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This Town— That World

It has been suggested that I change the name of this column from "This Town-That World" to "Allen's Alley," but I dunno. I get to changing titles around, and somebody will come up with a suggestion hinting Allen's Folly, and so on till I might wind up with so many complexes, inhibitions and the like that writing this thing would become a more difficult task even than it is now.

BEYOND MY RANGE

Speaking of columns, I am reminded that that grand newspaperman, Allan Trout, last week did his 5,000th "Greetings" column for The Courier-Journal. Handicapped by failing eyesight, —I almost said, "vision," but Trout's vision is as clear as day, however much he may be physically impaired, —the likeable Trout carries on in unruffled style, his humor and homespun philosophy unadulterated. Five thousand columns!—on this weekly sheet that would take me almost a hundred years. I see right now, Trout has me outdone in that department as well as others.

WHAT HIGHWAY?

There has been a law on the statute books of this state for a long time now which says you shan't shoot on the public highway. The law was there on the books long before this section had any roads to speak of, but it was violated all over the place, anywhere a man or a man on horseback could go.

This recalls the incident of the old farmer from Shelby Creek in Pike county who was summoned before the grand jury, the foreman of which knew the witness could tell about some of the boys whoopin' it up and ringing the well-known welkin with pistol shots from what passed as a public highway. The questioning led up to this matter in particular.

But the oldtimer demurred. Maybe he didn't want to tell or

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FLOYD DRIVE LAGS, REPORT

Fund Stands At Fourth Of Goal; Appeal Is Made For Interested Response

Miss Ella Noel White, executive secretary of Floyd Red Cross Chapter, said this week that at this stage of the fund-raising drive which began March 1 "the blood program in Floyd county looks like an impossibility."

She added, however, that if enough citizens of the county are interested in the blood program and the Red Cross armed services program there may yet be hope of reaching the county's goal.

With little more than \$2,000 raised, the county was only one-fourth the way toward reaching its quota, she said.

"It would help a lot if those interested in the blood and armed services programs would mail their contributions to the Red Cross here in Prestonsburg," Miss White said. The canvass of housewives will be made in Prestonsburg next Monday, and results of the solicitation work done by the Kiwanis Club are yet to be announced.

Strong support from hospitals of the county has been virtually assured if the drive for funds is successful enough to get the blood procurement program reinstated. This support may amount to as much as \$1,500, it was said.

Court House Happenings

SUITS FILED

James Cole vs. Virgil Rowe; W. A. Johnson, atty. Mary Cecil, et al vs. Melvin H. Goble; Paul E. Hayes, atty. Hazel Osborne vs. Mary Osborne; Jarvis Allen, atty. Susie Begley, et al vs. Floyd County Coal Co.; W. W. Burchett, atty. Walter Martin, et al vs. Glo Valley Coal Corp.; R. S. Wellman, atty. Aliene Gilliam vs. Nelse Gilliam; Burnis Martin, atty. J. B. Clarke vs. John D. Collins, et al; J. B. Clarke, atty. Anna L. Hall, gdn. vs. Clarence Sexton; Tackett & Tackett, attys.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Claybourne Jones, 20, and Zettie Conn, 24, Charles Mollett, 21, Clersie Dye, 17, Bill Spradlin and Geneva Chaffins.

TOUGH POLICY ON POLLUTION IS TALK HERE

Commission Counsel Says Prestonsburg Must Join Anti-Pollution Program

Talk of anti-stream pollution measures to be taken by Prestonsburg and other towns of this section has reached the "tough talk" stage.

That action, not words, will be required, and in the not-too-distant future, was the tenor of statements made here last week by William Lamkin, attorney for the Kentucky Stream Pollution Control Commission.

Mr. Lamkin urged City Attorney S. C. Ferguson to advise city officials to speed up action on the proposed bond issue pending here. He also discussed with Joe Hobson, attorney who filed a suit to halt the bond issue, and who later agreed to an issue of \$500,000 worth of bonds, the necessity under the law of a sewage treatment system for Prestonsburg. Action to make this system possible is a "must," Lamkin said, adding that if it is not done by issuance of bonds it will eventually have to be done at the expense of the taxpayers by general tax levy.

M. V. Clark, county health administrator, who sat in on the conference, quoted Lamkin as saying that if planning of a sewage treatment system is not started legal action may be instituted to force action here upon expiration of the present extension of time granted Prestonsburg in which to control stream pollution.

Mr. Hobson and City Attorney Ferguson informed the Commission's attorney that an agreement has been reached whereby the hitherto-expressed opposition to the bond issue has agreed to a \$500,000 issue, with the understanding that the money is to be used to construct a water plant and a sewage treatment system. It is generally agreed here that \$500,000 will not do both jobs.

Lamkin said both Paintsville and Pikeville are on the way with their plans to correct the sewage disposal situation. He said that he will return here for a meeting with the City Council and interested citizens if such a meeting can be arranged. An effort will be made to schedule such a meeting soon, it was said.

Federal and state governments have already begun compulsory action against some municipalities guilty of dumping raw sewage into streams, Health Administrator Clark said. Prestonsburg, Paintsville and other communities are operating under yearly permits to continue such disposal of raw sewage. These permits were given to give communities a reasonable

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COUNTY FACES TYPHOID PERIL

Three Cases of Disease Reported Here, With One At Harold After Flood

Floyd county faces the threat of typhoid fever as an aftermath of floods which have affected every section of the county, it was said here this week by M. V. Clark, Floyd County Health Department administrator, as he reported four cases of the disease.

Three of the typhoid cases are in Prestonsburg—15 year-old Carl Brickley, Mary Wright, adult, of West Prestonsburg and Judith Leslie, 9. The fourth is Paul Goble, 9, son of Estill Goble, of Harold.

Mr. Clark warned residents of the county that if typhoid immunizations are not up to date no time should be wasted in taking the inoculations.

"Excessive rainfall which has washed all the sewage and other surface filth into streams has polluted drinking water sources and deposited the waste load on streets of towns, in basements and in other places where it may contaminate food and water," Clark warned.

He added that the health department is keeping on office duty all day Mondays and Thursdays and till noon on Saturday a nurse to administer typhoid shots. This service is without charge.

The three typhoid cases reported here this week are the first in Prestonsburg in several years, and the outbreak is one of the few to occur in Floyd county over a long period of time.

Widescale immunization of school children is planned here.

Installation of Gauge Here To Predict Crests Of River at Water Plant

The U. S. Weather Bureau is planning the installation of a river gauge at Prestonsburg in the near future. The Times was informed this week by Leroy C. Stone, meteorologist in charge at Huntington. The plant will probably be installed at the water plant, Mr. Stone says, "and will furnish river stage forecasts for all major rises in the future."

SCHOLARSHIP OFFER MADE

Princess Elkhorn Again Offers 5 College Grants As Program Continued

Princess Elkhorn Coal Company, of David, announced this week that it will again offer five college scholarships this spring in continuance of a program established in 1944.

Any graduating senior in Floyd or Johnson county may compete for a four-year scholarship with an annual value of \$400. The recipient of this award may study engineering, medicine, theology or teaching at the college of his choice.

Two four-year scholarships with an annual value of \$400 will be awarded to sons of Princess Elkhorn employees to study mining, electrical, or mechanical engineering. The first scholarship year will be spent at Pikeville College, the remaining three years at the University of Kentucky.

Two scholarships are for daughters of company employees who may choose to attend Pikeville College for two years or to attend the Saint Mary's School of Nursing, Huntington, West Virginia, for three years. The Pikeville College scholarship has an annual value of \$500. For the nursing scholarship, all school expenses, which amount to about \$150 per year, are paid.

The scholarship chairman for Princess Elkhorn Coal Company, John W. Stratton, has announced that the scholarships will be awarded on the following basis: (1) results of competitive examinations; (2) high school grades; (3) high school and community activities; (4) character and personality ratings; (5) need; (6)

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RESIDUAL OIL THREAT TOLD

Floyd Coal Operator Says Import Is the 'Black Tide Of Destruction' To Coal

George E. Evans, of Estill, president of the Glo Valley Coal Corporation, told members of the Big Sandy-Elkhorn Coal Mining Institute at a Pikeville dinner meeting Saturday night that the "Life Blood of Venezuela" is becoming "the black tide of destruction" which threatens the coal industry of the United States.

Evans advocated quotas on imports as "the only solution to the problem of unfair competition of imported residual oil." He said that American coal "can compete very well with the American oil industry."

Evans explained that Venezuela produces some 2,000,000 barrels of oil daily, constituting 95 per cent of its exports. After gasoline, kerosene, and other lighter oils have been removed through the refining process, 60 per cent of the petroleum remains as residual oil. This has no value, Evans said, except as fuel to be used under boilers.

It is this product, he continued, "that is today strangling the coal industry of our country as this waste oil is being dumped on our eastern seaboard at ridiculously low prices. It is displacing coal at the rate of 33,000,000 tons a year."

Residual-oil imports, he said, displaced three times as much coal as the Big Sandy-Elkhorn field produced last year. "Had coal been used instead of this residual oil, it would have provided employment for 25,000 miners."

Evans reviewed unsuccessful efforts in the House of Representatives to place a quota on residual-oil imports to protect east coast coal market. Evans pointed out that similar legislation now is being considered in the Senate.

He said that Senator Neeley of West Virginia, who has been holding hearings in unemployment, including joblessness in this area, has introduced an amendment in the Senate that would place a quota on the

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SCHOOLS NEAR PERFECT MARK

On Requests for Vaccine To Prevent Polio; Only One Fails To Cooperate

Except for one, the upwards of 30 schools which have sent in partial requests froms for the proposed polio vaccination next month have been nearly 100 per cent in requesting this protection for their first and second grade children, Miss Blanche Dingsus, chairman of the committee handling parental requests, said this week.

All parental requests should be in Miss Dingsus' hands by next Thursday. Only those children whose parents sign these request forms will be given the Salk vaccine which has been developed as polio preventive.

Arrangements must be made now for vaccinations so that no time will be lost in using the vaccine, should it be found effective. Otherwise, the county might find itself with a vaccine capable of preventing polio paralysis, but unprepared to use it before the peak of the 1955 season.

The report on the vaccine is expected April 12 from the Poliomyelitis Vaccine Evaluation Center at the University of Michigan. There, scientists are studying records on 1,830,000 children who were included in the 1954 trial of the Salk polio vaccine. Until their report is made, and it is known whether this vaccine really works, it cannot be licensed. Of course, if it is not licensed, it will not be used.

Manufacturers are now producing vaccine. This has been made possible by use of March of Dimes Funds to purchase efficient vaccine to help keep manufacturing plants in operation. The National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis took this step to make sure vaccine would be on hand, if licensed. Otherwise, there would not have been time to manufacture and use it before next polio season.

DAMRON ASKS VENUE CHANGE

Pike, Adjoining Counties 'Poisoned and Inflamed' In 'Torso' Case, Claim

Wilard "Catfish" Damron petitioned last Thursday for a change of venue for his retrial in the "torso" murder case on the ground that the public in Pike and adjoining counties has been "poisoned and inflamed" against him.

Attorneys for the Boldman, poolroom operator presented the petition to the Circuit Court Clerk, setting fourth 14 points of alleged error and antagonism against him at his first trial last November.

The jury at that trial disagreed and Damron is free on \$15,000 bond pending his second trial, which is scheduled to start Monday.

This feeling which Damron contended made impossible a fair and impartial retrial resulted from circulation of statements by "members of the sheriff's office, county attorney, state police, and influential citizens," he said.

Damron is charged with slaying Clyde Jack Clements, a former Tennessean and fugitive from Pike county jail. A body without head, arms, or legs found on Johns Creek last May 31 was said to have been that of Clements.

Dewey Shad-Killing Job Biggest Done in State

What is possibly the biggest fish-killing operation ever undertaken in Kentucky waters was begun at Dewey Lake Tuesday as poison was sprayed from an airplane in an attempt to rid the 20-mile-long impoundment of an over-supply of large shad.

Although low temperature of the water caused fish to sink, and the visible results were not so spectacular as many expected, the poisoning job was considered a success. The shad population is being materially reduced, and some small bluegill and crappie also are being killed.

The work at Dewey was expected to be concluded Wednesday, but may continue for a time this morning (Thursday). A plane flying from the Paintsville golf



EUVONDA LAWSON
Courier-Journal Winner



RODNEY BUSSEY
Herald-Dispatch Winner

SPELLING BEES FULL DAY JOB

44 Compete Saturday In Bees Regarded Best Ever Staged in County

Spellers of the Floyd county school system did such a good job of arranging the right letters in their proper order here Saturday that before the last of the 44 youngsters competing in the Herald-Dispatch and Courier-Journal bees had spelled the last word the day was almost spent.

"It was by far the best group of spellers we have had since I have had anything to do with the bees," Clem Martin, director of the contests in this county, said. Others who had attended most of the countywide spelling contests since these events were initiated

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agreed with him. Some of the boys and girls this time spelled their way through the standard spelling book and went deep into the special lists provided by the sponsoring newspapers.

Winner of the Herald-Dispatch was 13-year-old Rodney Bussey, pupil of Oliver Allen in the David school. He is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Dawson Bussey, of David. Rodney won when Judith Carol Dixon, 13, of the Allen grade school, missed "admissible." He spelled that word and went on to clinch the matter by negotiating the next, which was "admission." Miss Dixon is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Dixon, of Allen, and her teacher is Alton Crisp. Both youngsters will rep-

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Observance of Easter Starts on Good Friday

Observance of the Easter season in Prestonsburg churches will begin Friday, April 8, at 3 p.m., when Good Friday services will be held at the First Methodist Church, it was announced this week by the Prestonsburg Ministerial Association.

The sermon will be delivered by the Rev. Harold W. Dorsey, pastor of the Methodist Church. Special music will be rendered by quartets and the community choir, vocalists from all local churches.

The Easter sunrise service, second of the season's community services, will be held at 6:30 a.m., at the playground here, with the Rev. Ira McMillen, Jr., pastor of Irene Cole Memorial Baptist Church, delivering the message. An estimated 300 attended this service last year, and the Ministerial Association expressed the hope that gatherings at least as large as those of last year will attend both the Good Friday and Easter sunrise services this year.

Party Of Engineers At Work on Survey Of Route To Auxier

A large party of engineers were at work this week on a survey of the route from Prestonsburg to Auxier which is considered as a future bypass of the present route of U. S. 23 over Abbott mountain.

County Attorney Hollie Conley said he was told a completely new survey of the route will be necessary.

The road between Prestonsburg and Auxier is in bad condition, and at one point is in danger of slipping into the river.

It was not known if the present survey means work on the highway this year, but officials were greatly encouraged. Contract already has been awarded on the part of the route which will extend from the Auxier bridge via Dewey dam to Van Lear.

J. H. NUNNERY HEART VICTIM

Prominent Grocer Dies Monday Evening While On Way To Home Here

James Henderson Nunnery, 62 years old, prominent Prestonsburg business man, died late Monday afternoon, a matter of minutes after he was stricken by a heart attack while driving to Prestonsburg from his farm on Little Paint Creek.

He apparently had deliberately driven into the ditch at the upper side of the highway, near the foot of Abbott mountain on Little Paint, when he sensed his condition. Those who reached him shortly afterward said he had turned off the ignition key of his truck, which had been barely nosed into the hillside. Mr. Nunnery had worked at his store and farm throughout the day and was apparently in good health.

Mr. Nunnery first entered the grocery business here in 1912 when he and his brother, Tom Nunnery, were partners of their uncle, the late Sherman Nunnery. He later purchased the building at the corner of Third and Graham streets, in which his present grocery and drygoods stores are operated, and had been in business there since 1919. A man of great energy, he was one of the section's most successful merchants and farmers. He was widely known in the Big Sandy valley, and had many friends.

Mr. Nunnery at one time was a teacher, and had served here as member of the City Council and City Board of Education. He was a son of Mrs. Addie Scalf Nunnery, of Prestonsburg, and the late John Riley Nunnery. He was born at Gulnare, Pike county.

He was first married to Miss Octavia Brown and of this union

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Closed Lancer Business Opens Again; Citizens To Petition Re-closing

The roadside place of business operated at Lancer by the Joseph brothers continued to claim the attention of residents of that community, and may be due for further attention from authorities, it was indicated Wednesday afternoon.

The place was closed last week by Sheriff Gorman Collins on orders of County Judge Henry Stumbo, but was reopened a few days later. Both the Sheriff and County Judge asserted it was reopened without their permission. County Attorney Hollie Conley said he had learned the business was being operated in the name of a former operator, "Slim" Ratliff, who had a roadhouse license. Judge Stumbo last week said a roadhouse license is not transferable.

Wednesday afternoon, County Attorney Conley was preparing at the request of a group of Lancer citizens another petition calling on Judge Stumbo to order the place closed again.

CANCER FUND GOAL, \$1,168

Miss Powers, Chairman, Asks Volunteer Support; Drive To Start Friday

The American Cancer Society's 1955 crusade for \$1,660 here swings into action in Floyd county today.

That amount is this county's share in a nation-wide goal of \$24,000,000.

Last year the Society raised in Floyd county approximately \$1,300, of which the community of Wheelwright contributed about \$900. Mrs. Harry Benner is community chairman there. "Both the national and local goal have been increased this year," Miss Mary Elizabeth Powers, ACS campaign chairman for the county, explained this week, "because of the increased demands for funds for research, education, and service to the cancer patient. There can be no slackening in our research program—the greatest ever put into action against a disease."

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20-Year Teachers Here Honored by City Board



Teachers with 20 years service or more at the luncheon in their honor here, Tuesday afternoon, when they were accorded recognition by the Prestonsburg Board of Education. Left to right: Mrs. Kitty Sandige, Miss Anna Martin, Mrs. Irene Stephens, Mrs. Fanny Jarrell, Mrs. Victoria Spradlin, Mrs. Anna Mellon, Mrs. Virginia Stephens, Mrs. Frances Jones, Mrs. May K. Roberts and Mrs. Evelyn Salisbury. Twenty-year teachers not shown in photo are Mrs. Edna Collins, Mrs. Margaret Collins, Miss Anna Laura May.

"We meet today to honor a group of our teachers who are old in experience but young at heart," said Chalmers H. Frazier, city superintendent of schools, Tuesday afternoon when he presented 13 teachers of the local school system pins for 20-year service. The occasion was a luncheon at the grade school cafeteria sponsored by the City Board of Education in honor of the teachers and as a part of Teacher Appreciation Week observances over the state.

"You represent approximately three centuries of service above self to the children of this community," Frazier said. He remarked that they had not come to reminisce of the past "because too much yet remains to be done and some of the memories are a little too sacred to parade. By precept and example you have effected eternity because you can never tell where your influence will stop."

