

TWO RACES HEADLINE 'HOTTEST' PRIMARY

This Town-- That World

MAN VS. MAN AND MACHINE Here it is, 7 a.m., and the man at the machine is breathing down my shirt collar. I've got him out early for press day to set more type, but there's no copy. So, to get a start on him, let's reprint this, one of best things to get into print on the subject, by Ben Hur Lampman, associate editor of The Portland Oregonian:

IF YOU HAVE LOVED THESE If you have loved the glimpse of a doe and a fawn in the bracken at morning, when the mists rise out of the little valley; and the resonant call of the grouse in the sentinel firs; and the sad sweetness of wild pigeons, calling out to another; and the wood duck low to the water; and the red rabbit that comes to the sand bar at dawn, out of the black-berry tangle--if you have loved all these, and love them still, be careful of fire in the forest. If you have loved the deep, cool shadows of noon, with a hawk circling; the charmed stillness of the drowsy woodland, smelling of fern and resin; and a peace that flows outward and inward, like a great pulse in harmony; and the knowledge that there is no urgency, nor ever has been; and a pendant vine drooping with purple berries--if you have one time loved these, and had healing from them, be careful of fire in the forest. If you have loved the lengthening shadows that come from the forest at evening, when the deer steal forth again, and the plumed quail; the awareness that at twilight the near hills draw nearer; if you have loved, in that listening stillness, the splash of a fine trout rising, or a sea-run salmon ascending the river; the assurance, somehow, that you are not alien to the trees, to the evening, nor to the creator of these; if you have loved all this, and these, and are grateful, be careful of fire in the forest.

DEWEY LAKE STATE PARK IS APPROVED

Gov. Wetherby Outlines Plans for Development To Be Begun This Year

Development of a state park on Dewey Lake in Floyd county will be undertaken this year, Governor Lawrence W. Wetherby announced in Frankfort, Monday. Specific plans for the park have not been completed by the Department of Conservation, which will have charge of its development and operation, the Governor said. Conservation Commissioner Henry Ward revealed that negotiations have been in progress with officials of the U. S. Corps of Engineers for several months looking toward establishment of a new park on the lake. Ward said that the state has asked the Engineers to indicate whether the state will be given a long-term lease on approximately 750 acres of government-owned land on the west side of the lake, extending from Dewey Dam to Brandy Keg Creek. Negotiations to determine what areas can be made available to the state are now being carried out, Ward added. A study of the proposed park is under way by Thomas J. Nelson, assistant director and chief park planner of the Division of Parks. (Photographs of the dam and lake were made last Thursday by a state Highway Department photographer.)

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250 ATTEND FIELD EVENT

Floyd Farm Families Gather in 3rd Annual Field Day at Allen

Floyd county's third annual Farm Family Field Day which was held last Thursday on Virgil Smith's farm at Allen was not only attended by the largest crowd to gather for any of the annual events but also was the county's best. One observer, Claude Justice, of the Kentucky and West Virginia Power Company, who is a regular visitor at farm family field days over the section, said, "It was the best I've ever attended" and two specialists from the University of Kentucky, who at Allen were attending their 12th field day this year, hailed the Floyd event as one of the best they have worked this year. Approximately 250 members of farm families attended. And, among other things, they saw: What 2-4-D, applied to poison ivy and weeds, had achieved in only a week's time. Plots of hybrid and open-pollinated corn for purposes of comparison. Pasture plots of clovers and grasses. Plots for fertilizer value demonstration. Flocks of 250 laying hens and 250 turkeys. Demonstrations by home economists from the Kentucky and West Virginia Power Company showed the women methods of preparing food for freezing, packing a home freezer, and preparation of broilers. Discussions and awarding of prizes formed a heavy part of the afternoon program. Virgil Smith, host to the gathering, told of his farm organization, George D. Cordery, University of Kentucky field agent in agronomy, and C. E. Harlris, field agent in poultry, offered expert advice, and their talks were followed by a question-and-answer period. Winners of prizes: Newest married couple present, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Bell, Pikeville, Miramonte coffee-maker contributed by Keathley Jewelry, Martin; couple longest married, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Dingus, Martin, cutlery.

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Court House Happenings

SUITS None filed. MARRIAGE LICENSES George Collins and Blanche Boyd, Johnie Hicks and Christine Dawson, King D. Pettit, Jr., and Melba Geraldine Hines, Russell Chaffins and Clara E. Horton, William Shannon Crisp and Patsy Sue Woods.

David Girl Scout Camp Enaged in Many Projects; Overnight Stay, Popular

"The most enjoyed activity of the Girl Scouts at the David camp was the overnight stay," said Mrs. Ray Howard in commenting on the various phases of camp life there. "Swimming lessons came second on the most popular list," she added. The Girl Scout camp at the David site which opened July 7 and continued through July 16, was in charge of Barbara Goddard, camp director. It was composed of 38 Prestonsburg intermediate and brownie scouts. Seven joined the camp from the David troop. "The David cabin is owned by the troop there," said Mrs. Howard. "We hope to own one ourselves," she added. Some of the many activities of the camp were wool weaving, decoration of plaques, making and decoration of pottery, belt-weaving and making and decoration of water sprinklers. Field trips led by Mrs. Regina B. Mayo were an interesting feature of camp life. The Prestonsburg Scouts left here by bus on the morning of the seventh, accompanied by several adults interested in scouting, in charge of Mrs. Chalmers Frazier, chairman of the camp committee. Other members of the committee were Mrs. H. L. Ley, Mrs. E. H. Collins, Mrs. Wm. Crawford and Mrs. E. P. Hill, Jr.

FLOYD SCOUTS IN BIG ROLES

At National Jamboree; Lonesome Pine Council Sends 7 Eagle Scouts

With seven Eagle Scouts in their contingent of 32 Scouts and two leaders at the third National Jamboree in California, Lonesome Pine Scouts had prominent roles in the activities highlighting the gathering on the huge Irvine ranch of 50,000 Boy Scouts from all parts of the United States. Six boys from the Council took part in the flag-raising ceremony which opened the Jamboree, and three others were in the 85-piece band from Region Four which played at the opening ceremonies. Three of the six--Raleigh Archer and Freddy Francis, of Prestonsburg, and "Hank" Wilkinson, of Wheelwright--were in the flag-raising ceremonies. Gary Martin, of Martin, Gabriel Wallace, Prestonsburg, and Belvin Ewen, Hazard, were members of the band. The seven Eagle Scouts formed one of the largest groups of top-ranking Scouts sent to the Jamboree by any Council in the country, said Carle Kidd, Prestonsburg, one of the leaders who accompanied the Scouts on their trip. Lonesome Pine Council boys also contributed next to the highest contribution made at the Jamboree to the World Friendship Fund which is maintained for the aid of Scouting in countries under difficult conditions. Photos of Floyd county boys, with others, at the camp appear on another page of this edition.

E. K. Hicks, 35, of Ligon, Victim of Heart Attack; Rites Held on Rock-Fork

E. K. Hicks, 35, of Ligon, died late last Wednesday evening, a victim of a heart attack suffered shortly after he left work. He was a machine operator, employed in the Clear Branch mines. He was a son of Lulu and Fair Hicks, of Knott county, and the husband of Elsie Hicks. Mr. Hicks was a member of the Masonic Order. Besides his parents and widow, two children survive, James Edward Hicks, of Lima, Ohio, and Mabel Delores Hicks, at home. Also surviving are two sisters, Mrs. Ossie Woods, Lackey, Mrs. Bonny J. Terry, Dayton, O., and two brothers, Bert Hicks, Lackey, and Felix Hicks, Mallory, Ky. Funeral services were held at the home of Hop Cox on Rock Fork, at 10 a.m. Sunday, the Revs. Ed Howard and George Bolen officiating. Burial was made in the family cemetery under direction of Hall Brothers Funeral Home.

P'Burg School Gym Destroyed by Fire

The Prestonsburg high school gymnasium was destroyed by fire of undetermined origin shortly after Wednesday midnight, leaving the school's net team facing the possibility of either cancelling its 1953-54 schedule or of leasing a gym in some neighboring town for play and practise. The City Board of Education has \$12,500 insurance on the building, and the County Board has \$10,000. The fire, probably the most spectacular seen here, was attended by an explosion which hurled rafters from the weakening roof and sent burning debris high into the air. Some of this settled over a wide area, and as a result the roof of a porch on the side of the grade school opposite the gym caught fire. The school roof was littered with charred roofing and other materials, and this building was closely watched till 4 a.m., by Mr. Frazier. This explosion, it was held, may have been caused by gases accumulating beneath the roof of the burning structure. Despite the loss of the building, there were few regrets. In fact, the big crowd that gathered was in holiday mood. One group hurried to the home of Bill Darnon, basketball.

PRESTONSBURG GRANDMOTHER GETS DEGREE FROM MOREHEAD STATE; HER DOCTOR-SONS AMONG THOSE WITNESSING COMMENCEMENT

A Prestonsburg grandmother of five was among six Floyd countians who last Thursday received degrees from Morehead State College, and in the gathering of relatives and friends who witnessed the commencement exercises were her two doctor-sons. The graduate was Mrs. Evelyn Johns Salisbury, wife of Herbert Salisbury, Sr., and a veteran teacher in the Prestonsburg Schools. Her sons are Dr. Herbert G. Salisbury, Jr., Prestonsburg dentist, and Dr. Robert J. Salisbury, Lexington physician. Other Floyd countians receiving degrees at the exercises were Lexie L. Allen, Eastern; Jack Elkins, Harold; Oliver E. Allen, Martin; William Taylor Hammonds, Sloan, and Foster Meade, McDowell. Allen, Hammonds and Meade received Master's degrees. Wendell P. Butler, State Superintendent of Public Instruction, spoke on "A Pauper in A Glorious Age." Dean Warren C. Lappin presented the degree candidates to President Charles R. Spain, who awarded the diplomas and conferred the degrees. The Morehead brass sextet under the direction of R. Russell Aukerman played "Pomposo" by Johnson and "Intermezzo" from Cavalleria Rusticana by Mascagni. A total of 72 students received bachelor of arts degrees, 10 received the bachelor of science degree and 15 the master's in education degree.

BOARD LETS SCHOOL WORK

Bosco, Ligon Contracts Awarded Pikeville Firm; Ash Bonds Re-Advertised

The Floyd County Board of Education officially awarded contracts on construction of the Bosco and Ligon school buildings at its meeting Tuesday to the Preston Building & Supply Company, Pikeville, and it was said work on the two structures is expected to begin today (Thursday). The Preston bids were \$41,507.20 on the Bosco school, \$36,222.13 on the work at Ligon. Both are to be four-room structures. The Board also awarded to Taulbee McGuire the contract for moving the old Bosco school from the school site and making the old

SHEPHERD, 1ST KENTUCKIAN RELEASED IN POW EXCHANGE

The first Kentucky prisoner of war to be returned to American hands in the UN-Red prisoner exchange which began at Panmunjon, Korea at 7 p.m., Tuesday (EST), was Sgt. Raymond Shepherd, son of Mrs. Anna Howard Shepherd, of Pyramid. The Floyd countian's return to friendly hands came 32 months after the November day in 1950 when he was reported missing. His mother received the news of his release from Red hands while listening to a newscast, Wednesday morning. Within a few hours, upwards of 50 persons from different parts of the county had called at the home to tell her the long-awaited news, fearing she had not heard. Later in the day came a telegram from the Defense Department notifying the Pyramid woman of her son's release and saying he would be returned to the United States "in the near future by surface craft". Surface craft means that he will return by ship. Mrs. Shepherd was so transported by the good news that she forgot to eat breakfast, she told her nephew, Jarvis Allen. Sgt. Shepherd enlisted in the army in 1949. When taken prisoner he was a corporal. He was reported missing at the same time Randolph Hayes, his boyhood chum at Hueysville where the two resided, became missing. His friend, a son of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Hayes, died in a Red prison camp only a few weeks after his capture, it was learned only a month ago.

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MARTIN MEET OF TEACHERS

A feature of the Floyd county teachers' meeting held at Martin Monday and Tuesday was the selection of the educational fields to be covered by a committee of the teachers themselves, said Otis Spurlock, director of instruction, this week. "They did a good job, too," he added. The committee of teachers was composed of Opal May, Norma Stepp, Oma Elkins, Kelsa Elliott, Frankie Best, Beecher Woods, Thurman Sellars and Earl Hall. The committee was assisted in setting up the plans for the meeting by Fred Edmonds, state regional

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Featured by Consultants From Educational Fields Teacher Committee Picks

Both Senator John Sherman Cooper and Congressman Carl D. Perkins contacted either Mr. Burke or the Corps of Engineers last week to ascertain what had been done toward lake-deepening. Biologists of the Department of Fish and Wildlife Resources last week made their second spot checks of fish population and growth in the reservoir. No official report of their findings has been made. Local sportsmen, however, have contended there is an urgent need for a bass-restocking program to be instituted by the State department at the lake.

Garrett Man Victim Of Wreck, Son Hurt As Auto Leaves Road

Would-be rescuers worked more than three hours last Sunday morning before the body of Charles H. Hall, 43-year-old Garrett man was extricated from the wreckage of his car in which he died near Hueysville at 3:45 a.m., and in which his son, Charles Luther 18, was injured. The auto, in which the father and son were returning to Garrett from Virginia, plunged over the cliff-like bank onto the railroad tracks. The injured youth said the wreck occurred when the wheels locked as the brakes were applied. Noise of the wreck and the calls of the younger man were heard, but those answering were unable to remove the car from Hall's body. A wrecker was summoned, and, in the absence of a blow torch to cut away the imprisoning metal, an axe was used to cut a hole in the auto. The elder Hall's chest was crushed. His son suffered a head injury and a bruised leg. He was thrown clear of the car. Surviving the victim are his widow, Mrs. Armande Hall, two sons, Charles Luther and James Eugene Hall, both of Garrett, two daughters, Mrs. Gertrude Cavins, Leburn, W. Va., and Mrs. Eunice Martin, Fobis, Va., and one step-son, John Homer Burchett, of Garrett. He also leaves three brothers and two sisters, Bill Hall, Garrett, John Hall, Van Lear, Mart Hall, Clinchfield, W. Va., Mrs. Lucy Hyden, Prestonsburg, and Mrs. Artie Baldrige, Paintsville. The funeral was held Wednesday from the Church of God at Garrett by the Revs. Green Allen and James Duff, and burial was made in the Tom Martin cemetery at West Garrett under direction of the Turner Funeral Home.

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OTHER FIRMS SIGN WAIVERS

To Assist in Move For Lake Deepening; Tests Made at Lake

Except for one gas company and two leaseholders, all persons and firms having holdings in the Dewey reservoir area had by the end of last week signed waivers of claims for damages which might result from the addition of a depth of five feet of water to Dewey Lake. The only gas firm remaining to sign is the Hoening interests, of Oklahoma, which are in process of effecting a sale of Johns Creek properties to a group of Floyd countians. Waivers signed by the Kentucky West Virginia Gas Company and the Ashland Oil Transportation Company were sent, direct, to the district office, U. S. Corps of Engineers, Huntington. The Hoening deal is expected to be concluded within two or three weeks, and local interests have given E. R. Burke, Seventh district conservation supervisor who has been negotiating with property-owners, assurance that they will sign the waiver immediately after closing the transaction.

