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This Town— That World

If we put Christ in Christmas, as certainly we should, we would not spell it, C-H-R-I-S-T-M-A-S.

2510
That's our new telephone number. Ask me about six months from now my number at home. That and learning to write the new year 1957 may just about floor me.

Whether Judge Hill was proving that he can catch fish any old time or that some fish will strike any time, we do not know. Anyhow, he broke the ice, literally, Tuesday to catch a 17-inch bass at Dewey Lake.

A DAY TO REMEMBER
Yesterday — Wednesday — how many noted the day as anything special? It was very special. A day to remember in infancy, President Roosevelt said at the time. Pearl Harbor Day.

But some do not forget, even 14 years after. They have Gold Stars as tragic reminders.

JUST A HOUN'-DAWG MAN, THAT'S ME

It did no harm to the fair name of Justice when, the other day, a common, ordinary hound dog named Frank was nominated down in Alabama for a hero's medal.

This particular breed of the canine species has been too long to suit me the Jew of dogdom, kicked every time his owner wasn't looking, accused of crimes his simple mind never even considered, berated by more women than all the husbands of the world, and blamed for everything dire that ever happened in a thousand communities.

He has been the step-child of dogdom too long. And now one hound has found his way into the public prints as a hero, a dog whose unflinching howls brought rescue to a little boy lost "way out in the cold, dark woods."

Now Lassie or Rin-Tin-Tin might have sat down and figured the situation all out, covered the little

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JUDGE ORDERS FUNDS CHANGE

Hill Holds Gym Funds Should Be Deposited With Bank Josephine

Circuit Judge Edward P. Hill directed in a decision handed down Friday that \$55,880.87 of the funds of the Prestonsburg School Construction account and \$200,000 worth of government securities bought with funds from that account be transferred from the First National Bank to the original depository, the Bank Josephine.

The judgment, which may be appealed to the Court of Appeals, resulted from a complaint filed by the Bank Josephine after the funds, derived from the sale of bonds for the construction of the auditorium-gymnasium here, had been transferred on authority of a City Council ordinance to the First National Bank. The City Council acted as fiscal agent in financing the gym construction.

The Bank Josephine, however, contended that it was designated in the original Council ordinance as the depository, that the bonds were sold under terms of that ordinance and that the ordinance constituted a bond between the sellers of the bonds and the purchasers.

Judge Hill's order directed that the City Council's ordinance of Sept. 19 designating the First National Bank as the depository be adjudged null and void, and that writs of mandamus issue commanding Wesley Campbell, city treasurer, to issue a check to the plaintiff for the funds on deposits and requiring the First National Bank to transfer to plaintiff the securities it held.

Court House Happenings

SUITS FILED

Hazel Rice vs. Virginia Short; Hollie Conley, atty. Verlie Hall vs. Ike Hall; Tackett & Tackett, attys. Thelma Stone Hicks vs. Jay Hicks; W. W. Burchett, atty. J. T. Fish vs. William A. Payne, et al.; Charles E. Lowe, atty. The First National Bank vs. Ervin Hamilton; Ooms & Combs, attys. Henry Tackett, admr. vs. Tim Jones; J. B. Clarke, atty. Clara Smith Messer vs. Cluett Messer; Tackett & Tackett, attys.

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\$4,500 GRANT MADE FOR AID OF RETARDED

Whas 'Crusade' Funds Voted Floyd Council; To Broaden Service

The Floyd County Council for Retarded Children received Wednesday night a grant of \$4,500 from the proceeds of the 1955 WHAS "Crusade for Children." The grant was allocated to the Council by the WHAS "Moral Side of the News" panel of ministers.

The Crusade, which was dedicated to raising funds for the extension and improvement of care and services now provided mentally and physically handicapped children of Kentucky and Southern Indiana, grossed a record \$183,624.

The grant to the Floyd County Council for Retarded Children will be used to change the training class teacher hired with a 1954 Crusade grant from a part-time to a full-time basis thus providing schooling for 10 more youngsters. This will require \$3,927. Remainder of the grant will underwrite transportation for certain indigent children, pay the rent for a school room, and purchase equipment and supplies.

Remarking upon the record figure grossed by the 1955 Crusade, Victor A. Sholis, vice-president and director of WHAS, Inc., said the collection "represents a remarkable demonstration of the inherent generosity of the folks of Kentucky and Southern Indiana."

"As best we can determine," Sholis continued, "more than 98 percent of all pledges were redeemed. Furthermore, the contributions add up to a figure unmatched for a community of this size."

Expenses for staging the Crusade were \$15,044, as compared with \$17,116 last year. After deductions for expenses, \$168,580 remained for the panel of ministers to allocate for distribution in charitable grants.

For the nineteen grants to Kentucky agencies and institutions \$117,583 of Crusade proceeds was allotted, and \$12,799 went in five grants to Southern Indiana agencies. A total of \$24,118 remains for additional grants to Kentucky agencies, being temporarily withheld pending development of several projects not yet in finished form. Contributions from Hoosiers were kept separately and returned in grants to agencies for use in twenty-three Southern Indiana counties.

A grant of \$14,077 was given to the welfare and charitable funds of Theatre Authority, Inc. This allocation is required under the agreement which permits professional entertainers to participate in the Crusade.

The grants were awarded Wednesday night to representatives of the 24 agencies benefitting from the 1955 Crusade on a special WHAS-TV telecast beginning at 8 o'clock. The funds allotted to the Floyd Council for Retarded Children were received at the broadcast by A. H. Mandt, Floyd County president.

Floyd county's was the only group east of Lexington to be awarded funds from the Crusade.

REPORT TELLS ILLS OF AREA

Says Largest Section Of Inadequate Income From Farms Is E. Ky.

"A major portion of the problems facing Kentucky's people is a product of low income," states a preliminary report of the Extension Program Planning committee. Speaking we are saying to any and all people, farm incomes lie in Eastern Kentucky, as badly off." Judging from the terse most of this area."

Prepared chiefly for Extension Service workers, it lists many of the major problems confronting Kentucky, offers tentative recommendations. "It is not considered as an official document in which we are saying of any and all people, these are the problems," Ernest J. Nesius, associate director of Extension, wrote The Times. However the report is being used by the Extension Service as a sort of guide for its program and the problems set out may be considered as having high priority in Extension work.

"The largest area of inadequate farm incomes lie in Eastern Kentucky," the report says but does name two other sections of Kentucky, one a southern tier of counties and the other extending from Crittenden to Grayson counties, that are as badly off." Judging from the value of farm products sold these areas averaged less than \$200 per capita in annual value of sales in 1949."

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National TV Audience Hears Caney Cr. Story

The Little Stranger who came to stay in Eastern Kentucky's hills left her beloved Caney Creek this week for the first time in 25 years and Wednesday night she was seen by a nationwide television audience in Ralph Edwards' "This Is Your Life" from Hollywood, California.

So it was that Mrs. Alice Lloyd, perhaps Eastern Kentucky's most famous woman, was seen for the first time by thousands of residents of her own section who had known for years of her life and work but had thought of her more as the spirit of Caney Creek than as a flesh-and-blood individual.

Mrs. Lloyd was lured to Hollywood by the promise of an interview that would lead to an endowment of the school she founded. Love of the school and her anxiety for its future led her to shed her dislike of public appearances and personal publicity, and so it was that she was "trapped" by the Edwards show.

Initial steps in getting Mrs. Lloyd's story on "This Is Your Life" were taken here by one of her former students, Jarvis Allen, and Mrs. Allen. Letters from officials and prominent citizens to Edwards were solicited. The book, "Stay On Stranger," and its Reader's Digest condensation, telling the heroic story of the woman's struggle over 40 years to bring education to the Kentucky mountains, were mailed to Edwards by the Prestonsburg couple.

ASC MANAGER DIES FRIDAY

Spradlin, War I Veteran, Succumbs at Louisville; Rites Held Here Sunday

Alex M. Spradlin, 61 years old, office manager here of the county Agricultural Stabilization Committee and well-known Floyd citizen, died Friday at 12:05 a.m., at Veterans hospital, Louisville following a cancer operation.

Mr. Spradlin had been seriously ill since Sept. 20 when he entered Veterans hospital, Huntington. He was transferred to the Louisville hospital, Nov. 2, and underwent the operation shortly afterward. News of his passing was received with deep regret by hundreds of relatives and friends in the county.

A son of the late Ayril and Kate Stephen Spradlin, he was born in Prestonsburg. A teacher in early manhood, he served as assistant county superintendent during the term of office of his uncle, John Stephens, as county superintendent of World War I, and in his overseas service won from the French government the Croix de Guerre.

Mr. Spradlin was a charter member of the Community Methodist Church here, and until his last illness was teacher of the Bible class in its Sunday school.

Surviving are his widow, Mrs. Hope Hereford Spradlin, one daughter, Mrs. Marlene Vanhose, Paintsville, a brother, John Spradlin, City, Tenn., a sister, Sallie Spradlin, of Cliff and two grandchildren.

His body was returned to his home on the Abbott road, near Cliff, and funeral rites were conducted Sunday at 2 p.m., from the Community Methodist Church, the pastor, the Rev. Harold W. Dorsey, officiating. Burial in the Hereford cemetery at Cliff was under direction of the Carter & Callihan Funeral Home.

United Fuel Plant Head At Warco Takes Position With Tollesboro Station

Edgar R. May has resigned the superintendency of the Warco compressor station of the United Fuel Gas Company to become supervisor of the Tollesboro, Ky., plant of the Central Natural Gas Company. The Times learned this week.

His resignation ends 28 years of employment with the gas company at and around Warco, although his new firm is an associate of United Fuel.

Mr. May will be succeeded by H. O. Grady, Spencer, W. Va., a veteran employee of United Fuel. The change in supervisory heads will not affect the status of other employees at the Floyd plant.

Mrs. May, who has been active in school, civic and church work since she came to this county in 1924 after having been a teacher at the Caney Creek Community Center, Pippa Passes, will for a time continue her weekly removal in The Times after their removal within the next few days to Tollesboro.

Appearing on the television program with Mrs. Lloyd were her assistant of many years, June Buchanan, Commodore Stone, of Pippa Passes, Sam Allen, also a resident of that community and father of Woodrow Allen, of Prestonsburg, and these former Caney Creek students; County Attorney Dan Martin, of Knott county, Dr. Russell Hall of Wheelwright, and Alice Stone, of Cordia.

SEGREGATION, NO PROBLEM

In Floyd Basketball; Colored Scout Troops Use Camp Chatterawha

By GORDON MOORE

Racial segregation among nine Floyd county high schools and Wheelwright's colored Palmer-Dunbar doesn't pose any problems in basketball games between the schools, nor is there segregation of fans at any of the contests.

For a number of years, the 58th district schools have played the colored school on the hardwood courts and on the baseball fields without an untimely incident ever occurring.

Palmer-Dunbar entered the 10-team Floyd county pre-season basketball tournament at Wayland last week, and the best of relations prevailed, although Martin won the game with Palmer-Dunbar, 80-55.

Prior to the tournament, the Wheelwright school of some 200 youths had vied with at least five other Floyd county schools in basketball games.

Prof. William T. Gilbert, principal and coach at the school for the past 18 years, earned his A. B. degree from Kentucky State College and his M. A. from the University of Indiana, is a keen student of all sports and instills in his youths fair play and the highest type of sportsmanship.

The Girl Scout troop of the school meets and works hand-in-hand with the local Wheelwright white troop and their projects are well co-ordinated to the needs of the individual school. Each summer, the mixed troop visits the \$30,000 Dewey Lake Girl Scout camp for a two-week outing.

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BABE DIES

A day-old child of Worden and Gracie Allen Collins, of Wayland, died at the Beaver Valley hospital, Martin, Thursday of last week. Nine brothers and sisters survive. Funeral rites were held at the home next day and burial was made in the Mann cemetery at Wayland under the direction of Hall Bros. Funeral Home.

Turner Tells Why Federal Aid Necessary If School Needs Met

If federal aid is not made available, the school building needs of Floyd county, to mention only one of the thousands of school districts in the nation, will never be met.

So said County Schools Superintendent Virgil O. Turner here this week in a discussion of educational problems.

Mr. Turner pointed out that two years ago a survey of school needs in this county showed that \$8,500,000 would be required for building purposes alone. "That figure would probably be up to \$10,000,000 now."

And, he added, the raising of \$10,000,000 through local taxation is an utter impossibility.

In a recent radio discussion of the county school system the Superintendent pointed out that, although Floyd county is a large county and is considered rich, it is actually one of the poorest in the state and nation. For example, he said, only \$2,000 worth of assessable property stands behind each of the 14,392 school children in the county, while in Louisville the taxable property support for education is \$55,000 per school-child. In some smaller coun-

COURT TO END TERM, FRIDAY

Three Liquor Cases To End Dec. Session; Pennington Acquitted

Last cases of the slow-moving December circuit court term will be heard Friday, then adjournment till the first 1956 term convenes Jan. 3. Set for hearing Friday are the liquor cases of Melve Click, Allen Stone and Steve Smith.

Two liquor cases were dismissed this week: one against Viola Handshoe, the other similar case against her being continued with alias process to issue to Knott county for witnesses. The second such case dismissed was against Sonja Burchett, whose indictment was made by the September grand jury, 60 of whose indictments were dismissed last week on motion of Commonwealth's Attorney Burnis Martin after it had been ascertained that the indictments were subject to attack.

Motion of Commonwealth's Attorney Martin to dismiss the liquor case of Banner Burchett, who also

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Frazier Is Scheduled As Group Five Leader At Educators' Meeting

Chalmer H. Frazier, superintendent of Prestonsburg schools, will head Group V at the annual superintendents' conference to be held in Louisville, Dec. 16-17, in the group's discussion of the topic, "Securing Adequate Revenues for Education in the Local School District."

The group discussions will follow addresses Friday morning by Claude Farley, Pikeville, president of the Kentucky Association of School Administrators, and Dr. Robert R. Martin, new Superintendent of Public Instruction. Eight groups will take part.

Presentation of group reports and of plans for the future then will be made on the following day.

Santa Does Christmas Preview



One of the many youngsters on hand to greet Santa Claus here and eat his gum drops last Saturday was little Freddie James.

An estimated 2,500 youngsters and their elders thronged Prestonsburg sidewalks and stores Saturday to catch a glimpse of Santa visiting the town to open the Christmas shopping season.

And every child and a lot of grownups got more than a glimpse of the old gent. He was passing out candy, right and left, and he missed few in the big crowd.

Preceded by the police car, the

Prestonsburg high school band and the Boy Scout troop led by Carsey Kidd, Santa in a brand-new velvet red suit outshone even the gleaming white of the new fire truck in which he was driven about Prestonsburg by Fire Chief Vernon Blackburn.

Santa's still is looking for that boy or girl who dares to admit that, maybe, he or she hasn't always been perfectly good. Certainly he didn't find such a youngster in Prestonsburg.

Joe Sammons, 84, Lancer, Succumbs; Funeral Rites Held Last Wednesday

Funeral rites for Joe Sammons, 84 years old, who died Nov. 26 at his home at Lancer after an illness of three years, were conducted last Wednesday from the residence by the Revs. Ted Nelson and L. P. Tussey. Burial was made in the Ford cemetery under direction of the Carter & Callihan Funeral Home.

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ROAD PROJECT GOES TO FORD

P'burg Contractor's Bid Low on Knott Road Job; Pike Contracts Are Let

The Winston Ford Company, Prestonsburg construction firm, has been awarded a contract by the Kentucky Highway Department on the construction of 2.086 miles of the Cody-Kite road in Knott county, it was announced this week.

The firm's low bid for grade, drain and rock surfacing of the sector of road was \$67,333.

Road improvement contracts totaling about \$3,500,000 were awarded at the same time. Largest of these was \$2,939,340 for Louisville's North-South Expressway.

Two Pike county projects were among those let to contract. These were:

Island Creek road, 3 miles, reconstruction and gravel surface, Greer Brothers & Young, London, \$118,749.

Repair bridge over Russell Fork at Elkhorn City on Pikeville-Virginia state line road, George A. Conkright, Winchester, \$25,897.

\$400 'DOZER PUT TO WORK

School Board Purchase Used To Protect School; David Gym Repair Voted

An \$8,000 bulldozer which the Floyd County Board of Education purchased for \$400 through the Surplus Property Administration already has made the deal look like a bargain.

Before it was paid for Tuesday at the regular monthly meeting of the Board the 'dozer had been put to work dredging Frasures Creek and constructing a levee to prevent the creek from spilling over, as it did on two occasions within the year, onto the grounds and into buildings of the McDowell high school. This work was done in one day, with a regular Board employee operating the machinery, it was pointed out as it was recalled that earlier estimates on the work from private contractors had run as high as \$1,800.

The machinery in the future will be used to prepare school building sites and to level school grounds. In accordance with state law, the Board enter an order restricting its use solely to school property.

The Board accepted the bid of the Vanhose Lumber Company to supply materials for re-flooring of the David gymnasium. It was said the gym has been closed two weeks because of the dangerous condition of the floor, and that this will be the second re-flooring job done there since the building was erected a few years ago.

Avanelle Bradley was employed as teacher in the Wayland grade school to fill the vacancy created by the resignation of Mary Williams Morris, and Mrs. Mildred Cooley was hired as substitute teacher for Thelma Pruitt in the Sam Hale school.

FLOYD HEALTH CENTER WORK PACT SIGNED

Excavation to Start On \$105,970 Project Here Within Few Days

The long months of planning, changing of plans, financing and re-financing in an effort to effect the construction here of the Floyd County Health Center ended in success Friday as the State Building and Properties Commission formally awarded a contract on the project.

Successful bidders on the construction job are J. Y. Goble and Ernest Osborne, owners of the Home Appliance Company here. Their bid, lowest of three offered, was \$105,970.

When the bids were opened several weeks ago it was found that even this lowest bid was for more money than had been earmarked by Floyd county, the state of Kentucky and the federal government. At that time the fund stood at \$90,000, of which amount the county had supplied \$25,000, the state \$20,000 and federal Hill-Burton funds a matching \$45,000. Then began negotiations to increase the total of the funds.

Floyd county proposed to add \$7,700 if the other governmental agencies would augment their contributions. Governor Wetherby told Judge Bert T. Combs and others from this county that surely state money could be found somewhere, and \$7,500 finally was added to its \$20,000. Then last week approval of an additional \$15,000 of federal funds for the work was made.

In addition to the \$105,970 construction bid, funds appropriated to totaling \$120,270 will provide for equipping the center and maintaining a \$2,000 emergency fund.

The structure, of a single story, will be 63 by 66 feet, of brick and block construction, with full basement. It will be located on the grounds of the old Prestonsburg high school.

The center, which will house the Floyd County Health Department, its clinics and related services, is to be completed within 120 days. The contract provides that work shall begin within 10 days of its signing. Excavation work was slated to begin this week.

COURT ACTION RESUMES AID

Votes Regular Schedule For Distribution of Food To Central Floyd Points

Distribution of surplus foodstuffs to the county's needy is being resumed as the result of action taken last Thursday at a special fiscal court session here.

The court employed Jerry Stephens, who had been laid off work with the county road department in an economy move, to work at the commodity office here and also to double as a highway worker as needed.

Effect of the court's action is, the foodstuffs will again be taken out to central distribution points in the county, removing the necessity of relief clients coming to Prestonsburg for food allotments. County Judge Henry Stumbo estimated this work will require about 10 days a month if two trucks are operated.