Present at the luncheon honoring the teachers were four mem-

COURT ORDERS OTHER ACTION ON SALARIES

Directs Conley To File Suits Against Officials Audit Showed Overpaid

An action taken by the Floyd fiscal court last Friday threatens reopening of a whole flock of court cases involving present and former county officials who allegedly received pay for their services in excess of the Constitutional limit.

The order directed County Attorney Hollie Conley to file suits against all present and former county officials who appear to be indebted to the county for excessive fees as established by the Cotton audit.

Moreover, the court directed County Attorney to file suits against present and former County Judges "where it appears that said officials collected a criminal fee and failed to turn same over to Floyd county." This paragraph of the order specifies that the suits may go back 15 years on County Judges.

The audit made by Cotton & Company, Louisville accountants, showed that all officials whose records the form audited had collected more than the Constitutional limit, but its findings were inconclusive because, it said, records of expenditures were incomplete.

The fiscal court later settled with various officials on the basis of the audit, allowing claims of expenses. Some of the suits filed by the Floyd County Good Government Tax League were dismissed by Special Judge Lawrence Grauman, while two or three others are yet to be decided by Special Judge Speckman. Yet another suit in which the fiscal court was the plaintiff has not been carried through to a decision.

The motion leading to last Friday's order was made by Magistrate John May, who later explained he was not "out to get anybody but believed in all officials being treated alike. The motion was seconded by Magistrate Ellis Martin, and the vote was unanimous."

Circuit Judge Edward P. Hill, a former County Judge, has paid into the county treasury \$33.50 on criminal fees, it was said this week.

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ATTEND HUBBARD RITES

Among those attending the funeral of Rev. Malcolm Hubbard were Rev. Isaac Stratton, Willard Burchett, Mrs. Joe Cram and daughters Jackie and Peggy, Mrs. Ruth Owens, Kemele, and Naomi, of Pikeville, Mrs. Wade Blackburn, Lucy Mae Crisp and son, Jimmy, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Burchett, Mr. and Mrs. Bradis Goble, Virgie Hinchman, Mr. and Mrs. Larcie Goble, Ike Goble, and daughter, Lige Goble, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Kendrick, Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Harris.

Dates chosen for the Greenup County Fair are Sept. 28 to Oct. 24.

Suicide of Husband Told Woman Visiting Relatives in County

Simon Cole, a former resident of Brainard, this county, ended his life last Thursday at Marshall, Mich., by firing a revolver bullet into his body, his widow learned while visiting relatives on Middle Creek.

Without funds to pay her fare back to Michigan after learning Sunday of her husband's death, Mrs. Cole walked to Salsersville in an attempt to raise the money. Failing, she returned here where Ella Noel White, executive secretary of Floyd Chapter, American Red Cross, made the trip for and her two daughters possible through Red Cross funds. They left here by bus, Tuesday morning.

Surviving, besides the widow, are two sons, Texas Cole, Marshall, Mich., Denver Cole, in Germany with the U. S. Army, Beverly and Luna Cole. Burial was made Wednesday at Marshall.



EMMA J. HALL
Courier-Journal Runner-up



JUDITH CAROL DIXON
Herald-Dispatch Runner-up

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Here is the way the spelling went, in the order in which the spellers went down:

Herald-Dispatch Bee

Winifred Hamilton, Banner school, missed "wherever"; Lucille Johnson, Weeksbury, "machine"; Earl D. Collins, Salisbury, "especially"; Carol Smith, Martin, "curious"; Larry Blevins, Maytown, "poison"; Carmel Newman, Betsy Layne, "benefited"; Norma Jean Tackett, Melvin, "prairie"; Brenda Wilson, Auxier, "practical"; Alphaeta Campbell, Brandy Keg, "university"; Etonda Sturgill, Harold, "inconvenience"; Anna Ruth Wells, Bosco, "acquaintance"; Wanda Lou Reynolds, Tesberry, "intelligence"; Juanita Moore, Stone Coal, "commission"; Jacqueline Bolen, Garrett, "civilization"; Loyce Rae Hicks, Pitts Fork, "apparently"; Jack Wicker, Lackey, "possession"; Eunice Craft, Spradlin Branch, "permanent"; Emma Lou Holbrooks, Clear Creek, "academy"; Joan Cox, Wheelwright, "acknowledge"; Thelma Combs, McDowell, "acquittal"; then the runner-up and winner.

Courier-Journal Contest

Fern Hall, Melvin, "chose"; Richard Wireman, Auxier, "radio"; Lois Dean Riley, Harold, "training"; Myra Gibson, Maytown, "buried"; Carol Sue Combs, Bosco, "courageous"; Billy Edward Goble, Brandy Keg, "again"; Hester Hall, Salisbury, "engineer"; Louise Vanover, Weeksbury, "governor"; Cleon Hall, Lackey, "sleigh"; Gennivene Conn, Upper Prater Creek, "advise"; Priscilla Ann Hall, Wheelwright, "dining"; Shirley Harmon, David, "niece"; Mary Frances Osborne, Martin, "labeled"; Smitty Joe Mitchell, Ligon, "alleys"; Glenda Fay Little Wayland, "probably"; Wilma Carol Howell, Spradlin Branch, "tremble"; Larry Newman, Betsy Layne, "pursuing"; Sidney Allen, Garrett, "midst"; Carl D. Dixon, Allen, "gallery"; Lois Allen, Johnson school, "moral." These were followed by the runner-up and champion in this division.

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acceptance by the institution to be attended; and (7) continuation of the scholarship requires that the student maintain a scholastic average which meets the institution's graduation requirements.

At the present time there are 12 young people attending college under the scholarship program. Five are at Pikeville College, of which three will transfer to the University of Kentucky next fall; one is attending Eastern Kentucky State College; one of attending Georgetown College; one is at St. Mary's School of Nursing; and four are at the University of Kentucky.

During the 11 years the company's program has been in effect, 41 young men and women have attended college with grants from Princess Elkhorn Coal Company. In 1954 four young people completed their scholarships. One of these was graduated from Eastern "With Distinction."

Mr. Stratton also announced that all who are interested in applying for any of the 1955 scholarships should contact their high school principals who have application forms.

IRENE COLE MEMORIAL BAPTIST CHURCH
Ira McMillen, Jr., Pastor

"Where Everybody Is Somebody"
9:45 a.m., Sunday school.
11:00 a.m., Worship — "The Death of Christ."

6:30 p.m., Baptist Training Union.

7:30 p.m., Worship—"The Revival Depends on..."

Mission Sunday Schools
9:30 a.m., Lancer Baptist Mission.

10:00 a.m., David Baptist Chapel.

11:15 a.m., Holbrook Baptist Mission.

1:30 p.m., Home Branch Baptist Mission.

2:00 p.m., Benedict Baptist Chapel.

2:00 p.m., Upper Cow Creek Baptist Mission.

2:00 p.m., Ivy Creek Baptist Mission.

2:00 p.m., Blue River Baptist Mission.

2:00 p.m., Needmore Baptist Mission.

You are extended a cordial invitation to attend the Sunday school nearest to your home.

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feared reprisal if he told. Anyway, he got to thinking about that pitiful excuse for a road on Shelby Creek and the question about shooting on the public highway. So he finally answered the grand jury with a question of his own:

"Now who in the heck do you think would waste out in the middle of the creek just to shoot a pistol?"

ANYWAY, HE WAS WHITTLED DOWN

Most of us, I think, believe in prayer. This may or may not be apropos, but the incident, which actually occurred, makes a story too good to go unrecorded.

Friend of mine whose religion is deep and sincere was at the courthouse, the other day, and I asked him what he was doing. "Waiting on the judge and the state police," he replied, explaining that he had been cited for driving at a speed of about 50 miles in what they said was a 35-mile zone. Then he added:

"I had just bought a nice, new car, and was driving along thanking my Lord that I was able to own such a car. And while I was doing this, actually paying no attention to speed and the surroundings, I also asked God to keep me from being proud. I asked Him to whittle me down to size. . . . And just that very moment the state trooper pulled me to the side of the road."

BRIGHT RED, PREFERABLY

This might be dedicated to Henry D. Fitzpatrick, Sr., he of the bright, red accoutrements:

Some may long for the soothing touch of lavender, cream or mauve; but the ties I wear must possess the glare of a red-hot kitchen stove. . . . I like calm hats and I don't wear spats—but I want my neckties wild. . . . I yearn, I long for a tie so strong it will take two men to tie it; if such there be, just show it to me—whatever the price I'll buy it. . . . Give me a wild tie, brother, one with a lot of sins—a tie that will blaze in a hectic gaze, down where the vest begins!

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- POTTED MEAT 10 cans 89c
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- SUGAR 10 lbs. 99c
- SALT 10 lbs. 39c
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County Attorney Holle Conley did not indicate this week when he will prepare the several suits for filing.

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Bank Here To Exhibit Work of Local Artist

The First National Bank of Prestonsburg this week announced an art exhibit, featuring paintings by the most renowned artist in Eastern Kentucky, Prestonsburg's Reba H. Mayo.

The exhibit will open Friday, April 22, and will be open to the public during business hours daily through April 30.

Mrs. Mayo is at home in any medium. The display will include oils, pastels, water colors, charcoals, etc. Scenes, historical paintings of interest to this section, portraits and other works will be included in the exhibit. Jennie Wiley's Escape, John Graham's Castle, Bursting Bombs, The Snake Handlers, Dogwood Year, Abbott Mountain, and the Little White Church in the Hills are some of the works to be exhibited.

Mrs. Mayo is a member of the American Water Color Society, the Dallas Art Association, the Art Center Association of Louisville and the Tri-State Creative Arts Association, Huntington, W. Va. Her paintings and portraits now hang in Huntington, Dallas, Atlanta, Washington, New York, Oklahoma City and other art centers as well as in many smaller cities.

Among her better known portraits are those of Mrs. Thomas and Theda Bibb, Florence Howard, Irene McIntosh, Julia Mayo and Elizabeth Archer May.



Weddington Announces Additional Appointments

Additional appointments on committees to aid Joe Weddington as manager in this county for A. B. "Happy" Chandler, candidate for Governor, were announced this week. Other appointments will be announced from time to time. Weddington says.

Appointments made are: Speakers committee, Rev. Carl Senters, of Betsy Layne; farmers committee, S. D. Waddles, of Bonanza; advertising committee, Ed Hampton, of Martin, Lee Alley, of Galveston, and Isadore Horn, of Lackey; retail merchants committee, Everett Hall of Wheelwright, Alex Patton, of Auxier; publicity committee, Arthur Sturgill; labor committee, John Branham, of Martin, and "Bug Dust" Evans, of Auxier; headquarters committee, O. C. Howell, of Allen; absentee ballot committee, Thurman Dingus, of Martin, Gene Akers, of Drift, and Johnny Rupp, of Wheelwright.

Chandler and Harry Lee Waterfield, candidate, for lieutenant-governor, are expected to be present here at the opening of campaign headquarters, Friday.

EDUCATOR'S CONSULTANT

Dr. Hugh D. Laughlin, associate professor of education at Ohio State University, was the principal consultant at a conference held this week at the University of Kentucky on the education of young adolescents. Approximately 100 specialists, most of them from Kentucky, attended the affair.

JEWISH GROUP MAKE PLANS

The Jewish community of Lexington will hold a program at the University of Kentucky on April 4, in connection with the nation-wide celebration of the 300th anniversary of the Jewish settlement in America. Maurice Samuels, novelist, lecturer and translator, will be the speaker.

State Petroleum Group To Hear Louisville Man At Paintsville Meeting

Herbert L. Clay, Louisville, will address one of a series of 32 statewide meetings at the Hotel Herald, Paintsville, Monday, according to an announcement by Marvin Music, Floyd county chairman of the Petroleum Industries Committee. Committee members from Floyd, Johnson, Magoffin, Martin and Morgan counties will attend.

Mr. Clay is executive secretary of the Kentucky Petroleum Industries Committee, a state organization of 1,500 active members in every county dedicated to the active support of policies beneficial to highway users and the industry when such policies pass the test of being in the general public interest.

Leaders of groups especially interested in road development will be welcome to attend this meeting of oil men. The meeting will start at 7:00 p.m. with dinner and the business session will follow at 7:30 p.m. EST. County Petroleum Industries Committee officers will be elected and the general P. I. C. policies and legislative program outlined and approved.

JOURNALISTS HEAR NEWSMAN

Richard Oberlin, news director of Louisville's Radio Station WHAS and WHAS-TV, told a group of future journalists this week at the University of Kentucky that a newsgatherer in any type of communications should "first be a good reporter." He spoke at the University's School of Journalism as a lecturer in the Sigma Delta Chi lecture series.

ROOM FOR RENT to business woman—Reasonable. Mrs. Whaley, 302 Third avenue, Prestonsburg—Phone 7732 3-31-2t

A report by Henry County Agent O. D. Perkinson says "tobacco growers are confused."

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ATTENTION

In last week's Times my name was listed on a committee for Floyd county in "Happy" Chandler's campaign. I have never in my life taken an active part in a political campaign and do not intend to do so now.

E. R. Burke.

ENROLLS AT U. OF L.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse L. Wright are now residing in Louisville. Recently honorably discharged from the U. S. Marine Corps, Mr. Wright, a son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry B. Wright, of West Prestonsburg, is enrolled as a junior student in the Political Science department at the University of Louisville.

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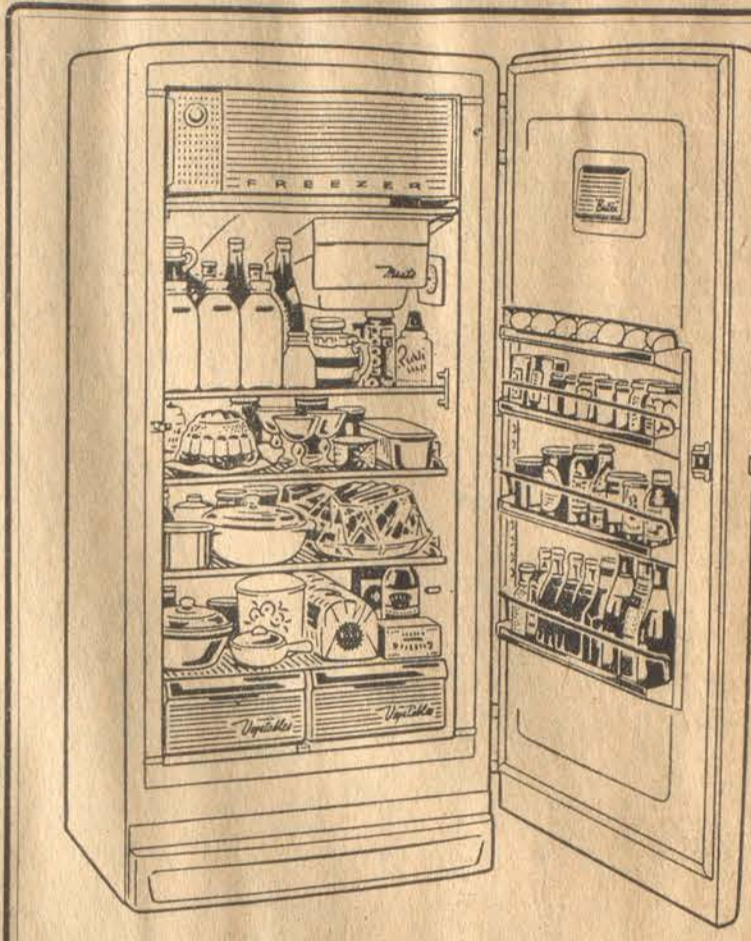
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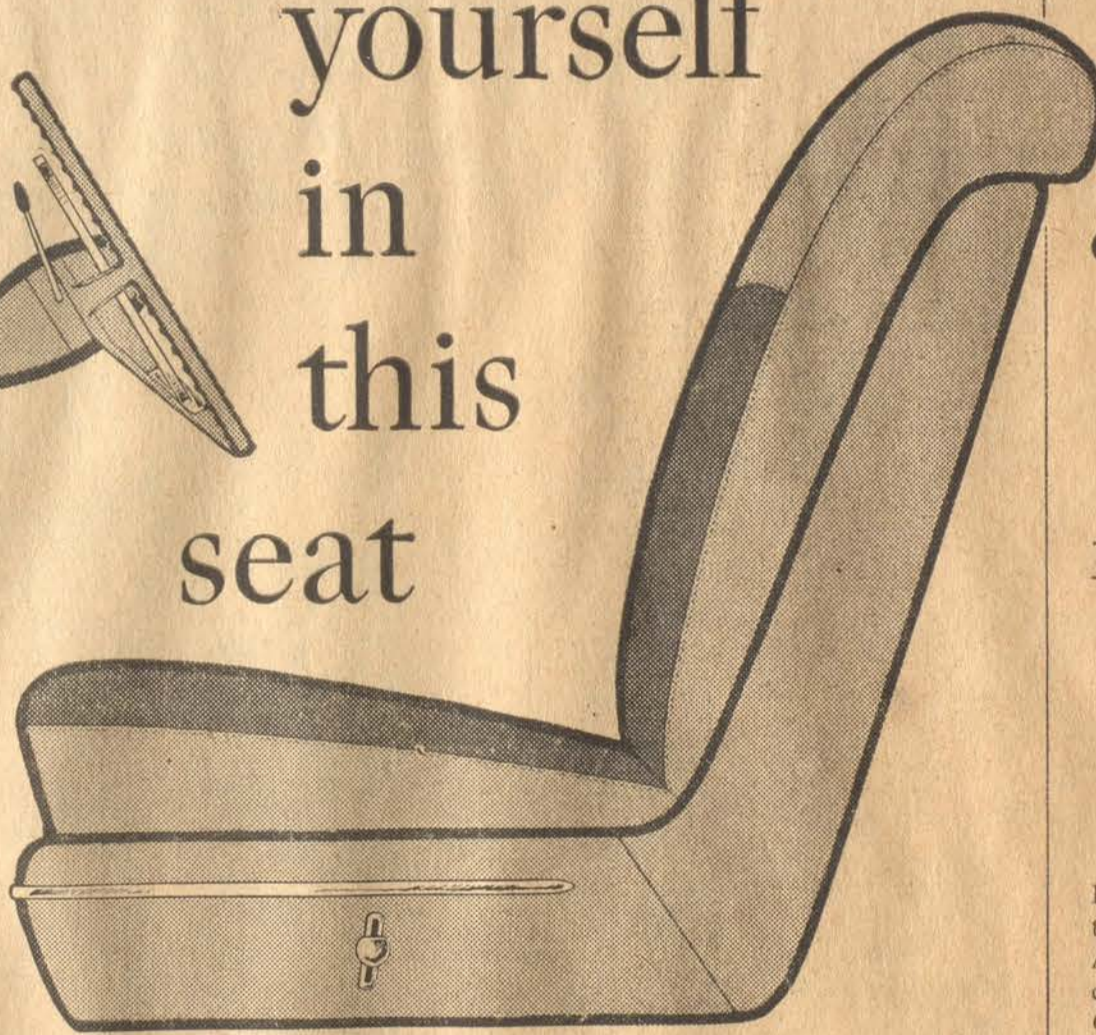
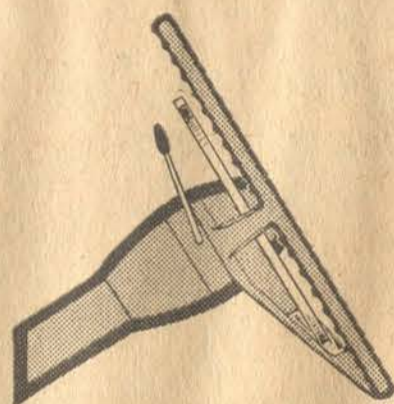
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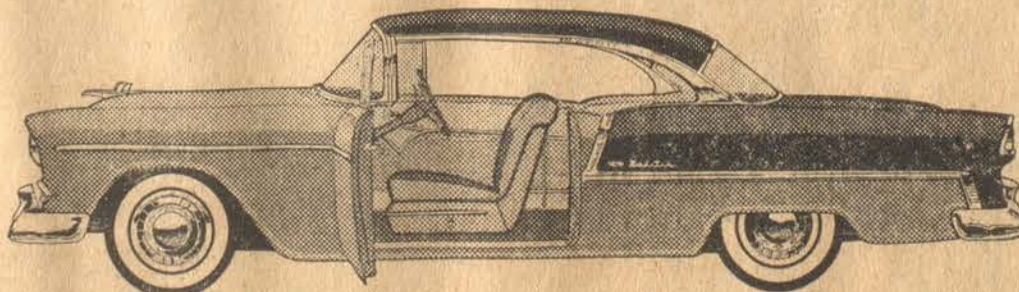
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MARTIN EVENT FEST PRELUDE

School Musicians Prep For Regional Festival Starting at Pikeville

"The choruses and bands will give the most outstanding performances at the Pikeville Regional Music Festival beginning today," Jesse Elliott, director of music instruction in the Floyd county school system, said earlier this week. "There will be 200 events in the three-day meet which is double that of last year's festival. It promises to be an event to make regional music history," he added.