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Dewey Garrison Killed By Live Wire Contact, Leaving Manton Mine

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HALL, CONLEY WIN FEATURE 3-DAY COUNT

County Attorney Race Of Conley, Burchett Is County's Closest

A primary campaign and race clear down to the wire in the vote count, the like of which Floyd county has never seen in its 153 years, was not completely decided until the last ballot box and the last absentee ballot was tabulated, Wednesday night. Primary races holding the public interest down till the finish of the tabulation were those in the Democratic party, and the closest of all was the "photo finish" County Attorney's race between Hollie Conley, of Eastern, and County Attorney W. W. Burchett. Another which was not decided until the last precinct count began was the three-way race for Sheriff between Bill Hall, of Betsy Layne, Ex-Sheriff Troy B. Sturgill and Joe H. Cooley, both of Prestonsburg. Conley, who practices law in Prestonsburg, won the County Attorney's race by 42 votes -- the closest margin known to be on county election records in a campaign for a major county office. Hall, a merchant at Betsy Layne, drew ahead to win the nomination for Sheriff over Sturgill by 175 votes and over Cooley by 229 votes. Winners of the Democratic nomination for Tax Commissioner and Jailor remained in doubt through Tuesday, and it was not until count of the Magisterial District 3 vote (Left Beaver) was well under way that Clive Akers, the present Tax Commissioner, overhauled Manly Conley, of Prestonsburg, and went ahead to win by 676 votes. Prook Hayes, of Langley, trailing Amos Gray, of Prestonsburg, in District 1 forged ahead in District 2 and ran well elsewhere to win over his nearest rival, W. M. Turner, of McDowell, by 404 votes. Otherwise, there was little doubt of the outcome of the races after the count of as many as a dozen precincts. In winning the Democratic nomination for Sheriff Bill Hall trailed

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Domestic Water Supplies Adequate Near Paintsville Says Interior Department

Washington, July 31 — The Interior Department said today that domestic water supplies can be obtained from wells almost anywhere in the Paintsville, Ky., area.

But the department reported, there is little hope of obtaining enough fresh ground water for large public or industrial supplies. All large water users, the department said, must depend on surface water in the Levisa Fork of the Big Sandy river and its tributaries.

The report on ground-water resources of the Paintsville area was prepared by J. A. Baker in a cooperative study financed by the Agricultural and Industrial Development Board of Kentucky and the federal government.

"The report is a detailed study of the occurrence of ground water in a small area considered more or less typical of the coal fields in eastern Kentucky.

"Enough fresh water for domestic use," the report says, "Generally can be obtained from dug or drilled wells as deep as 200 feet, but some shallow wells at Paintsville and at nearby Denver yield salty water."

Almost all water found below 200 feet, the report added, is too salty for drinking.

The Interior Department said findings in the Paintsville study will be used to interpret data obtained in studies of larger areas in the eastern Kentucky coal fields.

Joe Turner, Hueysville, Dies at Martin Hospital; Burial on Salt Lick-Cr.

Joe Turner, 67 years old, well-known Hueysville farmer, died at the Beaver Valley hospital, Martin, at 9:30 a. m. last Friday. Mr. Turner, who had been in failing health for some time, was a victim of bronchial asthma.

A son of the late John and Rhoda Gearheart Turner, he was born on Salt Lick Creek, near Hueysville, and spent all his life there until several weeks ago when he moved to Allen to reside with his sister, Mrs. Wesley N. Martin. His father died when he was young, and upon the passing of his mother, he assumed the role of head of the family for his brothers and sisters, and so he was never married. He was one of his community's best citizens.

Surviving are two sisters and five brothers, Mrs. Tap Martin, Hueysville, Mrs. W. N. Martin, Allen, Willie, Green and Kendall Turner, all of Hueysville, Tom Turner, Willard, O., and German Turner, Plymouth, Ohio.

Funeral rites were conducted Saturday afternoon from the Church of Christ at Hueysville, the Rev. Lawrence Price officiating. Burial was made near the Turner home on Salt Lick, the Hall Funeral Home directing.

Illiteracy Obliteration Given Boost Recently By Bookmobile Project

Louisville, Ky., Aug. 4 — A powerful boost for the Governor's Commission for Adult Education was given today by the Kentucky Bookmobile Project—the objectives of the two are essentially the same: obliteration of illiteracy in Kentucky.

Mrs. Barry Bingham, Project chairman, announced the unanimous endorsement of the Commission's work by the Project's planning committee, which directs the current campaign to provide 100 bookmobiles for all of Kentucky. The resolution adopted also pledged the Project "to do all in its power to obtain the primary books needed to further the work of the Commission."

"The magnificent work of Admiral Purnell has the enthusiastic support of bookmobile campaign workers throughout the State," Mrs. Bingham said, referring to retired Admiral Ion Purnell, executive director of the commission.

The Commission aims at its target through volunteer teachers working in co-ordination with existing school facilities. Headquarters are at Frankfort.

Large horse flies have caused losses among cattle, hogs and horses in Menifee county.

GRIN AND BEAR IT

By Lichty



"After all that's siphoned out of our paychecks these days, THIS is nothing..."

Give Blood - Save a Life

HEALTH NOTES

ALLERGIES

Allergy, or sensitivity to various substances, is not a new ailment that suddenly struck for the first time during this generation. But the fact that allergy is responsible for a number of conditions which were formerly unexplained has been known to medical science only for the past few years.

The person who is allergic reacts peculiarly to contact with a certain substance or agent that is harmless to most people. The allergic person is usually normal and healthy in all other respects.

When the offending agent affects the skin of an allergy patient, it causes a rash similar to eczema. Another common allergic reaction is hay fever, a condition resulting when the eyes and nose of the sufferer are sensitive to ragweed pollen or pollen of other plants.

An allergic person whose bronchial tubes are affected by some agent, causing difficulty in breathing, is said to have asthma.

We still have a lot to learn about allergies, but progress is constantly being made toward relieving and even curing allergic patients. When he seeks medical treatment, the person with allergic reactions will find that the doctor questions him thoroughly about his habits, his occupations, his home life, environment, diet and other living habits.

Before he can specifically advise or treat his allergic patient, the doctor must act as a detective and a complete history of the patient furnishes him with "clues" in finding the offending agents and substances.

Then the doctor can advise his patient in avoiding things to which the sufferer is sensitive, and, in some cases, the doctor can even treat his patient so that he will build up resistance to the substances bothering him.

In his search for the offending agents, the doctor may also use skin tests on his allergic patients. Among the most common substances causing sensitivity are milk, eggs, fish, alcoholic beverages, spices, plant pollens, house dust, animal hairs or dandruff, tobacco, insecticides and drugs.

An allergy in itself is not a serious illness. But things like hay fever and asthma, when neglected, can interfere with sound health as well as cause great discomfort. The person who suspects he has an allergy takes a wise step when he consults his doctor for relief.

STUDY TO BE MADE

Frankfort, Ky., Aug. 3 — Housing needs at the University of Kentucky will be studied by a subcommittee of the State Property and Buildings Commission, causing a temporary delay in all construction requests except the \$500,000 men's dormitory to be financed through a revenue-bond issue.

Requests to be studied include \$400,000 for a women's dormitory, \$75,000 for electrical facilities to serve a men's dormitory and six new fraternity houses; \$178,000 to repair buildings at the Experiment Farm, Lexington, and the Substation Farm, Princeton, and for painting of four men's dormitories.

MASTER COMMISSIONER'S SALE

FLOYD CIRCUIT COURT

Bank Josephine, Plaintiff, Vs. NOTICE OF SALE James Rose & C Defendant. By virtue of a judgment and order of sale of the Floyd Circuit Court rendered and entered at the June term, 1953, in the above styled cause I shall proceed to offer for sale at the Court-house door in Prestonsburg, Kentucky, to the highest and best bidder, at public auction, on the 24th day of August 1953, at 10 o'clock, a. m., same being the first day of the regular term of the Floyd County Court, upon a credit of six months, the following described property, to-wit:

Lying and being in Floyd County, Kentucky, in the Town of Auxier, and being the same land conveyed to James Rose by Ethel Myrtle Castle by deed bearing date July 8, 1951, recorded in Deed Book 148, page 256, Floyd County Court Clerk's Office, containing lots described and referred to in said deed from Ethel Myrtle Castle et al to James Rose and described as follows:

Beginning on a locust post, a corner between grantors in the above referred to deed; thence running with a line of the post to the line of Samp Johnson, a distance of 62.5 ft. to a street; thence running 125 ft. to a post; thence to the line of the street; thence with the west side of said street a distance of 62.5 ft. to the beginning.

Also lots 19, 20, 21 and 22 geobled in deed from Lula Goble et al to Julius Castle and Ethel Myrtle Castle et al to James Rose, the plaintiff herein, which deed from Lula Goble et al to Julius Castle and Ethel Myrtle Castle is recorded in deed book 137, page 342, Floyd County Court Clerk's Office.

For the purchase price the purchaser must execute bond with approved surety or sureties, bearing legal interest from the day of sale until paid and having the force and effect of a judgment with a lien retained upon said property as a further security. Bidders will be prepared to comply promptly with these terms.

Given under my hand, this 3 day of August, 1953.

J. B. CLARKE Master Commissioner Floyd Circuit Court. Cost of advertising \$21.93

CHILD DIES

Larry Dean Blankenship, 10-month-old son of Tanny and Harrison Blankenship, of Ligon, died last Friday at 5:30 a. m., en route to a hospital. He had been ill since birth.

Surviving besides the parents, are the following brothers and sisters: Eileen, Patsy Ann, Danny, Ranny Gene, all at home.

Funeral services were held from the home at 10 a. m., August 1, the Rev. Jerry Hall officiating. Burial was made in the Ligon cemetery under direction of Hall Brothers Funeral Home.

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MASTER COMMISSIONER'S SALE

FLOYD CIRCUIT COURT

Bank Josephine, Plaintiff, Vs. NOTICE OF SALE G. C. Stanley & c Defendant. By virtue of a judgment and order of sale of the Floyd Circuit Court rendered and entered at the June term, 1953, in the above styled cause I shall proceed to offer for sale at the Court-house door in Prestonsburg, Kentucky, to the highest and best bidder, at public auction, on the 24th day of August 1953, at 10 o'clock, a. m., same being the first day of the regular term of the Floyd County Court, upon a credit of six months, the following described property, to-wit:

Lying and being in the City of Prestonsburg, Floyd County, Kentucky, and being lots numbers 4 and 5 of the Richmond addition to Prestonsburg, Kentucky, situated on the South side of Howard Street in said Richmond addition, each lot being 25 feet front and 120 feet deep, running back from said Howard Street by parallel lines to an alley as shown by the plat of said addition. Being the same land conveyed to first parties by E. P. Arnold and Virginia D. Arnold by deed dated April 3, 1941, recorded in Deed Book 116, page 23, Floyd County Court Clerk's Office. Being the same land conveyed to E. P. Arnold by W. M. Boyd and Octavia Boyd, his wife, by deed dated Dec. 14, 1939, recorded in Deed Book 112, page 441, Floyd County Court Clerk's Office.

For the purchase price the purchaser must execute bond with approved surety or sureties, bearing legal interest from the day of sale until paid and having the force and effect of a judgment with a lien retained upon said property as a further security. Bidders will be prepared to comply promptly with these terms.

Given under my hand, this 3 day of August, 1953.

J. B. CLARKE Master Commissioner Floyd Circuit Court. Cost of advertising \$18.56

Electrified Fence Built To Guard Family Garden Brings Death to Owner

Big Stone Gap, Va., Aug. 5 —The body of Mrs. Ballard Lane, 35, was found today entangled in a fence she and her husband had electrified to keep boys out of their garden. Wise county Sheriff Harold Fleming reported.

The sheriff said Lane, 37, found his wife's body shortly before dawn. She apparently had been electrocuted.

Fleming said Lane told him that a few days ago he and his wife erected a small fence around their garden and charged it with 110 volts of electricity.

"He said they put up the fence to keep boys from stealing their tomatoes," the sheriff related.

"Mrs. Lane got up before daybreak to go to an outhouse. Somehow she got entangled in the fence. She also found a dead dog in the fence."

Mrs. Rilda Bryant Clark, Victim of Heart Disease; Burial in Akers Cemetery

Mrs. Rilda Bryant Clark, 59, Dana, died at home, Sunday at 8 p. m. She was a victim of heart disease of which she had been ill several months. Mrs. Clark was the daughter of the late Sidney and Mary Akers Bryant and was a native of this county. She was the wife of James Clark, who survives.

Besides her husband, she is survived by one son, Isaac, Dana, and a daughter, Mrs. Mary Allen, Dana. The following brothers and sisters survive: Abner Bryant, Virgie; Johnny Bryant, El Hat; Hillard Bryant, Melvin; Mrs. Pearl Adams, Wellington, Ohio; Mrs. Francis Honaker, Virgie; Mrs. Delilah Bryant, Langley.

Funeral rites were conducted at 10:30 a. m. at home with Revs. Banner Manns, Baxter Osborne, Lennie Boyd, of the Regular Baptist church, of which Mrs. Clark was a member, officiating. Burial followed in the Akers cemetery under the direction of the Carter and Callahan Funeral Home.

Getzow, Lenihan Named Bookmobile Finance Heads Announces Mrs. Bingham

Joseph A. Getzow, Harrodsburg, and Bernard J. Lenihan, Louisville, have been named co-chairmen of the Kentucky Bookmobile Project's state finance committee.

Mrs. Barry Bingham, chairman of the Bookmobile Project, said they will direct the finance drive of all counties except Jefferson, where William S. Cutchins heads a separate finance committee.

Getzow is president of Sportleigh-Hall, Inc., and a vice-president of the Kentucky Chamber of Commerce. Lenihan is president of Time Finance Company and a former president of the Kentucky C. of C. They will divide Kentucky's counties into 42 campaign areas, each headed by an area chairman.

The two said their first step would be to work with Governor Wetherby, the project's honorary chairman, who plans to invite all area and county chairmen, along with civic and business leaders, to a Governor's bookmobile luncheon. The luncheon is tentatively set for September 16 at the Kentucky Hotel. Meanwhile, area quotas are being set to cover the funds needed to buy 80 more bookmobiles. Funds for 20 units already have been pledged.

"All of us in the Project are tremendously pleased to have these able new additions to our ranks," Mrs. Bingham said.

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CABIN SAID BUILT BY BOONE PUT UP FOR SALE IN GREENUP

Ashland, Ky., Aug. 2 — A two-story log cabin said to have been built by Jesse Boone, son of Kentucky's famous pioneer, Daniel Boone, is up for sale.

The cabin is in neighboring Greenup county on Argillite Road about a mile from the city of Greenup. It is owned by the Rev. Ralph H. Riggs, pastor of Ashland Seventh-Day Adventist Church.

Mr. Riggs said he was given the cabin a few years ago by Edna Myers, Riverton, Ky., for "God's work." The minister originally planned to restore the cabin completely and turn it into a historical shrine, charging visitors admission.

He said the walls of the cabin, believed to have been built in 1810, are in a good state of preservation, as are the chimney and the old fireplace built of brick from England. The cabin's roof is gone.

Mr. Riggs said the University of Kentucky was interested several years ago in acquiring the historic structure, but that the City of Greenup wanted the cabin left in Greenup county.

There was a campaign for awhile to move the cabin back to its original site on the banks of the Ohio River at Greenup.

The Myers family had possession of the cabin for many years. It was Miss Myers' father who moved the cabin from the river bank to the Argillite Road, according to Mr.

Riggs Daniel Boone is reported to have spent two winters in the cabin with his wife's family before he left for Missouri, where he later died.

The minister said he hopes some organization will purchase the cabin and preserve it for its historical value.

CONTRACTS AWARDED

Frankfort, Ky., Aug. 3 — The State Department of Highways awarded contracts for improvement of 150 miles of road to cost \$1,599,761 in Boone, Daviess, Garrard, Madison, Taylor, Bullitt, Graves, Calloway, Green, Jefferson, Perry, Pike, Todd, Trimble, Webster, Kenton, Adair, Allen, Estill, Fleming, Mason, Floyd and Letcher counties.

