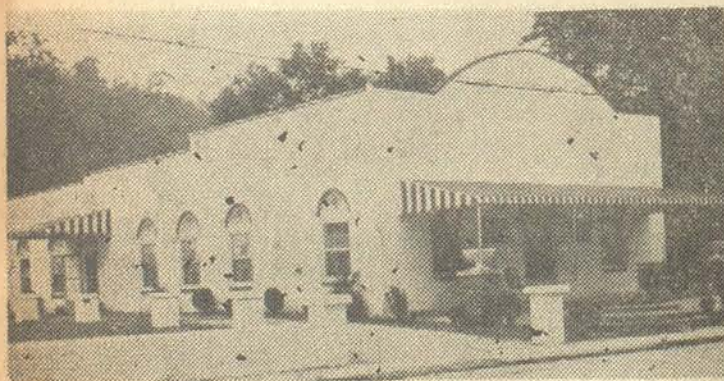
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two-story log house near the mouth of Tom's Creek and Cornelius built a cabin around the bend southward a few hundred yards away and alongside what is now U.S. 23.

Harry and Cornelius were brothers-in-law. For Harry was a son of Solomon Stratton. Harry attended to his business of acquiring land and Cornelius attended to his own and the Lord's. At night the members of the two families visited each other.

One night in the year 1796, four years before the county of Floyd was created, Harry went up the path to visit his sister and brother-in-law. Upon nearing the McGuire cabin, he heard a man's voice in prayer. Prayer and worship were unusual in this new land. To Harry's knowledge no sermon had ever been preached in the valley. Walking nearer the cabin door he stood and listened to the fervency of a reverent soul as he talked to God. Cornelius and Esther, Harry saw, were kneeling on the bare floor.

The old book, Redford's "History of Methodism in Kentucky," says: "Mr. Stratton thought he would get near enough to hear him and while making the attempt was seized with conviction and, rushing into the house, fell upon his knees and cried for mercy until he was powerfully converted."

It was one of the great moments of life for Cornelius McGuire, but in his long life of consecration to Christ there were many others. Another was when Harry requested that a service be held at his home down the road. Now at this early day settlers were few in Floyd county. When the time for the meeting came there were the Laynes from the present Betsy Layne, the Johnses, the Mayos from near Prestonsburg and the Auxlers from Blockhouse Bottom. It was the first Methodist sermon in the Big Sandy.

For a decade longer Cornelius labored for the Lord. In 1809 he was worn and unable to travel the far distances to shepherd his scattered pioneer flock. So he went to the conference and requested the bishop to provide a duly ordained minister to serve Big Sandy. The Sandy River circuit was created and Benjamin Edge was placed in charge. No stone marks where the first apostle of Big Sandy Methodism is buried.

Solomon McGuire, who was perhaps the eldest of Cornelius' children, married Susannah Garriot, Jan. 14, 1812. Jesse married Elizabeth, a sister to Susannah, April 17, 1821. Susannah and Elizabeth were daughters of Elemlick Garriot, Gabriel Garriot (Garrett), a son, is the ancestor of many of the people of Floyd county of the same name.

Solomon and Susannah Garriot McGuire went to Edgar county, Illinois, before 1831, for in that year he sold his interest in the McGuire estate here and the deed of conveyance states that he was a resident of Edgar county. One son of Jesse and Elizabeth Garriot McGuire was Garrett McGuire, who married Jane, daughter of H. W. and Phoebe Sellards Stratton. Frank and his wife are buried in the Tandy R. Stratton cemetery on Mare Creek. William McGuire, who married Polly Stratton, July 25, 1827, lived on Johns Creek upon an estate spacious and large. He died in July, 1886. He had served under Col. Andrew Jackson May in the Confederate army.

The name of William's wife, on the old marriage records, is given as Polly. In the William McGuire will he refers to her as Amy. Under date of Feb. 9, 1886, he executed his last testament and set out his devisees in a precise fashion. In the original he leaves out Louviska McGuire Vaughan, a daughter, and Wesley C. McGuire, a son, but before he died he wrote a codicil leaving each one dollar, explaining that he had made prior advancement from the estate to them.

He devised to Easter Richie (late McGuire), Nancy Jane McGuire, and to the heirs of John P. McGuire. It was John who was killed in 1863 while fighting for Dr. Robert Jackson against the Blackburns under Peyton Blackburn at the mouth of River Branch of Johns Creek. He was buried in the Jackson cemetery near where he was killed.

Other devisees of William besides his wife, are Sarah Foley, late McGuire, Arminta Romans, late McGuire, and Rosa McGuire Dameron. Of his land on the Panther Fork of Wolf Creek he states it is in litigation but if the suit is adjudged in his favor that the land is to be sold and the proceeds distributed to his heirs.

Solomon McGuire, one of the legatees of the William McGuire will, was a son. He lived on Johns Creek, was a large landholder and a director of the First National Bank in Prestonsburg.

In some references, Polly Stratton McGuire, who married William Stratton, is referred to as Mary. She was a daughter of Hiram and Hannah Leslie Stratton. Mary's brother, Solomon Stratton, married Nancy McGuire, who, it is said, was a daughter of Cornelius. This may have been the Jane, daughter of Cornelius, as Nancy Jane was a common double name. After Nancy died Solomon married Mary Jones.

## FOREST FIRES COVERED AREA

Of 250,000 Timber Acres From Oct. 20 to Nov. 8, States Forester Newland

Frankfort, Ky., Nov. 14 (Spl.)—The recent outbreak of forest fires in Kentucky burned an estimated 250,000 acres of timber worth approximately \$3,250,000, according to State Forester Harrod B. Newland. The estimates cover the period from Oct. 20 through Nov. 8.