The motion to employ Stephens was made by Magistrate Grover Holbrook, and the vote in its favor was unanimous.

Except for payment of a few

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Mrs. Catherine M. Scott, Age 90, of Amba, Victim At Methodist Hospital

Mrs. Catherine Meade Scott, 90, of Amba, died at the Methodist hospital, Pikeville, Monday at 1 p.m. Pneumonia was given as the cause of death.

Mrs. Scott was a daughter of Sam and Polly Gearheart Meade and was married to L. D. Scott, who preceded her in death in 1929.

Surviving is a son, Ad Scott, of Amba, and two daughters: Mrs. Maude Earls, of Huntington, and Mrs. Ella May Hall, of Harold. Two sisters, Mrs. Susanna Parsons and Mrs. Nan Gross, both of Whitehouse, survive. Surviving also are six grandchildren and six great-grandchildren.

Funeral rites were conducted Wednesday at 1 p.m., at the home and burial was made in the family cemetery under the direction of Hall Bros. Funeral Home.

GARD OF THANKS
We wish to express our deepest appreciation to those who did so much for us upon the passing of our dear wife and mother, and for every courtesy extended to us through flowers and personal services. Especially we are thankful to the Revs. Hodel Adams and Harold Dorsey for their consoling words, and the Moore Funeral Home for its kind and efficient service.
John Wells and Family.

DISTRICT ODD FELLOWS AND REBEKAHS TO MEET
The district meeting of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows and the Order of Rebekahs will be held here Saturday at Odd Fellows hall, it was announced this week. Rebekahs will meet at 2 p.m.; Odd Fellows at 7 p.m.
Lodges from Johnson, Martin, Pike and Floyd counties will be represented at the separate meetings which will be featured by a dinner. Members of Miriam Lodge, Order of Rebekahs, have been asked to bring a covered dish.
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Woman's Club's Annual Christmas Party Held
The Prestonsburg Senior Woman's Club held its annual Christmas party Thursday, December 1, at the home of Mrs. Marvin Music.
The house was decorated in the Christmas motif with candles and evergreen.
The president, Mrs. Lon Hill, presided at the short business period. Mrs. H. L. Ley gave a report on the workshop in which 18 members are enrolled. They are progressing nicely with linoleum block printing, rug-making and metal craft being studied. The topic for the January meeting will be, "The Art of Basketry", by Mrs. Otis Spurlock.
Mrs. Frank Layne, a member of the Prestonsburg Council of Church women, gave an interesting account of "Christmas for Christ", with seals being distributed to the homes.
The Christmas Story was read by Mrs. Harold Dorsey. The program leader, Mrs. Frank Layne, gave an interesting reading, "Let's Keep Christmas". She introduced Mary Belle Layne, who sang two songs, "A Carol" and "I Wonder As I Wander". She also presented Mrs. Arthur Haywood and the following girls from the chorus: Sonja Johnson, Sally Hill, Edith Cook, Phyllis Wilson, Cora Ruth Wright, Glenda Cisco, and Lolita Ann Arnett who sang an arrangement of "O, Little Town of Bethlehem" and a lullaby, "Little Lord Jesus." Mrs. Haywood also led the group in singing "Silent Night."
Several games were played and gifts were exchanged.
Hostesses for the evening were: Mrs. Marvin Music, Mrs. H. L. Ley, Miss Alice Harris, Mrs. Woodrow Allen, Mrs. W. W. Wallen and Mrs. Cecil Kendrick.
Refreshments were served to these and the following members and guests:
Mesdames Virgil Goble, Clifford Baldridge, Estel Hyden, Ed Music, Thomas Lemaster, W. H. Brown, Robert Brown, Robert Regan, E. D. Roberts, Ed May, Gwynne Ford, Val Strahan, James Donahoe, Harold Dorsey, Byron Nunnery, Lon Hill, Wall Hamilton, J. H. Keenon, Frank Layne, E. S. Collins, Raymond Sirkle, James Camlica, R. D. Francis, Edward Leslie, Victor Hale, R. V. May, Bill Pettrey, John Hale, W. E. Hunt, Lida Spradlin, Nancy Caudill, Alice Harris and Miss Mary Belle Layne.

Floyd Takes Cash Award In Rural Arts Program Of U. S. Rubber Company
Floyd was one of 11 Kentucky counties that placed in the blue award group in the National 4-H Club Recreation-Rural Arts program, J. W. Whitehouse, state 4-H leader, wrote County Agent O. E. Boggs this week. The program is being sponsored by the United States Rubber Company and the award of \$20 was given through the National Committee on Boys and Girls Club Work, of Chicago.
The cash award will be used to buy recreation equipment to be used at club meets and rallies, Boggs says. "The need for a few items of recreation equipment for the clubs at certain times and places has been evident a long time and although the cash award is not large we anticipate the taking of other prizes in the future," he added.
"We hope you will continue to further develop the Recreation-Rural Arts program in your county," Whitehouse wrote Boggs, "and that we will have a large participation in the 1956 program."

Peter C. Van Gilst, 75, Formerly Vice-President Of Local Company, Victim
Peter C. Van Gilst, who was well-known throughout this section as former vice-president of the Kentucky West Virginia Gas Company, died Saturday at Logansport, Ind., at the age of 75.
At his retirement in 1945 he was in charge of operations for the gas company, with offices in Ashland. He and his wife moved to Logansport two years ago. Mr. Van Gilst moved to Ashland in the late 1920's. He was one of the founders of the Ashland public library and served on its board several terms. He was a member of the Ashland Board of Education in 1938-39.
A member of First Methodist Church, Ashland, he had served on its official board and was an honorary trustee at the time of his death. He was active in Boy Scout circles and held the Silver Beaver award, one of the highest honors paid to adult sponsors.
The funeral was held in Logansport Tuesday, with burial there. Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Mary Martin Van Gilst; a son, William G. Van Gilst, Clarksburg, W. Va., and two daughters, Mrs. H. W. Bodinson, of Logansport, and Mrs. George Straughan, Abilene, Texas.

WRIGHTS ESTABLISH NEW STORE
Wright Bros., Jewelers, of Prestonsburg have acquired the jewelry store at Martin, formerly known as Keathley's Jewelry and managed by Mrs. Virginia Short. The Martin store will be under the management of Clifford E. Wright, former manager of the Prestonsburg store. The new management assume charge today (Thursday).
Last year, in recognition of the school's constant scholastic success, one of its graduates was chosen by the Prestonsburg Junior Chamber of Commerce as the outstanding young citizen in Floyd county.
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In the eastern half of the county, at Tram, near Betsy Layne, white and colored elementary children play various games together, as both attend the local colored school. The Tram school also takes part in the Floyd county Rural School Field Day.

IRENE COLE MEMORIAL BAPTIST CHURCH
Ira McMillen, Jr., Pastor
"Where Everybody Is Somebody"
9:45 a.m. Sunday School for all ages. (Three Nurseries for babies and small children).
11:00 a.m. Worship (Broadcast WPRT).
Sermon: "I Believe in The Security of the Saved".
6:30 p.m. Baptist Training Union.
7:30 p.m. Worship.
Sermon: "What Shall the End Be?"
The pastor will be preaching at Home Branch, Upper Cow Creek and Benedict Chapel in the afternoon.
Everyone is cordially invited to attend the Sunday School in your community sponsored by this church and to attend its services in Prestonsburg.

TRY THEM TODAY!
claims, the only other act of the court at the meeting was to authorize the issuance by County Clerk DuRan Moore of \$7,700 warrant in favor of the Treasurer of Kentucky as the additional amount required of the county to finance the health center building here.

ATTENDS DEALERS' MEET
Carl Horn, of the Home Furniture Company, Lancer, attended a meeting of Hot Point appliance dealers at the Kentucky Power Company building, Pikeville, Tuesday.

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Three Floyd Students Are Scheduled in Chorus At Morehead, Christmas
Three Morehead State College students from the Prestonsburg area will appear with the college chorus and band in a series of Christmas programs December 14 to 18, it was announced by Milton Moore, head of the music department.
The three students are Barbara Anne Martin, Prestonsburg; Sandra Sue Patrick, Prestonsburg, and Douglas Smith, Allen. All are members of the chorus. Mr. Smith will also play with the concert band.
The Christmas program by the chorus and band will be given in the college auditorium on December 14 at 10 a.m., for high school seniors from surrounding counties, on December 15 for the college chapel program, and at 4 p.m. (CST) Sunday, December 18, for the general public. The chorus will also appear in Jackson the evening of December 15.

Free Hearing Aid Clinic
Robert M. Bean, BELTONE HEARING AID consultant, will hold his regular FREE monthly tests and demonstrations in PRESTONSBURG at the TURNER HOTEL on MON. DEC. 12 from 11 a.m. to 6 p.m. and later by appointment. PIKEVILLE at the PINPOINT on TUES. DEC. 13, same hours, PAINTSVILLE at the HOWARD HOTEL on DEC. 14, same hours, and WILLIAMSON, at the MOUNTAINEER HOTEL on THURS. DEC. 15, same hours.
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WOMEN'S SOCIETY MEETS
The Women's Society of Christian Service of the First Methodist Church were hostesses to the Wesleyan Service Guild at their annual Christmas fellowship meeting.
Christmas bells greeted the guests as each was presented a holiday corsage and ushered into the candlelit parlors of the Educational building.
Toys for Christmas baskets were placed in front of the Manger Scene honoring the Christ Child birthday.
An inspirational program was presented by Mrs. Victor Hale. Mrs. David Vaughn led the group in the opening prayer. The Nativity Story was read by Miss Linda Stephens, and a Christmas message was given by Mrs. Harry Ranier. Carols were sung at intervals by the group, accompanied by Mrs. Arnold Compton at the piano.
Mrs. Burl Spurlock, president of the W. S. C. S., closed the program with prayer. Games in keeping with the holiday season, led by Mrs. Woodrow Allen and Mrs. William Wallen, were enjoyed. Mrs. Edward Worland then invited guests to the dining area where refreshments were served. Presiding at the punch bowl were Mrs. Burl Spurlock and Circle Leaders, Mrs. Thomas Lemaster, Mrs. Martin L. May, and Mr. William Wallen. Those present were Mrs. Fred Francis, Mrs. Henry Harris, Mrs. DeVon Bogue, Mrs. Mark Reed, Mrs. Claybourne Stephens, Mrs. Fanny Runnels, Mrs. Wm. Goebel, Mrs. Charles Weichers, Mrs. Winston Ford, Mrs. Arthur Haywood, Mrs. Val Strahan, Mrs. Willie Mellon, Mrs. Everett Osborne, Mrs. Billy Fannin, Mrs. John Marcum, Mrs. W. T. Cooley, Mrs. Harold Dorsey, Mrs. John Hardin, Mrs. Russell May, Mrs. Byron Thompson, Mrs. Calvin Herrick, Mrs. Carl L. Watson, Mrs. Thomas Lemaster, Mrs. Paul Combs, Mrs. H. D. Fitzpatrick, Jr., Miss Elsie Stephens, Miss Linda Stephens, Miss Charlotte Salisbury, Mrs. Mabel Branham, Mrs. Herbert Ley, Mrs. Henry Patrick, Mrs. William May, Mrs. Minta Combs, Mrs. Thomas Thompson, Mrs. Richard Spurlock, Mrs. Harry Ranier, Mrs. Victor Hale, Mrs. Paul Francis, Mrs. Martin L. May, Mrs. David Vaughn, Mrs. William Wallen, Mrs. Earl Stumbo, Mrs. Russell Hagewood, Mrs. Carl Horn, Mrs. William Brown, Mrs. Sylvia Nunnery, Mrs. Arnold Compton, Mrs. Edward Worland, Mrs. Green Compton, Mrs. Green Allen, Mrs. Thomas Hereford, Mrs. Burl Spurlock, Mrs. Niece Kenny, Mrs. David McAllister, Mrs. Nannie Hughes, Mrs. John Allen, Mrs. Oliver Webb, Mrs. Woodrow Allen, Mrs. Joe Hobson.

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The December meeting of the Presbyterian Auxiliary and Westminster Guild was entertained by Mrs. Marvin Music and Mrs. Rex Osborne at the home of Mrs. Music on North Lake Drive, Tuesday evening. Committees on the sale of Holland bulbs and the bazaar reported successful results. Mrs. Ralph read the Christmas Story from Luke and urged all church members to put "Christ For Christmas" in their homes for the holidays. The Prestonsburg Council of Church Women has distributed stickers which bear the Christmas Shepherd Scene and the slogan, "Christ For Christmas." Stores and business houses are using these stickers. The two circles will begin their meetings in January. The day circle will meet at 10 a.m. with Mrs. Frank Layne at her home on January 6th; the evening Circle meeting date to be announced later. Mrs. E. R. Burke, chairman of Circle 1, and Miss Hazel Hill, chairman of Circle II, will announce all plans for the coming year.

The program, a skit on "Customs of Christmas in Alaska, Mexico, Cuba and India," was cleverly announced by Mrs. W. V. Bunting over an imaginary WPRT broadcasting station. Participating in this broadcast were: Miss Hazel Hill, Mrs. Rex Osborne, Mrs. Cecil Willis, Miss Myrtle Pugsley, Mrs. Ray Howard, Mrs. Tom Allen, Mrs. Orville Pearson. The new officers for the coming two years were installed by Mrs. Frank H. Layne, the retiring president, in a candlelight service. The officers installed were: president, Mrs. Marvin Music; vice-president, Miss Mary E. Powers; secretary, Mrs. Belvard Friend; treasurer, Mrs. W. C. Rommer; Circle chairman, Mrs. E. R. Burke, Miss Hazel Hill; program chairman, Mrs. Ralph Davis, Mrs. Rex Osborne; World Service, Mrs. O. T. Stephens, Mrs. Harold Ensminger; membership, Mrs. Ray Howard; interdenominational secretary, Miss Mary Martha Williams. Guests were invited to the dining room where they were served from a beautifully decorated table covered with white satin damask. Mrs. Frank H. Layne and Mrs. W. C. Rimmer presided at the coffee and tea urn. Cake was served by Mrs. E. R. Burke. Yuletide decorations throughout the house added to the Christmas spirit. Following refreshments, Mrs. Orville Pearson was presented with many personal gifts. She graciously acknowledged her deepest appreciation.

Members present were Misses Hazel Hill, Myrtle Pugsley, Mary E. Powers, Messdames Everett Sowards, Marian Wilson, W. C. Rimmer, F. L. Heinze, W. V. Bunting, Dan Reed, Ralph Davis, Frank Layne, E. R. Burke, D. L. Lloyd, Ray Howard, Harvey Howard, Orville Pearson, Harold Ensminger, Rainey White, Glenn Anderson, Cecil Willis, Belvard Friend, Tom Allen, George Sizemore, Rex Osborne.

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Notes

Dr. and Mrs. Earle T. Arnett and Earle T. Jr., of Owensboro, spent the Thanksgiving holiday here with their mother, Mrs. John Hale, on Third Street.

Miss Barbara Jean Hale, who is teaching at Paris, Ky., spent the holidays here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Victor Hale.

Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Worland had as their overnight guests last Tuesday Mrs. Rhoda Barbour and daughter, Mrs. Charles Waltz, Huntington, W. Va.

Mrs. F. P. Howard is improved this week from a heart attack suffered last week at her home on Westminster street.

Mrs. C. L. Prichard and Ed Cecil, of Harold, were here Saturday shopping and calling on relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Hale and son, Bobby, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Pate spent the week-end in Lexington shopping. They were houseguests of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Hale.

Rev. and Mrs. Ira McMillan were luncheon guests of Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Hale at their home on Third street, Wednesday.

Mrs. Virgie Pruitt, Billy Richmond Pruitt and little daughter, of the Abbott road, were here shopping last week after returning from a business trip to Pikeville. They made a few calls on relatives while there.

Mrs. Fred Cottrell and Mrs. Joe Hobson were in Huntington, Tuesday, on business.

Hubert Suddath spent the week-end with his family at Harrison, Tenn.

Charles McCollm spent the week-end in Louisville with his family.

A. E. Webb returned Sunday to his home at Powhatan, Va., after a visit here with his daughter, Mrs. Orville Pearson, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Sturgill, of Lexington, spent Thanksgiving here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Sturgill.

W. B. Davidson returned to Lexington Sunday after visiting his mother, Mrs. Laura M. Davidson, on her 92nd birthday.

Mrs. Mary King returned to her home in Portsmouth, Monday, after a visit here with her daughter, Mrs. E. L. Sturgill, and other relatives in the county.

G. R. Martin, of Drift, was here Tuesday on business.

Cecil Sturgill, of Detroit, Mich., spent Sunday here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Sturgill. His sister Beatrice accompanied him home for a visit.

Mrs. J. B. Ford, Mrs. Kenneth Allen and Mrs. Mallie Allen were in Paintsville Tuesday on business.

Maurice Allen, of Covington, visited his mother, Mrs. Mallie Allen, near Hueysville over the week-end. He called on relatives here, enroute.

Mrs. Henry Porter and Mrs. Goldie Porter Short, of Allen, were here shopping Monday.

Mrs. Mary Jane Harkins and daughter, Barbara Baker Harkins have returned home from a ten-day stay with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ezra Frye, in Ann Arbor, Michigan.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Kendrick returned to Pikeville Sunday after spending the week-end here.

Mrs. Allen Martin and daughter, Barbara Allen Martin, of Allen, were Prestonsburg shoppers, Saturday. Mrs. Martin had as her week-end guest her sister, Mrs. Elta Osborne, of Wheelwright.

IN LEXINGTON HOSPITAL

Mrs. Reba B. Harkins went Tuesday to Lexington where she entered Good Samaritan hospital for observation and treatment. She was accompanied by Mrs. Billie Harkins and Franklin Moore. Her many friends here and elsewhere wish for her an early recovery.

BIRTH ANNOUNCED

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Wilmer Steffy, of Piketon, O., a daughter, Deborah Kay. Mrs. Steffy is the former Naomi Fannin, daughter of the Rev. and Mrs. G. R. Fannin, of West Prestonsburg.

YOUTH FELLOWSHIP MEETS

The Methodist Youth Fellowship had a Thanksgiving banquet, Saturday, November 26. Those present were Judy Allen, Judy Kay Roberts, Peggy Parker, Donna Fleming, Rose Worland, John T. Hall, Joy Cyrus, Marty May, Judy Howard, Cochran Dorsey, Rev. Dorsey, Mary Daniels, Terry Webb, Marlene Reatherford, Anna Faye Dixon, Dickie Leslie, Phillip Price, Chuck Wiechers, John and Abigail Marcum, Harold Cooley, Phyllis Wilson, Paul Hager, Joy May, Mary Jo Shivel, and Linda Sue Stephens.

MRS. WATSON HONORED

Mrs. Dolph Watson, Jr., manager of Maxine's Beauty Shoppe, was honored Dec. 2 with a stork shower at the home of Mrs. Nealous Collinsworth on Central avenue. A dessert course was served by the hostess, Mrs. Collinsworth and Mrs. Russell Preston, of Paintsville. Many gifts were received and acknowledged graciously by Mrs. Watson.

If you are self-employed, you can arrange with your bank to buy a Savings Bond for you each month, deducting the amount from your account.

GUESTS TO LUNCH

Mrs. Rebecca Dingus had as her guests to lunch last Wednesday Mrs. Rhoda Hughes, Barbara and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Waltz, Huntington, W. Va., who were here for the funeral of Mrs. John Hughes, Mrs. Barbour's mother. Other guests were Mrs. Grace D. Ford and Mrs. Joe Hobson.