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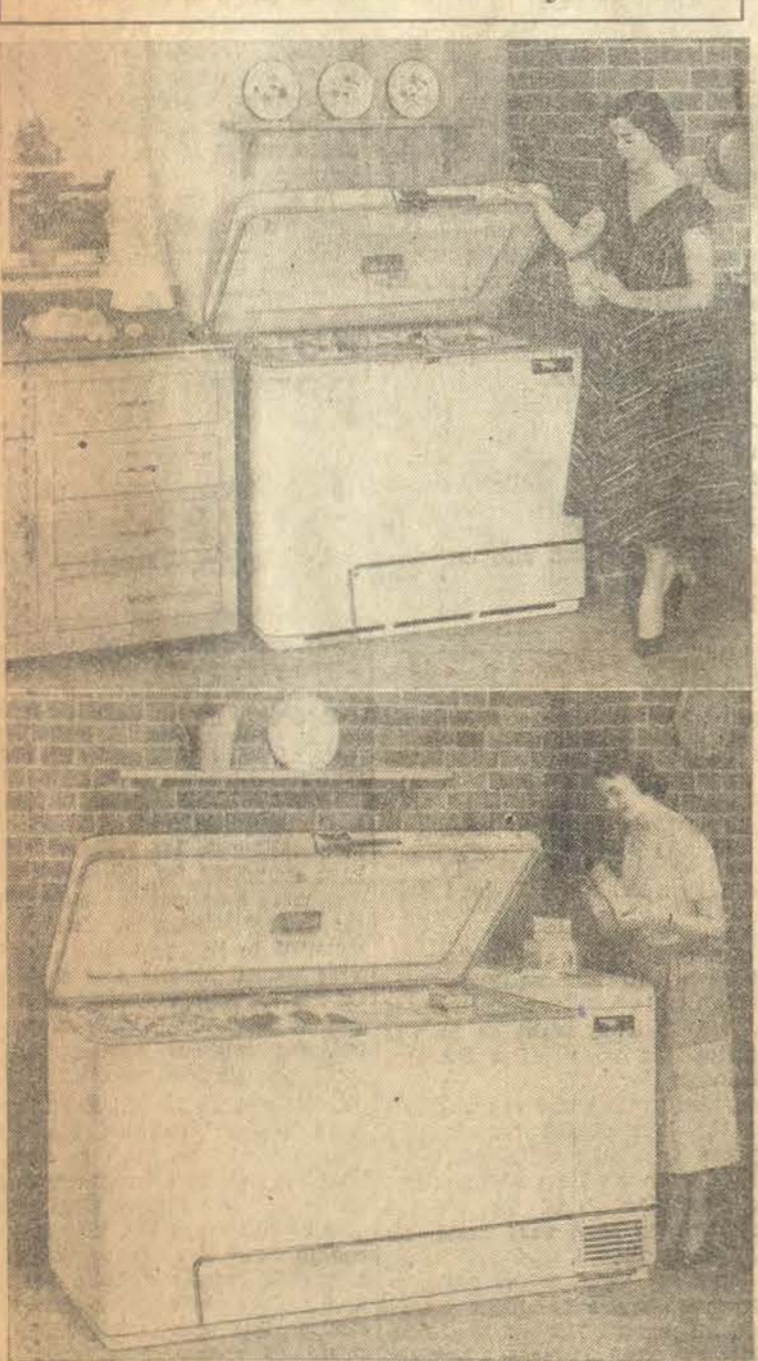
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**Calloway Chaffins, 4,
Succumbs to Paralysis;
Rites Conducted at Home**

Calloway Chaffins, 74, Garrett, died at home, at 6:45 p.m., last Friday. A stroke of paralysis was given as the cause of death.

He was a son of John and Mary Wicker Chaffins and was married to Cynthia Wicker Chaffins, the wife survives.

Three sons, Vallis, Dema, Carlos, Ypsilanti, Mich., and John, Dema, survive. Brothers and sisters that survive are Mrs. Rena Conley, Hueysville, Mrs. Dora Hicks, and Elliott Chaffins, Garrett.

Funeral rites were conducted at home, 10 a.m., August 2, the Revs. Banner Manns, Marion Chaffins, Hawke Moore and Coy Combs, officiating. Burial followed in the Chaffins cemetery at Garrett under the direction of Turner Funeral Home.

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**CITY MAN SEEKS RETREAT
TO HILLS OF KENTUCKY**

Frankfort, Ky., Aug. 4 — A well-known Illinois man if he decides to come to Kentucky.

This was the promise made today in a letter from the Governor's office to a man who is tired of fighting the streetcar war and a cramped apartment at Hinsdale, Ill.

In his letter to Governor Wetherby asking for the name of a bank "next to the hills so I can save towards something that amounts to something," the man wrote:

"I'm fed up to here with these tomfool idiots in these parts—the women run the men, fight your way on the street cars, thrash around all day to spend the night in some close apartment and the farthest a man can see is the living room of his next door neighbor.

"I want to build me a shack just as far as I can get into the hills of Kentucky—marry me a good Kentucky girl—and live a good life in the hills as God intended a man should live."

He inclosed a dollar bill to cover the cost of the "inconvenience," for the list of banks but it was returned along with a letter telling him that

he would be welcome in Kentucky. Hinsdale is in the Du Page-Cook county area. The return address was in care of a local country club.

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"With approval by Governor Wetherby, steps to reach an agreement with the Corps of Engineers on a site for the park and other details of its development will be pushed," Ward said. "We are very much impressed with the potentialities of Dewey Lake. It is a beautiful body of water, with excellent scenery along the shoreline and lends itself to development as a recreational park. It is located geographically in a section of Kentucky not now served by a state park, so for that reason it will help to sound out our program of building an outstanding system of state parks for Kentucky."

Lack of roads make access to parts of the proposed park area difficult and will create difficulties in its development, Ward said. There is a good road now into the lake from U. S. Highway 23 near Prestonsburg. It leads to the Brandy Keg boat dock, the only dock operating on the land.

The Department of Highways is working on plans for a new road which will cross Dewey Dam, running from Van Lear in Johnson county to Auxier in Floyd county, according to the Frankfort statement.

There has not been a definite allocation of funds for the development of the new park, Ward said.

"Experience in building other state parks has shown that it takes several years to bring about their completion, so it is not necessary to have available immediately funds to pay for everything that will have to be provided," he added. "However, Governor Wetherby has pledged adequate revenue to provide for the initial developments of the park, and we have confidence that the response of the public to this park will show that its continued development will be justified."

"Out initial plans call for the building of a swimming beach and bath house, restaurant, service buildings, water, sewage and electric system, picnic areas and other recreational facilities, to be followed as quickly as possible by the construction of vacation cottages. However these plans are contingent on approval by the Corps of Engineers of our requests for the necessary land to support a desirable park."

Development of a state park on Dewey Lake will not interfere with Kentucky's interest in the creation of a Kentucky-Virginia park at the Breaks of Sandy, or with the continued improvement of Carter Caves State Park, also in eastern Kentucky, Ward said. It would supplement the state's program to expand tourist attractions in that section, he declared.

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"It is located in a section of the state not now served by a state park, so for that reason it will help round out our program of building an outstanding system of state parks for Kentucky."

**Bank Women's Group
To Meet in Capitol**

"Broader Horizons" will be the theme of the 31st convention and annual meeting of the Association of Bank Women which will be held at the Shoreham Hotel, Washington, D. C., September 17-20. This Convention promises to be the largest in the history of this growing organization.

The following are members of the Association of Bank Women from Prestonsburg: Miss Burieta Gearhart, assistant cashier, and Mrs. Josephine Harkins Browning, director, both of the Bank Josephine.

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ed through more than three-fourths of the vote-count. Sturgill held the lead through Magisterial Districts 1, 2 and 3, with Cooley most of the distance only a little way back. It was not until the District 4 count was well under way that Hall drew past Cooley, then past Sturgill to take the lead to hang on and never be headed.

Conley, the Democratic winner for County Attorney, ran behind three of his four opponents, Burchett, Robert Wellman and Henry Stephens, in Magisterial District 1, trailing Burchett by about 600 votes going into his native District 2. There, however, he pulled up a majority of about 800 votes to jump into the lead by around 200 votes. From there on to the wire he hung on grimly, with the incumbent whittling away at his margin.

The tightest major county race previously recorded was in the final election, about 25 years ago, when Ed Hill, Democrat, defeated Kendall Moore for County Judge by 46 votes, it was said at the courthouse.

The election was without violence, except for minor fistcuffs at one or two voting-places. Three precincts were tabulated Saturday night. Talk of irregularities included reports of huge "slush funds," slates and voter-bribery. One slate which was printed appeared on the grounds at various precincts, election morning, and this was branded a "fake," designed to hurt the chances of candidates listed.

Although approximately 5,000 names were removed from the registration lists by the purgation board this year, and despite the fact that the same number of ballots was printed this year as last, Jack Allen, Arkansas and Lee Alley precincts had a ballot shortage. Additional ballots were ordered printed, and these were rushed to the precincts. After a shortage had been reported at John Possum precinct, ballots were sent there, but the original supply was sufficient.

One dead heat resulted from the election. This was in the Democratic race for Representative from District 96 where Milford "Toodles" Wells and W. G. "Bill" Biggers finished second to Lon C. Hill with 1,227 votes each.

The results in each race:
For Representative, Dist. 96:
Democrats—R. L. (Bob) May 441, Lon C. Hill 1,227, Milford (Toodles) Wells 1,227, Ulysses S. Collins 689, W. G. (Bill) Biggers 1,227; Republican—N. M. (Bud) White, unopposed.

For Representative, Dist. 97:
Democrats—William M. Meade 1,517, E. H. "Ted" Stumbo 2,323; Republicans—Paul B. Akers 617, Joe I. May 193.

For County Judge:
Democrats—Henry Stumbo 6,407, Jarvis Allen 3,280, Richard Whitaker 246, Joe Harkins, Jr. 374; Republican—Lackey Salisbury, unopposed.

For County Attorney:
Democrats—Woodrow Burchett 3,062, Hollie Conley 3,044, Henry Stephens 1,479, Robert Wellman 2,039, Edmond Herschell Tackett 827; Republican—Henry R. Burke, unopposed.

For County Court Clerk:
Democrats—Henry C. Hale 2,432, Homer Wicker 536, Imogene Stumbo Moore 3,259, DuRan Moore 4,451; Republican—Cecil Newsome, unopposed.

For Sheriff:
Democrats—Fiddling Dewey Shepherd 115, Joe H. Cooley 2,282, Sanford Reffett 20, Hurshel Warrens 1,724, Troy B. Sturgill 2,334, Scott Wallen 289, Dave Stephens 317, Guy Horn 1,291, Bill Hall 2,609; Republicans—Scott Compton 118, D. E. Blackburn 305, Lewis Dingus 576, Gorman Collins 845.

For Jailer:
Democrats—Lum Derossett 222, William Green Tackett 39, Maryland Conn 71, Lawrence Scott 288, Jerry B. Stephens 414, Charlie Laferty 436, Cicero (C. R.) Taylor 164, Sie Tackett 714, A. J. Allen 770, Mack Hunt 267, Prock Hayes 1,313, George Martin 260, E. V. Hamilton 553, Amos Gray 773, Oscar Blackburn 180, W. M. Turner 809, Grover C. Deskins 616, Norvel Martin 233, Harry B. Prater 372, George Murray 357, Charlie Warrix 254, Perry Ousley 68, T. J. Bingham 573, Buddy Bryant 100, Will Spears 152, Denny Whitten 221; Republicans—Ed Carver 307, W. F. "Willie" Clark 875, Robert C. Barnett 543.

For Tax Commissioner:
Democrats—Manis Conley 3,386, Clive Akers 4,062; Republicans—none.

For Coroner:
Democrats—Willard Preston 556, Dr. Orris Gearheart 2,289, Joseph Brown 293, Bill Gunnells 629, James J. Carter 5,081; Republicans—John Parsons, unopposed.

For Magistrate, Dist. 1:
Democrats—Charles "Nig" Hall 180, Jesse Wallen 637, Bennie Blackburn 34, Bill Stone 363, Grover C. Holbrook 1,819, John N. Burchett 692, Milt Stanley 490; Republicans—Tom Johnson 51, Worth Music 248, George Sizemore 82, Lewis Wilcox 174.

For Constable, Dist. 1:
Democrats—Jewel D. "Stinky" Fitzpatrick 1,577, Corbin Joseph 424, Jim Birchfield 327, Jesse Craft 220, Jay Salyers 309, Joe Davis 298; Republicans—Tom Briges, Paris Brown 293.

For Magistrate, Dist. 2:
Democrats—Andrew Coburn 225, M. C. Wright 581, John May 987.

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For Constable, Dist. 2:
Democrats—John Castle 79, Solie Holbrooks 94, James Martin 104, Serge Daniels 145, Mathew Napier 606, Alvin Hatton 74, John H. Hall 130, Marion Martin 313, Orgie Adning 328; Republicans—none.

For Magistrate, Dist. 3:
Democrats—Forrest McCown 175, Monroe Hall 688, Grover Moore 337, John C. Huff 181, Leonard L. Osborne 217, Ellis Martin 1,285, James Reynolds 367; Republicans—John Kitchen 163, Foster "Sid" Meade 242.

For Constable, Dist. 3:
Democrats—Hubert Howell 264, Paris Martin 178, Howell Isaac 254, E. H. Hatfield 84, King Jones 44, Kenis Bates 777, Johnnie D. Caudill 1,061, Cain Blackburn 144, Lark Newsome 144; Republicans—none.

For Magistrate, Dist. 4:
Democrats—Waltust Reynolds 899, D. H. (Dave) Hatcher 602; Republicans—Add Scott 225, Edgar Howell 359.

For Constable, Dist. 4:
Democrats—Joe Lykins, Jr., 521, Grant Akers 382, Homer Thacker 219, Ernel Hamilton 122, Chester Newsome 85, Jerry Hall 220; Republicans—Oscar Newman, unopposed.

Winners in other major Democratic races were Lon C. Hill for Representative in District 96 and E. H. (Ted) Stumbo in District 97, Henry Stumbo for County Judge, DuRan Moore for County Clerk, Prock Hayes for Jailer, Clive Akers for Tax Commissioner and James J. Carter for Coroner.

Republican nominees, some of whom were unopposed, were N. M. (Bud) White for Representative in District 96 and Paul B. Akers in District 97, Lackey Salisbury for County Judge, Gorman Collins for Sheriff, Harry R. Burke for County Attorney, Cecil Newsome for County Clerk, W. F. "Willie" Clark for Jailer, and John Parsons for Coroner.

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supervisor.

Fields covered and consultants assigned to each topic were: child growth and development, Mrs. Mamie West Scott, Eastern State College; music and language, Miss Mildred Troupe, American Book Company; handwriting, Miss Jean Lovette Mitchell, E. C. Seal Company; reading, Mrs. Louise Wilson Worthington, Ginn & Company. Several exhibits were on display where teachers could buy supplies and materials.

A film on the maintenance of discipline in the classroom opened the program. This was followed by a panel discussion in which the consultants and teachers took part.

"Much interest was shown by the change-over from manuscript to cursive handwriting," said Spurluck in speaking of the new method introduced in teaching writing. This method, revolutionary to some of the old teachers, promises an easier growth in handwriting, educators say.

The second day's activities were opened by a film showing by Mrs. Regina B. Mayo on tuberculosis. A panel discussion followed on this disease. Statistics were shown to prove tuberculosis is markedly declining in Floyd county.

Next week's meeting of rural teachers at Martin will have an all-day program on the teaching of geography by Helen Nesbitt, of Silver-Burdette Company; teaching of science, by Bobby Jones, L. W. Singer Company, and film showing of forest and other natural resources by Forest Burchett, forester.

An invitation was extended this week from Virgil Turner, county superintendent, to parents and high school students to attend next week's meeting.

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RAIL UNION ELECTS
GUY BROWN

Cleveland, Aug. 5 — Guy Brown was selected grand chief engineer of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers today, a post he has acted in since the death of James P. Shields June 29.