In preparation for the festival, members of music groups staged a local festival at Martin, Monday of last week. Over half a hundred budding musicians from local high schools met to present solo and small ensemble numbers. "Purpose of the Martin festival was to analyze weaknesses in preparation for the Pikeville meet," Elliott said. "Every student was given an opportunity to play for constructive criticism before judges. This will materially improve the Pikeville performance of the Floyd county students," he added. Judges of the Martin event were Walter P. Nance, of Pikeville, assisted by Mr. Elliott and Paul Hager, of Prestonsburg.

Participating in the Martin event in clarinet solos were Marianna Grigsby and Delores Flannery, of Martin; Margaret Ann Spurlock, of Allen; Carlene Howard, Brenda Gearheart, Patsy Blevins, and Myra Gibson, of Maytown; Pamela Jones, Carolyn Sanders, Judy Anderson and Rosemary Turner, of McDowell. Alto sax solos were presented by Judy Reitz, of Martin; Justin Turner and Melanie Conley, of Maytown; Ritchie Sammons, and Suetta Hall, of McDowell. Tenor sax solos were rendered by Larry Short, of Allen, and Glennis Ramey, of Maytown. There were cornet solos by James William Allen, of Martin; Frank Reffitt, Babs Patton and Rosemary Moore, of McDowell. Connie Turner of McDowell, presented a horn solo and Ermil Reffitt, of Maytown and Sammy Martin, of McDowell, presented trombone solos.

Small ensembles were presented at the Martin meet as follows: Flute duet, Wayland; clarinet duet, Martin; cornet duet, Martin; sax trio and cornet trio, McDowell; clarinet trio, by Martin, McDowell and Prestonsburg; brass quartet and sextet, by McDowell. Clarinet solos were offered by Billy Louise Hall, Glenda Newman and Bobby Jones, all of Wheelwright; a clarinet quartet by Prestonsburg band members; a tenor sax solo by Marcella Hall, of McDowell; baritone horn solo by Jimmy Hopson, of Maytown; a trombone solo by members of the McDowell band.

Events of the festival today (Thursday) at Pikeville were the following: Baton twirling solos, and ensembles, snare drum solos and a drum ensemble, all at the Pikeville college gymnasium, with Jesse Elliott, chairman; piano solos and duets, at Wickham chapel, of Pikeville college; Mrs. Carl Hatcher, chairman and Ford Montgomery, judges; woodwind and brass solos, and ensembles, at Pikeville college Academy building, with Mr. Elliott as chairman and J. William Worrell and Gomer C. Pound, as judges; and an All-Festival band rehearsal, from 7 to 9 p.m. at the college gymnasium.

The festival will close Saturday evening with an All-Festival chorus concert at 7:30 at Wickham chapel.

CLUB TO MEET APRIL 7

The Prestonsburg Senior Woman's Club will hold its April meeting at the home of Mrs. Edward Music, North Lake Drive, Thursday, April 7, at 7:30 p.m. Co-hostesses will be Mrs. E. D. Roberts, Mrs. Gwynne Ford, Mrs. Ed May and Mrs. H. L. Ley.

Wayne Ratliff, principal of Wheelwright high school, will speak. His subject will be "Promoting Americanism in Our Schools."

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Scottish Rite Club Is Scheduled To Hold Meet At Masonic Temple Here

The bi-monthly meeting of the Eastern Kentucky Scottish Rite Club will be held in the Masonic Temple here, at 7:30 p.m., next Thursday.

Edwin E. Freshney, past wise master of Khesvan Chapter, Rose Croix, and past grand master of the Grand Lodge of Kentucky, F. & A. M., will be on hand to deliver the principal address. At a tyled meeting, he will explain the philosophy of the 18th degree, the meaning of Maundy Thursday and the extinguishing and re-lighting of the lights on Easter. This meeting is an obligatory one for Scottish Rite Masons and if a member is within 40 miles of the meeting place in Prestonsburg, he is expected to attend in order to exchange the pledge of brotherhood.

Later, at a meeting to which the members' families will be invited, Mr. Freshney will speak on "Maundy Thursday Reflections."

Bill Pettrey, Prestonsburg, is president of the Scottish Rite Club and will preside during the meeting.

Dr. Robert M. Sirkle, past grand master of the Grand Lodge of Kentucky is handling the arrangements for the meeting at Prestonsburg.

There will be a "pot luck" dinner for all members and their guests.

PRE-EASTER SERVICES AT WHEELWRIGHT

There will be a series of pre-Easter services beginning Sunday evening, April 3, continuing through Friday evening, April 8, at the Wheelwright Presbyterian church. The Rev. Jack L. Fleck will preach. Special Easter music and congregational singing will feature the services. The public is cordially invited.

The first series of lessons on child training to be given to Campbell county homemakers was presented by Miss Florence Imlay of the University of Kentucky.

Estill Woman Claimed By High Blood Pressure

Mrs. Elsie Music VanHoose, 58, of Estill, died at the Stumbo Memorial hospital, at Lackey, last Saturday. High blood pressure was given as the cause of death.

Mrs. VanHoose was a daughter of the late Abraham Lincoln Music and Mahala Stumbo Music natives of Johnson county. Her husband, Edward VanHoose, preceded her in death sometime ago. She had been a member of the Freewill Baptist church for 25 years.

Sons and daughters surviving are Traber VanHoose, of Glo, Randall, Franklin, O., Billy VanHoose, Hamilton, O., Willard VanHoose, Connersville, Ind., Mrs. Hazel Cooper, Mrs. Ruth Cecil, and Mrs. Mary Caldwell, all of Detroit, Mrs. Virginia Sizemore, Franklin, O., Mrs. Gertrude Burkett, of Estill, Mrs. Vertie Ousley, Miamisburg, O., and Miss Lucille VanHoose, Franklin, O. Brothers surviving are Melvin Music, of O. Irvin, Henry and Alex Music and Una Stumbo, all of Van Lear.

Funeral rites were conducted at the Freewill Baptist church at Estill, Tuesday, the Revs. Harry Ratliff and Green Boyd officiating. Burial followed in the Castle cemetery at Sycamore, Johnson county under the direction of Turner Funeral Home.

College Dean, Speaker At Youth Council Meet Held at Local Church

The Rev. Philip Bembower, dean of Pikeville College, was the speaker at the March meeting of the Prestonsburg Christian Youth Council which met last Friday evening at the Presbyterian Church.

"In Christian living, as in airplane flight, there is a point of no return," he told the group. "This is the place where turning back is fatal. Christian living calls for this commitment, and the choice can come early in life."

Pointing out to the youngsters that youth should know that such commitment is sorely needed today, he added, "Youth should also know that with the right commitment God gives help. No man needs to be alone, for one man with God becomes a majority."

The worship service, under the direction of Miss Joy May, Council vice-chairman, included numbers by a girls' trio. Representatives from the Assembly of God, the Methodist Church, Irene Cole Memorial Baptist Church and the First Presbyterian Church attended the meeting. The group enjoyed games under the direction of William Ernest Osborne. Refreshments were served by the host church.

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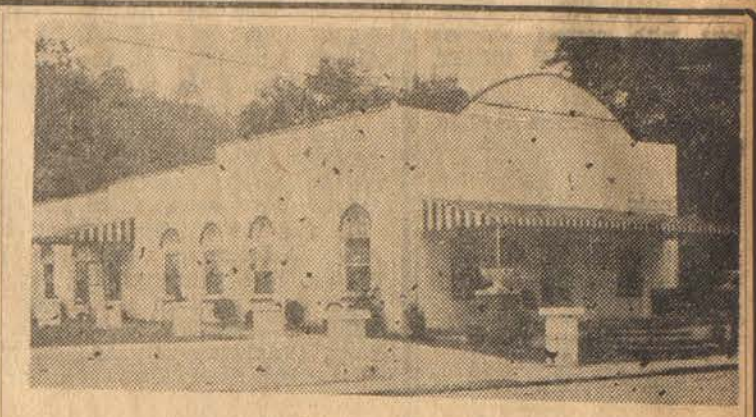
George Hall has filed application with the Floyd county court for roadhouse license in the operation of a grocery store at McDowell, Ky.

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FOR SALE—House in Riley Hall Addition. Five rooms and bath, double lot. Fair price. Call John Henry Osborne at Allen. 2-24-tf.

FOR SALE—Concrete block store building, with 7-room apartment, on Short Street. Call 4333, Prestonsburg, or see Tilden Collins. 1-11-tf.

FOR SALE—Taylor's Drive-In, 2 miles below Martin. Will sell building and equipment, or will sell equipment and lease building. Mrs. Mack Taylor, Martin, Ky. 3-10-tf.

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FOR SALE—One set used computing scales. See at Caudill's Store, Hueysville, Ky. Owner, Cara H. Hall. 3-17-3t.

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FOR SALE—Service Station and equipment. Standard Oil Products. In West Prestonsburg. Reason for selling—ill health. Rev. Howard C. Church, Phone 6552—6081. 3-24-2t.

FOR SALE—House and lot on North Lake Drive, Prestonsburg. See Mrs. Minta Hammond. 3-24-2t-pd.

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Son of Former Pastor At Prestonsburg Church Is Victim in Florida

William A. Lakin, 32, of Titusville, Fla., son of Dr. B. R. Lakin, noted Baptist evangelist, was killed in an automobile wreck near Titusville, Fla., Sunday night. The victim's father is a former pastor of Irene Cole Memorial Baptist Church here.

The body arrived at the Curtwright Funeral Home at Louisa, Wednesday morning.

The tragedy occurred near Titusville, where Mr. Lakin was in the real estate business. No details were available.

Survivors include the parents; the widow, the former Catherine Wells, of Ona and Fort Gay, Va., and a small son. The victim's mother and his parents-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Talmage Wells, of Ona, were at Titusville. Dr. Lakin was reported to have been in Akron, Ohio, in connection with a church dedication ceremony.

Dr. Lakin formerly was associated with the Cadle Tabernacle in Indianapolis.

In Ohio county, 823 4-H club members attended 19 regular club meetings held in one month.

L. B. Moore Enters Race For Rail Commissioner

L. B. Moore, of Prestonsburg, last week filed with the Secretary of State declaration of his candidacy for the Republican nomination for Railroad Commissioner from the Third district.

Mr. Moore is widely known in this section. He was for many years connected with the Morell Supply Company here and for the last several years has been manager of Meade Brothers Hardware here. A veteran of World War 1, he is a former commander of Floyd Post, American Legion.

The majority of 47 leaders of 361 girls in 4-H clubs in Boone county are members of homemakers clubs.

The funeral was conducted this afternoon (Thursday) from the Methodist Church here, the Revs. Harold W. Dorsey, Orville Pearson and Isaac Stratton officiating. Burial was made in the Porter cemetery at Cliff, the Carter & Callihan Funeral Home directing.

Active pallbearers were: Ray Howard, George D. Brown, William R. Kendrick, Frank H. Layne, J. H. Howard, Claybourne Stephens, Fred Dickerson, and Joe Weddington. Honorary pallbearers were his friends and business associates.

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time in which to provide for sewage treatment.

Speaking from the standpoint of public health Clark urged "that full cooperation be given by the people of Prestonsburg to the full support of a bond issue sufficient to construct both an adequate water plant and a sewage treatment system."

NOTICE

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Kiwaniannes Observe Their 5th Anniversary

The Kiwaniannes held their Founder's Day banquet celebrating their fifth anniversary, Friday night at the grade school cafeteria. Thirty members, with their husbands as guests, were present. Members of the Kiwanis Club also attended.

The tables were decorated in spring flowers and greenery, except for the speakers table which held a bowl of yellow roses—the club's flower. At each place was a favor in the club colors, green and yellow.

At the conclusion of the meal, the group was entertained by six little girls from Mrs. Astor Meade's dancing class who gave a preview of their recital numbers. This was followed by a group of songs by high school students: Johnny Cook, Margaret Collins, Dorothy Herald and Libby Burchett. Glenna Jerrall was accompanist for the vocalists.

Fred Francis was the speaker of the evening on the subject, "The Minimum Foundation." He urged those present to give all aid and service possible to the movement.

Mrs. John Archer's committee made the dinner arrangements, Mrs. Harris Howard's committee did the decorations and favors and Mrs. Kilmer Combs made arrangements for the program.

Former Local and State Official, Victim Monday

Pikeville, Ky., March 28 — D. C. Moore, former Kentucky commissioner of motor transportation, died yesterday at 55. He had been hospitalized Saturday after a heat attack.

Moore, former Pike county sheriff and circuit court clerk, was appointed commissioner in 1936 by A. B. Chandler, then governor. Moore was reappointed in 1940 when another Democratic governor, Keene Johnson, took office.

A one-time coal and lumber dealer, Moore also had served as president of the Cannonball Transit Co., first bus line to operate out of Pikeville.

The body is at the Call Funeral Home here pending completion of funeral arrangements.



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"Security Risk"
 John Ireland, Dorothy Malone

"Best of the Badmen"
 Robert Ryan, Claire Trevor

SUN., 2 and 7:15 p.m.—

"Hans Christian Andersen"
 Danny Kaye, Farley Granger

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Importation of residual fuel oil "and give the coal industry some relief from the unfair competition." Eastern Kentucky coal representatives, both of management and labor, recently have appeared at the Neeley hearings in Washington. Neeley, chairman of the Senate subcommittee on Education and public welfare, is expected to visit Pikeville soon to learn about conditions in this area.

Eastern Kentucky coal-field unemployment is linked with importation of Venezuelan residual oil, Evans explained.

Harry Zimmerman, manager of coal properties of the Inland Steel Company at Wheelwright, presided at the Saturday's meeting.

Strawberry growers in Pulaski county will apply 5-10-10 fertilizer, with chlordane mixed in to control insects.

CHURCH GUILD MEETS
 The First Church of God Missionary Society met at the home of Mrs. Russell E. Horn, of West Prestonsburg, March 22. The president, Mrs. Foster Anderson, presided. Mrs. Edd Music and Miss Myrtle Pugsley were in charge of the meeting. Topic of the program was "The Risen Christ." The entire group sang, "He Arose," accompanied at the piano by Mrs. George Brown.

Refreshments were served by the hostess, Mrs. R. E. Horn and co-hostess, Mrs. Thomas E. Horn. Members present were Mrs. Edd Music, Miss Myrtle Pugsley, Mrs. George Brown, Mrs. George C. Brown, Mrs. Billy Herald, Mrs. Ballard Herald, Mrs. Foster Anderson, Mrs. Lloyd Brown, Mrs. W. A. Baldrige, Mrs. Clifford Baldrige, Mrs. Woodrow Adams and daughters. Next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. George D. Brown.

Former Floyd Merchant, Jerry J. Boyd, Sr., Dies In Mt. Sterling Hospital

Funeral rites were held for Jerry J. Boyd, Sr., of Mt. Sterling, former resident of this county, at Harold, March 19. He was a victim at a Mt. Sterling hospital, March 15. His wife, Caroline Sammons Boyd, preceded him in death five years ago.

Mr. Boyd, former merchant of the Amba section of this county, was born in 1886, a son of Thomas Jefferson and Mary E. Adkins Boyd. He moved from this county to Montgomery county about ten years ago and operated a furniture business there.

Surviving are the following children: Mrs. Dewey Roberts, of Harold, Mrs. E. W. Conn, Mrs. Roy Linville, Mrs. Clyde Crump, and Jerry Boyd, Jr., all of Mt. Sterling. Surviving brothers and sisters are Lenny Boyd, of Dana, Willie Boyd, of Grundy, Va., Mrs. Claybourn Bailey, of Justell, Mrs. Gracie Conn, of Dayton, O., Mrs. Laura Hall, of Virgie, Mrs. Farinda Boyd, of Allen, and a half-brother Rutherford Spears, of Ironton, O.

Officiating at the funeral rites at the graveside in the Conn cemetery were Revs. Tack Hall, Luther Conn, Johnny King, John Brown assisted by Rev. Murray, of Lexington. Burial followed under the direction of the Riche Funeral Home.