D. A. R. CHAPTER TO MEET

John Graham Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, will be entertained by Mrs. Irene James McIntosh next Tuesday, at 7:30 p.m., at her home on South Lake Drive. Mrs. Kitty Sandice, the program chairman, will present the Nativity Story. All members are urged to attend.

SUBMITS TO SURGERY

Mrs. Milton Cyrus, who submitted to major surgery last Saturday at St. Mary's hospital, Huntington, W. Va., is doing nicely. Mrs. T. Y. Martin, Jr., accompanied her there last Wednesday. Mr. Cyrus going on Friday. Volunteer blood donors who went to Huntington were: Barkley Sturgill, Sam Hatcher, Bob Wallace, Donald Lee Meade was the driver.

VISITS SISTER

Mrs. Ralph Davis has returned home from Paris where she visited her sister, Mrs. Ancl Culbertson, and family.

HERE FOR FUNERAL

Members of the family who attended the funeral here last Wednesday of Mrs. Surilda Bentley Hughes were: Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Hughes, Glasgow, Mrs. John Webb, Waverly, Ohio; Mrs. Martha Hughes Burchett, Mrs. Ray Arnett, Jack Burchett, Detroit, Mich.; Mrs. Rhoda H. Barbour, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Waltz, Huntington, W. Va.

VISITS MRS. HEINZE

Mrs. W. F. Richmond, of Salem, Va., was a recent guest here of her sister, Mrs. F. L. Heinze. She was accompanied here by her daughter, Mrs. Kyle Tieche, Mr. Tieche and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Berry, of Dante, Va., who visited friends in Louisa.

UNIVERSITY TO HOLD CLINIC AT PINEVILLE

A speech and drama clinic for Eastern Kentucky teachers will be conducted Tuesday, Dec. 13, at the Pineville High School by the University of Kentucky's College of Adult and Extension Education. High school students from that area will be heard in demonstration performances. Critiques of these performers will be given by Dr. J. Reid Sterrett, Dr. Gilford Blyton and Prof. Wallace Briggs, all members of the University faculty.

OBSERVES 92nd BIRTHDAY

Mrs. Laura M. Davidson observed her 92nd birthday anniversary Sunday, and the occasion was marked on Saturday, Sunday and Monday by visits of numerous relatives and friends to "Aunt" Laura's home here. She received many flowers and other gifts from those who love her. Her daughters, Mrs. Tom Fields, Mrs. Luther Shivel, Mrs. Roy Perry and Mrs. George T. Roberts, served punch, cake and candies to all who called.

WILL BE BACK TO WORK SOON

Mrs. Sina Blanton will soon be back at work in Kroger's store after an emergency appendectomy recently at the Prestonsburg hospital. Her friends will welcome her back.

HONORED ON BIRTHDAY

Claude P. Stephens was happily surprised on his birth anniversary last Wednesday evening at his home, "Garfield Place," by members of his family who called to wish him a happy birthday and bring him gifts. Mrs. Stephens served a beautiful birthday cake with ice cream to Mr. and Mrs. Alex Davidson, Mr. and Mrs. Elaine Smith, Mrs. O. T. Stephens, Miss Sarah Clay Stephens, Mr. and Mrs. Tom James, Dr. and Mrs. M. J. Lee, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Salisbury, Mrs. Winnie F. Johns, Dr. and Mrs. H. G. Salisbury, Mr. Stephens.

PARTY FOR MRS. SIRKLE

Mrs. R. M. Sirkle was complimented last Saturday evening with a "going away" party in the parlours of the Baptist annex. Twenty-six friends were present to wish her happiness in her new home in Lexington, where she and her family will locate soon. Mrs. Sirkle was presented many gifts and a special gift of silver candlesticks from a group of church friends. The Sirkles have made many friends here in church, civic and lodge groups and will be greatly missed.

BANK GIVES CHRISTMAS PARTY

Officers and directors of the Bank Josephine were hosts to a buffet turkey dinner, December 1, at 7:30 p.m., at the home of the president, Henry D. Fitzpatrick, Sr., on the Middle Creek road. After dinner talks were made by the bank officials and Mrs. Iley B. Browning, chairman of the Board, was assisted by Mrs. Osa F. Ligon, Mrs. E. R. Burke and Miss Mary E. Powers in preparation and hospitality for the party. Mrs. Browning, on behalf of the bank, presented employees with their special gifts at this time. Talks of appreciation were made by all guests present. Those present were: Henry D. Fitzpatrick, Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Fitzpatrick, Jr., and Mr. and H.B. Patrick, Mr. and Mrs. W.J. May, Mr. and Mrs. Adrian Collins, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hobson Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Mahan, Misses Burieta Gearheart, Alma Collins, Mary E. Powers, Nelle Music, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Hunt, Dr. and Mrs. John G. Archer, Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Burke, Miss Anna Laura May, Mrs. Joe M. Davidson, Mrs. Everet Sowards, Mrs. Lida D. Spradlin, William Arnold Spradlin, William James May, Mrs. Greenville Spradlin, Mrs. Osa F. Ligon, Mrs. Fanny Collins, Mrs. Billie Harkins, Mrs. Iley B. Browning, Grace Hubbard, W. G. Biggers, Alex L. Davidson.

HOUSEWARMING

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Hansel Cooley were complimented with a housewarming at their home on North Lake Drive, Porter Addition last Friday evening at 7:30. They were recipients of many useful household items of china, linen, glassware, and miscellaneous articles. Hostesses were Messdames Hern Burke, E. E. May, Jr., W. E. Jackson, Joe Burke, Orville Cooley, W. R. Cooley, Bert N. Porter and Willie Clark, Jr. Refreshments were served to a large group attending. Mrs. Cooley expressed her deepest appreciation for the many remembrances.

P. T. A. TO MEET DEC. 13

The Prestonsburg Parent-Teachers Association will meet at 7:30 p.m., Tuesday, in the grade school auditorium, it was announced this week by Quentin Terry, president. The program, featured by the play, "A Christmas Fantasy," will be presented by children of the lower grades.

MRS. ALLEN ILL
Friends here will be sorry to learn that Mrs. Juda Allen is quite ill at her home near Hueysville, suffering from virus pneumonia. They hope for her a speedy recovery.

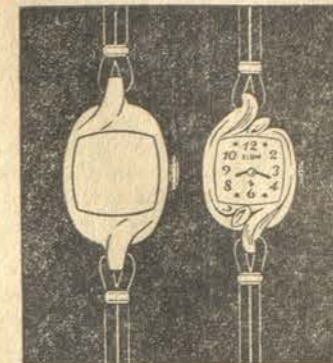
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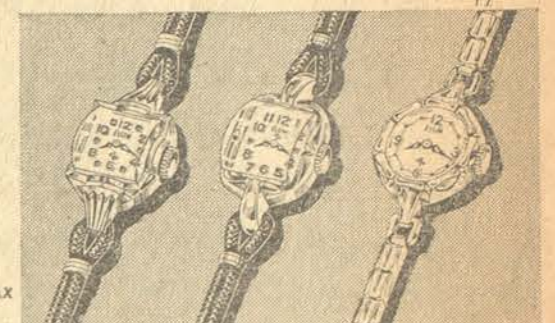
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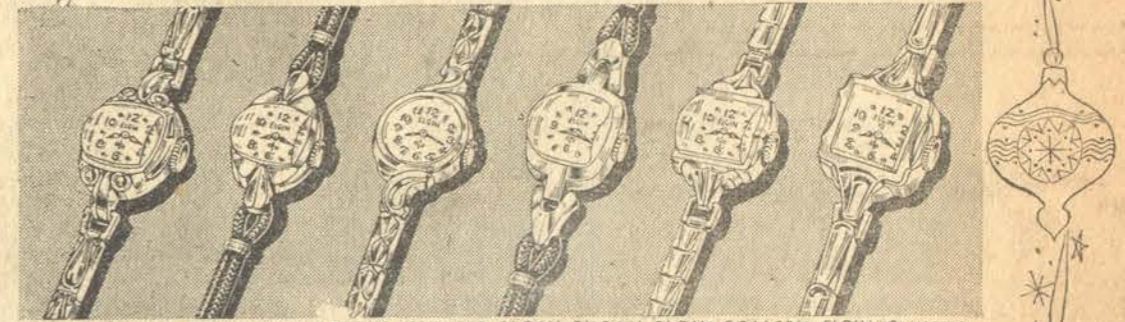
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FOR RENT OR SALE—Good branch farm, good outbuildings, fruit trees, and drilled well. Located on Middle Creek about one mile off highway on **Grennie Fitch Branch**, Good road. Reasonable price. **Mrs. Cora Hall**, W. Prestonsburg. 12-8-2t.

WANTED — First-Class welders. Regular work. **Hayes Metal Products**, Hi Hat, Ky. 12-8-tf.

FOR SALE—Six acres of land at East McDowell. Two good gardens, house sites. Reasonable. **Ralph Newsome**. 12-8-2tpd.

HERB-LAX TEA—Made up only of choice, carefully selected natural vegetables, herbs, roots, barks, seeds and leaves. Having laxative and diuretic qualities, it should be in every medicine cabinet. Sent postpaid or delivered. 3 oz. \$1.50. **M. E. SPURLOCK**, Hunter, Ky. 12-8-3t.

Adroit Belfry Team Defeats Prestonsburg

A quick and adroit Belfry five took an indecisive and often fumbling Prestonsburg team apart at the seams at Belfry Tuesday night in handing the Black Cats their third straight loss, 88 to 63.

The Black Cats, were ragged from the start of the game when the Belfry guards, living up to their name, plagued Prestonsburg guards by their continuous pilfering of the ball. At one time Belfry stole or intercepted the ball four successive times.

Their set-shot artist, **Varney**, connected for 33 points in slashing through the Prestonsburg inner defense. The diminutive guard, who practically defeated the Black Cats last year with his long shots, scored 23 points in 14 minutes.

Rebounding and foul shooting were the glaring weaknesses of the local five. They recovered only 22 rebounds and made only 15 out of 33 foul shot attempts. While their field goal percentage was very high, about 50 per cent, they took only 54 shots from the floor.

The Black Cats were left standing still at the outset of the game as Belfry took a commanding 22 to 8 lead in the first quarter. Fighting back, the Cats narrowed the gap to 26-38 at half-time. In the third quarter the fray continued on an even basis as both teams scored 16 points; however, in the fourth stanza, the Pirates tallied 34 points to stack their total to 88.

Black Cat scoring star, **Lowell Hughes**, maintained his average by rolling up 39 points.

P'burg	Pos.	Belfry
P. Hughes (1)	F. Hatfield (3)	
Howard (13)	F. Blackburn (10)	
Sizemore (1)	C. Baker (2)	
L. Hughes (39)	G. Varney (33)	
Stewart	G. Hammock (12)	
Substitutes, Prestonsburg—Dixson, McKenzie (6), Weichers, Harris; Belfry, Bevins 2, Justice 7, Stratton 7, Maynard 6, and Crigger.		

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MARRIAGE LICENSES
Morrow Endcott, 18, Emma, and Bobbie Jean Prater, 21, Risner; married here, Dec. 1, by the Rev. M. C. Wright. Eugene McKinney, 22, Printer, and Phyllis Time Hunter, 16, Blue Moon. Ernest R. Stone, 21, Goodloe, and Pauline Sweeney, 21, Prestonsburg; marriage solemnized here Dec. 2 by the Rev. Charles Rowe. Julius Bates, 23, and Lucille Yates, 15, of Bevinsville; married here Dec. 3, the Rev. M. C. Wright officiating. Lloyd H. Herrington, 29, Oak Grove, La., and Diana Sue Hicks, 17, Ishmael Hamilton, 18, Beaver, and Gerlene Hamilton, 14, Teaberry; marriage solemnized here Dec. 7 by the Rev. M. C. Wright. Ernest Honeycutt, 26, Auxier, and Belva Compton, 23, Paintsville.

William C. Stratton, 72, Of Coal Run, Is Victim While On Way To Doctor

William C. Stratton, 72, of Coal Run, died of a heart attack Wednesday of last week while enroute to a physician at Pikeville. He had been ill sometime. He was a retired miner and a member of the Church of Christ.

Survivors include his wife, **Mrs. Gusta King Stratton** and a son, **Alex Stratton**, Tecumseh, Mich.; three daughters, **Mrs. Goldie McKenzie** and **Mrs. Bonnie Mae Ratliff**, of Tecumseh, and **Mrs. Grace George**, of Chaucery, W. Va.; one brother, **Hans Stratton** of Coal Run, and a sister, **Mrs. Ota Stratton**, of Coal Run.

Funeral rites were conducted last Friday at the home, the Revs. Roy Hall and Henry Parsons officiating. Burial was made in the family cemetery.

In a reorganized 4-H program for next year, 51 clubs have been revived in Pike county.

DON'T LET ARTHRITIC — RHEUMATIC PAIN RUIN YOUR LIFE!

There's no need to suffer—you CAN get relief QUICKLY with **AR-PAN-EX**. Most pain will subside... YOU, and your loved ones can rejoice like thousands who are now relieved.

Everywhere, victims of sciatica, lumbago and neuralgia are discovering our "wonder-tablet" and thanking heaven for the **SURE RELIEF** AR-PAN-EX brings. Aching muscles, stiff joints may become limber again.

"I'm sorry I didn't try AR-PAN-EX months ago. Think of the agonies I could have avoided," writes one.

Yes, indeed! But thousands who read this will NOT act... will **DOUBT** our HONEST WORDS. We say BELIEVE—have faith in AR-PAN-EX. We sincerely tell you—AR-PAN-EX will quickly relieve much pain—or your **MONEY BACK!**

HUTSINPILLER DRUG
Prestonsburg, Ky.

SHOPPING HOURS

The undersigned Prestonsburg merchants will observe the following hours for the benefit of their customers during the pre-Christmas season.

Wed., Dec. 14 thru Sat., Dec. 24

8:00 a.m. till 8:00 p.m.

- Leva's
- A. W. Cox Dept Store
- Wright Brothers Jewelry
- Ben Franklin Store
- The Leader
- R. H. Hobbs Co.
- Western Auto Store
- I. Richmond Co.
- Thomas Hereford Co.

- Scott's Store
- Castle's Jewelry Store
- Francis Stores
- Archer Shop
- Wm Arrowood Hardware Co.
- Martin & Martin Supply Co.
- Leete Flower & Gift Shop
- DuRan Moore Hardware Co.
- Bob Francis, Apparel



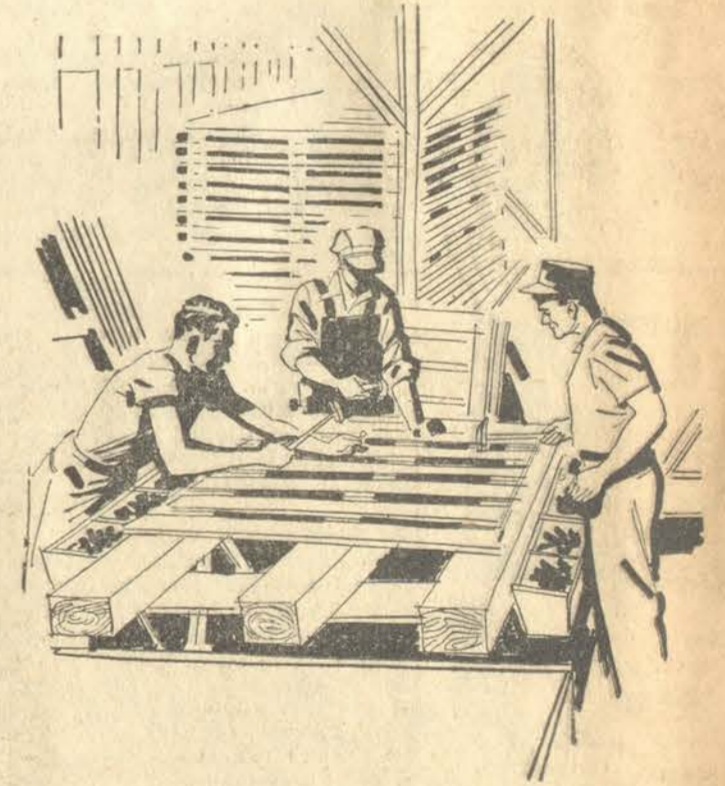
"JUST AN IDEA" BECOMES A 37-MAN BUSINESS IN LOUISA

A former sawmill man, **J. H. Perry**, now manager of the company, had a pile of second grade lumber on his hands and didn't know what to do. He kept his ears to the ground and learned of a Dayton broker who sold packing cases, boxes and platforms to various industries. Perry secured the platform specifications—hired six men and made up 208 platforms which met with the broker's approval. This was the opening wedge to a good business opportunity. Then, at the suggestion of **J. H. Moore**, leading Louisa businessman, he got several other local businessmen to put up funds to form a company.

Result? A company now in full operation in a new \$6,000 building—

capacity to produce 5,000 platforms a week—employing 37 people with a plant payroll between \$7,000-\$10,000 per month. In addition to its economic effect on Louisa—the company buys logs and lumber from 75 people (each of whom hires 5 or 6 men to help get material to the plant) in Breathitt, Lawrence, Martin, Elliott and Johnson counties in Kentucky—with total expenditures for logs and lumber amounting to \$25,000 a month.

Future? A forward look with plans to produce additional products requiring 100 employees... jobs that didn't exist until a man with an idea plus faith in his community did something about it.



This is the tenth in a series of advertisements by the Kentucky Power Company in the interest of the area it serves.

HOW A "SIDELINE" BECAME A \$150,000 BUSINESS AT PRESTONSBURG

About five years ago **Mr. Wilbur Joy** started fashioning cutting bits for coal-cutting machines for small coal operators. It all started as a hobby in his home workshop in Prestonsburg. The demand increased and he could not keep up with it alone. He could have limited his customers to those whom he himself could handle. But he knew there were individuals in and around Prestonsburg who wanted to work in his shop and use their skills locally in Eastern Kentucky. He hired men, bought an adjoining residence

for welding and storage facilities and formed a company operation.

Today, the **Coal Bit Company** of Prestonsburg enjoys a \$150,000 business. Oddly enough, neighboring West Virginia provides about 80% of the total business and Eastern Kentucky the balance.

However, businesses in and around Prestonsburg prosper more because, in addition to the salaries paid to the 12 employees, this company makes local purchases of some \$36,000 a year.



Got an idea? Ideas—once put to work—are helping this area. If you have such an idea, give it a chance to do some good. Tell it to the editor of this newspaper... or write to us, the Kentucky Power Company.

BIG 10 cu. ft. Admiral FREEZER

NOW

\$199⁹⁵

Model 10U35

Big-Family-Size Capacity—Holds 350 lbs. Frozen Food

True Super-Speed Freezing—all 4 shelves made of Refrigerant Tubing!

"Circulating Cold Air" Design insures cooling on all sides of food packages

Takes No More Floor Space Than a 9 cu. ft. Refrigerator

Priced So You Can Own A Freezer!

BUY NOW!

DuRan Moore Hardware Co.
South Lake Drive (Opposite Sparks Bros. Bus Station)
Phone 2258 • Prestonsburg, Ky.

Eastern Kentucky will improve only as its people improve it—
and... People Can Do Anything!

PRESTONSBURG METHODIST CHURCH
 Harold W. Dorsey, Minister
 Prestonsburg, Ky.