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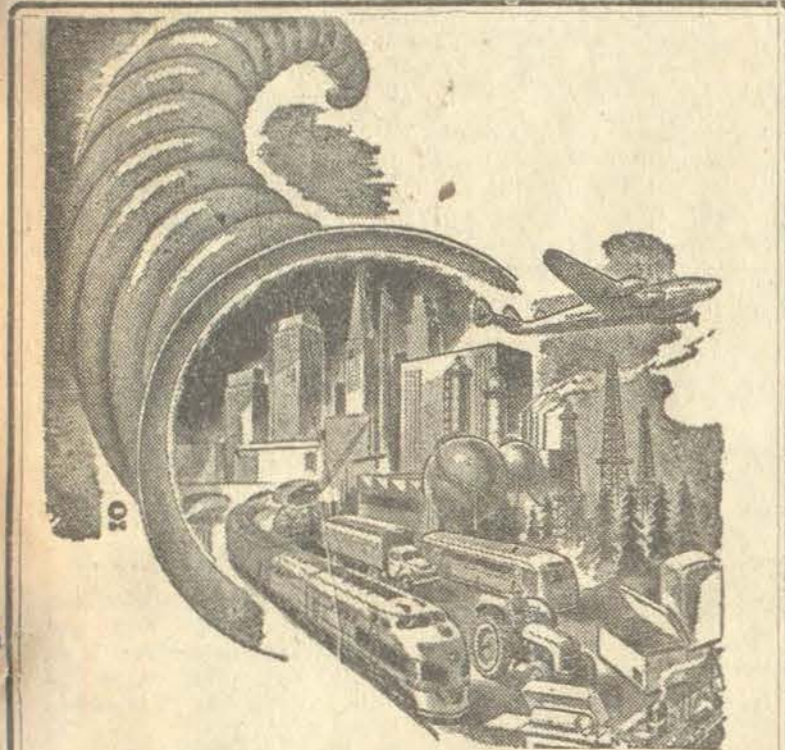
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Mrs. Claudia V. Kendrick Dies in Lexington Monday; Was Native of Magoffin-Co.

Mrs. Claudia Vaughan Kendrick, of Woods, died in a Lexington hospital, at 10:30 a.m., Monday. A stroke was given as the cause of death. She was a native of Magoffin county but had resided in this county most of her life. She was the wife of the late Melvin L. Kendrick.

She is survived by the following sons and daughters: Miss Osa Kendrick and Miss Veva Kendrick, Prestonsburg; Mrs. Emma Gobie, Iyell; Charles, Woods; Alton K. Jeffersonville, Ky.

Funeral rites were conducted Wednesday from the Gow Creek Freewill Baptist church, at 2 p.m., the Revs. Isaac Stratton and Carl Layne, officiating. Burial followed in the Burchett cemetery under the direction of Carter and Callahan Funeral Home.

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structure usable for school purposes until the new building is completed. His low bid was \$849.

In what is generally expected to be a successful attempt to finance the county high school building here the Board requested the fiscal court to advertise the \$445,000 bond issue which has been authorized for sale on Sept. 9 at 10 a.m.

The bond firms of Goodbody & company and F. L. DuPree & Co., Louisville, new finance agents of the Board, are highly optimistic about the prospect of selling the bond issue at an acceptable figure. To clear the bonded indebtedness picture as to the school system, the State Department of Education recommended that the Board set up a sinking fund to amortize the \$445,000 in bonds outstanding against the Auxier consolidated school district. This the Board did Tuesday. It will invest the \$5,000 in government bonds which will mature in 1956, the earliest date at which the Auxier bonds are callable.

Certified to the bond companies was the fact that the Board has never defaulted on its bonds.

Other items of business transacted at Tuesday's meeting included: Acceptance of the low bids of Central School Supply Company on seats and the purchase of 500 seats at prices ranging from \$8 to \$9.55, depending on their size; acceptance of the low bid of the Spurlin Insurance Agency to insure 20 buses of the school system for \$1,038.45; awarding of a contract for remodeling toilets at the Wayland school to the Home Appliance Company, Prestonsburg, on its low bid of \$3,091.24; purchased 100 folding chairs from the School Supply Company on its low bid of \$4 each.

A seat shortage developed upon opening of the rural school term. County Superintendent Virgil O. Turner said Wednesday that all rural schools are operating this week, except three, and these are expected to open Monday.

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FOR SALE—House and lot. First avenue, corner Ford street. Priced \$8,000. See EDWARD or C. W. MAY, phone 4781 or 2121, Prestonsburg, Ky. 7-2-tf

TIMES WANT ADS PAY

FOR RENT — Two houses, also furnished and unfurnished apartments on North Lake drive, T. E. NEELEY, phone 3031, Prestonsburg. 5-21-tf.

WANTED—More hungry people at the B & W Cafe who enjoy good food. 7-9-tf.

FOR SALE — House and nine lots. Mare Creek bottom. Priced to sell at \$3500. CLYDE JUSTICE, Mare Creek, Ky. 7-2-tf

WANTED TO BUY — Coal and mineral rights in Pike, Floyd, Knott and Martin counties. Call or write PRICE REALTY CO., Inc., Price, Ky., or J. F. HOWELL, phone 3351, Price, Ky. 6-25-tf.

FOR SALE — 5-room house, 50 acres. Water, Electricity, Brandy Keg Road. C. V. REYNOLDS, Lancer, Ky. 7-2-12t-pd.

FOR SALE—Modern 7-room home; 4 bedrooms, 4 closets, maple floors, inlaid linoleum on kitchen, dining and bath rooms, storm doors, venetian blinds, Kool-vent awnings, gas furnace, wired for electric stove. Built only 2½ years ago on two lots. A bargain if sold at once. Terms can be arranged. South Mayo Trail, near John P. Wells Garage. L. T. MAY, Prestonsburg. 7-9-tf.

FOR SALE — Grocery, new stock and fixtures. Large storeroom, sideroom on lot 50x120 feet. Gas, water and electricity. A real location for business. Don't fail to see this opportunity—a bargain if sold at once. Located near John P. Wells Garage, South Mayo Trail, L. T. MAY, Prestonsburg. 7-9-tf.

FOR SALE OR LEASE — Restaurant and garage on Route 23. HOMES-FARMS anywhere in Southwest Virginia. See TRACY—Realtor, Wise, Va. 7-16-75.

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FOR SALE OR RENT—Soda Fountain, pool room, theatre; also six-room house, bath and utility room—all on one lot in Auxier. See or write CHRISTINE PATTON, Auxier, Ky. 7-16-tf.

FOR SALE OR LEASE—John P. Bays house and 5 lots. See BALDARD SCALF, Tram, Ky. 7-23-4t-pd.

FOR RENT — New home, south Prestonsburg. Good water and garden. J. G. STEPP, tel. 7282, Prestonsburg. 7-23-tf.

FOR SALE — Nice five-room house with bath at Weeksbury, Ky. Choice location, nice lawn. Can transfer payments. See ED STEPHENS at property. 7-23-3t-pd.

FOR SALE — Red Jacket deep well pump, electric motor and 50-gallon pressure tank. Slightly used. EDWARD P. HILL, phone 4621, Prestonsburg. 6-25-tf.

FOR SALE—Greenup, Ky., 1 dry goods store, located on Main St., doing a good business. Been in business 19 years. Reason for selling, ill health. Will sell stock of goods and rent building reasonable. If interested write Greenup, Ky., Box 49, telephone No. 150 or 73R4. 7-30-3t

FOR RENT — Two-room house, completely furnished, all utilities. Phone 7791, Prestonsburg. 7-30-tf

FOR SALE — 5-room house, large corner lot. Phone 2647, Prestonsburg. 8-6-2t

FOR RENT — Small house with large fenced lawn in West Prestonsburg. See EVA ALLEN HORN, call 5932. 8-6-tf

FARM FOR SALE — Approx. 30 acres, including garden and truck patches; 4-room house, outbuildings, modern bathroom, electricity and gas. One mile from Dewey Lake on Brandy Keg road. See CURTIS ELKINS or call 4893. 8-6-3t-pd.

WANTED—The following: Experienced trailer driver or other trucks, torch man, crane operator, office girl for weighing and book-keeping, honesty and ambition are the requirements. Apply at MOUNTAIN METAL CO., Prestonsburg, Ky. 8-6-2t

FOR SALE OR TRADE — Five-room house with bath on Harris St. Will trade for country home. See ARNOLD HOWELL, West Prestonsburg, Ky. 8-8-tf

FOR SALE — 6-room house with bath. Kitchen equipped with sink and cabinets. All modern conveniences. Approx. 3 acres bottom land. Located ½ mile up Cow Creek. CHESTER PATTON, Tel. 3381, David, Ky. 8-6-tf

FOR SALE — New four-room house with electricity. Good well, one-acre bottom land, two acres hillside, good chicken house. Sell cheap. See HOWARD GOBLE on Cow Creek. 8-6-2t-pd.

WANTED — Man with car to service established Fuller Brush route, \$300 month guaranteed if you qualify. Write P. O. Box 1977, Williamson, W. Va., for interview. 8-6-4t.

FOR SALE — 5 acre tract, 3 acres bottom. On U. S. 23, 5 miles from Prestonsburg. Cheap at \$3,000. HANSFORD MAY, Realtor, phone 7361, Prestonsburg, Ky. 8-6-tf.

FOR SALE — 10½ acres land, good 6-room house with bath, electricity, free gas, 24 bearing fruit trees. Bargain for quick sale. MRS. MABEL SHIPMAN, Hueysville. 8-6-2t-pd.

FOR SALE — Modern 4-bedroom country home with full basement, venetian blinds and 18 cu.-ft. deep freeze at reduced price before school starts. 15 acres, city conveniences. Abbott Road, phone 7874. FRANK NEELEY, Cliff, Ky. 4t

Present Day Hi Graduates Prefer Skilled Vocations Over Professional Life

Sixty years ago most high school students prepared for the professions of the ministry, law, medicine, and education. Today only 18 per cent of high school graduates attend college and enter the professions. Most high school graduates are becoming skilled workers in industries; farmers, merchants, housewives and clerks.

These facts are cited by the Council to show that more subjects are needed for the 84 per cent of the high school students who will not enter college. To meet the needs of these students, high schools must offer courses in home-making, farming, business, wood-working, and mechanics, as well as opportunities in art, recreation, and citizenship, it is claimed.

The Duncan Coal Company planted 15 acres of grain sorghum on its Muhlenberg county farm to demonstrate sorghum growing in wet land.

THREE KENTUCKIANS ERECT ENTANGLEMENTS



Three Kentucky soldiers discuss a quick way of erecting a barbed wire entanglement during the 350th Infantry Regiment reorganization day ceremonies in Austria. They are (left to right) Cpl. Jim B. Elswick Jr., whose parents live in Hi Hat, Ky.; Sgt. Louis F. Terhaar, Newport, Ky.; and Pfc. James H. Coffey, Edmonton, Ky. All are members of the regiment's Headquarters Company. Elswick entered the army in June 1952 and arrived in Europe last December from Fort Belvoir, Va. He formerly attended Wheelwright high school.

FIFTEEN SIGN SERVICE PACT

Churchwomen in Pledge To Do Public Service; Say Citizens To Blame

Fifteen women of the Presbyterian Church here Tuesday evening concluded a program devoted to public service by signing this pledge: "We, the women of the Presbyterian Church of Prestonsburg, resolve and pledge ourselves to become better citizens by being more interested in our city and county affairs, and when and where there is wrong-doing or corruption to strive to rectify these things as becoming to Christian women."

Statistics covering the city of Prestonsburg's indebtedness, its sources of income, expenses, services, etc., were quoted and discussed. While questioning certain governmental acts, the group expressed confidence in officials, pointing out that while persons in key positions are often blamed the real blame rests upon the citizens and their passivity.

Mrs. Ralph B. Davis was in charge of the program, with Mrs. Ray Howard and Mrs. P. H. Layne assisting. Those signing the pledge, in addition to the three leading the program, were Grace L. Burke, Dora Osborne, Catherine Reed, Peg Hale, Elma Collins, Lucille Davis, Nell Howard, Lillian Rimmer, Ethel G. Heinz, Virgie Reed, Ola Anderson, Florence Music.

Rowan county homemakers have placed orders for 4,000 bulks from Holland.

Harold Connelly, Grant county, is testing several varieties of burley tobacco, including Mammoth 22.

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BROWNS SIGN YOUNG HURLER

Vondal Lee Hall, 2nd Wheelwright Hi Player To Be Signed by Majors

A second Wheelwright high school baseball and basketball star has been offered a contract by a major league baseball team, it was announced recently by Everett Hall, coach at the high school.

The latest offer was that of the St. Louis Browns to Vondal Lee Hall, 19-year-old hurler who lost only one game in his high school baseball career. With the Wheelwright Juniors, an amateur team composed of high school players, he has won 36 and lost 3. His lone high school loss was in the state tournament at Louisville this year.

Vondal Lee is no relation to either his coach or Morris Hall, his Wheelwright teammate who was signed by the Brooklyn Dodgers a week earlier and assured a catching berth with the St. Paul team of the American Association next year. Morris Hall was given a \$15,000 bonus and is drawing \$500 a month for his services with the Dodgers' Pueblo, Colo., farm team.

Vondal Lee has been offered what Coach Hall called a "good contract" which provided that he will play ball not lower than Class C next season.

Morris Hall has been hailed as one of the brightest catching prospects to move into organized ball in some time.

Melvin Hoover, Garrett, Dies at Home Thursday; Rites Conducted Friday

Melvin Hoover, 72, Garrett, died at home, 9:45 a.m. Thursday, July 30, of cancer. He was a son of George and Nan Lawson Hoover and was married to Louise Wireman who survives.

Surviving sons and daughters are Adam, Epp, Johnny and Woodrow, Garrett; George, Gundock; Mrs. Eva Roberts and Mrs. Nancy Jane Nowak, Garrett; and Mrs. Thelma Elizabeth Martin, Detroit. Brothers and sisters surviving are Mrs. Eliza Jones, Garrett; Mrs. Martha Hays and Mrs. Lena Dudley, Maytown; Mrs. Kate Hoover, Ajax, Ky.; Levi Hoover, Harrison county, Ky.; Granville Hoover, Garrett.

Funeral rites were conducted at the home, last Friday, the Revs. M. C. Wright, Banner Manna, and Alex Coburn, officiating. Burial followed in the Tom Martin cemetery at Garrett under the direction of Turner Funeral Home.

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ball coach, outside Prestonsburg to urge him to come, watch the show.

The gym, which was approximately 65 feet wide by 100 feet in length, of wood structure, was built in 1935.

Its use in the event of inclement weather during the County Fair next month had been planned. Mr. Frazier said a special meeting of the City Board of Education will be held Monday night "to determine where we stand". Business of the meeting, he explained, will include consideration of the basketball schedule and what to do about gymnasium facilities. The building was in daily use by the schools here during their session by physical education classes.

He expressed the belief that the only way the independent Prestonsburg school district could build a gym would be to vote building tax.

Jefferson county growers received \$3 to \$10 a half-bushel for early No. 1 tomatoes.



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FRI.—Double Feature—
"Treasure of Lost Canyon"
 (Technicolor)
 William Powell, Julia Adams, Charles Drake, Henry Hull.

"Son of Belle Starr"
 (Glorious Color)
 Keith Larsen, Donna Drake.

SAT.—Double Feature—
"Star of Texas"
 Wayne Morris, Paul Fix, Frank Ferguson.

"Fangs of the Arctic"
 Kirby Grant, Chinook, the Wonder Dog.

Midnight Show—
"Wild Stallion"
 (Cinecolor)
 Ben Johnson, Edgar Buchanan.