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"It Should Happen to You"
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TUESDAY—
"The Miami Story"
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 Simone Simon, Kent Smith

"Silver Star"
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"Wyoming Renegades"
 (In Color)
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SUN.-MON.—
 2 Big Shows—
"The Nebraskan"
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 Phil Carey, Roberta Haynes

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 Judy Canova, Andy Clyde, Ross Elliott

"Stand at Apache Pass"
 (In Technicolor)
 Stephen McNally, Julia Adams

SUN.-MON.—
"Drum Beat"
 Color-CinemaScope, 4 track sound
 Alan Ladd, Audrey Dalton

TUES.—
"Two Tickets to Broadway"
 (In Technicolor)
 Tony Martin, Janet Leigh, Eddie Bracken, Ann Miller

"Dakota Lil"
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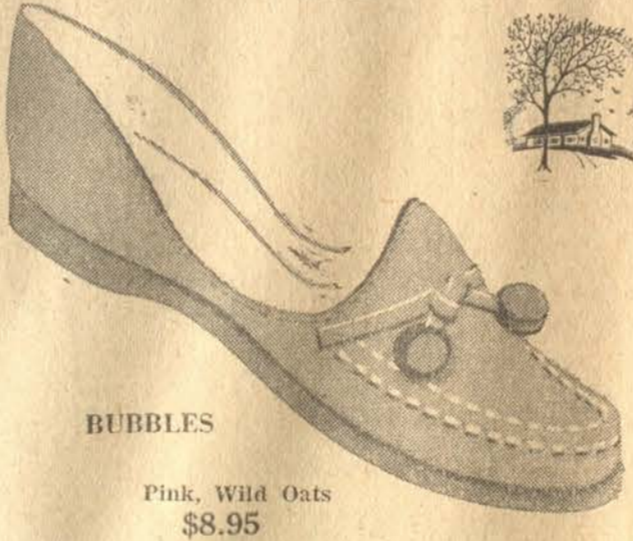
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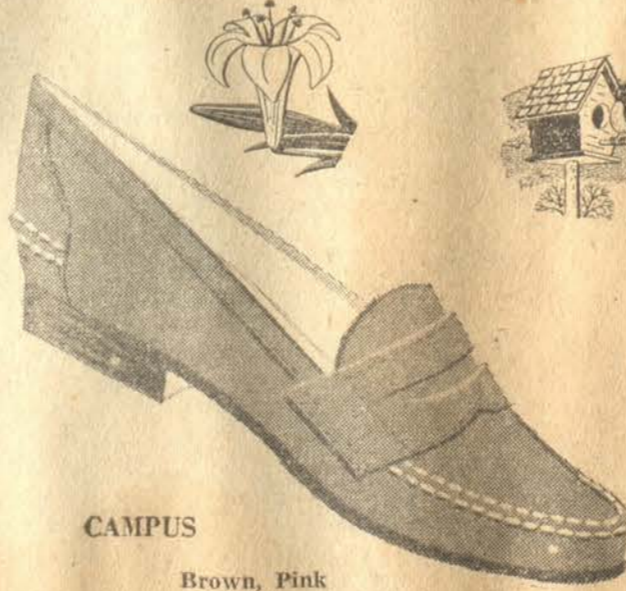
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Miss Cecil, Mr. Williams Wed at Boldman Church

The marriage of Miss Lora Cecil, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Cecil, of Harold, Ky., and Mr. Billy Williams, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Williams, of Banner, Ky., was solemnized Feb. 19 in the Freewill Baptist Church of Boldman. The Rev. L. E. Walters performed the double ring ceremony.
 Wedding music was played by Mrs. Gene Ball, pianist. Mr. Jimmy Daniels was soloist.
 The bride was given in marriage by her father. She wore a white gown of slipper satin. The fitted bodice and long, pointed sleeves were trimmed with iridescent sequin. Her fingertip veil was attached to a slipper satin cap, trimmed with white rosebuds. She carried a bouquet of white mums trimmed with satin streamers.

Baptist Youth Center To Open Saturday Night

The Youth Center sponsored by the L. E. Cole Memorial Baptist church will be formally opened Saturday night from 7 o'clock until 9:30 for the youth of the community. The building, formerly used as a shop and garage by Russell Pelfrey, has been completely remodeled into a modern recreation center.
 Already the Girl and Boy Scout troops sponsored by the church are using it as a meeting place and also the Young People's Department of the Sunday school. The youth committee plans to have definite periods of recreation for teen-age young people each Saturday night and on Sunday nights following the church services, and a time is to be worked out later for a program for the junior-age youth of the community. All teen-age youngsters are invited to visit the youth center on either of the nights it is open.

P'Burg Student Honored At Founders' Day Fete



Initiated into Phi Sigma Kappa fraternity at the University of Kentucky, March 1, Frederic Theodore May, son of Mr. and Mrs. Martin Lee May, of Central Avenue, Prestonsburg, was voted the outstanding pledge and presented the fraternity's gold key at its Founders' Day banquet. The banquet, which was held in the Student Union building, was attended by about 600 persons.

DEPOSITS UP IN FLOYD-CO.

Local Bank Deposits Reflect Economic Health Of County, Survey Says

(Special to the Times)

New York, Mar. 28—On the basis of money in the bank, one of the important factors of economic stability, residents of Floyd County are in a better financial condition than they ever were.

The findings are in a report released by the Federal Reserve System, showing bank deposit data for every county in the United States as of the last fiscal year. Money on deposit in the savings and commercial banks of Floyd county reached the high level of \$11,163,000. It represents time and demand deposits of individuals, partnerships and corporations and is exclusive of Governmental and interbank deposits.

This marks a gain of 9.5 percent over the \$10,098,000 reported for the county after the previous survey, two years ago.

It was a better showing than was made in the period in most parts of the United States. The rise there was 7.7 percent. It was also better than in the East South Central States, 7.9 percent.

There are now about 210 billions of dollars that people could get their hands on quickly for spending or investing. This privately-held money supply, nearly four times what it was at the end of 1929, is of terrific importance to the general economy.

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 7:00 p.m., Adult Bible Study Fellowship; Everett Patton, leader.
 7:30 p.m., Evening worship, sermon by Jameson Jones; full men's choir will sing.
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TO SPONSOR CARNIVAL

The Wayland high school senior class will sponsor a Spring Carnival at the Wayland gymnasium, tomorrow (Friday), it was said this week by Carol A. Hayes.

RESIGNS POSTMASTERSHIP

Mrs. Bertha Turner resigned last week as postmaster at Minnie because of ill health. Mrs. Vida Stumbo has been recommended for the appointment as acting postmaster in her stead.

NOTICE

Neval Jones, of Emma, has filed application with the Floyd county Court for a roadhouse permit to operate a business at Emma to be known as the Neval Jones Grocery.

Du Ran Moore, County Court Clerk.

RECEIVE ATTENDANCE AWARDS

Perfect attendance awards previously earned were bestowed upon several members of the Presbyterian Sunday school here recently. Dean of those receiving pins was Mrs. May Hyden who has a perfect attendance record for 18 years.

Receiving pins for last year's perfect attendance and the number of years each has maintained this record, besides Mrs. Hyden, are the following:

- William Ernest Osborne, 10 years; James Clay Osborne, nine; Lynn Goble and Jane Osborne, seven; Janet Fannin, six, Doug Osborne, five years; Lucien Burke, four; Lou Goble, Glenn Anderson, Jr., John G. Anderson, Tim Howard, Jan Collins, Jimbo Howard, Judy Howard, all three years; Ruth Carol Hunt, Meta Sizemore, Josephine Howard, all two years; Teresa Goble, Harvey Howard, Susan Friend, Beverly Allen, Howard Castle, Carlos Goble, Maggie Goble, Maggie Tackett, Rose Nell Howard, Ella Jane Castle, Dan Goble, Jr., and Patty Goble, one year each.

Former Floyd Woman Heart Disease Victim; Was Former Teacher

Miss Florence May, 37 years old, former Floyd county teacher and resident of Allen, died last Thursday morning at the Blue Grass Nursing Home, Lexington, a victim of heart disease. She had been ill the last two years.

Born Sept. 6, 1916 at Mt. Sterling, Miss May was a daughter of the late Challie and Dora Hutchinson May. After the death of her parents, she made her home with the May family at Allen.

She was a member of the Allen Methodist Church in which she took an active part. Before her illness forced her retirement Miss May had been a teacher in the county schools 10 years. She is survived by two sisters, Mrs. Ruth Sinclair, of Lexington, and Dr. Dora May, of Louisville.

Funeral services were conducted Friday from the chapel of the Kerr Funeral Home, Lexington, and burial was made in Hillcrest cemetery there.

Mrs. Serrilda S. Boyd, 75, Dies at Daughter's Home

Mrs. Serrilda Smith Boyd, 75, of Dana, died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Oakie Conn, on Prater Creek, last Saturday, at 7:30 p.m. She had been ill for a year with a heart condition.

Mrs. Boyd was a daughter of the late Jordan and Mary Combs Smith, natives of Knott county. She was married to Noah Boyd, who survives. Surviving are the following sons and daughters: Mrs. Oakie Conn and Mrs. Mary Akers, both of Dana, Mrs. Myrtle Click, of Martin, Delzie Boyd, of Amba, and Audrey Boyd, of Dana. Brothers and sisters surviving are Bert Smith, of Bonanza, Tom and Alex Smith, Mrs. Tillie Mullins, and Miss Mary Smith, all of Vicco, Ky., Mrs. Barbara Combs, of Sassafras, Ky., and Mrs. Sarah Frazier, of Premium, Ky.

Funeral rites were conducted Tuesday from the Little Salem Regular Baptist church at Dana, the Revs. Johnny Hall, Tack Hall, Lennie Boyd and Sam Thomas, officiating. Burial followed in the Akers cemetery at Dana under the direction of Carter and Callahan.

Hancock county farmers with allotted corn acreages are applying extra-large amounts of fertilizer.

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CONVALESCING FROM SURGERY

Mrs. Bryan Miller is convalescing nicely at her home on Riverside after undergoing surgery at the Prestonsburg General hospital recently.

IN LOCAL HOSPITAL

George Layne is quite ill at the Prestonsburg General hospital suffering from complications. His many friends and relatives wish for him a speedy recovery.

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RETURN FROM FLORIDA

Mrs. Ralph Davis and sister, Mrs. H. D. Hewlett, Drift, returned last week from a two-week trip to Daytona Beach, Florida, with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Hill of Mt. Sterling.

VACATIONING IN FLORIDA

Mr. and Mrs. William Crawford, of David, and Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Ley left Tuesday for Fort Meyers, Fla., where they will spend a two-week vacation.

SAIL FOR GERMANY

Mrs. Troy B. Sturgill and Mrs. E. S. Henry, of Salyersville, sailed from New York last Thursday on the U.S.S. United States for an extended visit with their daughter and son and family, Captain and Mrs. S. M. Skaggs, at Munich, Germany. They arrived at Bremerhaven on Wednesday of this week. They will return home June first.

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P'burg Third Graders Present Operetta; P. T. A. Endorses School Program

The third grade of the Prestonsburg grade school under the direction of Mrs. Barbara Carter, Misses Frances Jones and Margaret May, presented an operetta, "The Children of Old Mother Goose," at the regular meeting last Thursday, of the Prestonsburg Parent-Teacher Association with 107 children participating.

During the business session the following resolutions were adopted unanimously:

"Whereas, the Kentucky Minimum Foundation Law was enacted by the 1954 Legislature; and

"Whereas, the legislature failed to appropriate funds to adequately finance the program; and

"Whereas, in order to give to the people of Kentucky what they have indicated they want for their children, it is imperative that the 1956 legislature finance the Kentucky program in full;

"Now, therefore, we the members of Prestonsburg Parent-Teachers Association do hereby endorse the full financing of the Kentucky Foundation Program by the 1956 Legislature."

BIRTHDAY DINNER

Kermit Baldrige, Jr., was honored on his 11th birthday, March 23, with a dinner in the evening at his home on Court street. Covers were laid for Mrs. Jo M. Davidson, Mr. and Mrs. Kermit Baldrige, Donny Baldrige, Patsy and Judy Baldrige and Kermit Baldrige, Jr.

VISITS DAUGHTER

Mrs. J. M. Porter has returned home after a few weeks visit with her daughter, Mrs. Charles Elliott, and family in Huntington. While there Mr. and Mrs. Elliott went to Baltimore for a medical and past-operative check up at Johns Hopkins hospital.

PEO ENTERTAINED MONDAY

Chapter "G", PEO was entertained Monday evening by Mrs. Winston Ford at her home on Riverside. Mrs. Woodrow Greenwood, the president presided. The program chairman, Mrs. Marvin Music, presented her topic, "Flower Garden Planting" by movie presentation. Refreshments were served to Mesdames J. P. Schroeder, Tom Graham Dingus, George P. Archer, Don Sullivan, W. A. Rose, H. L. Ley, Marion Wilson, Winston Ford, Marvin Music, W. Greenwood, and Miss Margaret E. May.

HERE ON BUSINESS

Al MacDonald, of Pikeville, was here on business Tuesday.

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Curtis May has been quite ill for the past week at his home due to low blood pressure. He collapsed at his store here last week. His many friends have been anxious about him.

Estill Burchett, of St. Albans, W. Va., spent Sunday here with his mother, Mrs. Lou Burchett and Miss Ruth Burchett.

Mrs. Anna Louise Sherman of Paintsville, was here shopping Monday.

Miss Johnnie Findalson and Jerry Stapleton of Paintsville visited Mr. and Mrs. Joe A. Spradlin here Saturday.

Mrs. Aaron Duff visited her sister, Mrs. Otho Kimbell and family in Louisville last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank H. Layne visited their daughter, Mary Belle Layne, in Lexington, last week.

Mrs. T. R. Roland, of Pikeville, was here shopping Monday.

Mrs. Ed King and Mrs. Miller, of Paintsville, were here Tuesday Shopping.

Mr. and Mrs. Kermit Baldrige were in Huntington, Tuesday, where Mrs. Baldrige received medical treatment.

Louis Possetto, of Lexington, was here over the week-end visiting his fiancée, Miss Vyvyan Combs, at the home of Mrs. Kilmer Combs.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Jackson, of North Lake Drive, made a business trip to Pound, Va., Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Spradlin, of Abbott Road, entertained to dinner recently the following: Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Neeley, Mr. and Mrs. E. B. May, Sr., Misses Alka Hackworth, Carol Jean Neeley and Sallie Spradlin.

Mrs. J. R. Herron of Pikeville attended the Parker-Latta wedding Saturday. She was the overnight guest of Mrs. W. P. Mayo.

Mrs. W. P. Mayo entertained to dinner, Sunday, Mrs. J. R. Herron, of Pikeville, Mrs. J. G. Porter and Mrs. G. G. Alley.

Mrs. Helen Epperson and Mrs. Julia G. Hall, of Pikeville, were recent guests of Miss Marion Mayo Salisbury.

Mrs. W. E. Jackson and daughter, Judy, Mrs. Elvis Marsh and Mrs. G. G. Alley spent the day in Ashland, Thursday.

Cpl. and Mrs. Don Brooks, of Ft. Meade, Md., spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Jackson.

Rev. and Mrs. Harold Dorsey attended the Rev. Eddie Moran evangelistic services at Pikeville, Thursday night.

Mrs. G. G. Alley spent a few days with her sister at Pikeville this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Craig Fields and daughter, Jane Craig, of Pikeville, were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Fitzpatrick, Jr., Sunday.

W. H. Jones, of Louisville, visited his mother, Mrs. W. H. Jones, and sister, Miss Francis Jones here over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Salisbury spent the week-end with their son, Dr. Robert Salisbury, and family in Mt. Sterling.

Mrs. C. R. Halstead and her mother, Mrs. Mullins, of Pikeville, were called to Louisville, Monday by the serious illness of her sister.

ATTEND PASTOR INSTALLATION

Many Presbyterians from here and Pikeville attend the installation of the Rev. George S. Watson, D. D., as co-director of the Big Sandy Presbyterian Larger Parish and minister at Drift, last Sunday afternoon. Rev. Orville Pearson, moderator, presided. The scripture was read by Rev. Floyd Chambers, of McVeigh. The sermon was delivered by Dr. Elmer E. Gabbard, of Buckhorn; the charge to the minister, by Rev. Andrew K. Rule, Ph. D. Louisville; the charge to the community representative by Dr. A. A. Page, president of Pikeville College; constitutional questions by Rev. Pearson; installation prayer, Rev. Floyd Chambers; benediction, Rev. George S. Watson. Attending the services from here were Rev. and Mrs. Orville Pearson, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Anderson and sons, Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Burke, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Ensminger, Mrs. Ralph Davis, Mrs. Everett Sowards, Mrs. W. V. Bunting, Mrs. W. C. Rimmer, Mrs. F. L. Heinze, Mrs. George Sizemore and granddaughter, Miss Daisy Miller, Mrs. Ernest Osborn, and Miss Alma Collins.

FIRST CHILD BORN

A son, weighing six pounds, fifteen ounces, was born March 6, to Mrs. Sarah F. Webber, wife of Captain Edward B. Webber, Jr., at Tripler Army Hospital, Honolulu. Mrs. Webber is the daughter of Mrs. Ballard F. Branham of North Arnold avenue, Prestonsburg. The baby, named Edward Bernard III, is the first child for the Webbers.

AT STATE BAR MEET

Among those attending the State Bar Association meeting in Louisville this week at the Kentucky Hotel, are Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hobson, Mr. and Mrs. Kilmer Combs, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Combs, Harris S. Howard, J. W. Howard, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Wellman, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford B. Latta.

BIRTHDAY PARTY

Mr. and Mrs. John Edd Shepherd entertained Sunday from 2 to 4 p.m., honoring their son, Johnny Wayne, on his eleventh birthday. Guests included Joe and Ike Skeens, Julian, Butch and Harold Green, Roger Dobart, Okie Sparks, Jimmy McDonald, Clyde Thompson, Dixon Nunnery, Roger Fitzpatrick, Bernard Cooley, Paul and Chuck Tackett, Mike Donahue, Gordon Young, Dickie Fitzpatrick, Houston Stephens, Stevie Dotson, Katherine and Ruby Shepherd, Janice and Sandra Warrax, Darlene and Nadine Dotson, Rosa Lee, Doris and Paula Dotson, and Georgia Carol Shepherd.

Refreshments were served by Mrs. Shepherd, and Johnny expressed his appreciation for the gifts brought by his friends.

VISIT RELATIVES SUNDAY

Mrs. O. T. Stephens, Miss Sarah Clay Stephens and Debby Stephens, of St. Matthews, were guests Sunday of Mrs. Hugh Needham, of Jackson.

RETURN FROM FLORIDA

Mrs. Grace D. Ford and Mrs. Mary E. Powers returned to their homes here Monday from a two-month vacation in Florida. They visited Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Newman at Holopaw and Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Francis at Miami. A trip to Cuba and various Florida towns was included in their itinerary.

MRS. HOLDEN IN MANAGER

Mrs. Clara Holden, Kingsport, Tenn., has been here a week as manager of the Western Union office. Robert Compton who had charge of the office was transferred to Kingsport. Mrs. Holden is the temporary manager of the local office.