SUNDAY—
 9:45 a.m., Sunday School. Classes for all ages.
 10:55 a.m., Morning worship. Sermon topic: "The Eternal Word."
 6:15 p.m., M. Y. F. (Senior and Intermediate Fellowship).
 7:30 p.m., Evening worship, sermon topic: "Doing What We Know." Good singing, Gospel preaching. Come!

TUESDAY—
 6:30 p.m., Methodist men; Rev. A. R. Perkins, pastor of the Pikeville Methodist Church, will speak.

WEDNESDAY—
 9:00 a.m., Morning devotions over WPRT.
 7:30 p.m., Prayer meeting,
 8:15 p.m., Choir practice.

NOTICE

Motor vehicles may now be registered for 1956, providing you have registered your vehicle for 1955. The fees are the same as for the previous year. Bring your 1955 registration receipt with you. If you wish, you may mail your receipt with the proper fee and we will be glad to mail your new tags and registration receipt to you. 1956 license tags cannot be displayed until Dec. 29, 1955.

We are happy to have the opportunity of serving you.

DuRan Moore, Clerk
 Floyd County Court
 12-8-55.

The wise man builds his house upon a rock. But he builds his financial security upon United States Savings Bonds.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICES

Administration has been filed with the Floyd County Court on the following estates, and all persons having claims against said estates are hereby notified to file same, verified according to law, on or before Feb. 1, 1956 with the administrators at the addresses shown below:

Nancy Hall, Hi Hat, admx. estate of Willie K. Hall; Dolly Dingus Spurlock, Printer, Ky., admx. estate of Randolph D. Spurlock; Willie Johnson, Weeksbury, Ky., admx. estate of Dock Johnson; Fannie Workman, Allen, Ky., admx. estate of Fred C. Workman; Edna Johnson, Wheelwright, Ky., admx. estate of William Johnson; Joe P. Tackett, Prestonsburg, Ky., admx. estate of Winfield Castle; Spurlock Tackett, Drift, Ky., admx. estate of Gilbert Tackett; Everett Patton, Prestonsburg, Ky., admx. estate of W. D. Patton; Blooma Keathley, Harold, Ky., admx. estate of Clarence Keathley, Sr.; Nora Maynard, Mare Creek, Ky., admx. estate of Walter S. Harkins, Sr.; Nora Maynard, Mare Creek, Ky., admx. estate of Ben Maynard; H. M. Wiley, Langley, Ky., admx. estate of Goldie Wiley; Louise Virginia Elkins, East Point, Ky., admx. estate of Grats Elkins; Ruth D. Sowards, Prestonsburg, Ky., admx. estate of A. J. Davidson, Sr.; Lillie Hall, Weeksbury, Ky., admx. estate of Millard F. Hall; Creed Martin, Eastern, Ky., admx. estate of Ballard Martin; Mary Osborne, West Prestonsburg, Ky., admx. estate of William Ballard Osborne; Henry Clay, Woods, Ky., admx. estate of Nancy Clay; Rufus Shepherd, David, Ky., admx. estate of Frank Shepherd; Anna H. Stumbo, Prestonsburg, Ky., admx. estate of Kate B. Harmon; John Stephens, Water Gap, Ky., admx. estate of Morgan G. Stephens; Walker Salisbury, Printer, Ky., admx. estate of David Salisbury; John M. Castle, Hueysville, Ky., admx. estate of Nancy Jane Castle; Henry Tackett, Weeksbury, Ky., admx. estate of Dezie Tackett; Betty J. Hall, Auxler, Ky., admx. estate of Dewey C. Hall; Johnnie Wells, Prestonsburg, Ky., admx. estate of Millie Burchett Wells.

DuRan Moore, Clerk
 Floyd County Court.
 11-24-55.

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was indicted by the September term grand jury, was overruled by Judge Hill, and the case was continued. The cases set for trial Friday are not on indictments made at the September term. Last case actually to be brought to trial was that of Delmos Pennington, charged with grand larceny, last Wednesday. He was acquitted.

Prestonsburg Woman Dies At Paintsville Hospital; Was Magoffin-co. Native

Mrs. Louise Allen Joseph, 78, of Prestonsburg, died Friday of last week at the Paintsville hospital. The cause of death was not given.

Mrs. Joseph was born in Magoffin county, the daughter of the late Woods and Martha Dickerson Allen, and was the widow of Morgan Joseph who preceded her in death in 1947. She had resided here for the last 25 years and was a member of the Freewill Baptist church.

Surviving are the following sons and daughters: Corbin, Estill, Leonard, and Dayton Joseph, all of Prestonsburg; Denver Joseph, of El Centro, Calif.; Golden Joseph, of Boldman; Ewell Joseph, Middletown, O.; Mrs. Martha Allen, of Salyersville, and Mrs. Addie May Salisbury, Ann Arbor, Mich. Surviving also are two brothers, Hayden Allen, of Iveyton, and Irvin Allen, Greenup, Ky. Sixty grandchildren and 40 great-grandchildren survive.

Funeral services were conducted Tuesday at the Freewill Baptist church here, the Revs. Charley Rowe and Scott Castle officiating. Burial was made in the family cemetery under the direction of Moore Funeral Home.

If all the Savings Bonds now held by individuals were divided evenly among Americans, every man, woman and child would get about \$312.50 worth. Do you have your share?

NOW! at YOUR GROCERY



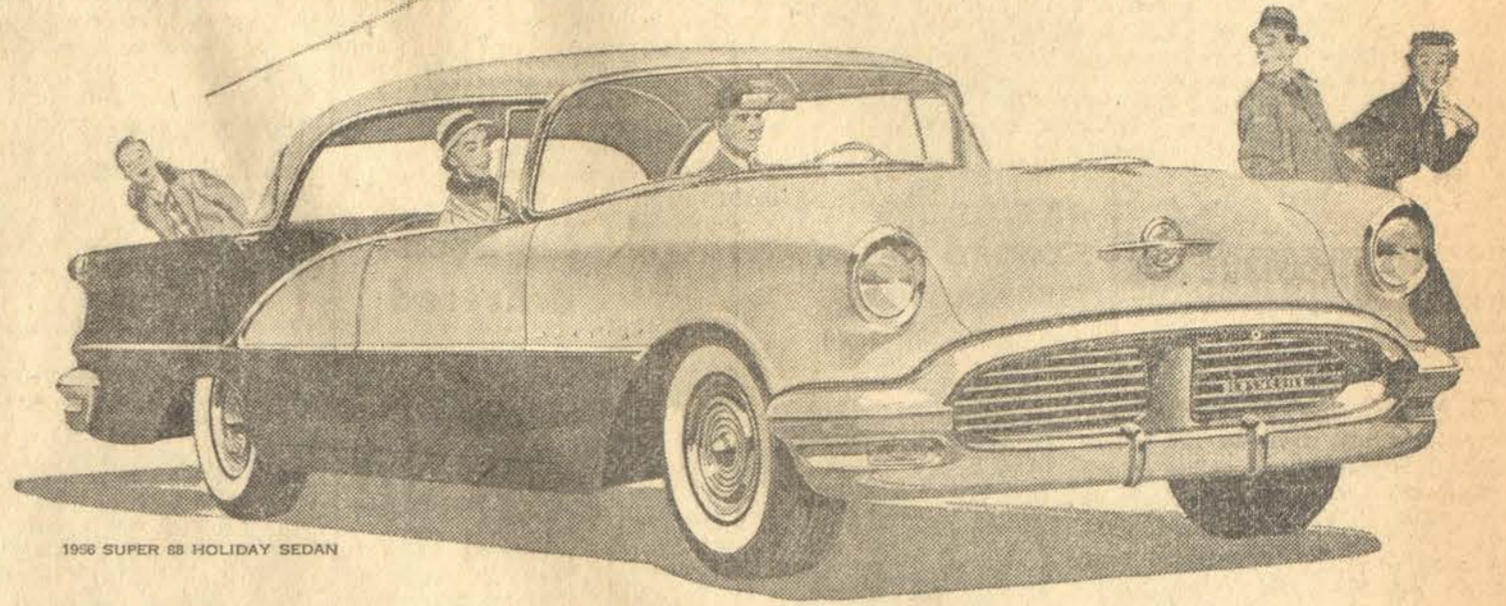
Perfect since 1887
 Try it yourself!

Young farmers in Clark county attended eight tobacco grading and sorting demonstrations.

For those who need an investment with a current income, the series H Savings Bond is perfect.

STYLE THAT SPELLS GO!

WITH A "Gee!"—AND AN "Oh!"



1956 SUPER 88 HOLIDAY SEDAN

Take a good look at real good looks! No place but in Oldsmobile for '56 could you find going-places glamor like this! For here is styling inspired by Oldsmobile's exclusive Starfire—with the same sleek, low-cut lines—a bold new airfoil grille—fleet new beauty from every point of view! And when it comes to action, this car more than lives up to its looks! Powered by Oldsmobile's blazing new Rocket T-350 Engine, paired with new Jetaway Hydra-Matic* for powerfully smooth performance! Make a date with Oldsmobile's Super 88 for 1956!

*Standard on Ninety-Eight models; optional at extra cost on Super 88 models. †Optional at extra cost; Safety Power Steering standard on Ninety-Eight models.

Only Olds has all these "Features of the Future"

- ★ Rocket T-350 Action!
 - ★ Jetaway Hydra-Matic* Smoothness!
 - ★ Stunning New Starfire Styling!
 - ★ New Safety-Ride Chassis!
 - ★ Delta-Inspired Airfoil Grille!
 - ★ Trend-Setter Instrument Panel!
 - ★ Flatway Fender Design!
 - ★ Fashion-First Interiors!
- ... plus every advanced Power Feature† to complement that Power Personality!

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PRESTONSBURG, KY.

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TIMELY Gift IDEAS For the whole family

AT **SCOTT'S Christmas PARADE OF VALUES!**

SLIPS FULL

Lace-trimmed nylon slip
\$2.98

HOUSE SHOES

\$1.98

BOXED H'NDKERCH'FS

Box of 3
69c

LOADS OF GOOD BUYS!

Gifts TO STAR UNDER YOUR CHRISTMAS TREE.....

Warm, full-cut chenille robe; floral design.
\$5.95

Lounging pajamas; quilted checked nylon jacket.
\$4.95

SKIRTS

\$2.98
 Sizes 24-38

BLOUSES

\$1.98
 Sizes 32-38

HALF SLIPS

Nylon petticoat. 3-tiered.
\$1.98

PURSES

\$1.98

GOWNS

Flannel nite gowns. Size 16-17-18.
\$1.19
 Reg. \$1.69

ABSOLUTELY FREE

One **PAIR OF LADIES' NYLON HOSE FREE**

With Every Purchase of \$10.00 or more During Scott's Christmas Opening.

FREE

One pair of Nylons in any size you want. Ask our clerks about it.

A guaranteed value. Regularly priced at \$1.00 **FREE!**

Large Selection of Toys, Guns, Dolls and Games from 98c to \$4.98.

SCOTT'S
 Prestonsburg, Ky.

ORLON SWEATERS

Long sleeve. By Campus
\$5.95

JACKETS

\$7.95
 Sizes 34-46

DRESS GLOVES

Fully Lined
\$2.49 pr.

please him with **Gifts to Wear...**

All Colors and Styles for Sport and Dress
 Sizes 14-17 **\$2.98** Sizes S-M-L

SPORT SOCKS

4 Pairs for **\$1.00**

H'NDKERCHIEFS

Initials. Box of 3
98c

PAJAMAS

Cotton broadcloth. Full cut sizes A B C D
\$2.49

BELTS

By Boston
\$1.00
 Sizes 28-42

SWEAT SHIRTS

Long sleeve, fleece-lined.
\$1.00

Guided Missile School Opens April 2, 'tis said

The next starting date for the Army's guided missile school is set for April 2, according to an announcement this week by Sgt. Glenn R. Walke of the local U. S. Army recruiting station.

Men, who are high school graduates and desire to attend this school must be volunteers, able to pass a physical examination and undergo a security clearance prior to and including the Jan. 15 so as to enable those who qualify to complete an eight weeks basic training course prior to entry into the guided missile school. The training offered under this program includes maintenance, installation and assembling of electronic guidance material and the school generally is in session 24 weeks.

For a Wonderful Christmas

Advertised in LIFE

VIEWER, \$200
PACKETS, \$100
REELS, 35c
3 FOR \$1.00

PICTURES THAT "COME TO LIFE" IN FULL COLOR AND THREE DIMENSION

Give the gift that's forever fascinating—thrilling, come-to-life View-Master pictures in sparkling color! Enchanting new picture-stories, real life adventures...entertaining, educational fun for youngsters and grown-ups alike. Give View-Master...for a wonderful Christmas!

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- Buffalo Bill, Jr.
 - Tarzan of the Apes
 - Dale Evans
 - Queen of the West
 - Woody Woodpecker
 - Andy Panda
 - Chilly Willy
 - 20,000 Leagues Under the Sea
 - Cowboy Adventures
 - Night Before Christmas
 - Rudolph, Red-Nosed Reindeer
 - Cinderella
 - TV Stars
 - Tam Corbett
 - Space Cadet
 - Marine Studies
 - Sunny
 - Performing Animals
 - Som Janyer Adventures
 - Christmas Story
 - Circus
 - Wild Animals
 - Butterflies
 - Baseball Stars
 - Wonders of the Deep
 - Sleeping Beauty
 - Arabian Nights
 - Fire Fighters
 - United Nations
 - Coronation of Queen Elizabeth
 - Three Little Pigs
 - Movie Stars
 - Alice in Wonderland

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Youngsters can put on their own View-Master shows in two dimensional Sturdily made in bright red and ivory. \$9.95

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Headquarters for new and exciting toys
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Master Commissioner's Sale

FLOYD CIRCUIT COURT
Kelly Development Co. ... Plaintiff
Vs.: NOTICE OF SALE
John C. and Dorothy Brown ... Defendants

By virtue of a judgment and order of sale of the Floyd Circuit Court rendered and entered at the November term, 1955, in the above styled cause I shall proceed to offer for sale at the Courthouse door in Prestonsburg, Kentucky, to the highest and best bidder, at public auction, on the 26th day of December 1955, at 10 o'clock, a.m., same being the first day of the regular term of the regular term of the Floyd County Court, upon a credit of six months, the following described property, to-wit:

Being lot No. 37, Section No. 5, House No. 12-13 of the property of Kelly Development Company, at Weeksburg, Kentucky, on Left Beaver Creek, Floyd County, Kentucky, as shown on a certain map entitled "Map of Weeksburg, Kentucky, subdivision of surface tracts" of record in file box No. 3, map 142, Floyd County Court records, to which reference is made for a more complete description.

Said property will be sold to satisfy a judgment against the above defendants for the sum of \$556.33 with interest from May 10, 1955, until paid and the cost of this action.

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 7th day of December, 1955.
J. B. CLARKE,
Master Commissioner
Floyd Circuit Court.

12-8-55.
ARNOLD AVENUE
CHURCH OF CHRIST
Hondel Adams, Minister

SUNDAY—
10:00 a.m.—Bible School.
11:00 a.m.—Lord's Supper (Acts 20:7).
Sermon: "What the Hope of Heaven Does for a Christian."
7:00 p.m.—Evening services.
Sermon: "He Hath Appointed a Day in Which He Will Judge the World."
WEDNESDAY—
7:30 p.m.—Gospel Harmony boys from WSAZ-TV.
SUNDAY—
7:30 p.m.—Dec. 18th—Christmas Cantata.
CALLING YOU TO GOLDEN MOMENTS
The invitations of the church is an invitation to share golden moments with other worshippers. Your life will be richer if you attend church regularly.

NOTICE

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My connection as Assistant Cashier of The First Guaranty bank of Martin has been unpleasantly severed. I deeply appreciate the kindness and hospitality of the people of Martin and the Beaver Creeks shown me while I was there. I will always retain a warm spot in my heart for each and every one of you, and I hope that I will always be able to meet you with a smile and grin upon my face and without deceit or sin in my heart. Whoever has said or reported that I retired on Social Security lied and the truth is not in them. I have never in my whole life participated or sponsored and shared in any shady deals, neither have I crooked, deceived, hijacked or participated in any fraud upon anyone.

If I am ever in any position in which I can honestly serve you, have no hesitancy in calling upon me. Martin is a splendid little town and it has great possibilities in the future, and I hope you may have all the good things of life is my fervent prayers. Until we meet again may God bless you all.
Henry Stephens.

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LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

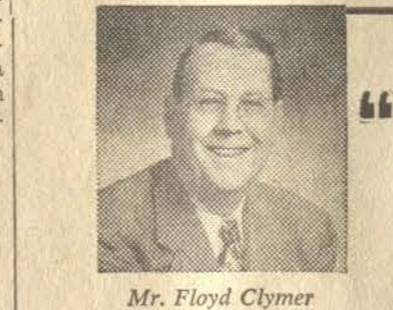
Editor, The Times:
As I sat down to study next Sunday's Sunday School lesson on the subject, "Who Is My Neighbor?" based on the story of the Good Samaritan, I could not help but think of two recent events that took place last week-end. One of these gained nation-wide publicity and the other may not have been heard of outside Floyd county.

The first incident I refer to is the recent effort of the Governor of the state of Georgia to ban the Georgia Tech football team from playing in the Sugar Bowl game in New Orleans because the opposing team, Pittsburgh, has one player who is a Negro and further because tickets were sold in Pittsburgh to fans on a non-segregated basis. While this was being aired on a nation-wide scale, here in Floyd county (which on occasion some so-called "enlightened" people have referred to as backward) a county high school basketball tournament was in progress. Among the teams participating was a first-time entrant, Palmer-Dunbar high of Wheelwright, the only Negro high school in the county. The team played in the first round of the tournament and, although defeated, displayed excellent sportsmanship, as did the opposing team and all of the fans.

Without getting into all of the ramifications of segregation and non-segregation, I merely cite this as an example to show that if people want to apply the principles of our Lord as set forth in the Parable of the Good Samaritan, they can and will work.

So, as I come back to my Sunday School lesson I am reminded that love of God is the motive for love of neighbor; further, that our neighbor includes all the people of the world and, last but by no means least, our sincerity of belief (or lack of it) is seen in our actions. The world still has need of Good Samaritans.