SUN.—MON.—Double Feature—
"My Darling Clementine"
 Henry Fonda, Linda Darnell, Victor Mature.

"Bugs Bunny Cartoon Revue"

TUES.—WED.—Double Feature—
"Wagonmaster"
 Ben Johnson, Joanne Dru, Harry Carey, Jr.

"The Big Steal"
 Robert Mitchum, Jane Greer, William Bendix.

THURS.—Double Feature—
"Hiawatha"
 (In Color)
 Vincent Edwards, Yvette Dugay.

"Tarzan's Peril"
 Lex Barker, Virginia Huston.

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set from the Jackson Furniture Company, Prestonsburg; Floyd county traveling farthest to the field day, Mollie Piater, Bonanza, oil change for auto by Malone Service Station, Allen; oldest woman present, Mrs. Florence Crisp, Martin, Dorothy Perkins cosmetic set from Martin Drug Store, Martin; largest family present, Mr. and Mrs. Garland Martin, Eastern, 25-pound bag of Mary Ann flour from Central Wholesale Co., Prestonsburg; oldest man present, A. B. Osborne, Martin, pocket knife from Arrowood Hardware, Prestonsburg.

"Door" prizes for women included a cook book from the Meade Bros. Hardware, Prestonsburg, and a cooker from Jewel Hardware, Martin; for men, 100 pounds of Purina cow chow from Francis Wholesale, Prestonsburg, and a quart of 2-4-D weed-killer from the Farm and Home Store, Prestonsburg. The Howard Wholesale, Allen, contributed 20 five-pound bags of flour as prizes for men and women. These were given by lot, one bag at a time. A gift for the Smith family was contributed by Francis Stores, Prestonsburg.

ENROLLS AT FUGAZZI
 Miss Beuna V. Stephens, Betsy Layne, has enrolled in the Fugazzi School of Business, Lexington, for an 18 week secretarial course. Miss Stephens, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Beverly Stephens, is a graduate of the Sarasota, Florida, high school.

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LETTERS

TO THE EDITOR

ASKS THAT PUBLIC BE INFORMED

Editor, The Times:
 The old adage, "An ounce of prevention is worth a pound of cure," could well be applied to the situation which inspired your recent editorial on the practicality of the proposed location for a swimming pool for the youth of our community.

If, by your tentative proposal of free transportation to the pool, you mean, city-furnished transportation, this would in a few years cost the taxpayers thousands of dollars which could be spent to better advantage in this library-less, side-walk-less, paved-less, gymnasium-less, incinerator-less, flood wall-less, high school building (almost)-less city.

The public officials, both appointed and elected, entrusted with public welfare and public funds, and pledged to community betterment, would have done well to have taken the public into their confidence and enlisted the aid and advice of all local civic groups who are always able, willing and impartial in determining the most desirable central location at the lowest cost to the taxpayer for this much-needed swimming pool.

I believe whole-heartedly in the decisions of an informed public and in the Scripps-Howard newspaper slogan, "Shed light and the people will find the way." In the future let's have more light shed on business transactions entered into by our public servants.

MYRTLE HILL DAVIS.

OUR GREATEST NATIONAL INHERITANCE

When the early settlers came to our country they laid the foundation of our schools on the open Bible as the chief textbook. It has moulded our national character, our literature, and is the foundation of our faith. It is universally recognized by all educators, and is held in reverence by all people. It is inspired and therefore more widely circulated than all other books. The greatest proof of the inspiration of the Bible is that forty-four writers over a period of twenty centuries wrote to form one complete book, with perfect chronological order, with Jesus Christ as the central figure.

The greatest tragedy is that it is not read as in former days. The reason for this is that we have moved out of the "horse and buggy days" into a highly industrialized "moneyed" age. "The cares of the world and the deceitfulness of riches have choked out the word." The Bible is called the "Book of Life." It is a book of human experiences. So long as we neglect it, just so long will we continue to wander in the wilderness of confusion.

Sir Walter Scott, our great poet and writer, said on his death bed, "Bring me the book." They said, "What book?" He said, "There is only one book; bring me the Bible." "Life is real, life is earnest, and the grave is not its goal. Dust thou art to dust returneth was not spoken of the soul."

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FRI.—Double Feature—

"Law and Order"
 (Technicolor)
 Ronald Regan, Dorothy Malone, Ruth Hampton.

"Snake Pit"

Olivia DeHavilland, Mark Stephens.

SAT.—Double Feature—

"I Love Melvin"
 (Technicolor Musical Joy)
 Donald O'Connor, Debbie Reynolds.

"It Happens Every Thursday"

Loretta Young, John Rorsythe.

SUN.—MON.—2 Big-Days—

Third Dimension—Natural Vision
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 (Technicolor)
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TUES.—Double Feature—

"Valley of the Headhunters"
 Johnny Weissmuller, Christine Larson.

"Northern Patrol"

Kirby Grant, Claudia Drake, Chinook.

WED.—THURS.—Double Feature—

"Loose in London"
 Leo Gorcey, Huntz Hall, Bowery Boys.

"Titanic"

Clifton Webb, Barbara Stanwyck, Thelma Ritter.

THESE SCOUTS WON TOP HONORS AT CAMP SHAWNEE IN FIRST WEEK



Scouts of Prestonsburg received highest honors during the first week of Camp Shawnee at Dewey Lake. Awards were made on basis of Camp inspection. Scouts attended from Troop 21, sponsored by the Methodist Men, and Troop 27, sponsored by the Methodist Sunday School, Porter Addition. The Scouts were under the leadership of Carsey Kidd and E. B. May, Jr.

Left to right, sitting, are: Lon Hill, Carl Brickley, George Stout, Don Brickley.

Standing, first row—Eugene Gay, Ken Howard, David Allen, Raleigh Archer, John A. Hawkins, Johnny Jackson, Bob Burke, Glenn Anderson; back row—Gary Martin, Carlos Nealy, Jimmy Rowe, E. B. May, Jr.

Village Specializing In Family Associations

BIG LAUREL, Va., July 30 (Spl.)—This little village is becoming nationally known as headquarters of family genealogical and historical associations. Already the Adams Family Association, a national organization, has its headquarters and library here, as does the Beales Davis Research Society, organized here on July 12, of this year.

Now the Romans have set August 16 as the date for a reunion of all Romans and Roman kin, to be held for the purpose of organizing a family association with the particular purpose of establishing kinship to Beales and Peggy (Roman) Davis and a share in the legendary estate of 180,000 acres in Southwestern Virginia and Eastern Kentucky, left by the Davis couple who died without direct descendants, making both Beales' kin, the Davises, and Peggy's relatives, the Romans, joint heirs in the estate.

Recent research reveals that the Davises, Beales and his wife moved from Wise county to Lawrence county, Ohio, about 1800, leaving the land unoccupied. Around the turn of the century one Edward M. Davis of Norristown, Pa., took a commissioner's deed to the property in absence of the unknown heirs of Beales Davis and since then residents on the land have held possession under special warranty or quitclaim deeds.

Many of the Davis and Roman descendants reside in Floyd county Ky.

William Price Hayes, 68, Merchant and Timberman, Dies from Long Illness

William Price Hayes, 68 years old, well-known merchant and timberman, died at his home at Hi Hat at 8:15 p.m., Sunday, a victim of diabetes and pneumonia complications.

Mr. Hayes was a son of the late John and Mary Hayes and was widely known in this section.

Surviving are his widow, Mrs. Laura Alice Ferguson Hayes, five sons and three daughters, Paul E. Hayes, Prestonsburg attorney, Claude, Arlie and Otis Hayes, all of Hi Hat, Fred Hayes, of the U. S. Navy, Mrs. Herman Kelly, Mrs. Alonzo Newsome and Mrs. Edward Stewart, all of Hi Hat. He also leaves four brothers and five sisters, Gremsey Hayes, New Boston, O., Rufus Hayes, Morehead, Tivis Hayes, of Ohio, Walter Hayes, Canton, O., Mrs. Mary Jane Hay, Catlettsburg, Mrs. Nevada Ison, Moon, Ky., Mrs. Greta Hale, New Boston, O., Mrs. Ola Skaggs, of Ohio, and Mrs. Nora Gerlach, Portsmouth, Ohio.

Funeral rites were conducted at 11 a.m., Wednesday, from the Church of God at Hi Hat, the Revs. George P. Smith and Granville Estep officiating. Burial was made in the Clear Creek cemetery under direction of the Hall Brothers Funeral Home.

USE RATHER THAN LOSE THEIR HEADS

Sometimes, I think Floyd county should be placed under martial law 30 days before each election, voters passed through the lines to the voting-place and all others kept far away in order to shackle this vote-buying, vote-selling disgrace. But when one considers the peaceful atmosphere of Floyd county elections, for all their heat, and the fine control of tempers in the most trying situations and the grace with which men lose and take their losses, you can't deny that we've come a long way from the old days in at least one respect.

SUCCINCT SAYING

Heard that one fellow rose and proclaimed to all about him at the courthouse that "The candidate is a-runnin' like a Bloodhound bus," ... and another, predicting that one strong contender was running out of precincts in his favor, said, "He's just got one more big tree to shake."

NEW REMEDY

Speaking of the election—as perhaps we shouldn't until the fellows have a little time to get the proper perspective of the whole thing—we're told that Watt Hale has come up with a remedy that lays it all over the old reliable Mare's Milk "Doc" Hale says it gets better and quicker results, even with smaller doses. Cheap, too. Calls it "Mare Stupefier".

Willie Clifton, Merchant, Dies at Martin Hospital Of Coronary Occlusion

Willie Clifton, 65, Allen merchant, died at 11 a.m., last Saturday at the Beaver Valley hospital of coronary occlusion. He was injured in a mine accident a few years ago and had been a semi-invalid since then. He was the son of William and Lon Clifton and the husband of Arizona Stumbo Clifton. His wife survives.

Surviving are the following children: John Patrick Clifton, Dwale; William Edward Clifton, Denver, Colo.; Chas. Walker Clifton, Bobby Clifton and Ray Clifton, Allen; Mrs. Ruby Ratliff, Richmond, Va.; Mrs. Arlie Holbrook, Columbia, Ga.; Mrs. Maxie Spencer, San Diego, Cal.; Mrs. Bernice King, Jacksonville, Fla.; Mrs. Verna Keen, Dwale; Mrs. Mable Carter, San Diego, Cal.; Mrs. Thelma Joy Barr, Columbus, O.; and Mrs. Betty Jo Chapman, Richardson, Ky. One brother, James, Dwale, survives, as do 18 grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

Funeral rites were conducted at 10 a.m., at Dwale Church of Christ of which Mr. Clifton had been a member for 21 years, the Revs. Henry Parsons and Estill Hughes, officiating. Burial followed in the Dwale cemetery under the direction of Hall Bros. Funeral Home.

CLARK ISSUES MILK WARNING

Health Administrator Says Bacteria Count Will Determine Status

Milk suppliers in this county were warned this week by M. V. Clark, health administrator, that unless the bacteria count in milk is lowered the distributor will lose their Grade A pasteurized milk labels. Notices have been issued to all suppliers that the barring of the Grade A label depends on the next laboratory test.

Clark pointed out that not all distributors were supplying milk with a high bacterial count but that notices were going to all of them, nevertheless. "High bacterial count in Grade A pasteurized milk is a violation of the law and the health department plans to enforce the law," he said.

Restaurant owners came in for notice also this week by the health department. "There are a number of restaurants still working people who do not have food-handlers' permits issued upon physical examinations," Clark said. Employees of food handling establishments were urged to have these examinations for permits completed. "If these examinations are done at the health department it will have to be on Monday, Thursday or Saturday of each week as those are the days of each week that Dr. John Sizemore will be available for duty," Clark pointed out.

Health Round-Up Day held at Maytown last Thursday yielded good results, Clark said. Forty-eight children were given physical examinations and 32 were given small-pox immunizations. "I would like to pay a tribute to Mrs. Ed Stewart who served a lunch at her house prepared by the Maytown Woman's club," he said, Thursday, August 13, the same work will be continued at McDowell, sponsored by the Duff-McDowell Woman's club. Dr. John Sizemore was in charge at Maytown and will be at McDowell, also.

The health department anti-rabies clinic will be held at the Martin high school, August 11, at 7:30 p.m. A mobile unit will be there in charge of Dr. L. W. Rowles of the State Department of Health. The mobile unit will tour the county later in the months to vaccinate dogs.

Baptist School Plans Combination Building To Accommodate 225

Mountain Valley, Ky., July 28 (Spl.)—Construction on a combination classroom and Administration building has begun at the Magoffin Baptist Institute here. At present the foundation walls are being poured. The building, which is of fire-proof construction, will accommodate a student body of 225.

The structure will contain eight classrooms, a large all-purpose room, in addition to office space and other smaller rooms.

This is the third major construction in as many years. The two previous structures were a Home Economics building and a boys' dormitory. Magoffin Institute was organized by the Southern Baptist Home Mission Board in 1905. A. C. Harlow, Prestonsburg, Ky., served as the first president of the institution. It moved to its present location of Mountain Valley, Breathitt county, in 1940. The Rev. L. W. Benedict, also of Prestonsburg, is secretary of the board of trustees.

President D. M. Aldridge said the new building, to be valued at \$150,000, would be erected largely from public subscription.

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"Sombrero"
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SAT.—Double Feature—

"Jeopardy"
 Barbara Stanwyck, Barry Sullivan.

"Troublemakers"

Leo Gorcey, Huntz Hall.

SUNDAY—

"Come Back, Little Sheba"
 Burt Lancaster, Shirley Booth. (Academy Award Winner)

TUES.—Family Night, 80c—

"Romance and Rhythm"
 Jane Frazee.

"The 49th Man"

John Ireland, Richard Denning.

WEDNESDAY—

"Breaking the Sound Barrier"
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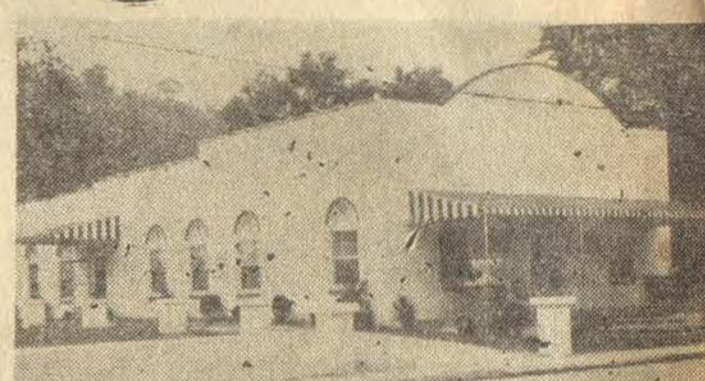
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Mr. and Mrs. David Louder and Donald returned Friday from a trip in Michigan and Canada. They visited Niagara Falls and other places of interest.

Mr. and Mrs. Clark Laferty and children, Arthur David and Betty Mae, were visiting Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Gray and Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Laferty, Sunday. They live in Garrett.

Mrs. Ray Harry, of Louisville, and Mrs. Mae Schroder, of Ashland, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. John Kane. They and Mr. and Mrs. Kane spent the week-end in Virginia.

Pvt. Bill Hinton has completed a furlough here with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Porter and other relatives and left Monday for Camp Kilmer, New Jersey, and from there an overseas assignment.

Pvt. Donald Ratliff, of Fort Knox, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thurmond Ratliff, here Sunday.

Miss Libby Burchett, of Sugar Loaf, was the Friday night guest of Miss Barbara Sue Allen.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Laferty and Mrs. G. L. Gray were business visitors in Charleston and Huntington, Wednesday.

Mrs. Palmer Crisp was in charge of preaching services in the Methodist Church, Sunday night, in the absence of the pastor, Rev. M. N. DeHaven. Dave Morgan Flanery was in charge of services in the Martin charge. Rev. DeHaven is attending a camp meeting in Virginia.