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SHOWER GIVEN

A shower was given for Mrs. Lowell D. Branham, (nee, Minerva Arnett) at the home of Martha Archer, Tuesday afternoon. Those present besides Mrs. Archer were Kathy Waddell, Martha Archer, Barbara Clark, Glenna Jarrell, Darlene Fleming, Sally Hill, Mary Lyn Mahan, Helen Jo Howard, Ann Stewart Branham, Libby Burchett, Toby Bussey, Lida Margaret Spradlin, Dorothy Herald, Linda Sue Stephens, Barbara Maynard, Joyce Parker Burchett, Maggie Collins, Barbara Reed, Betty Martin, Ruth Ann Rowe, Wilma Ensminger, Jane Carol Waddell, Donna Sue Fleming, Bonnie Clark, Cleo Montgomery, Barbara Montgomery, Linda White, Sherry Kay Sirkle, Rose Worland, Mary Ann Daniels and Kay Archer.

UNDERGOES SURGSRY

Mrs. Lilla Mae Price underwent surgery at the Paintsville hospital. She is improving.

BIRTHDAY DINNER

A birthday dinner was enjoyed Sunday, March 27 at the home of Dewey Hunt on Cow Creek, honoring Mr. Hunt of his 57th birthday. He received many nice gifts.

Dinner was served to the following: Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Moore, of Prestonsburg, Mr. and Mrs. Roby Greer and daughter Betty Joe, of Lancer, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Hunt and children, Jannet and Gayle, Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Blackburn, and children, Rhea, Lynn and Susan, Mr. and Mrs. Adrian Lafferty, all of Prestonsburg.

ATTEND REVIVAL SERVICES

Among those who attended the revival services held by Rev. Carter at the Methodist church, at Allen, Monday evening were: Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Jackson, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Burke, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Dickerson, Mr. and Mrs. Z. S. Dickerson, Mr. and Mrs. E. B. May, Mr. and Mrs. George Alley, Rev. and Mrs. Harold Dorsey, Mr. and Mrs. Luther Shivel, Mrs. Gerald Ward.



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LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

ASKS FOR CHAPEL FUNDS

On March 20, 1955, we are beginning a campaign for a chapel at the Kentucky State Reformatory, which has never had one, to be used by all denominations. The total cost of the chapel will be \$60,000, \$25,000 of which has been donated by the state. We are asking the people of Kentucky to send a penny. The men at this institution gave us a real send-off last night by donating 9,022 pennies to the campaign from a total population of 2,300 men. If these men who earn only 8c a day are so generous, I am sure our friends throughout the state of Kentucky will see us through this "Penny Parade." I would appreciate your giving us a hand in this campaign by letting the folks in your vicinity know of our need. Every penny will be used on our chapel, which is to be constructed by the inmates of this institution, and we will certainly appreciate your help.

Please send all contributions to "Chapel Funds", Kentucky State Reformatory, LaGrange, Ky.

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HEALTH NOTES

By Floyd County Health Department

The Kentucky State Department of Health, in a recent policy statement to all local health departments in the state, made arrangements for the Julius Marks Sanatorium in Lexington to be the isolation center for "recalcitrant tuberculosis patients if suitable local facilities are not available." The new policy was released today by M. V. Clark, administrator of the Floyd County Health Department.

Under provisions of the law passed by the Kentucky General Assembly early in 1954, facilities must be provided for the confinement of persons convicted of failing to take necessary precautions to prevent the spread of communicable tuberculosis.

If a patient with communicable tuberculosis does not follow proper isolation procedures, as recommended by public health authorities, and is endangering the welfare of his family and community he can, upon conviction, be punished by a fine not exceeding \$500 or a jail term of 30 days to six months, or both, or be confined to local facilities or be sent to the Julius Marks Sanatorium.

The patient when delivered to the hospital must accept such isolation on a voluntary basis as an alternative to confinement in jail. If the patient wishes he may be treated at the hospital, but if he leaves the hospital without permission the original jail sentence can be carried out, the policy stated.



By BOYD KEENAN

An Adair county woman whose novels have been among the best sellers for several years wants most of all to be a good farmer's wife.

At least that's what the novelist—Mrs. Panice Holt Giles—told a group recently at the University of Kentucky. She appeared as a speaker in the University's Literary, Speech and Dramatic Lecture series.

Mrs. Giles lives on a farm with her husband (also a novelist and author of "Harbin's Ridge") in the ridge country of Adair County. Among her novels are "The Enduring Hills," "Miss Willie" and "The Kentuckians."

During her talk on the U.K. campus, she assured her listeners that she and her husband "really farm." Many of the hardships they have faced are described in another book, "Forty Acres Without a Mule."

"My writing is sandwiched in between my farm chores, and these duties always come first," Mrs. Giles told the lecture group.

She went on to explain that she does most of her writing in the morning, very little in the afternoon and none during the evening. The best time for her creative work, she declared, is in the morning after breakfast and before she has to stop and "prepare a hot meal for Henry when he comes in from the field."

Mrs. Giles reviewed her literary career, which is marked by unusual success from the beginning. Almost unbelievable was her account of how she sold her first novel to the first publisher contacted.

"I submitted my novel to the publisher, and it was accepted without a single rewriting or revision. It was just that easy."



BY WILMAY

(The views expressed herein do not necessarily reflect the views of The Times.)

Allus thought I married the best man on Sandy. Now I know hit, else he'd not have gone shoppin' with the old lady in Lexington Sat'day, with icy winds howlin' at ninety miles an hour. The Boss kept trudgin' along from one dime store to another. Finally, when we wuz both froze to death and had give up findin' crochet thread of a color nobody heard of, he said, "Honey, hain't but one kind of man that would go shoppin' with a woman, is the?" Ma nodded sweetly and said, "Only the best one in Eastern Kentucky would," thinkin' that wuz good psychology and how pleased he'd be. Then he finished what he'd started to say, "cept a hen-pecked one," he added. On that we-uns made for the parkin' lot!

Every time I make a faux pas hit's worse than the last one. I wuz in P'burg one day last week, tryin' to finish plans for that there Mothers-Day thang, comin' May 7th over WPRT. Hit's gonna be a live show, with real folks in hit. (But don't tell anybody.) I dashed into Wright's Jewelry and ast Homer for a gift of some sort, if needed. He said, "Sure, just help yourself to anything in the store, any time." 'Pon my honor, if he didn't! Wonder which direckshun he'll be lookin' when I take him up on that offer. Then I 'splained we'll all be so excited on May 7th likely nobody'll recollect to mention the stores or businesses that donate, an' so on. Homer said that didn't make a mite o' diff'ence. He's that kind.

Well, what was funny or wrong 'bout that? Nothing 'cept, when I wuz home bound on the bus, I remembered havin' askt Homer the very same thing two or three weeks earlier, but failed to mark his name off the Good World Notebook. Wuz my face red? Reminded me of the Maytown friend who sent three Christmas cards to the same person last year. Women do beat all. Hit's what one gets fer not totin' that notebook around all time.

But last week I had a real alibi fer seemin' more teched than common! Jest 'fore stoppin' at Wright's, I had spent some time in Brother McMillen's study in the new annex, gettin' data on the mission program of his church. First thing Brother McMillen said wuz that escapin' gas in the study often makes him sleepy. Must've made me so sleepy I never come to till headin' home.

How many know Irene Cole Memorial Church has nine missions now? And to show that great oaks from little acorns grow, did you know its mission work started indirectly as the result of something begun by a Methodist, the Baptists say? A few years ago, the county T. B. Nurse, Mrs. Dick Mayo, asked Prestonsburg churches to help provide milk for some needy patients. Contacts made by Irene Cole in that milk program resulted in what is now Benedict Chapel. One of the church members says Brother McMillen is the busiest man in Floyd county. He does preach 18 times monthly on Sunday alone.

Tune in Saturday on the Good World Hour at 9:45 to hear the first adult Bible Quiz. You will enjoy listening to the Prestonsburg Community Methodist Church so many people are talking about. It is growing rapidly under the leadership of Pastor Harold Dorsey. Starting with five members a few years ago, when meetings were held in an old storehouse loaned them, the congregation now occupies a beautiful new building. E. B. May, Jr. is the bustling Sunday School superintendent. Members insist Mr. Z. S. Dickerson has been a mainstay as has Alex Spradlin and his fine wife, Hope, whom many remember as dandy workers in dry campaigns. Mr. Spradlin teaches the Bible Class. Mrs. Abe Jackson is the treasurer, and one of the happiest members since her husband and their young son, Johnnie, were baptized in the recent revival that brought 18 conversions. Johnnie is an Eagle Scout now. They say Mr. Jackson has been winning his friends, too. Some predict he will be the type of layman R. G. Tournear, or as Mason Moore, of Martin, another good one. You will find many Burkes in this church, Hern and his wife, his brother and his wife, Grandpa Burke, who knows so much Bible he should have asked the questions instead of having to answer them.

Incidentally, Bible Quizzes cannot cover much of any character's life. The questions are not in chronological order, for several reasons. This means studying more scripture than if only the early life of characters used were given. If interested in one, contact the program director and arrange for a recording at Warco.



PICKED UP IN PASSING

By James Taylor Adams

Feed 'n' Squeezin's From a Lone Stalk

"Well," said White Coon Hubbard, on May 2, 1941, "I've heard a lot of strange tales in my time, but the strangest of them all is one with which I had to do myself. Oh, yeah, hit beats that one about the two snakes that swallowed one another; or the bull that ran too fast around the fodder shock that he met hisself a-comin' back. Listen to this:

"Hit was away back yonder several years ago. I was farmin' pretty heavy. My boys would tell you what I'm a-tellin' you if they were here.

"We'd sort of run out of seed corn while plantin' our big bottom, down there on the creek, right next to where they used to have that old stave mill. We'd grubbed a million bushes and vines out of that bottom, not to mention the rocks we'd prized out and the stumps we'd dug out. We'd all worked awful hard trying to make a little something to go on. I'd say, off-hand, that I'd sweated a thousand gallons, between New Year's day and the Fourth of July.

"We were on the back porch, one rainy day, sorting out the seed corn. Didn't have much. Gettin' mighty scarce, as I've already said, afore. There was an old pan a-setting there, close where I was and I dropped a cob in it. About that time the old woman said dinner

was ready; and we all jumped up and made a dash for the kitchen. Then, after we'd finished eating, I came back out on the porch. Picked the cob up and noticed that the few grains of corn I'd left on it had got wet in the water that was in the pan and all swelled up twice as big as they had been.

"I went and shelled the big swelled-up grains off and tossed them at the half-bushel that we were putting the seed corn in. All but one grain missed, went out in the yard, and the woman's old dommer hen grabbed them. That just left one grain that had swelled up thataway. I picked hit out and dropped it in my breeches pocket. Don't know why, but I did. Sure did.

"Already had the field laid off and, as soon as the ground dried out, we went out and planted it. Used one of them clickety-clack corn planters. Got hit all done. Was gettin' ready to go to the house. I run my hand in my pocket to get my tobacco and found that big swelled-up grain of corn there. Thought I might as well plant it. So I looked around. Noticed the place where we'd burnt a big brush pile. Just as black and rich looking. I just took the toe of my shoe and kicked a little hole in there and kicked it up.

"Well, sir, I went out to the bottom about a week later to see if my corn was coming up or sprouted. Hit was sprouted but not a-comin' up. None of it, but that big grain I'd planted in the burnt place, had come up. But let me tell you something. I couldn't prove this by a dozen witnesses, if they were here. They ain't. That grain of corn had come up and the stalk was half-leg high. That is to say about eight inches tall. I was never so took in my life.

"I didn't name it to anybody right then. But the next day, I went back to look at it again. And it was all of knee-high. Then I hollered for the old woman and the children. They could all testify to what I'm telling you. They could.

"Well that stalk of corn hit growed and hit growed. Beat any thing I ever seed. The rest of the field made good corn. But nothing like that stalk. Hit was special. Never seed hit's beat. Kept a-growin', right on up. Got to throwin' out branches. Then, when hit was tassle time, hit had tassels on every shoot. Never seed corn do like that afore. And silks! Hit had so many silks that hit looked like some big flower tree, like you see in the fruit tree catalogues and shoots for ears just started popping. People come in for miles, just to see hit. They sure did. Charlie will tell you the same thing I'm telling you. Got so we had to keep some of us a-standing guard around it to keep the people from tryin' to climb it and break hit down. Never seed the beat.

"Well, sir, when hit come gatherin' time, we gathered a lot of good corn from the field, generally. But when we started in on that big stalk we had a job, worth talkin' about, on our hands. We used axes, crosscut saws, crossbars and everything we could think of. Finally fell it. Then we started gatherin' the corn. Took us two days to pull the ears off. Had a corn shuckin'. Had a big crowd. Took us all night, just as hard as we could work, to shuck all the corn. And the stalk, why we sawed it up in three-foot lengths; split it up like firewood; and stored it in the barn as roughness for the cows. Had feed to do us all winter. And the corn, I was about to forget to tell you about it. We sold the corn, gave corn away our needy neighbors, traded corn and, at last, we had to make the rest of it up in corn liquor. Good liquor, too. Funny thing about it was when you drunk it and got high, you felt as high as that old stalk of corn was afore we cut it down. You did. Or you would.

Of Books and Such

By Laura Virginia Roberts

Anyone who would like to build a worthwhile library for actual use can do so at small cost by watching the paperback selections at drug stores and newsstands. Not so attractive nor so durable as regular hard-back books, many paperback titles are nevertheless worthy to stand in the best literary company.

The pocket-sized books cost 25c, 35c, and 50c. You probably know that 90% of all those published are run-of-the-mill junk or near-junk (mysteries, Westerns, etc.) which many of us read for relaxation. The other 10%, however, include classics (e.g., Ivanhoe, A Tale of Two Cities, Tom Sawyer, plays of Shakespeare), short-story collections, poetry, philosophy, painting, sculpture, various versions of the Bible.

For 50c you can buy a Merriam-Webster Dictionary with supplement, or a condensed Bartlett's Familiar Quotations (hard-back edition of the latter, \$8). I believe that one of the best collections of English and American poetry is The Concise Treasury of Great Poems, edited by Louis Untermeyer (Perma Books, 50c). It covers English poetry from the earliest ballads to 20th Century poets, and contains explanations and comment on the work and the author.

Recently, paperbacks have put out what they call giant editions of some of the more popular long novels. These sell for 75c and are a boon to those of us who had not read Gone With the Wind, or From Here to Eternity, One of the latest of these is Forever Amber.

Until something better comes along (and several scouts are out looking) recommended reading for teams, coaches, athletic officials and sport fans might be Theodore Roosevelt's short essay, "The American Boy." Sportsmanship and fair play were more in style in Roosevelt's day than they seem to be now, but these qualities are no less valuable now. Many people have commented on how well our Floyd county basketball teams behaved in recent tournaments, and it seems to me that no finer compliment could be paid than that they have a sense of fair-play, and respect the rights of others.

Why People Learn And How

(Editor's Note: This is the second in a series of articles by the Department of Classroom Teachers of Kentucky Education Association.)

A child increases his interest in learning because of the "right now" values instead of what it will mean to him when he is grown.

Many a child learned to hate music from a parent who wanted him to learn to play the piano. Many a student has learned in pass a test only to forget it next week.

This illustrates the importance of creating the "right now" interest in the pupil.

How does a good teacher avoid the pitfall of stressing learning instead of creating interest?

The good teacher stimulates interest and arouses curiosity by introducing outside resources in the form of pictures, stories, film strips and other related objects, waiting for the pupil to show interest and then very carefully encouraging him to broaden it.

The good teacher knows children enjoy new experiences. The good teacher knows that sooner or later children will want to try to play the piano if they are given the opportunity to watch and to hear others play, not because "someday" they'll be pianists, but because it is fun today.

And now the most difficult problem is in learning the "how". Most children do not learn "how" if they sit and listen to the teacher tell them how or if they recite what is in the book.

Children and adults learn to do by doing. They learn to do arithmetic by working real problems. They learn to sew by sewing; to cook by cooking.

So much learning is useless unless the teacher is having the children do instead of listen and recite. Learning to do is a very complicated process.

If you don't believe this, let me remove your appendix. I've read a book about it!

1. A child learns for right now and not for when he is grown.

2. Children want to learn; they find it exciting and pleasant.

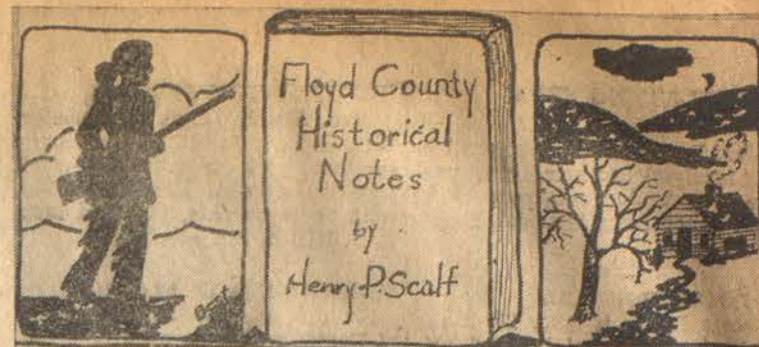
3. A child learns what he wants to; not what the adult expects him to learn.

4. A child learns better if he is encouraged and not punished or frightened by adults because his work is poor.

5. Children learn by doing and not listening.

6. When teachers follow these principles, regardless of the grade level or subject field, children learn more efficiently and forget less than children who are taught by the "listen and recite" method.

7. The maturity of the child is an important factor in learning and should be given consideration in all learning experiences.



Anent Rev. Keith's Descendants

Letters are often pleasant surprises to a person doing genealogical research. You never know until one is opened what pieces of information it may contain, what badly needed facts may be contained in it. Again you may hear from some family that has disappeared from the Big Sandy scene. A letter of the latter kind is quoted here. It is from Marguerite Keith Ranard, of Belleville, Kansas, granddaughter of Rev. Billy Keith, whose tombstone was pictured in the December 9th issue of The Times in a story about the Davidson cemetery.

"This will undoubtedly be quite a surprise but I could not resist this letter. A cousin of mine sent me your December 9th issue in which was pictured my grandfather Keith's tombstone and a write-up. I was thrilled and happy to see this and wish to tell you that while none of us ever knew he was called "Preacher Billy," my father, William Emmett Keith, was his youngest child and I am the youngest child of my father. My father was around 19 when his father died. At that time all the family scattered and father and his mother came to Kansas.

"I am writing this because one paragraph in your letter read: 'Where his wife lies buried, even who she was, no one in this county seems to know.' Well, the date of her demise, which I don't recall is on her tombstone. She is buried in our lot HERE and her name was Ann Clark Keith. I think she was from the South, too. Anyway, we know that for sure as it is in the Keith Bible here. Her grave has been well tended all through the years. We were shocked to read, if correct, that his grave was unmarked through half a century. Dad would have been shocked.

"Dad was the youngest of ten children. He came here and taught school, married his pupil, my mother. So Dad was nine years older than mother and in his fifties when I was born. So the Keiths were older than my mother. That is, Dad would have been a niece older than my mother, or my cousins. At one time I sat down and had mother give me what data she could in regard to the family. My dad died in 1929 and he was past 70. Mother died in 1946, which seems but yesterday but time goes.