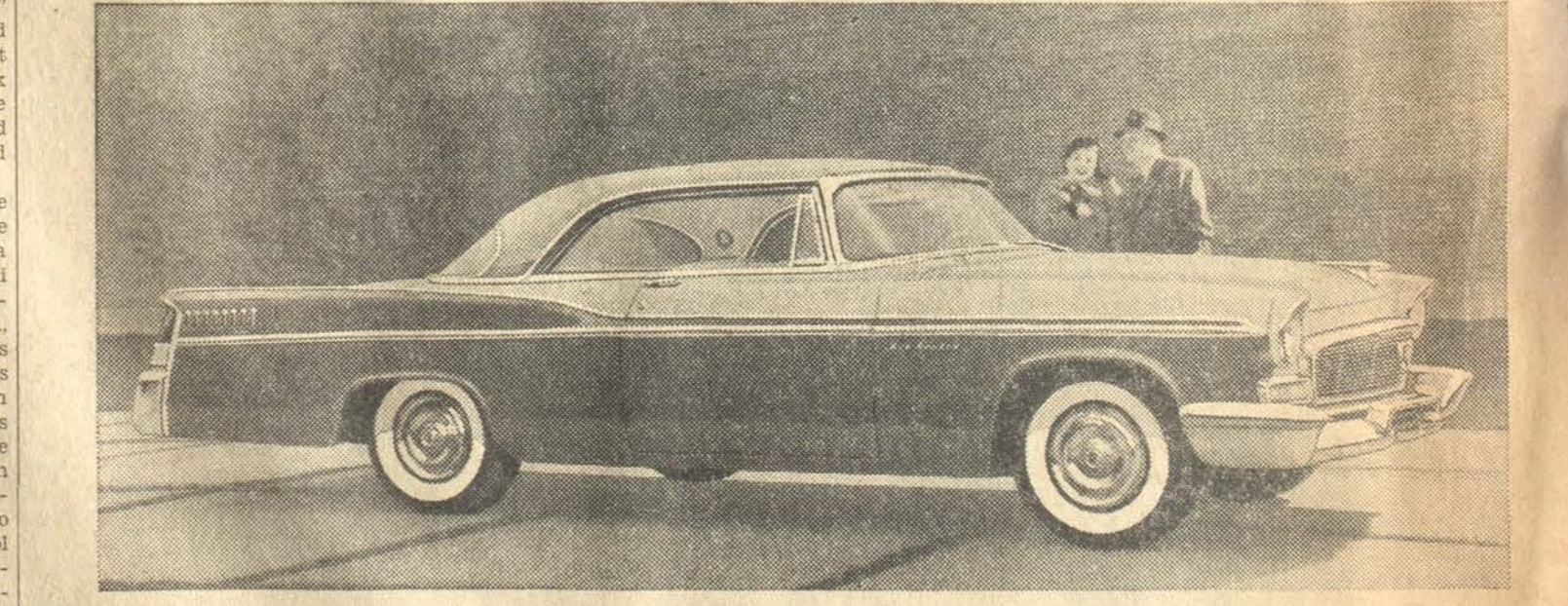
Ira McMillen, Jr.
Prestonsburg, Ky.



Mr. Floyd Clymer

"Best car manufactured in America today"

That's what Floyd Clymer, famous automobile authority, said about Chrysler in Popular Mechanics (October)



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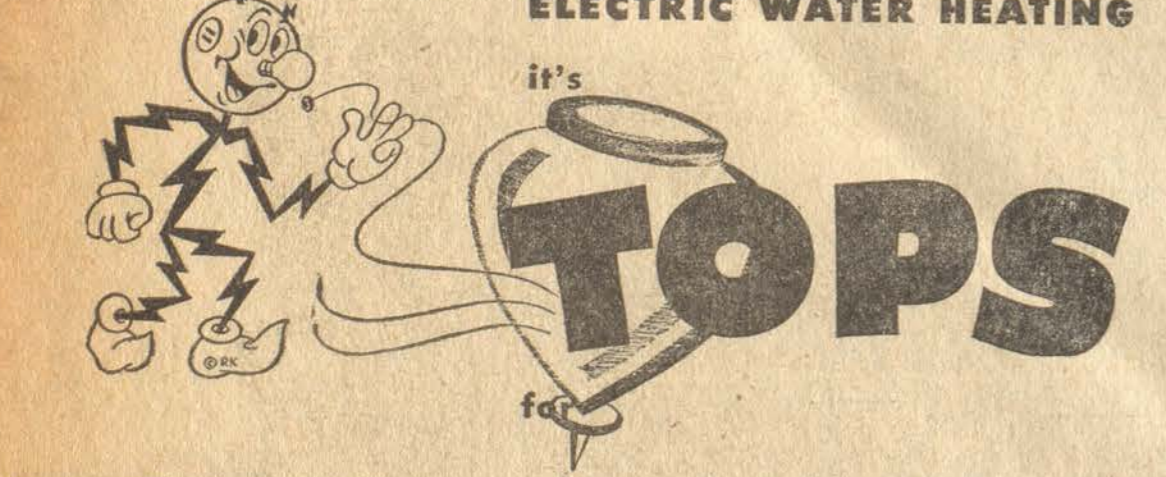
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Jail Employee, Stricken At Work in Courthouse, Dies at Local Hospital

Stricken by a heart attack while sweeping the office of Circuit Clerk W. W. Cooley last Friday afternoon, Teatle Ousley, 43, of Risner, assistant to Jailer Prock Hayes, was dead on arrival a few minutes later at the Prestonsburg General hospital.

The fatal seizure came without warning. Mr. Ousley had not been ill previously, it was said.

He was a son of the late Edward and Martha Howard Ousley, and a nephew of Jailer Prock Hayes with whom he had worked at the jail for the last year.

Survivors include three brothers, Thea Ousley, Willard, O., George and Cephus Ousley, of Risner, and a sister, Mrs. Zella Miller, Willard, O., and 22 half-brothers and half-sisters.

The funeral was conducted at 10 a.m. Monday from the Regular Baptist Church at Risner, the Revs. M. C. Wright, Banner Manns and A. J. Moore officiating. Burial was made in the family cemetery, the Carter & Callihan Funeral Home directing.

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The Same Job But More of It

Next Tuesday, the popular and colorful "Happy" Chandler will return to a job that is old to him but which he may find more complex than in the 1930's.

Mr. Chandler now returns to the Governor's mansion in Frankfort at a time when the job, the toughest in Kentucky, may be more demanding than ever before.

He must fully implement with coin of the realm the minimum foundation program for Kentucky education. The people of the state have issued a mandate for such a program which, it is estimated will require \$54,500,000 next year. Moreover, Mr. Chandler during his two pre-election campaigns promised he would do the job, and he has repeated that promise since his election.

On top of this is a swelling demand for roads and an ambitious highways program outlined by Chandler himself.

Add these to literally scores of state obligations in a modern age which makes life in the '30's seem Spartan-like in its search during the great depression for only the bare necessities, and the magnitude of a Governor's duties in 1955 becomes more apparent.

If "Happy" Chandler can achieve not all but most of the things he discussed in his program for Kentucky, hold state finances at even keel and not increase the burden of taxes—if he can do that he will earn and undoubtedly deserve the praise and support of every Kentuckian. With his flair for dramatizing himself and his work, he will with such a record attain a national prominence he has never heretofore reached.

As he enters upon the rather thankless task of being Governor of Kentucky, A. B. Chandler has our sympathy. He cannot please everybody; he can attempt only to achieve the greatest good for the greatest number of people. He conceivably could be more popular, four years hence, than he is today. But to achieve that high estate will take a lot of doing.

AUXIER

HONOR ROLL ANNOUNCED
John C. Wells, principal of the Auxier consolidated school, this week announced the school's honor roll pupils for the second six weeks of the term, as follows:

Third grade—Frankie Burchett, Mary Goble, Roger Powers, Jimmy Wireman.

Fourth grade—Debra Harris, Bascom Horne, Jr., Mike E. Wells.

Fifth grade—Mike Childers, Helen L. Curnutte, Freddie Goble, Howard Wireman.

Sixth grade—Opal Childers, Hazel Dunnagan, Sharon Horne, Ruth Powers, Carol Setser.

Seventh grade—James Lee Burchett, Palmer D. Hopson, Emma J. Sturgill, Darrell Wells.

Eighth grade—William Arnold Collins, Jimmy Charles Curnutte, Ruth Ann Mupsic, Toni Music, Donna Mildred Powers.

Ninth grade—Archer Childers, Brenda Wilson.

Tenth grade—Billie Foley, Patricia Litz, Porter Powers, Mary F. Johnson, Charles R. Wells, Wilma Wells, Larry Wilson.

Eleventh grade—Marcia Copley, Randall Haer, James Hubbard, Sue McKenzie, Jesamine Sturgill, Edsel Wells.

Twelfth grade—James Cline, Harrison Horne (all A's), Paul Sester, Jack Music, Marlene Sturgill, Peggy Wilcox.

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Coleman, One Man Show, Paces Wasps to Victory Over Flat Gap, 72-61

Wayland's Kelly Coleman turned in a one-man show in scoring 47 points to pace the Wasps to a 72-61 win over vaunted Flat Gap, Tuesday night.

The expected duel between the region's hot-shots never came off, as Osborne was unable to perform at his peak since he was suffering from a sprained ankle. Coleman, guarded by the ailing Osborne, threw in everything he turned in the general direction of the goal. Coleman, in garnering 47, tallied 22 points more than the 25 scored by his four teammates.

Although Osborne was clearly not at his best, Flat Gap, at half-time, led Wayland 38-33. However, Coleman & Co., rang up 35 points in the third quarter to Flat Gap's 10 to take the lead, 58-48. Wayland, in the fourth quarter, was not threatened.

The line-up:

Wayland	Pos.	Flat Gap
Fultz (4)	F.	Conley (10)
Combs (9)	F.	Cantrell (8)
Robinson (6)	C.	Burchett (14)
Hall (6)	G.	Osborne (6)
Coleman (47)	G.	Salyers (8)
		Butcher (15)

Score by quarters:
 Wayland 21 33 58 72
 Flat Gap 18 38 48 61

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 Marion Brando, Mary Murphy, Robert Keith

"Little Giant"
 Bud Abbott, Lou Costello

"Riders of Tomahawk Creek"
 Charles Starrett, Smiley Burnette

SUN.-MON.—
"Mister Roberts"
 Henry Fonda, James Cagney, William Powell

"Man in the Saddle"
 (Technicolor)
 Randolph Scott, Joan Weldon

TUES.-WED.—
"Bring Your Smile Along"
 Frankie Laine, Kefee Braselle, Connie Towers

THURSDAY—
"Bengazi"
 Richard Conte, Richard Carlson, Victor McLaglen

boy warmly with dead grass and hot-footed it 17 miles cross-country to tug and whine and bark till rescuers followed her or him to where the child was. But not Old Frank, the hound. He just stayed with the tot, and when he heard searchers nearby he pointed his nose at the Big Dipper and gave tongue as only a hound can do. And that did the job as well as if the television cameras had been rolling.

I have for years now been banging around the idea of writing something in defense of the hound-dawg, but have never quite got around to it. And now's my chance, since Old Frank has acquitted himself so heroically.

Your real hound-dog is a gentleman along many dogs. He may look like a bum, his ears flapping in the breeze and his expression not such as to cause a child to burst into song. But who wouldn't look worried and down-at-the-mouth and act just a bit guilty after facing—or running away from—as many accusers and flying rocks for as many generations as the hound has?

This dog is blamed even for his hearty appetite. If some of these blue-blooded lap dogs would try chasing a fox all night long, they wouldn't stop to read the label on the can before they lit into whatever was offered them, either. Moreover, it might be said that the popular notion that a hound needs nothing to eat but a few kitchen scraps is responsible for the poor fellow doing some foraging on his own at times.

I have known folks who blamed hounds for every sheep that was killed. But they might have been less uncharitable towards Old Lead and his kind if they had looked around for the real culprit, which most often is a cowardly cur or some other dog of doubtful parentage and a polyglot of blood strains. Your real hound is not a killer. He's a peace-loving guy who will fight only when cornered or when some other dog tries to interfere with his mealtime enjoyment. But don't push Old Peaceful too far; when he turns, somebody is going to get hurt, and quickly.

No, the hound isn't perfect, not by a long shot. Who, or what dog, is? The main fault I always found to all hounds I ever owned is common to all dogs I have known and loved—they don't live long enough.

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Long ears, big feet, ungainly form and all, the hound-dawg has held such a place in the affections of men that they have caused more deeds of passion than all the beautiful women this section ever boasted. Only the line-fence has ever come near causing as many fights.

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"Little Giant"
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SATURDAY—
"Three Stripes in the Sun"
 Aldo Ray, Phil Carey, Dick York, Mitsuko Kimura

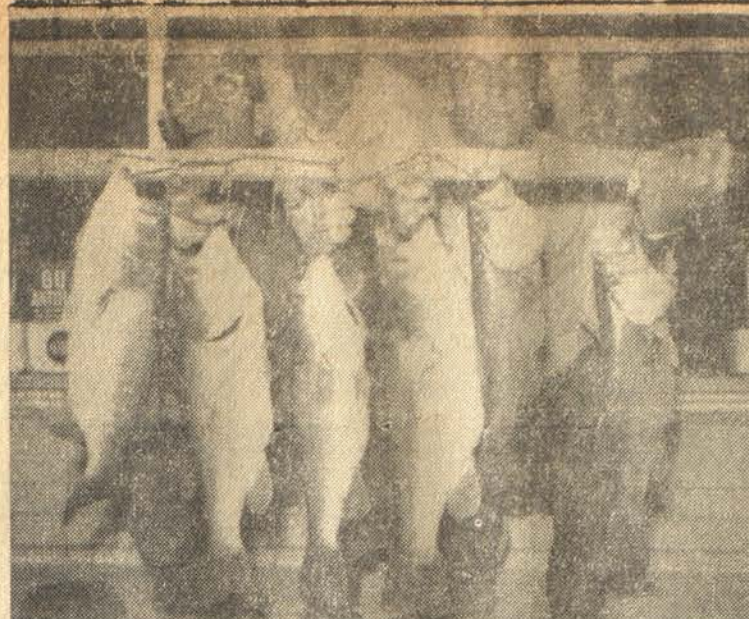
"West of Zanzibar"
 (Technicolor)
 Anthony Steel, Shella Sim

SUN.-MON.—
"Rebel Without a Cause"
 (CinemaScope-Color)
 James Dean, Natalie Wood

TUESDAY—
"Interrupted Melody"
 (CinemaScope-Color)
 Glenn Ford, Eleanor Parker

"Teen Age Crime Wave"
 Tommy Cook, Molly McCart

WED.-THURS.—
"Seven Little Foy's"
 (Technicolor)
 Bob Hope, Millie Vitale



THE FISHING WAS GOOD at Dewey Lake no longer than two weeks ago, as this 25-pound string of bass indicates. These were landed by Rollie Manns, left, and Raymond Copley.

Fish of the same lunker class were brought in by Charlie Wiechers, Judge Edw. P. Hill and Fred Wells.
 The latest catch was Judge Hill's 17-inch bass, landed in Tuesday's afternoon's cold weather. All the fish succumbed to the popular Lazy Ike lure.

Floyd-co. Girl Wins Prize in Pie Contest At Louisa FHA Meet

Miss Martha LeMaster, sophomore student at Prestonsburg high school won second place in the Ashland District Future Homemakers' cherry pie baking contest sponsored at Louisa, Nov. 30, by the General Electric Company.

Rethal Hanshaw, of Louisa, who won first place in the contest presented the prize-winning pie to Lester McHargue, principal of Louisa high school. Miss Hanshaw will later compete for the state baking championship at Lexington.

Others who entered the contest were Barbara Obenshain, Elkhorn City high, third place; Patricia Clarke, Salyersville, Violet French, Carter high school, and Judy Graham, Olive Hill high school.

Judges were Miss Thelma Wheeler, Lawrence county home agent, and James Moore.

NOTICE

Any person, male or female of the age of eighteen years or older, may register as a voter now, who has resided in the State one year, and in the County six months, and in the precinct in which he offers to vote sixty days next preceding the election, shall be a voter in said precinct.

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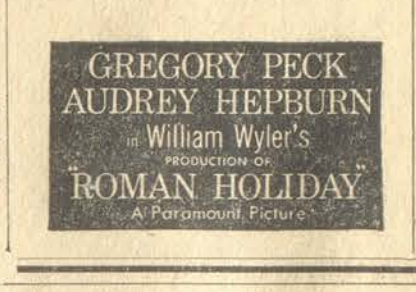
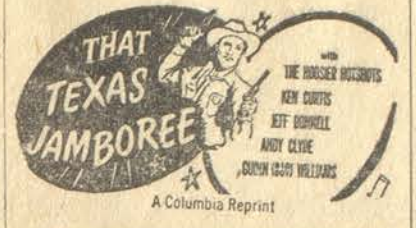
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 Dec. 14, 15, 16—



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UK TRADITIONAL EVENT
 Several hundred University of Kentucky students and townspeople opened the holiday season on the campus by taking part in UK's annual "Hanging of the Greens" program, held Wednesday, Dec. 7, in the Student Union building. Each year this traditional affair officially opens the yuletide season at the University.

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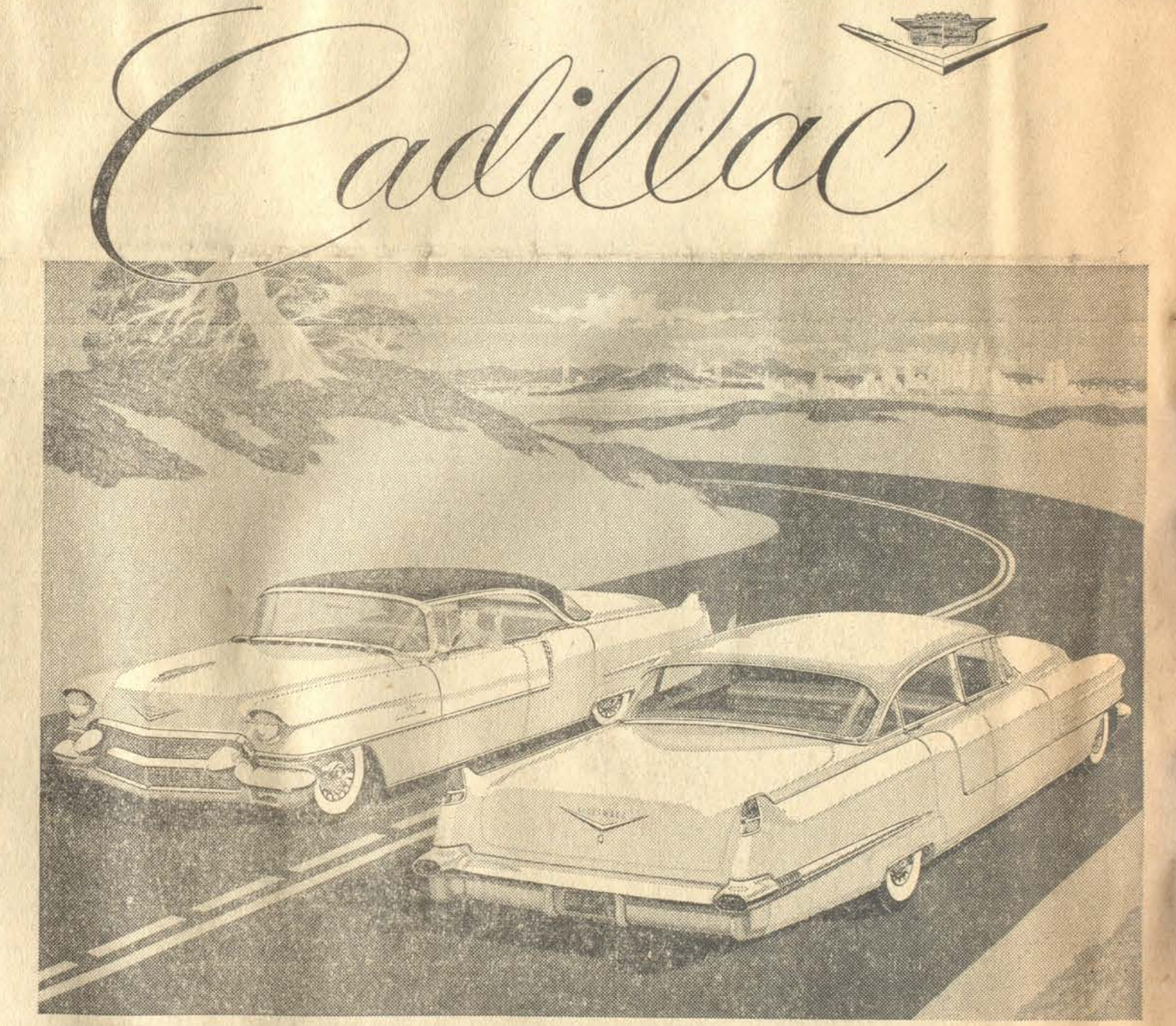
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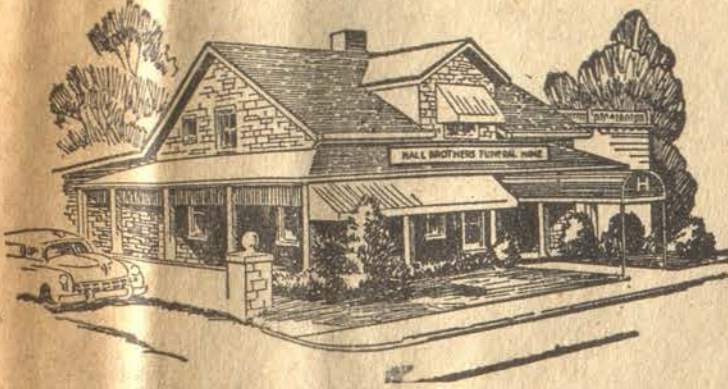
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Locale of Swift's Silver Mine Thought To Be on Shelby Cr.