Baptismal services were held Sunday afternoon, with Harrison Frazier receiving the rites of baptism by immersion in the creek in the upper limits of Allen, Mrs. Floyd Laferty and Rev. Bill Amburgey administered the rites.

Rev. W. J. Kenny, former pastor of the Methodist Church here, visited Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Gray, Friday afternoon, while en route to his home in Stone from pastor's school.

Miss Emma Lee Roberts, of Har-old, was the Saturday night guest of Olga Frances and Mikell Preston.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Adkins, who are employed in Michigan, are spending a week at their home here.

Miss Beulah Ann Porter has returned from a month's vacation with her mother, Mrs. Ruth Ann Porter, in Fremont, Ohio. Accompanying her home were Mr. and Mrs. Lester Baker, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Wiley, all of Fremont.

Mrs. Faye Spriggs and Mrs. Liz-zie Woods were shopping in Prestonsburg, Saturday.

James Flanery was visiting Mrs. Tina Goble in a Lexington hospital, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Davis have moved here from Pound, Va. They are former Allen residents.

Mr. and Mrs. Olin Nutter and daughter, Annette, of Huntington, were visiting Mrs. Mary Allen over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Moore and children, of Adams, were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Frank Preston, Sunday.

Mrs. Sarah Howard, of Marshall, Michigan, has returned home after a visit with relatives.

Elza McGuire and family, of Indiana, visited Mr. and Mrs. Ballard McGuire, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Warrick, of St. Louis, Mo., have been guests of his mother, Mrs. Alice Warrick, and his sister, Mrs. Earl Allen, and Mr. Allen. They will also visit his sisters, Mrs. Beth Hutchinson, of Zephyrhills, Fla., and Mrs. Edith Howell, of Miami, Fla., before returning home. Mr. Warrick is known as Fiddling Curly King, having broadcast from WSM's "Grand Ole Opry" and many more radio stations.

Millard Thomas, of Michigan, is spending a week here with his wife, the former Lady Mae Laven.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Jarrell and Miss Rosa McGuire, of Newark, Ohio, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Ballard McGuire.

Mr. and Mrs. Doug Laferty, of Paintsville, were visiting Mrs. Goll-dia Laferty, Sunday.

Mrs. Wanda Stith has been re-moved from Our-Lady of the Way hospital in Martin, where she underwent surgery, to the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry McCarty.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Ratliff spent Saturday night with relatives in Ashland.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Snodgrass and children, Charlotte and Ronnie, were in Huntington, Sunday.

LIGON

Luther Adkins was in Ohio last week attending the funeral of his brother, Wayne Adkins, of Cleveland. Mr. Adkins was killed in an auto wreck, July 26, at Cleveland.

Kenneth Adkins, employed in Wy-andotte, Mich., was visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Luther Adkins, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Adkins at-tended the funeral of E. K. Hicks, Sunday, at Garrett.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Little, and children, of Hellier, were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Luther Adkins, Sun-day.

Alberta Hamilton, who has been in Detroit, is here for a few weeks. Bill Reynolds returned to Michi-gan with Kenneth Adkins, Sunday.

Mrs. Maxine Howell, of McDow-ell, was in Ligon, Saturday.

A birthday party was given in honor of Clarence Booth, Saturday night.

Rev. Jerry Hall attended church at Melvin, Sunday.

Mrs. Herschel Hamilton and daughter are home from Detroit, spending two weeks with her mother.

Miss Dacie Hall spent the week-end in Williamson, W. Va., with Mr. and Mrs. Jack Baisden.

Mr. and Mrs. Noah Akers and daughter spent the week-end home from Ohio with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Clay Akers.

Miss Madge Reynolds and Mrs. Ruby Akers were shopping in Prestonsburg, Thursday.

CONSERVATION and UTILIZATION A PROFITABLE COMBINATION

By HENRY WARD
Commissioner of Conservation

There has been, perhaps, too much generalization in the terms we have used in speaking of the values of the conservation of our natural resources. One can become too familiar with the arguments, stated in the broad sense, that God placed such resources here for the use of the present generation, with the understanding that they should be preserved for generations yet unborn, that the basic welfare of the nation and of the world rests on its natural resources, or that the individual owes a debt to society to safeguard the soil.

All of these are true; yet, in these days of having to meet payrolls, pay taxes and have enough left over to provide for a family, there may be a tendency to overlook obligations that are stated in generalities. Many of us need a specific appeal, with emphasis on what benefits we may derive directly from the things which we do.

So, in speaking of the conserva-tion of the soil or the conservation of any other natural resources, it is well that every individual recognize that these are objectives from which direct benefits do flow. Certainly it should be emphasized that, in every program dealing with our natural resources, it is understood that an objective is to promote and prolong the proper utilization of such re-sources and that their conservation is not something sought merely for the sake of conservation itself.

This point has not been overlook-ed in the educational efforts that have gone into promotion of soil conservation. All experience has taught that neglect of the soil will make it unproductive in the future. But in some other areas, this truth may not have been so fully recog-nized, just a few years ago there was not adequate acceptance of the fact that our soil resources were limited.

Certainly we have not emphasized strongly enough the values that can come from the proper conserva-tion and utilization of our water re-sources. In Kentucky, particularly,

great benefits can flow from the protection of watersheds, the shep-herding and sound utilization of our water. This state, with more miles of navigable streams than any other in the nation, has a tremendous treasure in its water. There will be profits to all the people of the state if this treasure is guarded and used wisely.

The same is true of our forest re-sources, our mineral, gas and oil de-posits, and all those other things that go to make up God's natural gifts here for our enjoyment and benefit.

There are all sorts of sound ar-guments for conservation—but the dollar sign can be added for the sake of those very much interest-ed in it.

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Friday, Aug. 7th—
7:30 a.m.—Big Sandy Valley Youth Rally, First Christian Church, Paintsville, Ky.

Sunday, Aug. 9th—
10:00 a.m.—Bible School.
11:00 a.m.—"Where Art Thou?"
6:30 p.m.—Young People's Meet-ing.

7:30 p.m.—"There Must Be A Change!"

Tuesday, Aug. 11th—
7:30 a.m.—WPRT, morning devo-tional program—"What Is Your Life?"

Thursday, Aug. 13th—
7:30 p.m.—Mid-week prayer meet-ing.

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Runways on the new Powell coun-ty airport were fertilized and seeded with ryegrass.

Mine Rescue Contests Set For Next Month

Frankfort, Ky., Aug. 3 (Spl.)—A series of first aid and mine rescue contests will be held in Kentucky during September under sponsorship of local mining institutes, A. D. Sisk, chief of the State Department of Mines and Minerals announced today.

"These contests will demonstrate the value of safe mining practices that tend to lessen the danger of human life," said Sisk. "We hope through them to continue to pro-mote a consciousness of the need of safer conditions in this in-dustry."

The schedule of contests:
Harlan Mining Institute, Harlan, Sept. 4, 5; Kentucky River Mining Institute, Hazard, Sept. 12; Western Kentucky Mining Institute, Mad-isonville, Sept. 19; Pond Creek Tug River Mining Institute, Williamson, W. Va. (the eastern edge of Pike county is included) Sept. 19; Cum-berland Valley Mining Institute, Middlesboro, Sept. 25, 26, and Big Sandy Elkhorn Mining Institute, Pikeville, Sept. 25, 26.

These will be followed by the National First Aid and Mine Rescue Contest at Fort Wayne, Ind., Sept. 29, 30 and Oct. 1.

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Karen Lynn Wicker was enter-tained with a party at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Wicker, July 22, the occasion being her second birth anniversary. She was the recipient of many useful gifts. Games were played and en-joyed by all. Refreshments were served to the following: Jerry Wor-lington Wicker, Judy Vanderpool, Katrma Napier, Sandra Sue Stone, Jackie Wicker, Mrs. Geneva Wicker-er, Mrs. Glyner H. Owens.

Several who were unable to attend sent gifts.

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SGT. STANLEY GRADUATES

WITH THE 4TH INFANTRY DIV. IN KOREA — Sgt. Elmer Stanley, son of Jim Stanley, of Bonanza, Ky., recently was graduated from the 4th Infantry Division's 12th Regimental Non-Commissioned Officers Academy in Germany.

Sgt. Stanley, who entered the army in November, 1950, arrived overseas in June 1951 and is a tank driver in the 12th Regiment's Tank Company. He is a 1947 graduate of Prestonsburg (Ky.) high school.

Mystery of Who's Calling, Long Distance, Is Ended

How many times have you found a note on your desk to call a certain operator's number in another city—and wondered who could be calling from there?

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When the party called is ready to talk, the information should be given to the long-distance operator, in the distant city where the call was placed, thereby enabling her to get the calling party back on the line without having to locate the previous record of the call.

It is making for faster, more satisfactory service. So Jack Stone, Group manager of Southern Bell Telephone Company in Paintsville, asks that you take down all the information from the operator when you answer a long-distance call for someone.

CONTRACT AWARDED

Frankfort, Ky., Aug. 3 — The State Property and Buildings Commission awarded its first contract for construction of a district office of the Department of Economic Security at Henderson. The contract went to Pyronin Construction Company, Evansville, for a one-story brick-and-tile building to cost \$95,182.

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'Bear' Facts—

By PAUL BRYANT
UK Football Coach



ENROUTE TO HAWAII — JUST LIKE THE tradition that says the mail must go through, this weekly column is coming to you this week despite the fact that by the time it appears in print I expect to be in Hawaii.

An old coaching associate, L. R. (Dutch) Meyer of Texas Christian University, and myself have been fortunate to receive invitations to visit Hawaii in connection with the island's annual football clinic and high school all-star game at Honolulu.

SOMETHING OF A bowl flavor may be evident in this Hawaiian holiday since Dutch has an old score to settle with Kentucky dating back to the Wildcats' thrilling victory over his TCU Horned Frogs in the Cotton Bowl game on New Year's Day, 1952. When we square off as opposing coaches again in the exhibition game over in Honolulu, I may well wish that I had Babe Parilli around for support.

Traveling across the country, I passed through the outskirts of the Southwest Conference and recalled that Kentucky will be facing two of this league's highly regarded powers—Texas A & M and Rice—on the gridiron next fall.

THE AGGIES, who surprised the experts predicting a cellar finish for them, last season showed surprising offensive power and a stingy defense in allowing UK a 10-7 win on a third-quarter field goal. They are tabbed to be weak again this year, since they lost a number of good men including top-flight quarterback Ray Graves and All-America tackle Jack Little, but Kentucky for one will not be taking them lightly. Coach Jess Neely's Rice Institute Owls should, in the frank words of their veteran mentor, be a "good football team." Nineteen lettermen return from the '52 squad that finished strong to gain second place in the tough SWC and, reports say, there are several good newcomers up from the strong freshmen squad. The Owls are basically a standard "T" team.

THE VISIT to Houston for the Rice game will bring back memories to only six Wildcats. Veterans of the pre-Cotton Bowl training conducted there less than 20 months ago who will still be in the field in '53 are Ray Correll, Somerset; Tommy Adkins, Corbin; Tom Fillion, Owenstaro; Steve Mellinger, Bethlehem, Pa.; Jim Proffitt, Louisville; and Miles Willard, Vandergrift, Pa.

Ag Teachers Elect Denney As Secretary

Roy R. Denney, vocational-agriculture teacher at Maytown high school, has been elected secretary of the Eastern district of the Kentucky Vocational Agriculture Teachers Association.

The election took place during the organization's annual state conference last week at the F.F.A. State Camp in Harbinsburg.

Other teachers who were elected to office in the Eastern district are: W. A. Stapleton, Oil Springs, chairman, and Albert Dorsey, Ezel, vice-president.

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ALLEN, KY.

Former Floyd Resident Dies in Miami, Florida; Was Recent Visitor Here

Grant Music, 77, veteran of the Spanish-American War, died June 27 in a hospital in Miami, Fla. after a short illness. Mr. Music had recently visited relatives in Johnson county and here. He suffered a stroke shortly after returning to his home in Florida.

Born in the Little Paint section of this county, he was a son of the late Thomas M. and Melissa Wilson Music.

He is survived by one sister, Mrs. Anna Auxier, of East Point, several sons and daughters.

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Frankfort, Ky., Aug. 3 — A coroner is not authorized to have a deputy except in a county with 200,000 population or more in Kentucky—a condition existing only in Jefferson county—it was ruled by Assistant Attorney General Walter C. Herdman.

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WASHINGTON, Aug. 4 — The Defense Department today identified 247 casualties in the Korean fighting which ceased July 27. A new list (No. 870) reported 39 killed, 185 wounded, 18 missing and 14 injured.

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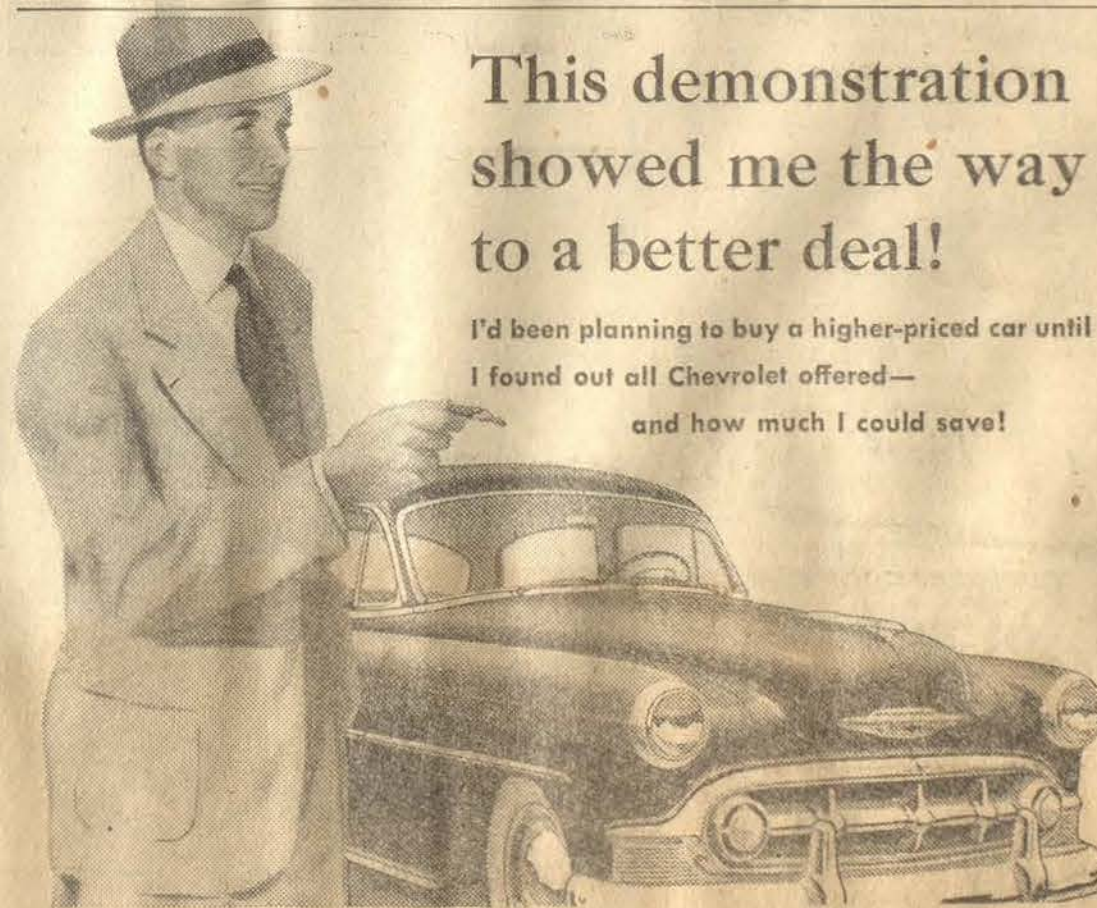
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Billy Stith, of the Air Force, stationed in Fort Worth, Texas, was called home due to the illness of his wife, Mrs. Wanda Stith. Mrs. Stith underwent an operation in Our Lady of the Way hospital last week. A 2/c Stith is with his mother, Mrs. O. D. Stith. Mr. Stith is working in Russell, Ky.