"Last summer, Mrs. Anne Stumbo wrote a letter here to the mayor in regard to Emmett Keith.



By GORDON WILSON, Ph.D.

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The Saturday Night Bath

For years I have intended to write an essay about the Saturday night bath. For some reason or other I have kept putting off this pleasant duty. Today, when I read a section of the Duke of Windsor's memoirs, I decided not to wait any longer. In spite of his being a prince and only a few years younger than I am, he, too, was brought up on the good custom of a weekly all-over bath, and in a portable tin bathtub at that. Sometimes I feel rather far away from royalty, but that confession on his part makes him almost kinfolks of mine.

Bathing of any sort was somewhat of an ordeal at Fidelity and elsewhere when water was scarce and hard to draw from cistern or well. Of course, there was the hurried and rather sketchy ablution early in the morning, especially sketchy on cold mornings when only cold water was at hand. When we came in from the fields at noon, we took a good hand-and-face-and-neck scrub, with home-made lye soap. When we went barefooted, we went through the motion of washing our feet before going to bed. The handiest thing for this, as I have so often said, is a tub in which salt mackerel has been shipped. My doctor father liked salt mackerel as well as other strong-tasting foods; consequently, we always had a foot tub. On Sunday mornings when we were little, Big Sister took the cuff of some long-handled underwear for a washrag and rolled the dirt up on our exposed parts. I always accused my Big Sister of rubbing the hide itself when she made me ready for Sunday School. The worst part of this washing was her rubbing my neck the wrong way; this may have loosened some more dirt, but it positively hurt. Even the memory of the weekly agony still remains.

But these washings were at best only partial and were looked upon as routine duty. It was a debt to society when we bathed all over. It is true that a washpan is a bit small for such a big job, but a washpan full of soapy water can accomplish wonders.

Sometimes we got the bowl of the washbowl-and-pitcher set in the front room and thus had a few more cupfuls of water to wash off a week's accumulation of dirt and dead skin. In summer, especially, we sometimes heated up a lot of water and poured into the washbub. Now, a bath in a washbub is really something; if you are small, you can splash around and imagine yourself everything from a duck to a hippopotamus. It probably was because of this splashing around that Mother usually had me to take such a bath out in the yard behind the house, where I could not be seen by people coming for the doctor. In winter we usually could dispense with this big amount of water and calm our consciences merely by using a washpan.

My favorite Saturday bath was one that combined real pleasure with painful duty. We boys would go to the creek, ostensibly to take a bath but really to splash and be veritable water animals for as long a time as we could. We took with us a big hunk of Big Deal soap, strong and ill-smelling. That was often for the looks of the thing, though, for most parents at Fidelity regarded swimming for its own sake as rather wicked. I am pretty sure that we often brought back our Big Deal soap unused, but we had been in some very cold, clean water for an hour or two. Sometimes the water was so cold that we had to get out of the washing hole and run up and down the sandy shore. A favorite trick was to rub ourselves all over with sand, unconsciously rubbing off some dirt in the process. This restored our circulation enough for us to run back into the washing hole to get rid of the sand. Eight or ten such stunts should have wrought some needed changes in the cleanliness of our bodies. But too often we ran home in a game of tag and were dripping wet with sweat by the time we got there. Anyway, no parent was so cruel as to compel us to resort to a washpan or tub after a whole afternoon in the creek.

Teachers Called Lax For Fear of Red Label

American educators are being lax in not discussing controversial issues with their students out of fear of being labeled Communists.

"And that laxity could lead to decay of the constitutional and religious heritage that has made this country great."

So said Dr. Harold H. Titus, professor of philosophy at Denison University of Granville, Ohio, at a meeting of University of Louisville faculty members recently.

Dr. Titus spoke on academic freedom as a part of a lecture tour he is making of 20 Midwest colleges and universities.

The tour is being sponsored jointly by the faculty, Christian fellowship of the department of campus Christian life of the National Council of Churches and the division of higher education of the American Baptist Convention.

Dr. Titus noted that a recent National Education Association survey of 522 public schools showed many teachers unwilling to discuss such controversial issues as recognition of Red China and armament of Western Germany.

The New York Times, he said, noted the same reluctance in many educators in 72 colleges and universities it surveyed.

"Educators shy from these touchy issues because they want to avoid criticism, and don't want to be labeled Communists," Dr. Titus declared.

That attitude, he said, has been fostered by Congressional investigating committees and others "who have not always been fair."

Most educators are aware that they have lost some academic freedoms but are not disturbed by the fact, Dr. Titus said.

He compared those educators to a frog placed in a pot of cold water that was heated so slowly that the frog boiled to death before he knew what was happening.

"The most dangerous thing going on in this country today is the developing belief that any concern for social justice or for a better world is the sign of the Communist," said Dr. Titus.

Dr. Titus stressed that "communism is a serious threat which must be fought if we are to remain free."

"But," he added, "if we fight communism with its own tactics, we have destroyed our way of life."

Dr. Titus warned that suspicions and hates that lead to loss of academic freedom cannot be regarded as "a passing thing."

These, he said, "are generally the product of wars. And we are in a cold war that could go on for decades, even generations."

Dr. Titus urged educators "to have the courage to bring out both sides of every question to your students. We have fought for the right to think of ourselves. Inability to do so can only lead to destruction of their constitutional and religious heritage that has made us great."

BABE DIES

Hudea Lee Duff, one-day-old child of Edmund and Alma Clemens Duff, of Garrett, died last Saturday at the Stumbo Memorial hospital, at Lackey. Surviving besides the parents are a brother and sister. Funeral rites were conducted at the graveside in a Mousie cemetery, the Rev. James Duff officiating. Burial followed under the direction of Hall Bros. Funeral Home.

Prototype of Kentucky Colonel Receives Commission at Age 92

By C. W. BAILEY
(Licking Valley Courier)



JUDGE O'REAR

A Kentucky Colonel at 92! That dutiless honor was conferred upon the oldest active practitioner at the legal bar of Kentucky a few days ago by Lt. Gov. Emerson Beauchamp—upon a man upon whom many honors have been conferred.

Judge Edward Clay O'Rear—92 years young—who yet walks with sprightly step, swinging a cane about as though it were a plaything, and wears the traditional Kentucky Colonel's goatee—fittingly—prizes the Colonelcy conferred upon him, but with the distinct understanding that he is "the non-fighting, peace-loving brand of Colonel."

Self-educated, a one-time judge and chief justice of the Kentucky Court of Appeals and, in 1911 Republican nominee for governor of Kentucky, Judge O'Rear boasts that he is a graduate of the "University of Camargo." Camargo, the village near where he was born, is in Montgomery county. It was there he attended school until he was nine years old.

A few years later he was a printer's devil in the Kentucky Sentinel office, Mt. Sterling, and then foreman in a West Liberty print shop. While engaged in that endeavor he "read law"—as the expression goes in the mountains—under Colonel John Thomas Hazelrigg, whose daughter he later married.

He was admitted to practice law at Salyersville in adjacent Magoffin county in 1882. But his first practice was in Elliott county, county seat of which is Sandy Hook—then known as Martinsburg.

"In those days lawyers rode the circuit," Judge O'Rear reminisces. "Judge Wick Kendall, West Liberty, a former commonwealth attorney and later a member of Congress, was a traveling companion in that first journey into Elliott county. Circuit court was to open there the next Monday."

"I rode with Judge Kendall to the home of William Weddington at the head of Little Sandy, some five miles distant from the county seat, Judge Weddington (a former county judge and subsequently a member of the Legislature) and Mrs. Weddington bade me welcome, furnished me with bed and meals—took care of my horse—and the following day gave me a sample of the hospitality which I have long remembered as an attribute of mountain people.

"On Monday morning as Judge Kendall and I prepared to leave the Weddington home for Martinsburg, I offered to pay those gracious folk for the keep of both my horse and myself and Judge Weddington remarked:

"Young man, you are a stranger in these parts. I advise you not to make that mistake again. No mountain man sells the salt of his table."

"He took me in hand and rode along with us to Martinsburg where his brother, Harve Weddington, was sheriff of the county. Through their good offices, I as a stripling youngster, was soon furnished with a few clients. The judge rustled up the clients, and Harve Weddington helped me pick the jury. The judge, Harve and I didn't lose a case.

"I gained unearned reputation through this help in these cases, although they were merely misdemeanors.

"I never saw Judge Weddington again for 30 years, when I had a case set for trial in Catlettsburg Federal Court. He was on the jury panel there. I knew within reason that he would dominate the jury one way or another due to his forceful personality and swaying manners. I accepted the jury without question, Judge Weddington being the only one of the panel I knew.

Later that day, I saw Judge Weddington in a restaurant—the last time I ever saw him—and he merely quipped:

"We're still winning them, aren't we, Ed?"

Judge O'Rear is a staunch Republican and proud of it, and numbers among his friends many ardent Democrats. He meets this argument pleasantly:

"Many of my best friends are Democrats and most of my clients have been such. Besides, I'm about as close in my beliefs

to their patron saint, Thomas Jefferson, as anyone."

While reminiscing on the score, Judge O'Rear is particular to urge the potency of such Jeffersonian fundamental as "grand division of powers of government among executives, legislative and judicial departments" as a sound rule with each branch being "distinctly and emphatically separated into independent co-ordinate powers.

"Lately, it is becoming the fashion to give to the Court of Appeals ministerial power in such matters as tax assessments, liquor licenses, and fixing rates for common carriers and other ministerial matters," observes the Judge. "Ours is not a government by courts.

"The Court of Appeals, with due respect to the integrity of its members, should be confined in its jurisdiction to that of appeals in judicial matters alone, and in requiring all inferior courts, by appropriate writs, to act within their lawful jurisdiction.

"The lust for power is the root of all evil in men. Judges of courts are not excepted. No court of original jurisdiction ever denies itself a power it wants unless it has a crowded docket.

"On what meat doth Caesar feed that he hath grown so great?" "That's good Jeffersonian doctrine, is it not?"

Judge O'Rear removed from West Liberty to Mt. Sterling, was elected county judge of Montgomery county and, in 1900, was elected judge of the Court of Appeals. He was re-elected in 1908, serving until 1911 when he resigned after seeking the governorship unsuccessfully.

He recalls—apropos of the recent controversy anent the pro-

priety of Judge Bert T. Combs while on the Court of Appeals (from which he later resigned) that long before the American Bar Association prescribed a code of ethics on the subject, that he strictly adhered to the principle of the rule now in force by refusing to participate in hearing of cases after he became a candidate.

"I made up my mind that if elected governor I would appoint till the next regular election the judge to fill the vacancy," observes Judge O'Rear, "but if defeated, I would nevertheless resign, and let the then governor fill the vacancy by appointment. That resolution I carried out.

"My reasoning was thus: If I acted as judge while a candidate for governor, some people might feel that I would be partial to my supporters, and not impartial to such as had voted against me.

"Though I felt I could be impartial in either event (as though the voting had been in my race for judge) that the prestige of the court might suffer from my continued service during and following the gubernatorial campaign.

Judge O'Rear was nominated for governor while a judge but did not resign until after the election.

The "Judge—extensive landowner that he is—likes to refer to himself as a "poor farmer"—the law being an avocation.

He is a great family man, too. He married twice—first time to Miss Virginia Hazelrigg, now deceased, and daughter of Col. Hazelrigg, his old legal tutor. The second time he married Miss Mabell Taylor, his present wife.

Judge O'Rear has five children—Col. John T. H. O'Rear, San Francisco, Calif., a retired army officer; James B. O'Rear, Woodford county, a distillery, executive; Prentice O'Rear, of Frankfort; Mrs. William E. Bradley, Woodford county, and Mrs. William Scruggs, Frankfort; seven grandchildren and 16 great-grandchildren.

Another interesting sidelight on Judge O'Rear is that he and his father have lived under every President of the United States. His father, Daniel O'Rear, was born at Boonesboro, in 1796—while George Washington was president.

But, as the eminent jurist still says with a twinkle in his eye: "Camargo... West Liberty... Mt. Sterling... little children about one's feet... Martinsburg... Bill and Harve Weddington... these and many other blessings make one glad he has known so many wonderful people. Now, I'm in Emerson Beauchamp's peace brigade!"

FINDER OF BURIED TREASURE HAS LIFE-SIZE STATUE MADE

By Leonard Roberts
(Of Union College, Barbourville)

The lore of buried and hidden treasure is always good story material. This one is East Tennessee actually happened as you are invited to come and see for yourself by the collector, Flora Mae Hicks of Elk Valley, Tennessee. Let me hear from you if you know a similar story—L. R.

CHURN OF MONEY

About three miles out of Jellico, Tennessee, lived an old man named Riley Perkins. Several years ago Riley bought an old farm in a small place called High Cliff. This farm had on it two old log buildings. Riley raised his large family in one of these log structures. After many years, Riley became wealthy enough to build him a plank house. After moving into his new building, he used the old log house as a storage place for corn. Later he built himself a new barn.

Needing the space where the old log house stood, he hired a neighbor to help tear it down. They at last came to removing the chimney. Riley, after tearing some of the front rocks off, spied a shelf inside the chimney. He became furious. He thought he saw something on this shelf that looked bulky. He hastily sent his helper away on an errand to get him out of the way. As soon as he was gone, he tore the rock down and there set an old fashioned brown crock with spider web and soot all over it. It had a metal top that fit closely over it. He took the crock down to the bank of the river nearby and hid it. He did not want the man who would soon return to see what was in it. He didn't know what was in it himself but knew it must be something important. His helper soon returned and they worked till they finished the job. Riley sent his helper home. He then hurried to the river bank and pried off the lid of the mysterious churn and found it full of money. The churn was a gallon size. Most of the money was silver dollars, but there were bundles of big sized bills.

Riley was afraid to put the money in bank because of questions that would be asked. He sent to Italy and had his and his wife's statues sculptured. They are life size and very life-like. They now stand in a cemetery in High Cliff. They are sculptured from white marble. The lot is fenced with marble blocks with angels on each corner. This is how he spent some of the money found in the crock churn. Many visitors come to see this.

Dr. Leonard Roberts, head of the Union College English department has been a frequent publisher of Kentucky folktales while studying at Berea College and at the University of Kentucky where

he received his Doctor's degree in the English department last year.

One of his most interesting folk booklets is entitled, "I Bought Me a Dog." Another book now coming off the University of Kentucky Press is "South from Hellfer-Certain" made up of folk tales from Clay, Leslie, and Perry counties in Kentucky.

A native of Floyd county, Dr. Roberts is a graduate of Berea College, where he received the Bachelor's degree, and Iowa University where he earned the master's degree, and also studied at the University of Kentucky.

He is a member of the American Folklore Society, the Kentucky Folklore Society, and the Kentucky Council of Teachers of English. The Robertses have four children.

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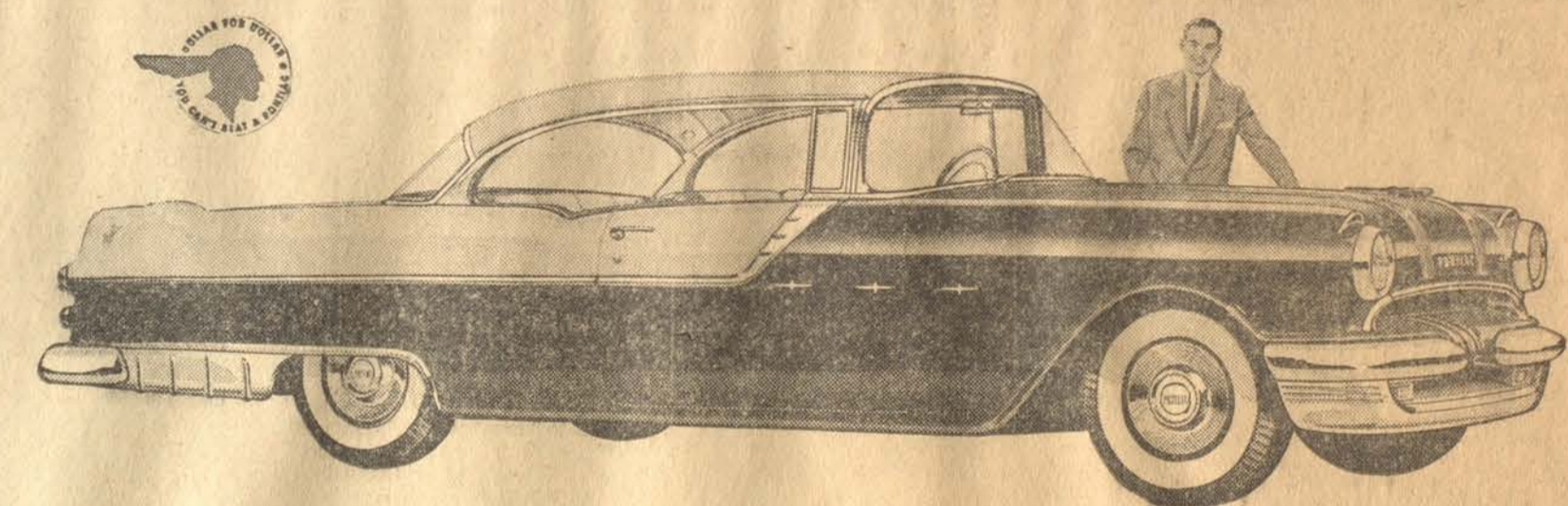
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3,500 Teachers Attend EKEA's Morehead Rally

The Eastern Kentucky Education Association last Thursday called for legislation deemed necessary to finance fully the minimum-foundation program for education in Kentucky.

Some 3,500 teachers, including many from Floyd county, legislators, farm-bureau members, businessmen, and others attended the EKEA session in the Morehead State College auditorium and gymnasium.

Outside the auditorium an overflow crowd heard the proceedings by loud-speaker.

All 17 county school districts and 16 independent school districts embraced by the association were represented.

The teachers also recommended a four-point program to the Kentucky Education Association in connection with the foundation program:

1. That first priority be given to the complete financing of the program as written without fundamental change.
2. That the foundation program be expanded by the inclusion of a provision assuring to each district a minimum of \$80 in State aid per child in average daily attendance.
3. That the profession reaffirm its pledge that no school district shall lose State aid as a result of the amendment to Section 186 of the State constitution, empowering the Legislature to set up any financing plan it desired.
4. That the census-pupil distribution provision be removed from the foundation law.

The resolutions, presented by a committee headed by Roy G. Smith, also called for support of the program by candidates for all State offices.

The program was commended to them with an appeal that they work to have "the first session of the next General Assembly make an appropriation adequate schools and teachers, but we should

to meet the full financial requirements and standards set for them in the foundation law, and to enact such legislation as is necessary to secure a fair and equitable assessment of all property within the state."