By C. L. Damron
(In The Mountain Eagle)

Two centuries have passed by and yet the long lost Swift Silver Mine has never been found. All up through the ages and for some time after the middle of the eighteenth century, hunting parties from time to time have scoured the mountains of Eastern Kentucky and Southwestern Virginia and in some parts of North Carolina and Eastern Tennessee crossing valleys, gorges, climbing the rough hills of the above mentioned states, looking and searching for the long lost Swift Silver Mine, and to this day, some people still look for the shining metal in the hopes that it will be found.

We have had people to come from distant states like California, Nevada, Washington, and even from the City of New York in search of the long lost mine, but to no avail. Since World War II there has been invented and developed lots of new and reliable electronic devices, and put on the market for locating various types of minerals and metals in the earth. A lot of people have gone to great expense to buy these late model electronic devices for the sole purpose of locating this long lost silver mine, but to no avail.

Some people in this part of the country still think that there was at one time a Swift Silver Mine, and some think there never was a silver mine in these parts, the Cumberland Mountains on the South side around Flat Gap, Va., and around Clintwood, Virginia, and around Cumberland Falls of Cumberland River. There have been many searches made in the last fifty or sixty years, there have been lots of people scaling the rough bluffs around the Breaks of Big Sandy River near Elkhorn City, Kentucky, finding only a few rattle snakes and once in a while where moonshine whiskey has been made in the years gone by.

It was in the years 1738-39 the story goes:

There was a Frenchman by the name of Monday, who was captured by the Indians and was taken through the regions of North Carolina and Southwest Virginia. At that time Pike County, Kentucky, was called a part of Virginia. The Frenchman, Monday, was a captive of the Indians for over three years, while a captive, they took him to a silver mine and there he was made to help to mine silver the Indians used in trade like silver

beads, rings, etc. All the time Monday, the Frenchman was looking for a chance to escape, he made it a point to remember where the silver mine was so he could come back to it in case he ever escaped.

One day while the Indians were having a party and the Indian girls were dancing, Monday, the Frenchman, escaped. It took him eight days to find his way back to his home to his family, as he lived in North Carolina. Monday had a neighbor by the name of Swift who was a silversmith by trade, so Monday told his neighbor, the silversmith the story about the silver mine. It was not long until Monday and the silversmith made a trip to the silver mine where they mined some of the shining metal. Food was scarce and their supply of powder and supplies were running short, as they had to kill wild geese and wild game for food, so they returned to their homes in North Carolina they stayed at their home for some time then they decided to return to the mine again. This time they brought—the man and woman being man and wife, the woman was to cook for the party of miners and the man to help mine silver in the silver mine.

The party of miners were getting along fine and they were making lots of French coins, until Monday and the woman cook fell out, Monday killing the woman cook, and also killing the man that started Swift and Monday having trouble, winding up with Swift killing Monday, leaving only Swift by himself, so he buried Monday beside the others that were killed. So Swift started on his way back to his home in North Carolina, he stayed at his home in North Carolina for several years before he ever decided to make a return trip back to the silver mine, by that time he had gone blind.

SWIFT'S STORY

"As me and my guide came to the mine, we marked our path by rocks, creeks, gaps, and marked on trees coming from home, traveling 35 or 40 miles, crossing a mountain and rocky region we came through large gaps, full of Indians called Mecca, from there through a bluff region, thence from there to a cliff on right, thence up creek crossing in the opposite of the cliff thence through a bottom by an old Indian graveyard, thence by said branch to a Buffalo lick or deer lick gap, thence through a valley and gap, said valley running east and west to a tree standing, Swift and Monday Mine and map take notice. It is presumed the above notice was posted on the tree, thence 4 or 5 miles to a half moon shaped rock house in the mountain on a little creek full of cedars and spruce pines, where we smelted our ore and made our French coins, thence back eastward to a ridge that runs eastward in the ridge to a saddle back gap in the ridge where the mine is from the ridge as you go eastward. At the mouth of the mine a hard tree stands containing the words Swift and Monday's mine and a map, take notice, in the mine are pick and shovels and canteen we left and also money moulds. Our sheep skin coats and apron were also left in the rock house and loads of coined French crowns buried on the right hand side of the door as you go in rock house. The ore was in a grey rock with a sandstone ridge running by. The mouth of the mine was about as large as a hogshead or barrel and drops straight down in the ground for about ten feet, then made of level."

According to Swift's story after he was brought back in the country where he described the mine to be found the country thickly settled by people by this time and he could not describe the place well enough to lead the party that was with him to find the mine as he was stone blind by this time.

In the years of the Spanish American War 1808, almost every citizen that was able to scale the mountains in Southwest Virginia, and Eastern Kentucky was searching for the shining metal of the long lost mine but to no avail.

In the years of 1929-30 some Indians came to Pike county, Kentucky near Yeager, Kentucky where the Waters of Shelby Creek makes a bend in the Creek in the form of a horse shoe. They had with them some old parchment maps that were supposed to be made by Swift himself, and according to their story as told by the Indians to the writer of this story that Swift was making his way from South of the Cumberland Mountains in Virginia down Shelby Creek, this was after he and Monday and the party had all the trouble and Swift was the only one left of the party. Swift was supposed to have a horse load of the coined silver and his horse died on him somewhere in the bend of Shelby Creek. Swift said after he went blind if they could bring him to this horse shoe bend of this above creek and put his face pointing in the direction of a flag pond he could point his right arm in the direction where the silver coins were hidden. And according to some of the old settlers of Shelby Creek, there was once a flag Pond near Yeager, Kentucky.

So all up through the ages there has been a lot of talk and a lot of search made for the long lost Swift Silver mine. There has passed many of a frosty morning and the sun has risen and set thousands of times, and we have told this story to our great-grandchildren about their forefathers hunting for this mine but to no avail. The writer of this story thinks that there may be many of these frosty mornings, and the leaves may change their colors but sometime in the near future the long lost Swift-Silver Mine will be found and maybe our great-grandchildren will mine silver from this mine.

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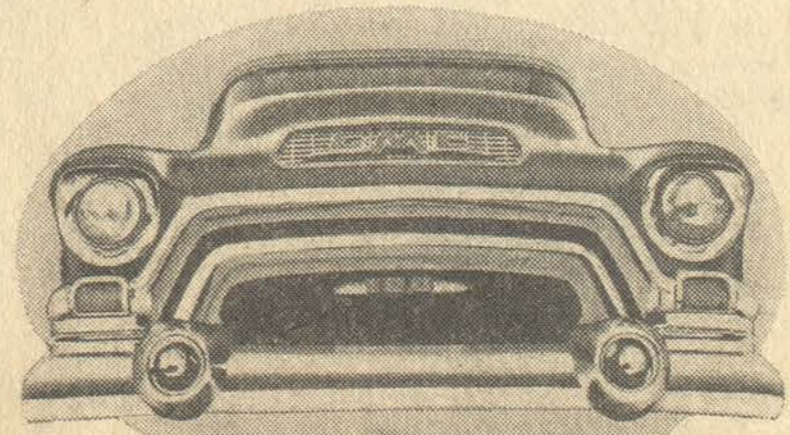
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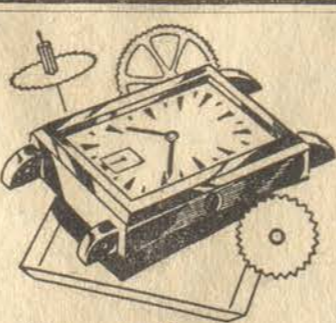
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Two hundred and thirty Todd county calves sold for an average of 20 cents a pound at a feeder-calf sale at Russellville.

Audio-Visual Class In Tour of Field Station

Dr. R. D. Johnson and the 34 members of the audi-visual aids class of the Extension division of the University of Kentucky, which meets Monday evenings, toured the Cumberland Field Station at West Prestonsburg, Nov. 21. Dr. Floyd O. Atchley, head parasitologist at the Station, assisted by Mrs. Robert Wallace, R. N., conducted the tour and served as consultants after observation had been made. Miss Alice Harris, member of the class and of the Prestonsburg high school faculty, arranged the tour.

HOMEMAKERS RECOGNIZED
Ninety-four homemakers were recognized at the Warren county annual meeting for having attended all of the meetings of their homemakers clubs the past year.

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Have Soil Testing Done This Winter

Farmers may find it to their advantage to take soil samples and have them tested this winter, before the spring rush, says George D. Corder of the University of Kentucky College of Agriculture and Home Economics.

"Rain and wet soils last spring caused many farmers to collect soil samples too late, or they may even have failed to collect any," said Corder. "Some laboratories had samples piled up, and farmers did not get the results of their tests on time. This difficulty and rush can be avoided by collecting soil samples this fall and winter. Samples collected and tested this fall will serve the farmer just as well as sampling and testing next spring.

"In addition to avoiding the spring wet weather and rush, farmers have more time for collecting samples this fall, technicians have more time to make tests, and county agents have more time to make fertilizer recommendations. Consequently, farmers have more time to shop around for fertilizer.

"The present economic situation relative to farm operating costs and prices received demands that farmers invest wisely. They must be sure that each investment will return a profit. For investment in fertilizers to return a profit, farmers must buy the required plant nutrients that are limiting production. A proper balance of the nutrients needed will give the greatest immediate returns. A soil test is the best method available for determining what is needed.

"This fall farmers should make a special effort to test fields going into corn, tobacco, hay or pasture next spring unless the land for hay and pasture is in rotation and was tested at the beginning of the rotation. Old pasture and hay fields should be tested unless they have been tested and the present fertilizer program is based upon that."

TURKEY CREEK

By Ruby Gay Bentley
Mrs. Eugene Hicks and Mr. and Mrs. William Northup visited Mr. Northup's mother at Auxier over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Hicks and daughter, Dora, of David, visited his brother, Lawrence Hicks and Mrs. Hicks this week.

Visiting Mrs. Martha Vanderpool from Willard, Ohio, this week-end were Mr. and Mrs. John Edd Tuttle and children.

Garrett Amburgy, of Ashland, was visiting his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Garrett Hayes, this week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Taylor, of Lovely, Ky., are here visiting Mr. and Mrs. Shelby Terry this week.

Mrs. Dennis Wray Bentley was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Gradis Bradley last week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Dottie Hagan and children of Ashland visited the home of Mrs. Maude Hagans and Garrett Hayes this week.

Bobby Randal Hicks, was the week-end guest this week of Buck Ellis, Jr.

Bob Vanderpool, of Ohio, spent the week here with her mother, Mrs. Martha Vanderpool.

Burtis Breeding, of Ashland, was Clinton Terry's week-end guest.

Bill Terry, of Knott county, was visiting her brother, Shelly Terry, this week-end.

Delmer Hagans, of Ashland, was visiting her family and his mother, Mrs. Maude Hagans, last week-end.

CONTRACTS AWARDED
Frankfort, Ky., Dec. 5 — The State Department of Highways awarded contracts for construction of garage buildings at Lebanon Junction and Shepherdsville on the Kentucky Turnpike to J. M. Chick, Bowling Green, for \$57,690.98.

Named Squad Leader



Great Lakes, Ill., — Bethel Mullins, son of Mrs. Goldia Justice, of Hunter, Ky., has been appointed squad leader of his recruit company at the Great Lakes Naval Training Center.

As a recruit petty officer he will wear a miniature rating insignia as a badge of authority during the remainder of his nine weeks of "Boot Camp." He was chosen for the position in recognition of leadership qualities displayed while undergoing recruit training.

Young English Dietician Is Studying at U.K.

A young therapeutic dietician from England who has been awarded a year's scholarship by the American Home Economics Association is spending the year as a graduate student in the University of Kentucky's School of Home Economics. She is Gwenllian Kyffin Morris, of Anglesey, North Wales, who is specializing in advanced nutrition and community nutrition at the University. Following her period of study at UK she hopes to return to England and help found a Welsh training college in dietetics.

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PLAN ANNUAL CONCERT

The University of Kentucky Choristers, a group made up of students, faculty members and townspeople, will present their traditional Christmas concert at 4 p.m., Sunday, Dec. 11 and again at 8 o'clock that night, in UK's Memorial Hall. Miss Mildred Lewis, member of the University music faculty, will conduct the Choristers at both performances, open to the public at no charge.

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Two of the world's largest walking draglines, purchased by England's National Coal Board, moved aboard 88 railroad cars to docks in Baltimore for loading aboard ships. Built to remove immense deposits of overburden from deep-lying reserves, these giant machines with their 280-foot booms could sit atop Niagara Falls and scoop up rocks at the bottom.

"TEXAS TOWER" IN BRITAIN

Britain has developed a "Texas Tower" for coal prospecting under-seas. The 180-foot high tower now rises out of the Firth of Forth, more than a mile from shore and is drilling test holes in coal beds to determine depth below the sea floor, thickness of seam and quality. Portable, the tower can and will be used wherever undersea coal is known to exist.

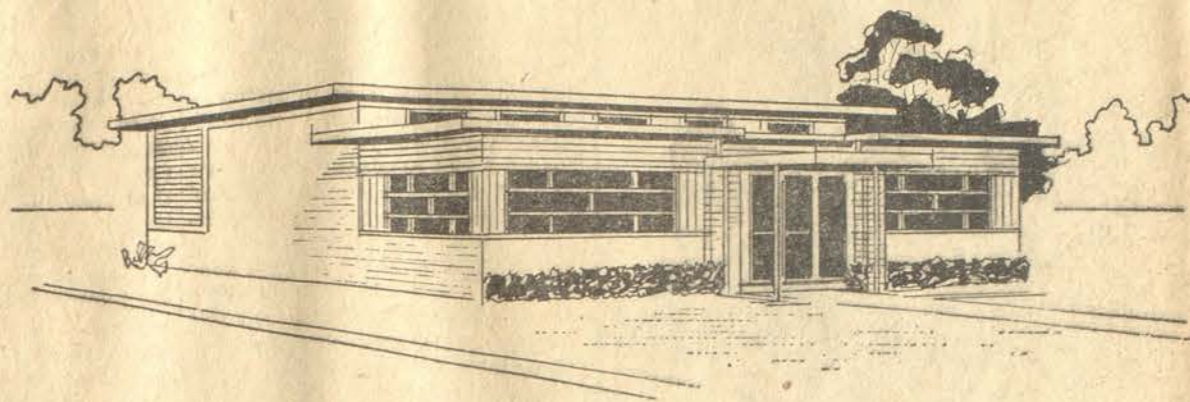
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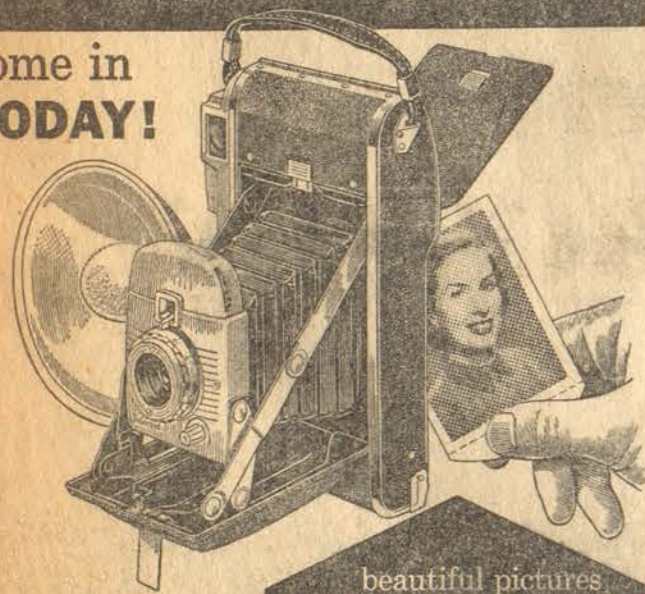
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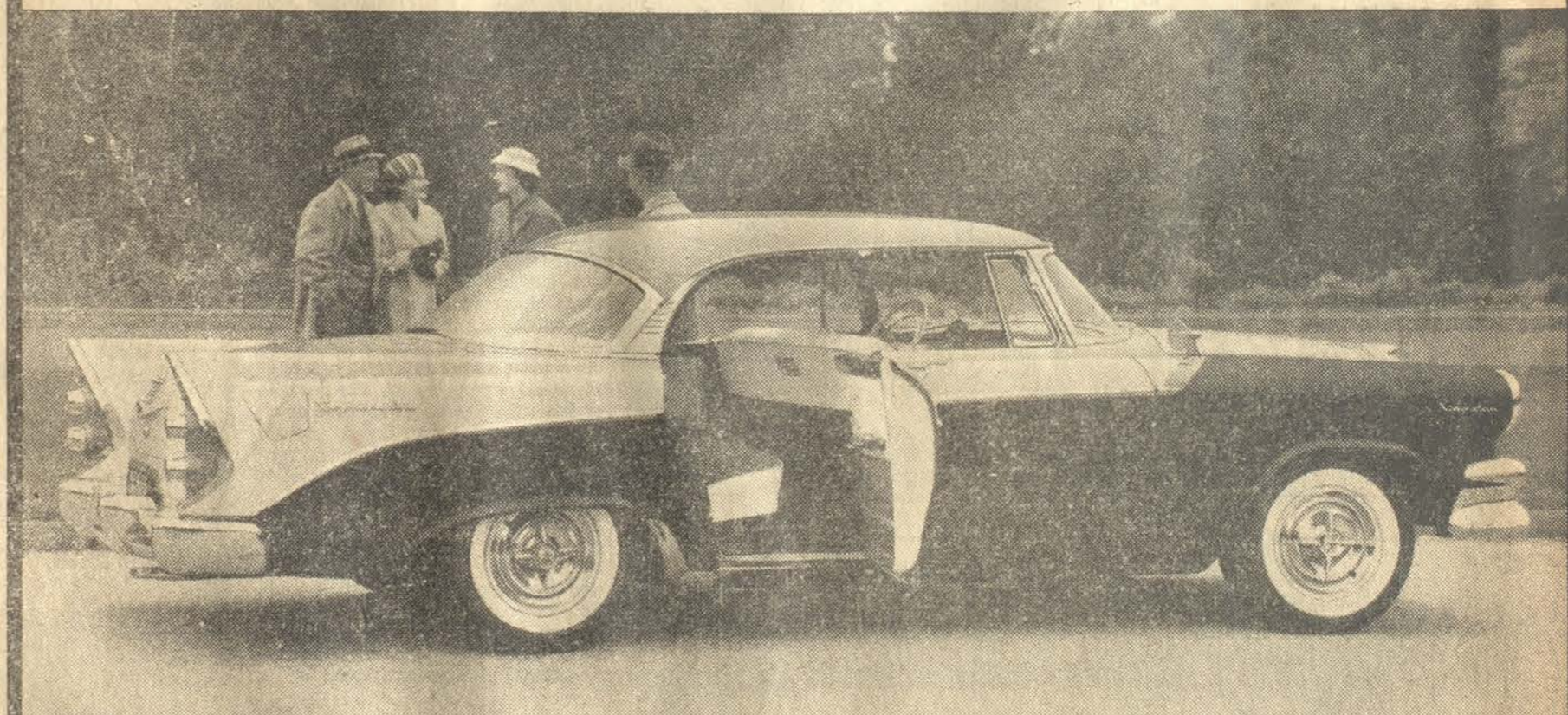
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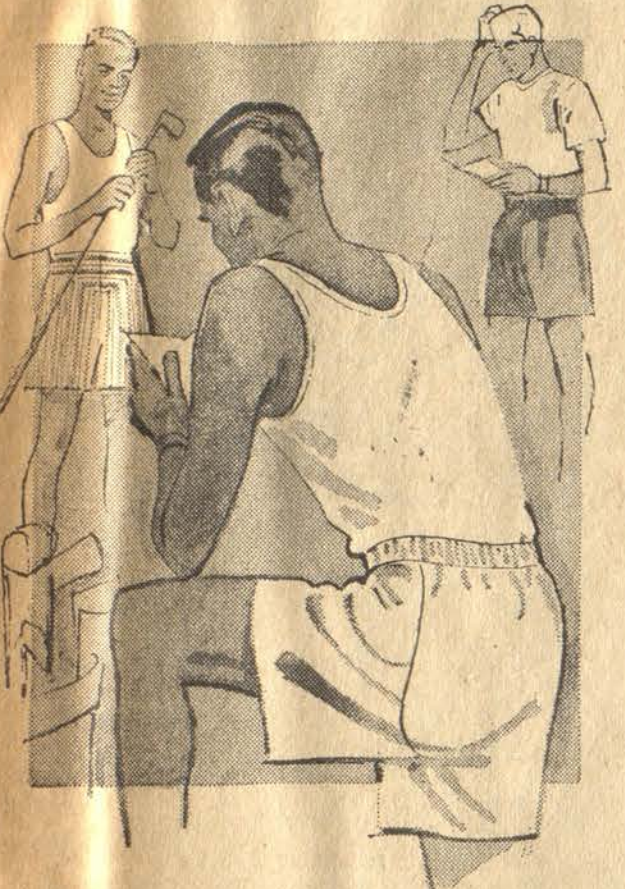
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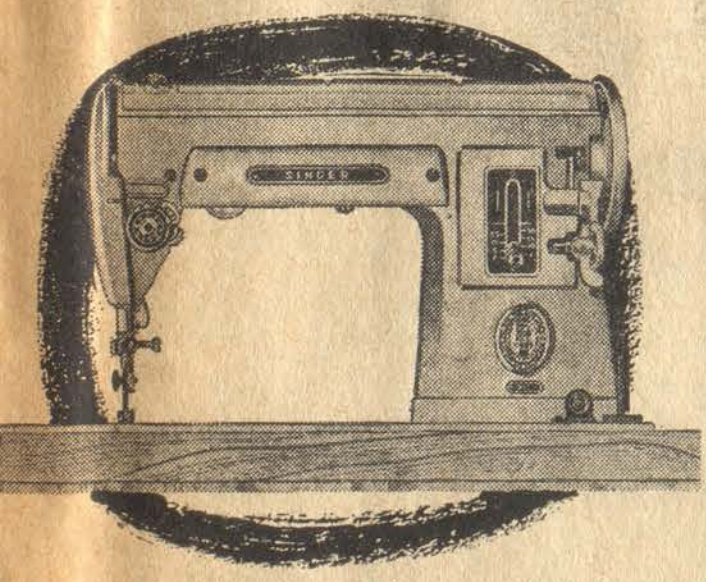
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In tests of virus-free plants this year, yields over ordinary plants ranged from 10 to 60 crates, worth an extra \$60 to \$300 an acre.