Mrs. E. B. Skenns is recovering nicely at her home here from an appendectomy she underwent in Our Lady of the Way hospital, last week.

David Lee, Griesby and Dean Branham are recovering nicely from their recent car wreck. They were seriously injured in the wreck, but all their friends are glad to know they will be all right.

Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Grigsby were called home from their vacation in Washington, due to the accident of their son, David Lee.

Mr. and Mrs. Robinson and family, of Camden, N. J., have been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Branham. They stayed during the worst illness of her brother, Dean, after his accident.

Mr. and Mrs. George Lawrence, of Guyan, W. Va., Lige Lawrence, of Fort Lauderdale, Florida, were the week-end guests of their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Lynch, recently.

Mrs. Jim O'Hara, of Detroit, Mich., and her brother, Ralph Allen, who works in Detroit, came home recently for the funeral of their aunt, Mrs. Vine Preston.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Kish, of Washington, D. C., were the week-end guests of his sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Demont. The Demonts and Kishs' spent all last week visiting another sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Getchen of Detroit, Michigan.

Sgt. Bill Hughes, of Hamilton Field, Calif., has been the recent guest here of relatives, Mrs. Mona Mayo and Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Peters. Upon his return to California he will be sent to Korea. He was accompanied here by his brother, Freeman Hughes and Robert Hunter, of Mounth, Mich.

Little Gary Beverley, of near Allen, spent several nights last week, the guest of Kenneth Peters. Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Peters and son, Kenneth, were shopping in Huntington, W. Va., last week.

Miss Nell Compton, of Dunganon, Pa., is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Mona Mayo, and her cousin, Mrs. Elmer Peters, here.

Severe and Gene Compton, of Cleveland, Ohio, have been visiting their aunt, Mrs. Mona Mayo, here recently.

Dale Gearheart, who has been employed in Detroit, Mich., for some time, has been visiting his parents at Eastern. While home he visited his sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. John Hayes Turnely, here in Martin.

Billy Skeans, of Detroit, Mich., spent the week-end here with his mother, Mrs. Mary Skeans. He came home in order to vote.

Douglas Tackett, of Louisville, came all the way home in order to vote.

Edd Hill, Sr., of Mt. Sterling, was in Martin on election day as was Bill Stephens, of Middle Creek.

John Paul Billter and James Crisp prepared a delicious dinner for several guests. Among them were Ralph Moore, of Drift, and John Billter. The main dish was ground hog.

Harry Childers, Dale Gearheart, of Detroit, Ross Johns, of Warco, John King, of Kingsport, Tenn., were visiting friends in Martin during the week-end.

Rev. George W. Nerbonne left Sunday for a two-week vacation with his mother in Pennacook, N. H. Rev. Hanses is taking his place here while he is away.

Miss Barbara Mandt and some friends, of Prestonsburg, are spending a week's vacation at Myrtle Beach, S. C.

Mrs. L. B. Brashear and sons, Bill and Dick, are spending a month with her mother, Mrs. W. F. Mandt, in Florida. A. H. Mandt has just returned from Florida, where he spent a week due to the illness of his mother.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Buck Wright announce the birth of a son, in Our Lady of the Way hospital, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Swindall and son, Anthony, and Miss Barbara Ann Johns, of Louisville, were the Thursday evening dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Ward, of Prestonsburg.

Alvin Barnett and Willard Barnett are leaving for the East coast this week. They are joining the Merchant Marines and will ship out from Baltimore, Md.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Justice, who work in the onion fields in Michigan, have been spending a week home with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Justice.

Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Frazier, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Harrison, of Norfolk, Va., have been spending their vacation here visiting friends and relatives, among them his mother, Mrs. Rebecca Frazier, and Mr. Harrison's brother, Steve Harrison. While here they visited Dewey Dewey Dam.

Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Walls and son, Glenn, of Logan, W. Va., spent the week-end here, guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Lynch.

In 1952, 419 million tons of bituminous coal were consumed in the United States.

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THE TIMES WANT ADS PAY

12 HIGHWAYS

The bituminous coal mined in the U. S. last year would make 13 "super highways" across the nation one foot thick and one-quarter mile wide.

COTTON TEA

A "Cotton Tea" in Wayne county, 79 homemakers modeled dresses they had made in their clothing project.

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Mrs. Nan Vaughn of Webster county, a craft project leader in the Clay Homemakers Club, has made four baskets, 25 aluminum trays and etched 16 pieces of glass, and has assisted 25 non-members to make similar articles.

Department of Agriculture vegetable specialists advise watering gardens once a week during droughts. About one-eighth of all crop production in the United States depends totally or in part upon irrigation.

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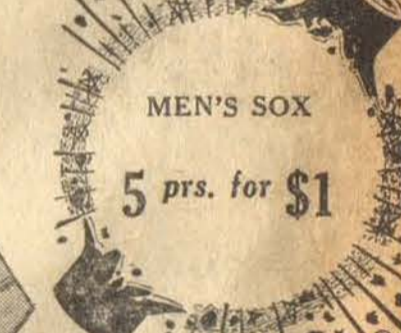
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Stephens Branch Road Contract Is Awarded On Bid of \$12,350.94

A contract for construction on the Stephens Branch road in Floyd county has been awarded the Kentucky Road Oiling Co., of Frankfort, according to an announcement by William P. Curlin, Commissioner of Highways.

The company submitted a low bid of \$12,350.94. The contract calls for 1.5 miles of bituminous surface from KY. 80, one mile southwest of Martin, extending in a westerly direction up Stephens Branch and ending at the railroad crossing.

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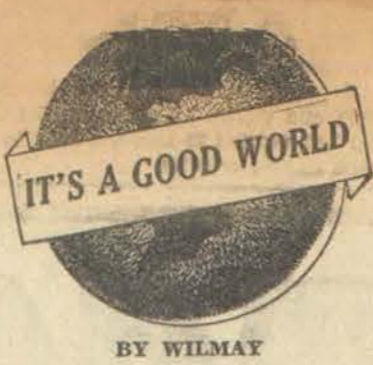
Frankfort, Ky., Aug. 3 (Spl.)—Kentucky's highway death rate for each 100 million vehicle miles traveled during the first five months of 1953 showed a decline from the same period in 1952.

A report issued by the State Police shows that eight deaths occurred each hundred million miles in the January-through-May period this year, while the rate was nine for the first five months of 1952.

The averages are based on gasoline consumption figures, taken from the amount of gasoline tax paid, plus the number of persons killed. The report shows that 288 persons were killed during the period this year and 309 were killed through May of 1952.

Through July 23, the latest date for which police reports are complete, 377 persons had been killed this year. Through the same date last year, 430 died.

CADET CRAWFORD IN GEORGIA
CAMP GORDON, GEORGIA—John W. Crawford, son of Mr. William Crawford, David, Ky., has just completed six weeks intensive training with the Signal Corps Reserve Officers Training Corps summer camp. He was one of approximately 1100 cadets in training here.



BY WILMAY

But it could do without gossips. A friend who recently rendered an outstanding service, though ill, said, "I'm through. Jesus does not expect us to be crucified this way." We agree. Many good and needed leaders are lost because of those who tear down and pour cold water on the few who do serve. A man remarked that he got more criticism in three months after becoming P-T-A. president than he had in all the years of his life. Another said he was persecuted endlessly during his few years as Sunday School superintendent. A friend headed the local polo drive, slaying though sick herself. "Never again," she said. "The people kill you with false reports." An acquaintance, crushed by slander, said, "This is my home town but none compare with it for gossip."

An outstanding citizen says a major cause of the prevalence of gossip here is that many cannot read and numbers do so poorly. They cannot enjoy books and magazines, so their only pastime is to gossip. Good news travels slowly. It is soon forgotten. Bad news beats the wind. What people do not know, Dame Rumor supplies. At the suggestion of mutual friends we called to visit a newcomer. Some said she had two girls; others said a girl and a boy. Several had named the church she and her children attend. It was a surprise to find she has never had any children at all!

A young widow with a large family was left with only a mortgaged farm. A kind man raised funds to help. Scandal touched him, despite his innocence. No one knows how he suffered, for nothing hurts a Christian like false accusations. Those who doubt that gossip can kill should read the story of Rachel Jackson. Cruel tongues drove the most maligned woman in history insane. Her name was Mary Lincoln. A young preacher had a nervous breakdown when enemies spread a falsehood against him, seeking to whitewash their own sins. The Bible condemns gossip. Church covenants forbid it, but some people require it on their daily menus. If there is no truth in it, that is unimportant.

In childhood we knew an old preacher named Gay. He was slightly deaf. To hear a phonograph he stuck a wire into it, and held the other end to a tooth. It amazed us. He grew tired of hearing one of his leaders tattle about everyone else. Her favorite target was the organist, whose beauty, ability and superb taste in clothes set her apart. Naturally, Mrs. So-and-So despised her. She brought a new tale one day, demanding that Bro. Gay do something about it. "Sister, if you'll just write all that down, and sign your name to it, so I'll not forget a word you've told me, I'll have the brethren pray about it," he promised. Mrs. So-and-So took backwater fast and beat a hasty retreat. Many more would do likewise if asked to sign and support their charges.

Years ago, we repeated a neighbor's claims against a doctor who, she said, had neglected a dying patient shamefully. She was on a party line and knew all about it. The family had tried in vain to get him to come to the girl. The next day we called in the bereaved home and heard a sister of the deceased praise the young doctor for all he had done, for staying with them to the end, and fighting for that girl's life to the last. We felt miserably ashamed, going to retract the false report to the one we had told. If we only would wait to know what we plan to tell is true before relaying it! That is bad enough. Many repeat talk and say, "Of course, I don't believe it." Then WHY tell it? Anybody can spread gossip, but few can or do check it. Of many victims of slander we have defended through the years, only three proved unworthy. Isn't it better to err mercifully than to accuse falsely? It is sad that some minds remain in the gutter, always determined to believe the worst about everyone.

The Times' fine editorial last week was heart-rending. But the editor knows we have been with him all the while in opposing vote buying. Long before this column started, we fought it openly and vigorously. From the lecture platform we often have called it the worst curse of our section. To do so proves a costly process, from the standpoint of popularity, for him and others, but after all earthly favor is fleeting. Perhaps some day our great county, with its marvelous possibilities, will rid itself of this evil.

ALPHORETTA

Mrs. Bill Harris and Miss Anna Rae Harris, of Columbus, Ohio, were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Willie Crisp, Sunday.

Tom Marshall is seriously ill at his home.

Mrs. Marcella Ward has returned home after a week's visit with her daughter, Mrs. Robert Hondel, at Stratton, Va.

Henry Layne was visiting his mother here during the week-end. Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Rediff, of Caney, spent Sunday here with Mr. and Mrs. Willard Ousley.

Jim Manuel, Mrs. Walter England and daughters spent Sunday at Maytown with Lee Manuel and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Caner Crisp and S. M. Ousley attended church at Brush Creek, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hasadore Sturgill, of Lima, Ohio, were the week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Sturgill and his brother, W. M. Sturgill, at Wilson Creek.

Little Perlina Derossett has been seriously ill at the Paintsville hospital, the past week.

Mrs. Millard Sizemore has been a patient at Our Lady of the Way hospital and is improving nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Frazier are visiting Mrs. Harry Gregory, this week. They are from Norfolk, Va.

Mr. and Mrs. Taylor Risner, of Carry, Ohio, were visiting C. R. Sturgill.

Mrs. Vincent Adams and daughters spent Sunday at Stephens Branch visiting Mrs. Alan Bradley. They also visited Mrs. A. H. Mandt.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Combs are the parents of an eight-pound son, born Saturday, August 1, at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Kelly Dingus. The baby was named Meredith Rae.

Mrs. Judy Blevins, of Columbus, Ohio, was visiting Mrs. Vincent Adams, Friday. Mrs. Claude Hagans was visiting here, also.

Mrs. James Ward is recovering after a serious illness.

"Aunt" Becky Frazier, of Buck's Branch, was visiting Mrs. Harry Gregory and Mrs. Lulu Crisp, Sunday.

Mrs. Vincent Adams and Mrs. Herbert Ousley were visiting Mrs. Bill Meade at Weebury, Tuesday.

Mrs. Scott Compton and son, have returned home after a short visit in Florida.

Mrs. Dona Click spent Friday night at Blue River, with her sister, Mrs. Daynes Montgomery. She also visited Mr. and Mrs. Worth Music, of Prestonsburg.

Mrs. Lorain Patton spent the past week at Catlettsburg with her daughter who has been ill for some time.

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Since 1800, Pennsylvania has produced almost 30% of the bituminous coal mined in the U. S. with West Virginia accounting for better than 20%.

Miss Branham To Wed Airman Urban Peters

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Branham announce the engagement of their daughter, Magdalene, to A. L. Urban T. Peters, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Peters. Airman Peters is now stationed at Ladd Air Force Base, Fairbanks, Alaska. Miss Branham is a student in the College of Art and Sciences, University of Kentucky. She will complete her work in the Social Work Department. The wedding will take place in the Methodist Church, Martin, in early December.

PVT. BENTLEY AT FT. LEE

FT. LEE, Va. — Pvt. Earl Bentley, son of Mr. and Mrs. Willie Bentley, of Langley, Ky., completed basic training at the Quartermaster Re-Placement Training Center, Fort Lee, Va., on July 31, 1953.

Pvt. Bentley was inducted into the army on May 13. Before entering service, he was graduated from Maytown high school, Langley, Ky.

ACCEPTS PASTORATE HERE

The Rev. Joe Combs, of Springfield, Mo., has accepted the pastorate of the First Assembly of God Church of West Prestonsburg. He filled the pulpit Sunday morning and Sunday evening.

Accompanying Rev. Combs were the Rev. Charles Byrd, District Presbyter, of Jeffersonville, and Brother Drake, of Versailles. They were the Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Wright. Rev. Combs has returned to Springfield for his family.

3 Teachers Attend Vocational Ag Meet

O. E. Stanley, Clyde Burchett and Roy Denney, vocational-agriculture teachers at Betsy Layne, Prestonsburg, and Maytown high schools, respectively, attended the annual state conference for teachers of vocational agriculture at the F.F.A. State Camp in Hardinsburg last week (July 29-August 1).

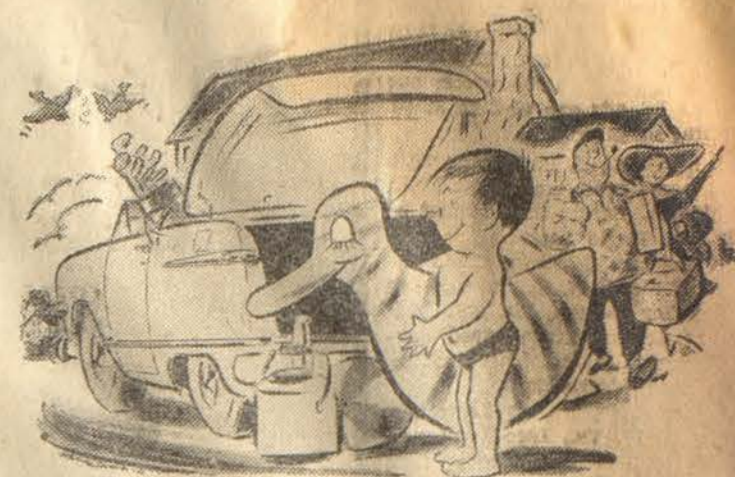
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National Boy Scout Jamboree Shots



Some of the Scouts at the third National Jamboree in California are, left to right, front row—Roger Earls, Norton, Va.; Bob Allen, Prestonsburg; Lon Hill, Prestonsburg; Joe Day Harkins, Prestonsburg; Freddy Francis, Prestonsburg; Raleigh Archer, Prestonsburg. Second row—Ken Herndon, McClure, Va.; Alvin Carter, Norton, Va.; Jerry Archer, Paintsville; Johnny Spears, Paintsville.