Dr. Adron Doran, president of the E.K.E.A. and of Morehead State College, presided. Speakers included Wendell P. Butler, State superintendent of public instruction; Marvin Dodson, Executive Secretary of the K. E. A.; Superintendent Verne Horne, of Johnson county schools; Lawrence Stewart, Superintendent of Ashland City schools, and Alma McLain, president of the Kentucky Association of Elementary School Principals.

Butler said, "We cannot afford not to finance this program of education."

Dodson called it a "people's program," and said "now our job is to finance it."

Those in the auditorium also witnessed a skit presented by students from Russell, Greenup county high school emphasizing the need for improvement of education in Kentucky.

(By way of comparison, it was pointed out that the Prestonsburg district received \$35,343.10 in state aid for the school year 1952-53. Had the Minimum Foundation Program been fully financed and in effect, the state aid received that year would have been \$124,399.67. The Floyd county schools received from the state for the same year \$820,231.50. If the program had been in operation it would have received \$1,630,494.32. The combined districts would have been \$899,319.89 richer that year.)

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WHEELWRIGHT

Wheelwright Parent-Teachers Association held its meeting March 22, at the high school auditorium where everyone admired the new ceiling and the paint job just completed. Everyone was very pleased with the improvement in the acoustics.

The meeting was called to order by the president, Ralph Banks. In the absence of the program chairman, Charles Curry, a teacher at the high school, introduced Rev. Bert Caldwell, of the Wheelwright Baptist Church. Rev. Caldwell selected "Why We Should Appreciate Our Teachers" as his subject in observance of "Teachers Appreciation Week."

He stressed these points: that we should be thankful for our not be satisfied to stay in the lower bracket of education our state is now in; thankful for progress being made now in Kentucky schools, for better qualified teachers which enables us to have better schools and for the time, effort and money teachers spend to equip themselves to teach our children; thankful for the fundamentals which are taught our children as well as preparation for adulthood and for the faithfulness of the teachers to their task. Rev. Caldwell also stated that we as parents can help our teachers to be better teachers by: personal contact with the teachers—many problems about our children may be solved by parent cooperation with the teacher; encouraging the teacher—constructive criticism without remedy is not helpful; praying for our teachers—through Christian faith and prayers for our teachers we will have better schools.

The prizes for the greatest number of parents present went to Miss Rainey and Mrs. Ratliff for the grade school and Mrs. Curry for the high school.

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Kentucky Boys and Girls Enroll In Fair Contest; Program In Third Year

More than 4300 Kentucky boys and girls have enrolled for the 1955 Kentucky State Fair sponsored "Tomorrow's Travelers" contest, according to Thomas A. Ballantine, fair board member in charge.

The contestants, representing some two hundred state high schools, are now competing for the championship of their schools. The winners will become eligible for the county contests to be held some time during the summer, under the direction of the Kentucky State Police.

County winners will compete for the state championship contest at the 1955 Kentucky State Fair.

The program, now in its third year, has received aid and cooperation from many state organizations. Various Farm Bureaus, Women's Clubs, County Fairs and others, have set up programs for special recognition and awards on the county level. Radio Station WHAS, Louisville, devotes a weekly program encouraging participation in the contest, and stressing the importance of a safe and sane attitude toward driving.


"The program is appealing to teen-age drivers," Ballantine said, "so far there are a thousand more entrants than last year. This figure is expected to be increased before the close of the current school term."

FORMER GOVERNOR SPEAKS

A former governor of Tennessee declared this week at the University of Kentucky that the passage of a sales tax several years ago in his state produced the revenue needed to remedy most of Tennessee's educational ills. The speaker was Jim McCord, now commissioner of conservation for Tennessee, who was the principal speaker at the opening session of the 20th annual convention of the Kentucky School Boards Association.

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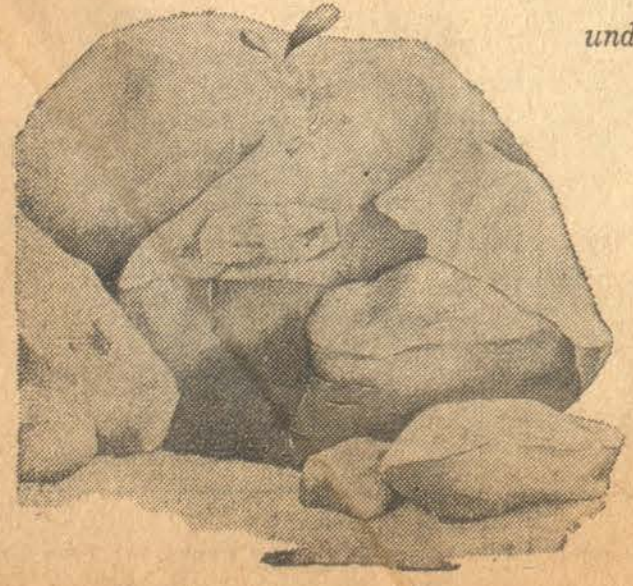
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ALLEN

Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Bingham are spending a week with their son, George Bingham, and family in Louisville.

Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Burke have returned from a vacation in Florida.

Millard Thomas, of Michigan, spent the week-end here with his wife, Elizabeth Laven Thomas.

Mrs. Euna Laven and daughter, Tommy Carole, spent Wednesday night with her sister in Jenkins.

Mrs. Sue Spurlock is a patient at Our Lady of the Way hospital, Martin.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Stewart and son, Melvin, attended the state basketball tournament in Lexington last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Mitchell and children, Charlene and Vickie, and Mrs. George Laven and daughter, Tommy Carole, were shopping in Huntington, Saturday.

Bryant Owens, of Lexington, was a business visitor here, Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Davis and children spent the week-end with her parents at Jackson, Mr. Davis also visited in Lexington.

Mr. and Mrs. David Louder were shopping in Pikeville, Saturday afternoon.

Galloway Laferty was a business visitor in Charleston, W. Va., Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Laferty and Mrs. Galloway Laferty were shopping in Prestonsburg, Tuesday.

Mrs. Bennie Laferty was a business visitor in Prestonsburg, Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Sexton and children, Jimmy and Pam, were visiting her parents at Buckhorn, Ky., Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles May, Mrs. Johnny May and daughter, Sally, Mrs. Virginia Allen and Mrs. Graham Burchett, accompanied by Mrs. Joe Burke, of Prestonsburg, attended the funeral of Florence May in Lexington, Friday.

W. H. Potter, of Paintsville, and W. J. Melvin, chief special officer of the C. & O. Railway Co., Richmond, Va., were business visitors here Wednesday. Mr. Melvin visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Gray.

Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Mitchell had a Sunday guests Mr. and Mrs. Harlan Pennington and sons, Larry and Terry, of Prestonsburg, and Mr. Pennington's mother, Mrs. Lydia Pennington, and his grandmother, Mrs. John Pride-more, of Hamlin, W. Va., who is visiting them in their home at Prestonsburg; also Mr. and Mrs. Bill Miller and children, Kaye Ann and Drucilla, and Burton Miller, of Cincinnati. Mr. and Mrs. Miller are former Allen residents. Mr. Pennington is manager of the McJunkin Supply store here.

Jimmy Stambaugh, of Paintsville, was a business visitor here, Monday.

David Tackett, 3-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Chester Tackett, suffered a brain concussion in a fall at his home Tuesday. He underwent surgery at Our Lady of the Way hospital in Martin and is reported in fair condition.

Ray Clifton has been removed to his home from the Prestonsburg General hospital. He suffered a broken hand and cuts and bruises in a car wreck near Prestonsburg, Thursday morning.

Members of the Woman's Society of Christian Service will meet with the Prestonsburg Society in the Methodist Church Monday night at Prestonsburg, with the Ashland district W.S.C.S. president, Mrs. Harold Schmauch, guest speaker. All members are urged to attend.

Revival services are being held in the Allen Methodist church, with the pastor, Rev. John P. Carr, preaching. Rev. Paul Dorsey, of the Wayland Methodist church, is song leader, and Mrs. Virginia Lushbaugh, pianist. All are invited. Services will continue through April 3.

Mrs. Burt Allen and Jackie Tackett were visiting relatives in Paintsville, Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Osbourn and daughters spent the week-end with relatives in Parkersburg, W. Va.

Estill Soldier Serving In 25th Inf. Division

Schofield Barracks, T. H. — Pvt. Edward R. Payne, 25, son of Mr. and Mrs. Fay Payne, of Estill, Ky., recently arrived in Hawaii for duty with the 25th Infantry Division.

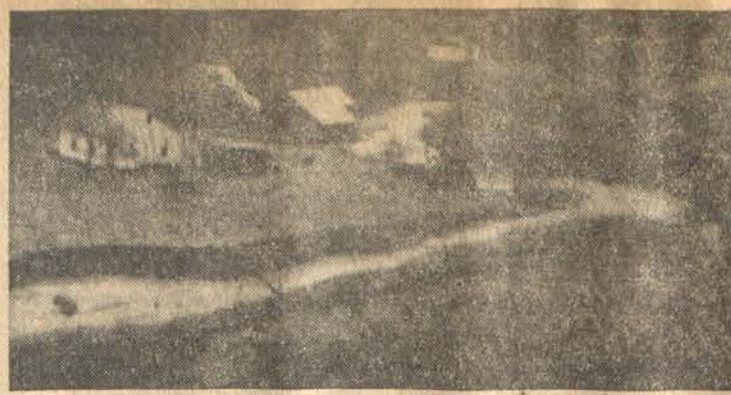
The "Tropic Lightning" division is continuing its post-truce training program using valuable experience gained in Korea. Payne entered the Army in January, 1949, and has since been awarded the Purple Heart, Combat Infantryman Badge and the Korean Service Ribbon.

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Stream Diversion Menaces Farm



—Polaroid 1-Minute Photo by The Times

An example of recent flood damage to farms in this section is this diversion of Mare Creek through the farm of Mrs. Pearl Hall. Here the stream left its usual course (shown on the right), cut a wide swath through a bottom, washed off a corner of the barn's foundation and carried away a bridge nearby.

It was pointed out by J. B. Clarke, district soil conservation supervisor, that application of the practice providing for straight-

ening and realignment of stream banks in the Agricultural Stabilization Committee program would have eliminated this hazard. A recent meet of farm leaders urged upon the State ASC the continuance of this practice provision in next year's program. Alex Spradlin, office manager of the local ASC, said this week that farmers may take advantage of the straightening and realignment practice in the ASC program for this year.

CHILDREN, TOO

Half of all cancer deaths in the United States occur in people under 65 years old. Of this number, 3,500 are children under 15. Join the American Cancer Society Crusade.

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School District's Debts Are Over \$60,000,000 Education Bureau Says

Kentucky school districts had outstanding bonded debts totaling \$61,482,700 at the end of the fiscal year last June 30, the Department of Education's Bureau of Administration and Finance revealed today.

The totals included \$58,882,700 in revenue bonds, \$2,196,500 voted bonds and \$413,500 funding bonds. The study disclosed 172 school districts had revenue bond issues outstanding—bonds to be retired largely by annual rentals on school buildings, while 29 had outstanding voted bond issues and 18 had funding bonds outstanding.

Districts in Floyd county had these bond totals outstanding last June 30, according to the report: Floyd county, \$601,100; Prestonsburg, \$29,000.

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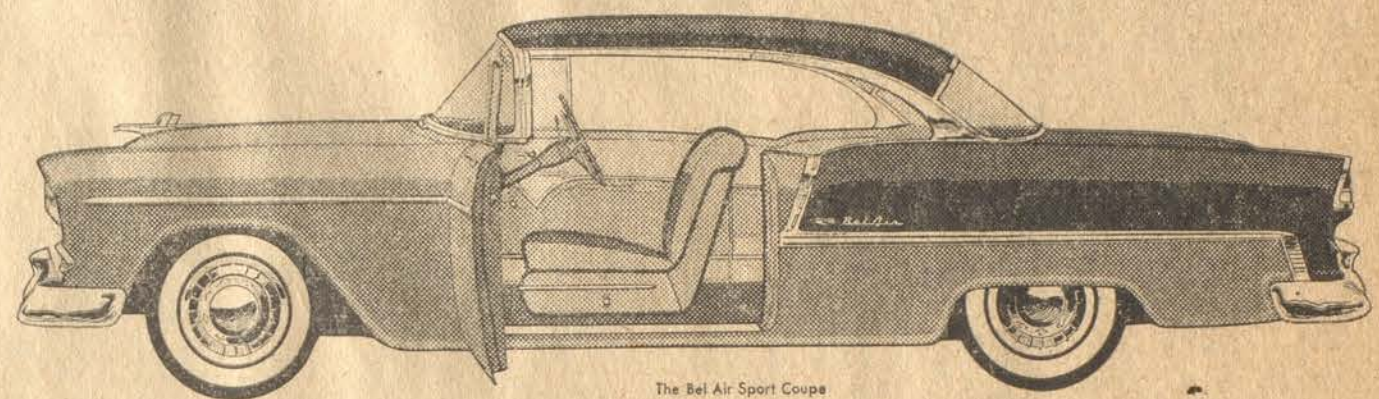
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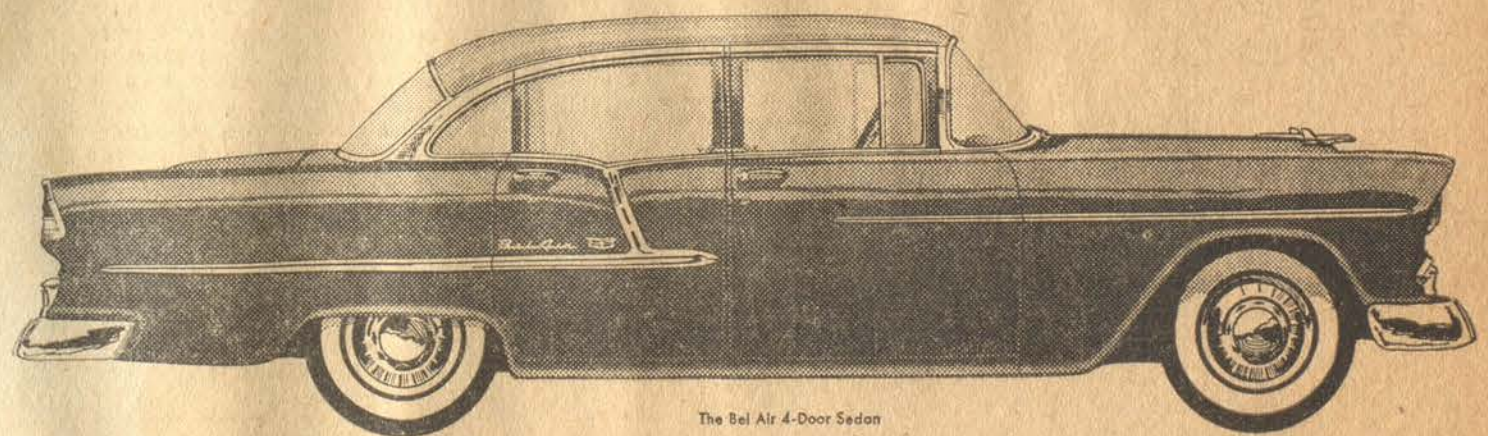
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Sheriff's Notice of Delinquent Taxes

The following 1954 tax bills upon which there are taxes due will be offered for sale at the Courthouse in Prestonsburg, Ky., on Saturday, April 2, 1955, between the hours of 1 p.m. and 2 p.m. A lien on said property will thereby be retained, bearing interest at the rate of 12% per annum. (To total shown will be added 6% interest, penalty and costs.)

GORMON COLLINS, Sheriff Floyd County, Ky.

NON RESIDENTS

10182	John Alley	10.63	11093	Jerry Lafferty Est.	7.91
10183	Rebecca & Elizabeth Allen	12.83	11100	Dud Marsillett	6.25
10189	Bill Banks, Adm	19.40	11158	Norman & Mae Martin	21.09
10194	Georgia B. Bartley	2.54	11160	Sarah Martin	7.00
10195	Beaver Coal & Mining Co.	2014.39	11173	T. C. P. May Est.	5.83
10201	J. W. Blankenship	3.27	11199	L. C. & Eva Meade	11.66
10203	Bennie Bolen	2.17	11204	Henry Messer	8.69
10208	Jonah Breeding	2.52	11222	William Morgan	3.92
10209	Vince Brown	8.03	11224	Kerrill F. Morrell	14.63
10211	H. D. Buchanan	11.06	11127	Garland McComas	6.25
10214	L. E. Burke	3.26	11137	J. M. & Irene McIntosh	14.79
10219	Dollie Caldwell	8.69	11258	Jimmy Ousley	8.43
10221	Central Elkhorn Coal Co.	8.40	11275	Susan Pelphrey	23.90
10227	James Clay & Bros. Clear Branch Mining Co.	3478.76	11282	Pioneer Finance Co.	7.00
10229	Clear Branch Mining Co.	13.94	11291	Columbus Prater	12.08
10232	Lillie Cline	7.82	11312	Junior Ratliff	2.76
10235	Louise Coburn Est.	4.35	11334	Jesse Rowe	13.99
10240	Frank Cook	8.03	11342	Dewey Sammons	23.06
10246	Cumberland Coal & Coke Co.	10.87	11351	Maggie H. Shepherd	3.50
10250	J. E. Dampier	10.87	11360	Bretton Stone	18.39
10251	Alvada Darby	22.61	11397	Lydia Stephens	3.50
10272	Ollie Fontz	4.35	11406	Val Strahan, Sr.	22.15
10279	Jake Garrett	8.14	11414	T. B. & Dorothy Sturgill	26.92
10281	Virgie Gibson	6.52	11420	Foster Tackett	4.51
10282	A. R. Gillis	5.32	11421	Hazel M. Tackett	5.00
10283	Ollie Glenn Heirs	10.87	11427	Reuben Taylor	5.83
10286	Roy Grady	26.08	11429	B. M. Thompson	77.06
10287	Graham Coal & Mining Co.	73.65	11432	Ollie Toliver	17.49
10297	R. E. Hale	5.09	11451	Millie Wallen	1.17
10298	Bill Hall	15.42	11480	Cordelia Whittier	8.75
10300	Bruce Hall	4.35	11489	Carl Woods	6.41
10302	J. M. Hall	8.69	11496	Elder Wright	53.47
10303	Albert & Spicie Hamilton	17.38	11500	Mary Alice Wright	7.58