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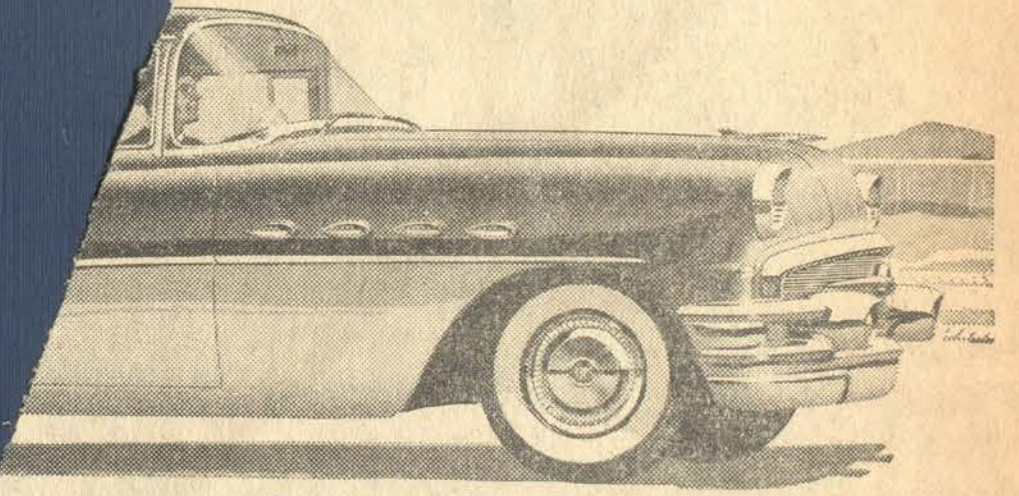


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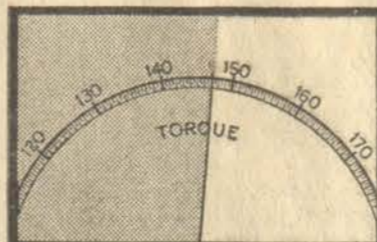
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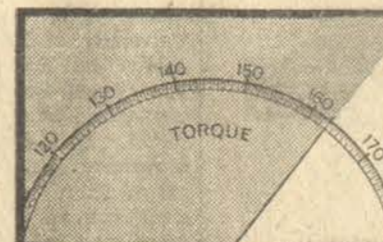
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P.-T.A. TO REPAIR GYM

The Wheelwright Parent-Teacher Association held its November meeting at the high school auditorium. Reports were given on the carnival and praise was given the chairman and all workers.

It was reported the P.-T.A. has 475 paid members, which is a far greater number than last year. The Association has increased so this year that it has outgrown its regular meeting place at the grade school cafeteria. It is hoped in the near future the grade school gym may be renovated for a better meeting place. A committee was appointed to investigate the things to be done. The Wheelwright United Mine Workers have pledged their support, since they use the gym for their meetings. They are giving \$225 toward the project. The P.-T.A. was asked for \$200. It was voted on at the time and was granted. This project will not only benefit these organizations, but the grade school teachers and students will be able to have programs, movies, and other school activities there also.

The fire escape for the grade school will be completed in the next six to ten days. Lockers are being selected and will be ordered soon. The glee club, under the direction of Mary Osborne, presented a program of songs on the theme of Thanksgiving. Rol Deal followed, with Mrs. Boone Hall at the grade school winning the prize for the most parents present, and Mr. Cook at the high school.

It was announced that due to the Christmas holidays, the next P.-T.A. meeting will be held December 15, 7:00 p.m., at the high school. Mrs. Conleys' junior English and Miss Osborne's music department will present the program.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to extend our heartfelt thanks and appreciation for acts of kindness, words of sympathy, food and those who helped in any way during our recent bereavement in the loss of our son and brother, William W. Adams. We want to especially thank the Rev. Ira McMullen for his consoling words, and Mrs. McMullen for her beautiful singing, also the Carter & Callihan Funeral Home for its efficient service.

Mr. J. B. Adams and family

O'Connell's Plurality Largest in Election

Frankfort, Ky., Dec. 5 (Spl.) — Charles K. O'Connell, Frankfort, elected Clerk of the Court of Appeals, had the largest plurality of any candidate in the recent Democratic landslide, according to official figures provided by the State Board of Election Commissioners.

O'Connell polled 432,437 votes to 271,082 for his Republican opponent, Wilbourn Mason, Mayfield, and 2,051 for Mrs. Carman Stone, Louisville, Prohibition candidate. The O'Connell plurality was 161,345.

Governor-elect A. B. Chandler ran last on the ticket as far as pluralities are concerned. He had 451,647 votes to 322,671 for Republican Edwin Denney, Lexington; 2,687 for the Rev. Robert Garrison, Louisville, Prohibition candidate and 1,483 for Jesse K. Lewis, Lexington, Free Citizens ticket. The Chandler plurality was 128,976.

The board also certified results in the case of the two constitutional amendments—one to lower the voting age and one to remove personal property from the tax rolls. The 18-year-old voting amendment was adopted by a vote of 192,838 to 107,650, while the personal property amendment was approved 222,572 to 73,742.

Official totals for offices besides those won by Chandler and O'Connell:

Lieutenant Governor: Harry Lee Waterfield, Democrat, Clinton 433-

551; Joe Eaton, Republican, Louisville, 290,244; Dr. C. L. Abell, Prohibition, Henderson, 2,289. Waterfield 148,307.

Secretary of State: Mrs. Thelma Stovall, Democrat, Louisville, 425,275; Edwin E. Freshney, Republican, Park Hills, 282,258; Dr. Andrew Johnson, Prohibition, Wilmore, 2,543. Stovall plurality, 143,017.

Attorney General: Jo M. Ferguson, Democrat, South Carrollton, 427,913; Ben B. Fowler, Republican, Frankfort, 278,271. Ferguson majority, 149,642.

Auditor of Public Accounts: Miss Mary Louise Foust, Democrat, Shelbyville, 429,762; J. E. Johnston, Republican, Pleasureville, 276,068; the Rev. Allen Law, Prohibition, Hazard, 2,146. Foust plurality, 153,694.

ROAD CONTRACTS

Frankfort, Ky., Dec. 5—The State Highway Department has awarded contracts for improvement of 49 miles of roads in Breckinridge, Union, Webster, Carroll, Pendleton, Boyle, Clay, Graves, Knox, Lee, Livingston, Marshall, Menifee, Taylor, and Muhlenberg counties to cost \$913,321.86.

Pvt. Tackett Assigned To Fort Bragg, N. C.

Pvt. Edward Tackett, whose mother, Mrs. Myrtle Tackett, resides at Manton, Ky., has been assigned to the 187th Airborne Regimental Combat team, Fort Bragg, North Carolina, for advanced military training.

He has volunteered for parachute training but will be required to undergo routine advanced individual training prior to becoming a paratrooper. Upon completion of the eight-week ground course he will graduate to airborne training, where he will be taught the techniques of making a parachute jump.

He will receive advanced military training under direction of men and officers of the famous 187th Airborne RCT which saw action in World War II and Korea. The 187th returned to the United States in July of this year by airlift from Japan under "Operation Gyroscope" after five years of duty in Far East theater.

UNIVERSITY SPEAKER

Dr. John S. Dickey, president of Dartmouth College, will speak at 8 p.m., Friday, Dec. 9, at the University of Kentucky as a speaker in the UK Blazer Lectures Series. The lecture, open to all Kentuckians at no charge, will be held in UK's Lafferty Hall, also known as the law building.

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CHURCH GROUP MEETS

The Woman's Society of Christian Service of the Vogel-Day Methodist Church met in the basement of the church. Bradie Tackett was in charge of the worship service and program. The president, Mrs. Flora Hopkins, presented Mrs. Minnie Hatcher with a life membership pin. The meeting closed with prayer by Mrs. W. O. Patton. Refreshments were served to one guest, Miss Myrtle Small, of Huntington, W. Va., and the following members:

Flora Hopkins, Bradie Tackett, Betty Layne, Hattie Mae Hall, Arcolas Allen, Madonna Trimble, Mrs. W. O. Patton, Myrtle Small, Minnie Hatcher.

CLESTER IN ICELAND
S/Sgt. Innon Clester, of Garrett, Ky., arrived at Keflavik International Airport, Iceland, for assignment to the Iceland Air Defense Force.

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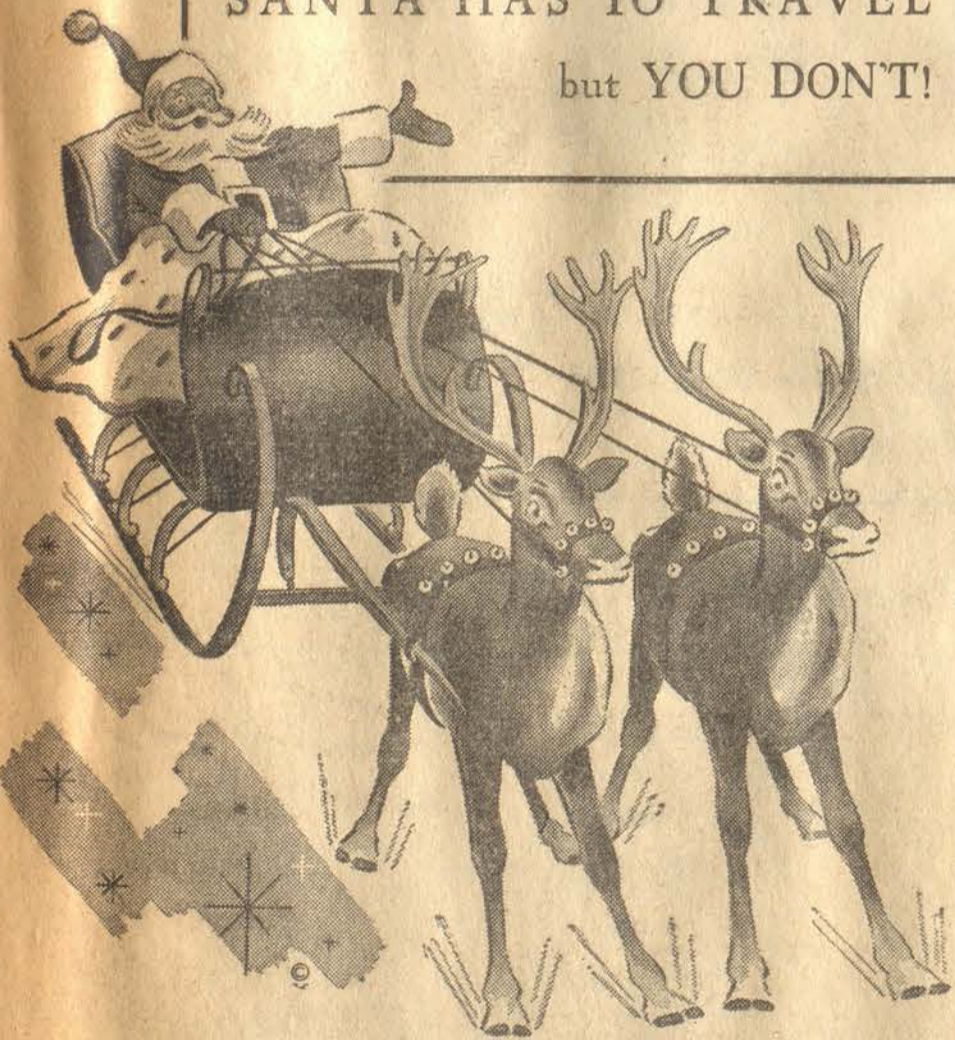
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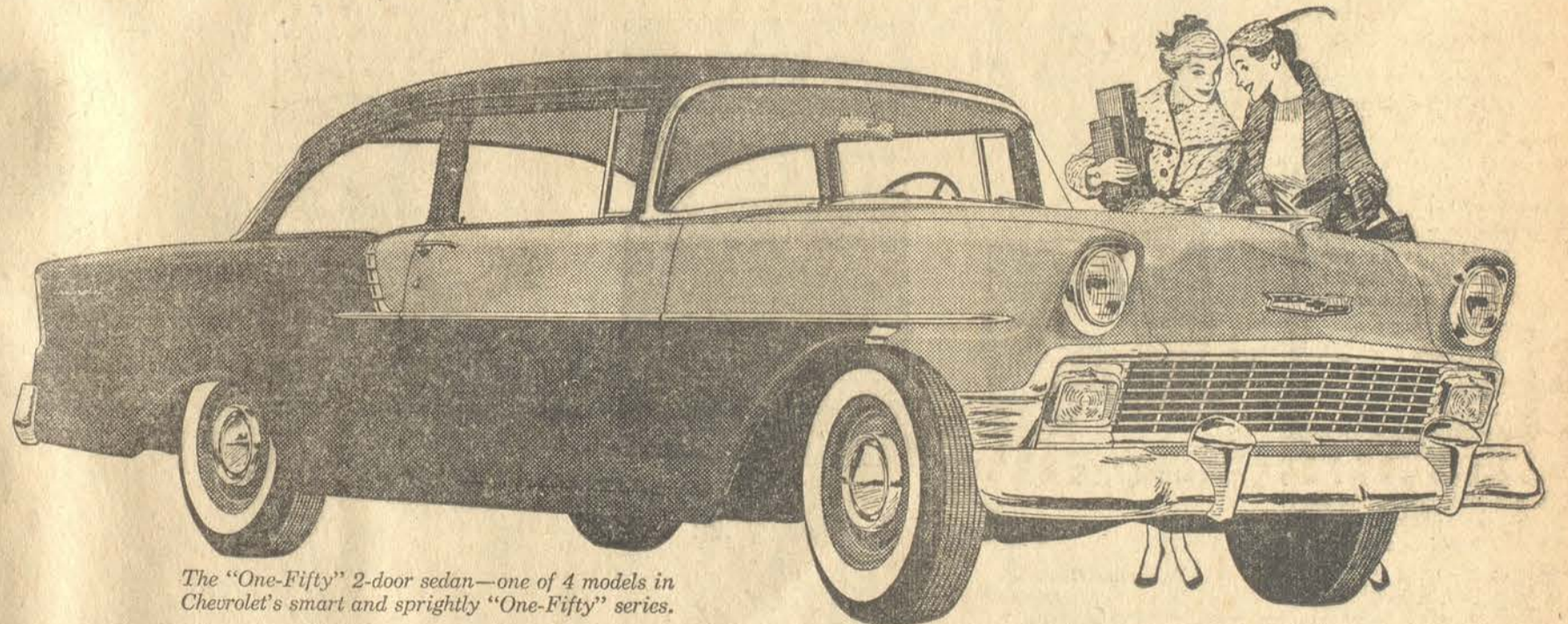
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Avers Every Farmer Should Have Social Security Information

Before income tax filing time, every self-employed farmer should make sure he has his social security number and that he knows how he is to report his self-employment for social security credit, Robert A. Flynn district manager Social Security Administration, Ashland, said this week.