One of the high points of the National Scout Jamboree for Boy Scouts of Prestonsburg and Floyd county was the visit of Judge Ida May Adams to the troop site of the Lonesome Pine Council Troop 11. She watched her relative, young Joe Day Harkins, Prestonsburg, prepare beef stew for supper and she invited Scouts to visit her municipal court in the City of Los Angeles. Judge Adams has served as judge on the bench for 22 years.



Another group of Lonesome Pine Council Scouts at the National Jamboree:

Front, left to right, Don Collins, Wheelwright; Hank Wilkinson, Wheelwright; Tex Martin, Price; Gary Martin, Martin. Second row—George Bernard, Hazard; David Dean, Pikeville.



Among the Scouts who attended the National Jamboree in California were, left to right front row, Bob Allen, Prestonsburg, and Jerry Archer, Paintsville; second row—Tex Martin, Price, Frank Sellers, Drift, and Burl Spurlock, Prestonsburg.

BETSY LAYNE

The Program Planning committee of the Betsy Layne Women's Club held a special meeting Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. O. J. Williams. Plans of work were outlined for the new club year, with special emphasis placed on the Independence Hall Project, beginning September 17 and ending May 1, next.

This is a project undertaken by the General Federation of Women's Clubs to refurbish rooms in Independence Hall in Philadelphia. The purpose of this project is to first, conduct an educational campaign so that every American may better understand and appreciate the struggle our forefathers had in establishing our democratic republic and to know the benefits derived from our form of government, second, to raise sufficient funds to restore the entire first floor of Independence Hall, consisting of the Assembly Room, the Supreme Court Chamber and the main hallway, where the Liberty Bell rests.

Mrs. Edward Lykins, incoming president of the club, will be chairman of the Independence Hall Project committee. One of the projects connected with this campaign is to secure the cooperation of school authorities in securing funds for the Independence Hall project. In this connection, it is suggested that a container be placed in every room of the public schools and ask students to contribute one cent a week during the school year. Each school that contributes as much as \$100 will have its school name placed on a permanent record at Independence Hall. There is also an essay contest sponsored by the General Federation of Women's Clubs in connection with the Independence Hall Project.

Plans for observing Americanism Week, the week beginning September 13, were made, with Mrs. W. P. Howell appointed to serve as the Americanism committee chairman. Americanism Week is a time for citizens to rededicate themselves to the preservation of our representative form of government.

At the close of the meeting refreshments were served the following committee members: Mesdames Beecher Hardwick, W. P. Howell, Miss Alice Williams and the hostess Mrs. Williams.

Beavers, Once Plentiful In Eastern Ky. Streams, Reappear in Morgan-co.

Beavers, that once were so plentiful in Eastern Kentucky, have come back, it was learned when they were found building dams across Elkfork in Morgan county. The exact location according to residents and conservation officers is the Kenneth Fairchild farm above the mouth of Mordicae.

Presence of the beavers was reported by Auntie Adkins, who lives in that section, and Harold Barber, district wildlife biologist, and Dave Adams, county conservation officer. They investigated Tuesday and found much evidence of the beavers, tracks, cut saplings and the beginnings of three dams.

The conservation officer said no beaver had been stocked in Morgan and that they must have come in from Red River, or Fox Creek in Fleming county. Beavers are protected by a closed season the year around in Kentucky.

COMPLETE COURSES

Five members of homemakers clubs in Boyd county have completed a home nursing and civilian defense course and are teaching groups in their communities.

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Music Commissioned Second Lieutenant

FORT SILL, Okla., July 28 — In ceremonies here today Frank E. Music, son of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Music, Estill, Ky., was commissioned a second lieutenant in the Field Artillery Officer's Corps of the U. S. Army.

Lt. Music was a member of the 39th graduating class of the Artillery Officer Candidate School. The Officer Candidate School reopened in February, 1951, after having been closed since 1946.



By: ROGER TURNER

"You cannot prevent the birds of sorrow from flying over your head... but you can prevent them from nesting in your hair"

There is hardly a person alive who hasn't had some misfortune befall him—illness, the loss of a loved one, business reverses—yet we see some people who have overcome their sorrows and others whose sorrows have overcome them. There is no way to shield yourself from disappointment and unhappiness . . . life is a succession of uncertainties . . . the greatest capacity is the ability to accept them with a sense of proportion for "the longer we dwell upon our misfortunes, the greater is their power to harm us."

So let us not constantly pray for good fortune, but rather let us work and pray for the strength to meet whatever the day has in store . . . whether it be joy or sorrow—let us learn to endure them both . . . always remembering that circumstances are sometimes beyond our control, but behaviour never is.

"Folks don't forget the Floyd County Fish & Game Club picnic August 16, being held at the Allen Golf Course. Tickets for prizes are being sold by the Martin Boy Scouts."

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BIBLE QUIZ

By A. F. BARBER
Eristol, Va.-Tenn.

Adam and Eve died who were never born. Enoch and Elijah were born who never died.

- How did a blind man kill 3,000 of his enemies who had punched out his eyes?
- Who was Job? "There was a man from the land of Uz, whose name was Job; and that man was perfect and upright, and one that feared God and eschewed evil." Job 1:1.
- What is said of the family and prosperity of Job? He had 7 sons and 3 daughters. He had also 7,000 sheep, 3,000 camels, 500 yokes of oxen, 500 donkeys, "and a very great household; so that this man was the greatest man of all the east." Job 1:2, 3.
- When the Lord met Satan what did he say about Job? "Have you considered my servant Job, that there is none like him in the earth?" Job 1:8.
- What theory did Satan have about Job's prosperity? He is good because he is prosperous. If you will take away everything he has "he will curse you to your face." Job 1:11.
- Well, we'll just see about that, so what did the Lord allow Satan to do? Take away his family by death, and destroy all his wealth. Job 1:13-19.
- When the crash came and Job was left alone what did he do? Fell down upon the ground and worshipped and said "the Lord gave and the Lord has taken away; blessed be the name of the Lord," Job 1:20, 21.
- When the Lord met Satan the second time of what did he remind him? That he still "holds fast his integrity." Job 2:3.
- What further test did the Lord allow Satan to make? Afflict him with sore boils from head to foot. Job 3:7.
- In his grief, misery and utter hopelessness what did Job say? Even "though he slay me yet will I trust him." Job 13:15.

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COMPLETES BASIC
Ft. Lee, Va. — Bobby Clatworthy, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Clatworthy of Glo, Ky., completed basic training at the Quartermaster Replacement Training Center, Fort Lee, Va., on July 31.
Pvt. Clatworthy was inducted into the army on May 12. Before entering service, he was graduated from Wayland high school, Wayland, Ky.

MAYTOWN

Polio season is in full swing — won't the people of Maytown area please help by giving blood for the all-important serum that has proved satisfactory in other parts of the U. S. There is no telling where or when this dread disease will strike. Please come to the Martin gym, August 11, from 11 a.m. until 5 p.m. — and give.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Robinson and children and Mrs. Carol Landis and Fatty, of Fiqua, Ohio, Mrs. Richard Bennett and Dana and Mr. Bennett's mother and Mrs. A. S. Robinson, of Harriman, Tennessee, have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Robinson.

Mrs. George Fraley was a patient at Our Lady of the Way hospital this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Patton and children, of Zionsville, Indiana, are spending the week with his mother, Mrs. Amanda Patton.

Earl Bentley, who is stationed at Fort Lee, Va., spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Willie Bentley.

Miss Anna Faye Allen, of Wayland, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Edward Robinson, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Cairns and children, of Norfolk, Va., spent several days this week with Mrs. Cairns' mother, Mrs. Rebecca Hayes.

Mrs. Bertha Click spent Saturday with Mrs. Jonah Hicks, of Mousie. Mrs. Hicks is the former Susie Click.

Mrs. Lucy Patton and daughter, Glenda Raye, and Marcela Patton and son, David, have been visiting relatives in Zionsville, Indiana. They were accompanied home by Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Davidson and Miss Bonnie Jones, who will spend a two-week vacation here.

Mrs. Fred Killey and son, Paul, of Kenova, W. Va., spent the week-end with Mrs. Bertha Click and family. They were accompanied home by Rodney Click and Bo Bo Collins, who will spend this week there.

Mr. and Mrs. Lorna Click, of Pikeville, spent Sunday with Mr. Click's mother, Minerva Click.

Corky Patton, who is stationed with the Navy in Norfolk, Va., is spending a 10-day leave at home.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Patton are the parents of a daughter who was born last week.

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He Built His Own Monument

DEATH has been called the great leveller. It also is the great exalter.

In life Senator Robert A. Taft was known as Mr. Republican. He was often a controversial figure. Many, perhaps a majority, differed with him in his thinking; yet most of us admired his rugged honesty of thought, purpose and action.

But not until he was dead did Robert Taft receive the paudits of men outside his own conservative faction of the Republican party.

He died without full knowledge of this trust America had in him, which is a personal tragedy. But it is good for others to know that, ultimately, the true worth of a man is recognized. Thus weaker men may be inspired to take the unpopular course their consciences dictate but against which human vanity warns.

How Right Mr. Brown Is!

JOHN Young Brown on occasion has perhaps evoked some things less than enthusiastic approval from this newspaper, but we hasten to add a fervent "amen" to his pre-election statement (made in Fayette county) in which he boldly stated his views on the sales tax issue. He was a Democratic primary candidate for Representative at the time.

This is the issue practically all politicians, all the way from Washington down to the precinct, shun. But Mr. Brown boldly expressed a growing sentiment when he advocated a sales tax to take the place of the personal income tax. And, veteran that he is in the political field, he did so with full knowledge that what he said may be used against him later.

Remarking that he deliberately injected the sales tax issue into the campaign, Mr. Brown later said in a formal statement:

"In 1932, I was the leader in the fight against the sales tax. I even left the Speaker's chair to cast my vote against this tax although, as Speaker, I did not need to take sides.

"With this background, the people would have a right to expect me to fight a sales tax, but I have long since changed my mind on this issue.

"At the time I started the fight on the sales tax, only one other state, Mississippi, had such a tax. Today approximately 40 states have some form of sales tax.

"I have seen these other states meet their obligations to schools, welfare, health and generally to the services which modern government must give its people and I have come to believe that these other states must be right and that I must have been wrong.

"Looking backward, it is my firm conviction that I did a disservice to the State when I joined in the fight to kill the sales tax.

"If we are to have a greater Kentucky, we must have better schools, better institutional care for our mentally ill, better rehabilitation facilities for our correctional institutions and better care for our dependents. This can only be attained by a sales tax . . .

A 3 per cent sales tax "would net Kentucky at least \$15,000,000" from tourists, Brown contended.

"As a matter of fact, a shift from an income to a sales tax would lower the burden of taxation on most Kentuckians and would replace it by State income from our visitors . . . this substitute in our tax program would net us between \$20,000,000 and \$30,000,000 additional money, and at the same time give tax relief to the great segment of our people making up the income group . . .

BLADES OF BLUEGRASS

LEXINGTON, Ky. — If your county is like most of the 120 in Kentucky it has a Beehive, Blue Heart, Cyclone, Daylight, Firebrick, Gunpowder, Hippo, Mud Camp or some such town or hamlet.

Almost any Kentuckian can recite a similar list of odd-sounding towns within the boundaries of his county. And, many of the sorts of rivers and streams in the state bear labels as peculiar as the towns.

Oldtimers in Hardin county have an explanation for the naming of a river in that section which, true or not, makes a good yarn. It goes like this:

A man named Lin or Linn (versions of the tale vary) long ago disappeared from his Hardin county home, and after several days of waiting, neighbors organized searching parties and set out to find the absentee. The search centered around a stream in the area as it was believed the missing man might have become a victim of the river.

Days passed and no trace was found. And, according to the story, different groups taking part in the search began to communicate with other parties by shouting "No Lin," meaning of course that they had not located Mr. Lin (or Linn).

Each group usually found itself yelling the signal from the bank of the stream and from that time to the present (oldtimers say) this particular stream has been known as the Nolin River.

But, to get back to odd place names in the state, it seems that hardly a day passes for newspapermen and others who are concerned with Kentucky towns without an oddity cropping up.

Incidentally, Beehive is in Webster county, Blue Heart in Harlan, Cyclone in Monroe, Daylight in Hopkins, Firebrick in Lewis, Gunpowder in Boone, Hippo in Floyd and Mud Camp in Cumberland. Any veteran Kentucky newsmen can add and add to these.

The University of Kentucky Library contains many articles, and even books, written to clarify the derivation of these names. Yet, although these studies are helpful, the variety of explanation for each town makes an authentic collection almost impossible.

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Announcements for week August 7-13.

- Friday—7:45—Services at Slick Rock.
- Sunday—8:00—Floyd County Baptist Hour over WPRT.
- 9:30—Sunday School at Lancer.
- 9:45—Sunday School at Church.
- 10:55—MORNING WORSHIP at the church, broadcast over WPRT.
- 11:00—Sunday School at Holbrook.
- 2:30—Services at Slick Rock.
- 6:30—Training Union.
- 7:30—EVENING WORSHIP at the church.
- Monday—7:30—Morning Devotional by the Allen Baptist Church on WPRT.
- Tuesday—7:00—Youth Choir meets at the Church.
- Wednesday—7:30—Prayer Service. Topic, "The Word of God." Come to this mid-week service. We're going to discuss the Bible, so be sure to bring your Bible and a testimony as to how God has blessed you through His Word.
- 8:30—Choir Practise. You choir members make every effort to be present at this brief, but important meeting.
- Thursday—7:30—Prayer meeting at Lancer. Don't forget the annual session of the Enterprise Association. This meeting will be held with the West Van Lear Baptist Church on Aug. 27 and 28, 1953.



The Kentucky Automobile Association announces the appointment of HUGO MILLER, son of Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Miller, DRIFT, KY., as their Sales Representative in Johnson, Martin, and Floyd counties.

Mr. Miller will be happy to explain the many benefits of our membership at any time you call on him. You may contact Mr. Miller at Drift, Ky., or by writing the following address:

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DAVID

Rev. and Mrs. J. E. Durham returned last Saturday evening from an extended visit among their children. They report a very nice time. Ray Stambaugh and family were visiting relatives in Johnson county, Sunday.

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

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Kilgore, and Mrs. Mildred Kilgore, of Detroit, were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Willard Leboard and Mr. and Mrs. Charley Clark, last week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Garland Hall had as their guests last Saturday, Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Webb, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Music, of Van Lear, and Mr. and Mrs. Merle Hall, and daughter, of Melvin.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ratliff and son, of Dayton, Ohio, are visiting his parents here, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Ratliff.

A 2/e Robert G. Durham, of the U. S. Air Force, who has been stationed for a year in Korea, has returned to his home here, arriving Saturday evening of last week. Robert is the son of Rev. and Mrs. J. E. Durham.

Mr. and Mrs. James Cavins and family were visiting relatives in Garrett, Sunday.

A cordial invitation is extended to you to visit the David Community Church next Sunday night. Good preaching and good singing. Come and get a blessing out of the service.

WILL SEND POLICE

Frankfort, Ky., Aug. 3 — Gov. Lawrence W. Wetherby promised to send State Police into Campbell county to put down gambling and vice operations, provided there is a resumption of the illicit operations in that community.

A federal court jury had expressed fear that with adjournment of the federal court term there might be a resumption of activities.

If they do attempt to reopen, I shall not hesitate to declare an emergency and send the police in to clean up the situation," the Governor warned.

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