A total of 854 fires were reported during the period and 25,635 man-hours were spent on the fire lines.

On Oct. 28, 199 fires—the greatest number burning in any one day—were reported. More than 2,000 forestry and emergency personnel manned the fire lines in an effort to bring the 77,490 acres of burning timber under control.

The greatest amount of damage was reported in the Eastern and Southeastern sections of the state, according to Newland, but to obtain a more accurate account of acreage destroyed, air observers are plotting burned areas in each county. Damage to farm buildings, crops and seed was reported high but no accurate estimate could be made without additional information, Newland said.

Newland warned that although the emergency has passed, the danger from fires will continue through the middle of December.

### Announcement Is Made Of May-Little Marriage

Mr. and Mrs. John May, of Langley, are announcing the marriage of their daughter, Miss Loretta May, to Mr. Donald Charles Little, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Little, of Drift, on September 27, in Tazewell, Va.

Both Mr. and Mrs. Little are attending Eastern Kentucky State College, at Richmond, where they will reside.

### CONTRACTS AWARDED

The Commissioner of Highways awarded contracts totaling \$562,690.66 for improvement of 22,871 miles of road in Green, Hart, Allen, Bath, Jefferson and Knott counties.

### DRIFT

(Last week's correspondence) Mrs. Billy J. Turner is now teaching school at Drift.

John Howard Dingsus was a business visitor in Drift the past week. Bobby Turner was visiting in Morehead last week.

Billy J. Turner spent last weekend at home.

### NURSING CONFERENCE IS CALLED

A regional conference on tuberculosis nursing was called for Dec. 3 at London to discuss "teamwork in the prevention and control of tuberculosis" under sponsorship of the State Tuberculosis Association, the State Board of Health and the Tuberculosis Sanatoria Commission.

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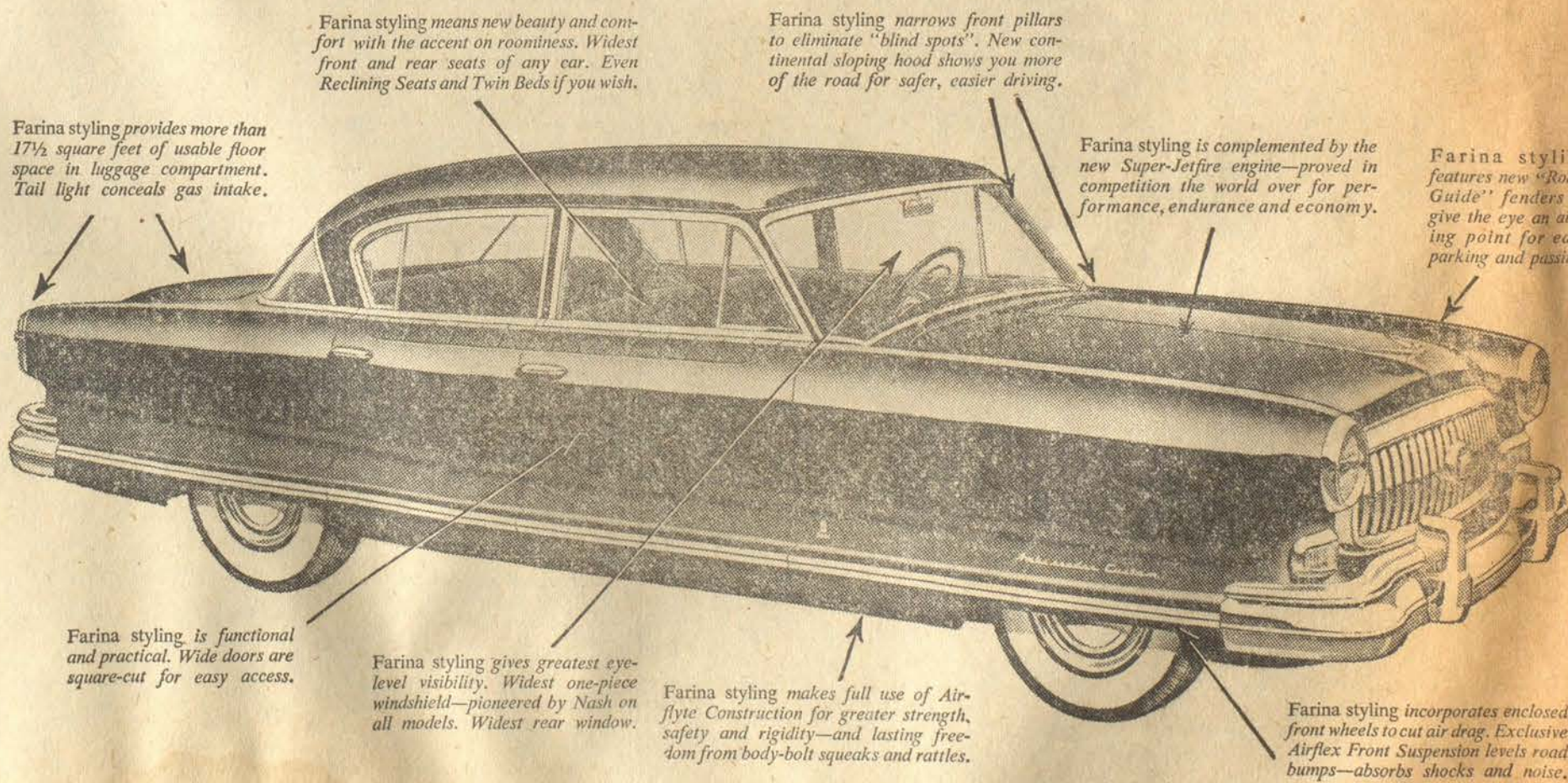
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