Old-age insurance payments to a self-employed farmer and his wife at age 65 and to his survivors on his death are based upon these reports of his net earnings of \$400 or more yearly. As a self-employed person, he will pay a 3 per cent social security tax on his net earnings up to \$4200 in a year. This payment goes in as a part of his income tax return. Net earnings means the amount of income from farm operation after deducting farm operating expenses. These expenses (not living expenses) must be listed unless gross earnings are not over \$1800, in which case the farmer can report half of his gross as his net.

If he is also an employer and expects to pay at least \$100 cash wages to an employee during the year, then he will need an "employer's identification number" as well as his own social security number. He gets the employer's number from his District Director of Internal Revenue, and gets his social security number from the social security office. Any post office has application blanks.

Flynn said that several farm owners in the 65-or-older age group have come to his office to learn whether they can qualify to receive old-age payments. Those who are actually operating their own farms can qualify after they have been under social security for only two years after 1954.

Persons under age 65 must work longer, depending on their age. Those whose farms are worked by someone else on a lease or share arrangement are not, ordinarily, considered self-employed, so pay no social security tax and get no credit under the program.

A typical case where the owner is considered to be a landlord and not a self-employed person is as follows:

A landowner arranges with a share-farmer to produce a crop or livestock on the landowner's farm, for which the landowner will receive a share of the total crop or livestock or a share of the proceeds from their sale, and the amount of the landowner's share depends upon the total amount of the crop or the number of livestock produced.

Flynn cautioned, however, that there are many variations of farming arrangements and, when in doubt, the owner and the operator should both contact their social security office or District Director of Internal Revenue for more exact information.

H. Glenn Holyfield, resident representative, will be at the Employment Office, Prestonsburg, each Monday and Tuesday at 10 a.m., to answer all questions pertaining to social security laws and benefits.

Ways To Increase Egg Production

Suggestions for December, sent out by the Poultry Section of the University of Kentucky, says to sell pullets that are not laying. Allow three to four square feet of floor space per bird. Replenish nest material frequently.

Clover, alfalfa or lespedeza fed in the afternoon will help prevent cannibalism. Whole oats also should be fed. Try feeding the flock a wet mash in the middle of the morning and again in the middle of the afternoon. Pullets may be fed at noon. Better feeding brings more eggs.

It is not too early to put chicks in the brooder house for next year's layers.

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N. B. Sshleman, Regional Commissioner of Internal Revenue, Cincinnati, announces that Federal income tax forms for use during the 1956 filing season will go into the mails in time to reach taxpayers between December 27 and January 10.

Each taxpayer who filed in 1955 will be sent forms from the service's central mailing plant at Kansas City, based on his return for the previous year. Those taxpayers who have changed their addresses will receive their forms if the post office has a record of their new locations, Mr. Sshleman said.

1,000 STUDENTS SING

One thousand students from 76 Kentucky high schools assembled at the University of Kentucky last week to take part in the 1955 All State Chorus and the annual Kentucky State Vocal Clinic. Climax of the three-day event was a concert staged in UK's Memorial Coliseum under the direction of George Krueger, of Indiana University. Performing along with the All State Chorus was the Central Kentucky Youth Symphony under the direction of Marvin Rabin, member of the University music faculty.

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ALLEN

Mrs. Bennie Laferty, nee, Gwyn-dolen Branham, was honored with a miscellaneous shower Friday night of last week in the basement of the Methodist Church. Hostesses were Mrs. Willard Kinzer, Mrs. Harry Snodgrass, Mrs. George Laven, Mrs. Clarence Salyers, Mrs. Dewey Conn and Mrs. John Billter. Indoor games were played and refreshments were served. Attending and sending gifts were, Mesdames Claude Adkins, Sam Wallen, Pearl Parsons, Johnny Mosley, Woodrow Wells, Bennie Sammons, Allen Martin, Jim Flanery, Ben Webb, Ben Westfall, Tommy Westfall, G. B. Auxier, Bill Hunter, Willard Adkins, Lewis Robinson, Ray Clifton, Dave M. Flannery, Rose Kinzer, Julia Osborn, Audrey Martin, Eff Mosley, Fanny Workman, Vebra Thacker, Fanny Kine, Joey Maynard, Milt Martin, J. F. Runyan, Edgar Hall, Frank Crum, Allen Stone, Joy Conley, Harry Branham, Lee Pruitt, Ellis Hicks, Martha Porter, Theop Salmon, Troy Mullins, Palmer Crisp, J. W. Laferty, G. L. Gray, G. L. Laferty, Howard Collins, Harry Snodgrass, Wayne Ratliff, George Lavens, Russell Lavens, Lillian Burke, Denny Stone, David Louder, Harrison Frazier, Evalean Conn, Charles Callison, George Snodgrass, Ted Akers, Clarence Salyers, Edsil Salyers, Susan Frazier, Frank Gordon Gray, Walter Stewart, Melvin Ines, Forrest Johnson, Lucy Stapleton, Bill Sexton, Olin Elliott, Herman Porter, Henry Porter, Sr., Golda Short, James Henry Porter, Paul Porter, Gertrude Clay, Lizzie Carr, Willard Kinzer, Eugene Allen, Bill Malone.

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Mr. and Mrs. David Louder were visiting relatives in Winchester, Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Laferty, Mrs. G. L. Gray, Mrs. Sam Wallen were at Water Gap, Friday night. Mr. Laferty visited Ollie Ellis; Mrs. Laferty, Mrs. Wallen, and Mrs. Gray attended a miscellaneous shower honoring Mrs. Bill David Wallen in the Trimble Chapel Methodist Church. Mr. and Mrs. Wallen recently had their home and all its contents destroyed by fire. Hostesses were Mary Scutchfield, Anna Garrett, Thursa Dotson, Sina Bianton, Grace Ellis. Games were played and prizes were won by Mrs. Sally Scutchfield, Mrs. Jack DeRossett, and Mrs. Sam Wallen. Refreshments were served to a large number attending.

John Kane was a business visitor in Ohio over the week-end.

Doug Ratliff and Donald Ratliff spent the week-end here with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thurman Ratliff.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Laferty, Mrs. Flora Gray, Mrs. Maude Snodgrass, Mrs. Tincy Crisp, Mrs. Virginia Lushbaugh and Mrs. David Louder attended revival services in the Martin Methodist Church, Saturday night. The ladies' quartet of the Allen church, Mrs. Gray, Mrs. Crisp, Mrs. Snodgrass, Mrs. Lushbaugh, were guest-singers for the services.

Garrett Stone is a patient in the Beaver Valley hospital in Martin. Mrs. Stone was a patient also last week, but is improved and has returned to her home.

The small daughter of Rev. and Mrs. Francis Cordrey underwent a tonsilectomy at the Beaver Valley hospital last week. She has been quite ill but is improved.

Industrial Growth Is Cited in Report

Frankfort, Ky., Dec. 5 (Spl.) — Kentucky's industrial growth, as reflected by new manufacturing plants, the volume of commercial and industrial loans and bank deposits, was noted today by the State Agricultural and Industrial Development Board in a report of progress made in the year ending last June 30.

Joseph H. Taylor, executive director of the Development Board, said that during the period there were announcements of plans by 34 larger manufacturing plants — those employing 25 or more persons — to locate in the State.

The plants have an estimated employment of 4,500 persons and a plant investment of \$19,420,000. Information for the year July 1, 1953 to June 30, 1954 showed 30 new plants, employing 4,100 persons, with an estimated plant investment of \$25,500,000.

Taylor cites data compiled by the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation showing total commercial and industrial loans during the year ending last June 30 of \$198,360,000 — an increase of \$16,810,000 or 9.3 per cent for the year. For the nation as a whole the total was \$29,091,384,000 — up 10.5 per cent over the preceding year.

Bank deposits in Kentucky's state-chartered and national-chartered banks rose to \$1,787,008,000 or \$59,780,000 above the 1953-54 volume. Demand deposits accounted for \$1,456,016,000 and time deposits \$330,992,000. The increase was 3.5 percent, while nationally the total was \$132,129,826,000, up 4.1 per cent.

HANDEL'S "MESSIAH"

The University of Kentucky Chorus and Orchestra will present its annual presentation of Handel's "Messiah" at 8 p.m. Thursday, Dec. 15, in UK's Memorial Coliseum. Each year the University's Department of Music arranges this traditional program, and it is open to all Kentuckians at no charge. Handel's "Messiah" is concerned with the birth, death and resurrection of Christ. Prof. Almo Kiviniemi, member of the UK music faculty, will conduct the performance.

Wetherby Proclaims Amendments Official

Frankfort, Ky., Dec. 5 — Governor Wetherby proclaimed as official and put into effect the two constitutional amendments approved by the voters at the recent November election. One would lower the voters' minimum age requirement from 21 to 18 years, and the other remove personal household effects from the realm of state taxation. The Constitution requires that amendments not take effect until officially proclaimed.

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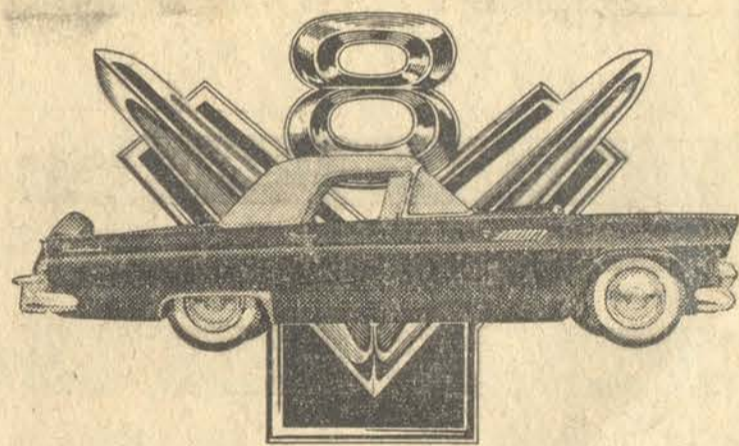
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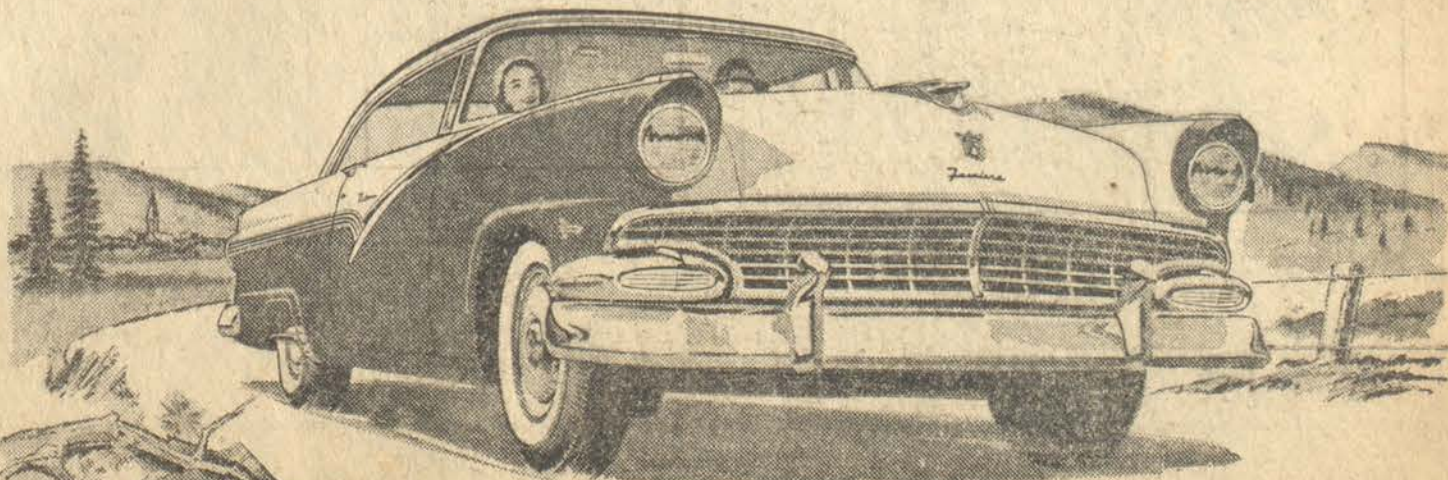
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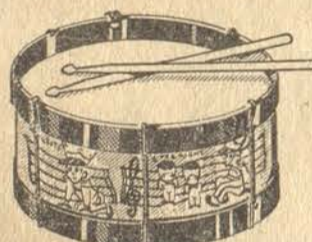
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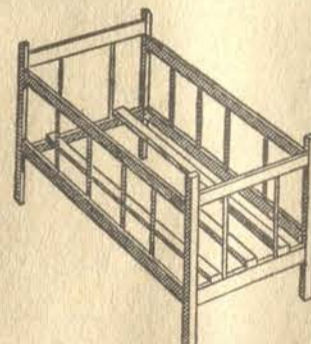
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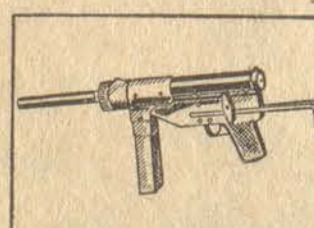


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Big Freight Truck And Semi-Trailer

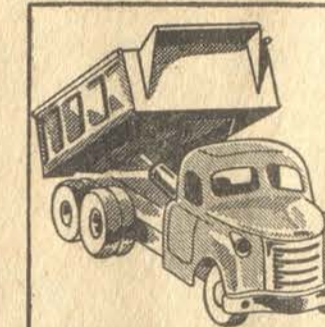
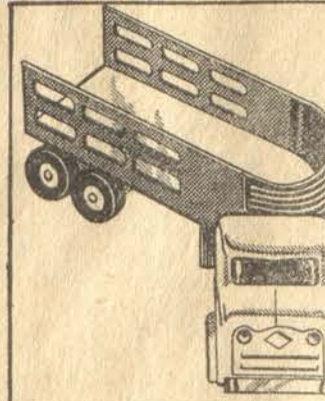
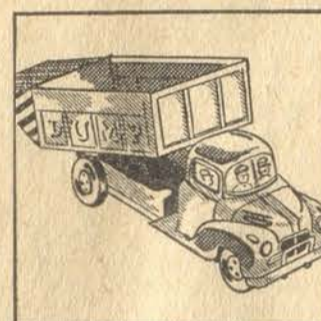
17-in. long **\$1.98**

Steel model, tandem wheels, detachable pivoting trailer.

Hydraulic Lift Steel Dump Truck

Automatic! **\$5.98**

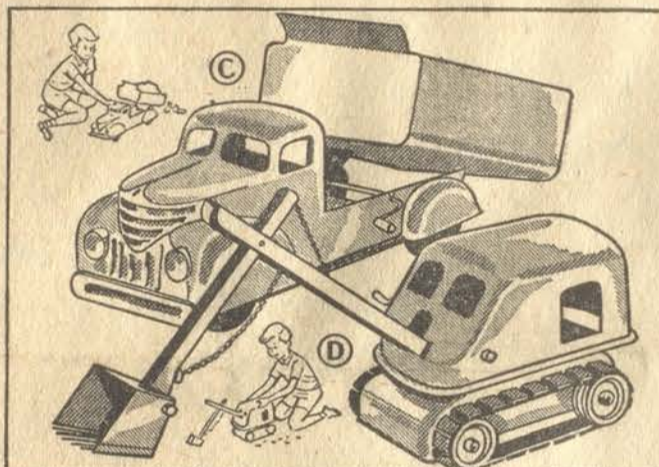
Body raises, dumps load automatically! 21-in. long.



Body Raises, Lowers! Metal Dump Truck

9½-in. long **98c**

Friction motor, moving tail gate, bumper, rubber tires!



(C) Dump Truck 22-in. long **\$2.98**

Hand lever raises dump body, tail gate opens. Steel.

(D) Steam Shovel "Tonka" model **\$2.98**

Rotating cab, ratchet crank control! Steel, 20-¾-in.



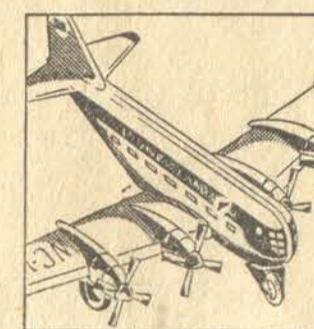
Mechanical "Marx" 28-¾-in Model FREIGHT TRAIN 84-in track! **\$2.98 Set**

Spring wind engine, caboose, gondola, tender cars, track.



Sparking Tractor Wind Motor **\$1.98**

Climbing 8½-in metal model. Shoots sparks thru exhaust.



Whirring Airliner 11½-in. Model **\$1.49**

Propellers spin! Metal Pan shoots sparks thru exhaust. American or Northwest style.

Hours of Thrilling Fun!

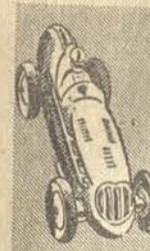


Stake Truck **59c**

Has drop end gate, rubber wheels! 7-inch metal model.

Siren Jeep **98c**

Friction motor, screaming siren! Metal, 7½-in.



Speedy Racer **25c**

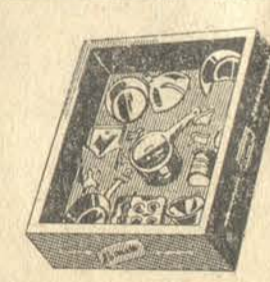
Plastic 6-inch racer with silver rim, rubber wheels

Modern Sport Car **98c**

"Flash color" plastic body, solid steel 8-in. chassis.



12 x 13-in. KITCHEN RANGE **\$1.98**



15-Piece Aluminum BAKE SET **\$1.98**

30-in. Doll Size Ironing Board **\$1.98**
Opens, closes
Deluxe all-steel board with perforated top, 22-in. high.



10 Watts, 120 Volts Electric Iron **98c**
6-foot cord
It's a real toy-size iron, U.L. approved! 5-¾-in.

6 Rooms! Miniature Furniture



Realistically detailed plastic! Nursery, living, dining, bedroom, bath or kitchen. Each room, gift boxed... **\$1.49**

For the Home

8-Pc. TV Snack Set **\$1.49**
Deep-cut crystal glass! 4 plates, 4 fitted cups.



Gift Glassware Deep-cut Designs! **39c - 49c - 59c**

Scalloped edge fruit bowl, cake-plate, gold trimmed sandwich tray, candy dish.

\$2 Value Colognes **\$1.00**

Plus F. E. T. Evening in Paris; Roman Holiday—in flower cart.

Package decorations25c
Table centerpiece59c
Candle figurines25c
6-bell door hanger49c
Christmas tree stand79c
Holly-berry wreath1.59

Trims, Wraps

Tree Ornaments **89c - \$1.29**
Box of 12 big 2-in. to 3¼ in. size. Balls, bells.



Electric Wreath **98c**

Crinkled red 12-in. cello wreath, electric candle.



Foil Gift Wrapping **25c**

2 glittering 20 x 26-in. sheets with gay designs.

Super Buys!

Foil icicle trim10c
Gay Styrofoam cane59c
Printed wrap paper15c
Tags, seals, cards10c
Fancy Tinsel ribbon25c
Crinkle tie ribbon25c
Cellophane ribbon10c
Christmas figurines10c

Glamour Gifts



60-Gauge Nylon **98c pr.**
Glamorous dark seams!
3 prs. gift boxed, \$2.77



Towel Set **1.98**

2 vivid floral print hand towels, matching washcloth.

Men's Socks

3 Pairs **1.00**

Argyle cotton style! Nylon reinforced foot.

Target game, stand98c
Oil Painting set \$1.79
Embroidery set98c
Bead-stringing set98c

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