DISTRICT NO. 1

10306	Dewey Harmon	8.69	10	Frank Adams	14.55
10313	Rebecca Hatcher	52.59	10	G. W. Adams	19.62
10316	Woots Hicks	10.63	11	Harris Adams	8.80
10323	A. V. Holling	105.56	16	Monroe Adams	38.32
10332	Roland Huffman	6.52	17	Ray Adams	2.72
10334	Jack Hughes	28.24	21	Lewis Adkins	14.58
10336	Garland Hunt	4.35	25	W. K. Adkins	12.40
10347	John R. Jervis Gas, Co.	97.79	28	Carson Akers	13.04
10349	Missouri Johnson	17.38	29	Charles Akers	6.52
10350	Hilda E. Layne	15.21	43	Alex V. Allen	12.40
10366	Lela Payne	23.48	50	Edd Allen	6.00
10377	Bill Martin	10.53	56	J. D. Allen	12.76
10378	Dolly Martin	10.53	60	Mike Allen	4.42
10380	Perminis Martin	11.06	69	Rebecca Allen	6.78
10386	U. S. Maynard	17.59	85	Henry Arnett	11.53
10397	Henry McCoy	35.39	86	Nancy Arnett	4.20
10398	Fred McGuire	10.17	104	Albert Baldridge	17.23
10404	Willie Newman	13.15	127	Lettie Baldridge	10.84
10405	John Newsome	5.11	152	Dora Bays	6.78
10408	Estill Nicholas	8.16	154	Jim Bays	20.91
10409	Bess Osborn	13.04	155	Joe Bays	6.97
10412	Lula N. Pack	17.80	165	Malcolm & Maude Benjey	58.04
10418	Mrs. Floyd Pendleton	9.40	178	Vincent Billoti	12.40
10418	Pitts Fork Oil & Gas Co.	10.86	209	Ora Blackburn	4.35
10429	Purity Cannel Coal Co.	28.25	214	Roland Blackburn	27.79
10431	Lyda J. Reed	6.73	215	Thehmar Blackburn	8.14
10433	Lucian & Ann Rice	59.22	216	Thomas Blackburn	14.55
10439	Sally M. Scalf	21.43	222	Jim Blair	14.34
10440	Mrs. Hazel Schulex	5.00	227	Wendell Blair	19.00
10444	Odie Shepherd	9.30	230	Wayne Blanton	14.58
10453	Grady Spradlin	4.35	232	Zora Blanton	11.59
10454	Supreme Elkhorn Coal Co.	102.24	239	Blanche Boyd	11.96
10459	Neise H. Stanley	13.15	278	George Branham	25.23
10460	Steele Creek Coal Co.	171.51	280	Harry Branham	10.23
10469	Burn & Bernard Tackett	12.51	286	John Branham, Jr.	31.88
10470	John Taylor	13.04	292	Mathilda Branham	7.72
10472	Rebecca Lowe Taylor	37.49	293	Turner Branham	8.69
10474	Watha Thompson	10.21	313	Alifair Burchett	7.53
10487	Mrs. Eva M. Webb	7.82	333	Mrs. James Lee Burchett	6.52
10492	D. E. Wheeler	15.90	360	Thomas M. Burga Est.	8.69
10500	Wilson Creek Coal Co.	51.49	361	Bess Burke	8.80
10502	John Wright	12.83	368	Arnold & Sarah Burkett	15.62

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10507	Mrs. Byrd Allen	8.8	371	Gertrude Burkett	3.79
10516	Jerry Allen Est.	4.66	372	Donald Burkett	6.52
10533	Jo & Foster Anderson	8.00	426	Geo. Campbell	3.86
10551	Bernice Arnett	2.33	446	Henry Carr	21.36
10569	Printess & Christine Ball	9.17	458	Laurania Castle	9.30
10574	Lucille Bates	3.50	480	Louise Chaffins	15.21
10575	Harvey Bays	5.99	493	Alka Clark	4.35
10585	Hack Bentley	6.84	494	Alex Clark	4.35
10601	Margaret Blackburn	6.25	502	Grady Clark	13.36
10614	Ella & Worley Boyd	17.97	511	Sterling Clark	25.90
10618	Bennie Branham	22.26	519	Henry B. Clay	18.42
10619	Eula Branham	5.83	534	Mary B. Clifton	18.64
10638	J. L. Burchett	6.84	536	Maude B. Clifton	1.31
10640	Nettie Burchett	4.66	546	Simon Cole	23.10
10659	Thomas Calhoun	10.81	549	Dave W. Collins	13.14
10691	Bill Clifton	13.83	551	Don Collins	13.14
10699	Edward Collins	2.76	557	Gyplie Collins	5.67
10704	J. D. Collins	98.21	559	Henry Collins	6.39
10706	Nancy Collins	1.75	563	Liza Collins	2.17
10707	Thelma Collins	2.92	566	Ollie Collins	11.89
10731	W. R. Conley	3.34	577	Martha Combs	5.84
10751	Florence Craft	1.17	581	Layne Compton	21.12
10753	Susan H. Craft	7.00	586	Wm. P. Compton	3.26
10758	Charley & Pearl Crum	74.20	604	Reden Conley	6.43
10769	Alex L. Davidson	23.00	606	Susan Conley	3.26
10772	Gertrude Davidson	8.75	614	Jack Eddie Conn	5.88
10780	G. C. & Ollie Davis	13.25	615	Thomas Conn	10.23
10781	Ralph Davis	64.02	634	Sarah Copland	9.26
10845	Baldard Fleming	5.09	637	Jerry Cornett	17.42
10869	Mary E. Frazier	1.75	642	Josephine Craze	2.17
10870	Robert Frazier	5.00	647	Woodman Crider	1.17
10884	Mont Gibson	3.40	680	Elfie Crisp	8.69
10908	Woodrow Greenwade	14.77	685	Jeff Crisp	2.17
10928	Watt Hale	6.68	688	Mable Crisp	8.69
10937	J. M. Hall	58.99	691	Andrew Crum	28.73
10956	James Harless, Jr.	4.66	695	Estia, Peggy & Joe Crum	28.33
10991	Virginia and Leslie Hines	13.35	723	Eve Daniels	36.22
11007	John W. Horn	4.51	740	Lucille & Dick Davis	5.09
11014	H. K. Howard	35.54	747	E. B. DeLong	1.75
11021	O. M. Howard	62.96	758	Dikie Derossset	2.62
11035	Kelly Hughes	9.84	776	Celia Dillon	12.32
11051	Mrs. Bill Hyden	1.6	793	Hansford Dooley	9.05
11062	Tom James	22.65	805	R. C. Dyer	49.44
11063	Bill Jarrell	10.24	812	Edd Eden	25.55
11078	Carlin Joseph	20.88	827	M. C. Elliott	37.65
11088	Charley Lafferty	29.28	830	Arnold Endicott	5.32
11090	Elaine Lafferty	2.92	830	Melvin Endicott	21.02
11092	James W. Lafferty	13.73	835	Bill England Est.	8.03

888	John Fraley Est.	6.49	2182	Rebecca Porter	5.05
893	Sarah Fraley Est.	6.66	2183	Vance Porter	8.06
895	Wm. R. Fraley	10.38	2196	Cynthia Prater	65.67
901	Graden Frasure	5.44	2199	Earl Prater	10.23
915	Willie B. Frazier	5.44	2207	Fanny Thornsberry Prater	3.88
918	James Freeman	8.69	2213	Jim Prater	22.90
929	Geo. Garrett Est.	7.82	2219	Lum Prater	48.29
936	Mrs. Ruby H. Garrett	8.35	2234	Sarah Prater	6.68
938	Willard Garrett	6.68	2239	T. J. Prater	2.17
944	Janita Gearheart	2.17	2242	W. M. Prater	12.40
945	Paul Gearheart	12.40	2270	Belya Ratliff	5.88
956	Homer Gibson	5.88	2272	Harry Ratliff Heirs	12.66
962	Nelso & Aleen Gilliam	12.66	2276	Tommy M. Ratliff	10.39
968	Bill Goble	12.40	2279	Elizabeth & Roy Burke	6.28
969	Bill Goble	12.40	2281	Red Rock Bottling Co.	37.84
971	Brack Goble	11.32	2287	H. H. Reffett	17.07
972	Bill Goble	6.31	2295	W. M. Reffitt	7.93
976	Clyde Goble	11.90	2320	Willie Risner	14.02
978	Conrad & Arthur Goble	10.87	2330	Bess Rivers	8.69
985	Emma Goble	15.44	2354	Polly Ann Robinson	3.26
997	James Goble	3.26	2360	Laura Roop	10.23
1006	Lon Goble	3.88	2371	Emma Wells Rose	20.06
1009	Minta Bell Goble	5.85	2372	Howard Rose	12.57
1010	Myrtle & Goldia Goble	7.59	3832	Willard Hicks	4.35
1022	Maureen Gaff	6.52	3850	Mody Hoover	13.25
1026	Jennie Goodman	7.18	3852	Edgar Hall	71.82
1027	May Belle Goodman	4.35	3854	M. C. Hopkins	71.59
1032	Dock Gray	5.17	3857	Dave Horn	11.32
1035	George Gray	29.97	3858	Grant & Myrtle Horn	8.78
1040	Wallace Gray	6.68	3861	Manton Horn	11.34
1047	Helen V. Griffith	10.87	3865	May Horton	6.52
1063	Ballard Gunnell	13.83	3867	Troy Horton	8.69
1068	James Oliver Gunnels	13.04	3870	James House	10.23
1131	Henry C. Hale	78.83	3872	Ollie House	7.89
1152	James B. Hall	14.58	3877	Earl Howard	8.69
1154	Joe Hall	13.27	3880	Harless Howard	8.06
1160	Mary Hall	5.44	3881	Jack Howard	14.58
1161	Mingo Hall	11.52	3893	Cornett Huff Est.	5.44
1171	Russell & Lora Hall	12.94	3902	Clarence Hughes	8.69
1175	Willie J. Hall	10.86	3908*	Lloyd & Vivian Hughes	21.10
1177	Alex Hamilton	50.04	3910	Melvin Hughes	6.98
1180	Helton Hamilton	11.32	3913	Beckie Hunter Est.	2.61
1183	Anna Hamilton	4.35	3924	Ada Hurst	3.82
1187	Webster Hamilton	4.35	3925	Missouri Jacobs	10.87
1190	Frank and Sarah Hammonds	10.17	3958	Mary Jenkins	11.18
1192	M. L. Hammonds	3.80	3959	Dinah Jones	5.43
1195	P. K. Hammonds Est.	5.85	3975	Green Jones	6.43
1197	T. H. Hammonds	29.50	3977	Ola Jones	8.06
1222	Anna L. Harris	28.99	3981*	Homer Kazee	4.80
1228	Eker Harris	9.83	4020	Ezra Lafferty	15.67
1230	George Harris	9.46	4023*	Raymond Lafferty	28.55
1232	John B. Harris	14.30	4028	Raymond Lafferty	12.40
1243	Taylor Harris	4.35	4028	Floyd & Martha Layne	9.19
1250	John Hatfield	4.35	4068	Osborne Lynch	10.00
1260	Robert H. Hayes	13.89	4069	Ben Lyons	5.44
1271	Willie Hayward	21.27	4070	Earl Lyons	12.38
1272	Anderson Helton	16.06	4074	Green Manns	10.39
1275	Mrs. Jeff Herald	26.93	4082	R. D. Manns Est.	4.35
1278	Mrs. Burl Hicks	24.41	4083	Charles Byrd	54.68
1289	Wayne Thomas	13.57	4131	Earl Martin	9.46
1296	Edgeworth Hicks	16.43	4138	Fred Martin	122.64
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1301	Harris A. Hicks	11.49	4159	Mable Annis Martin	9.15
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1338	Flossie Holbrook	7.81	4171	Perry Martin	10.23
1345	Jessie Holbrook	11.41	4175	Robert Martin	10.42
1357	Fred Honnala Est.	12.93	4197	Willis & James Martin	8.47
1371	Ben Horn	24.06	4200*	Gene Lee Mauris	4.35
1383	Chester Howard	8.22	4225	Maggie P. Mayes	3.84
1384	Elizabeth Lynch Howard	7.61	4230	Gene Lee Mavis	4.35
1385	George R. Watson	10.23	4233	Reese Meadows	64.45
1388	Ballard Webb	16.78	4253*	Ollie Molletts	8.06
1395	Wiley Howard	7.72	4254		

Since 1949 more than 200,000 people have died of cancer annually. American Cancer Society statistics show. The Breckinridge County Homemakers Association sponsored the polo drive in that county, a total of \$2,225 having been raised.

Table with 3 columns: Name, Amount, Name. Lists names and amounts, including Johnnie Akers, Kessie Akers, Thurman J. Akers, etc.

13 HERE WIN HIGH RATINGS

In Pike Speech Fest Where Phelps, Hazard Debaters Are Winners

Pikeville, Ky., Mar. 21 (Spl.) — "Excellent" ratings were won by 13 of Prestonsburg high school's 17 entrants in the Pikeville Regional Speech Festival last week. Other contestants in 11 events of the meet, held annually at Pikeville Junior College, were rated "superior," "good," and "fair." Holders of the 27 "superiors" among the 141 ratings given are qualified for the State Speech Festival in April, Dr. A. A. Page, college president and festival manager, said.

COLLECTOR'S NOTICE

DELINQUENT TAXES

The following 1954 tax bills upon which are taxes due the Prestonsburg Board of Education will be offered for sale at the Court House in Prestonsburg, Ky., Monday, April 11, 1955 between the hours of 10 a.m. to 12 noon. A lien on said property will be retained, bearing interest at the rate of 12% per annum.

Commissioner Says Assistance Payments Show Big Increase

Frankfort, Ky., March 28 (Spl.) — Kentucky has made rapid strides in its public assistance program during the last eight years, with average payments in each category of assistance being raised from upwards of 100 per cent to almost 200 per cent, it was reported today by Commissioner of Economic Security Vego E. Barnes.

Bids Are Called For By Highway Department

Frankfort, Ky., March 28 — The State Department of Highways today called for bids to be received April 8 for improvement of 308.5 miles of road in Grant, Russell, Caldwell, Trigg, Christian, Union, Webster, Daviess, Henderson, McLean, Ohio, Allen, Warren, Butler, Breckinridge, L. A. R. e, Green, Jefferson, Harrison, Jessamine, Boyle, Lincoln, Whitley, Boyd, Greenup, Edmonson, Fulton, Grayson, Hickman, Montgomery, Pulaski and Robertson counties.

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The coldest temperature encountered by airmen are not over the Arctic Circle route, says Frank J. Taylor in the current Reader's Digest, but on routes crossing the Atlantic and the Rockies—sometimes 60 below.

Trophies Offered for Farm Production



Shown are trophies for Floyd county farm production to be displayed in the First National Bank window here. The trophies were donated by local businessmen. Left to right, first three, pig chain trophies, with ribbons (not shown), donated by First National Bank, The Bank Josephine, Farm and Home Store and Howard Wholesale; second three, strawberry trophies, donated by Carter and Callihan Funeral Home; last three, sheep trophies, donated by Carter and Callihan. The Prestonsburg Junior Chamber of Commerce has voted to buy a trophy for the best production in the 4-H strawberry production program sponsored by Sears, Roebuck Foundation, and the Prestonsburg Kiwanians have voted to buy a corn derby trophy similar to last year's prize.

WAYLAND WOMAN'S CLUB MEETS

The Lackey-Garrett-Wayland Woman's Club held a special business meeting, Monday evening, March 14. Mrs. N. D. Howard, club president, read a letter from Mrs. Flowers, the state president of Women's Clubs, in which she sent her regrets that she would be unable to visit the club in April.

Six State Hospitals Granted Accreditation By Official Agency

Frankfort, Ky., March 28 — Kentucky's six state tuberculosis hospitals were granted full accreditation on first study for the official accrediting agency for the United States and Canada. The approval for all on the first try was described as "highly unusual" by E. M. Joseph, Frankfort, chairman of the State Tuberculosis Hospital Commission, who said Kentucky's success may be unprecedented among states with tuberculosis hospitals.

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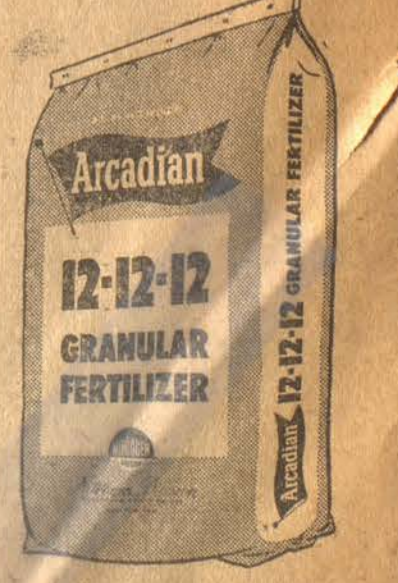
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OPINION GIVEN

Frankfort, Ky., March 28 — A city of less than 10,000 population may not levy a higher tax levy than 75 cents on the \$100 valuation, without assent of two-thirds of the residents of the city, Assistant Attorney General M. B. Hollifield ruled in an opinion to Hazard officials.

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MARTIN

By Betty Preatlisch
(Last Week's News)

Mr. and Mrs. John Bilitier and daughter, Florence, spent last week-end in Richmond, visiting their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bilitier.

A group of friends gave a stork shower for Mrs. George Simms Friday night in the high school library. Thirty-nine persons attended the shower. Mrs. Simms received many beautiful gifts.

A/S Roger Burcham, U.S.N., has been spending a leave here with his parents. He is stationed in Norfolk, Va.

Mrs. Gypsy Collins has returned home after spending a week with her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Compton, of Raceland.

Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Allen and daughters motored to Greensburg to visit her mother, Mrs. E. T. Rogers. Mr. Allen attended the basketball tournament in Lexington. Mrs. Rogers planned to return home with the Allens for a visit.

Mrs. Mary Skeans is visiting her sons, Bill and Jimmy Skeans in Detroit, Mich. She hasn't decided how long she will stay there.

A. H. Mandt accompanied his mother, Mrs. W. F. Mandt, to her home in Winter Park, Florida, recently. She has been spending some time here and also at Harold, where she visited her daughter, Mrs. Dan Knauz.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Skeans and daughter, Linda Kay, motored to Hueysville, Thursday to visit Mr. and Mrs. Miles Beverly. The occasion was Mrs. Beverly's birthday. Mrs. Skeans made a cake and took it to her.

Mrs. Nora Turner, of Toledo, Ohio, spent last week-end here with her brother, R. C. Barnett.

Mrs. Mack Taylor spent last week-end with her husband and daughter, Doris, who are employed in St. Mary's, Ohio.

Dr. John Tkach, of Huntington, W. Va., spent last week-end here, working in Our Lady of the Way hospital.

A banquet and social were given at the new Mormon (Latter Day Saints) Church in the recreation hall on St. Patrick's Day, March 17. The banquet was in honor of the birthday of their Society and celebrating the purchase of their new china and silver and their banquet tables.

The hall was decorated by Miss Blanche Dingus; the program was arranged by Mrs. Loretta Hutchinson and Marena Grigsby, and the food cooked and donated by the Mormon women.

The officers attending the program were Sister Allene Hatch, Polly Dingus, Loretta Hutchinson and Marena Grigsby. Elders

present were Elder Ransome Hatch, Elder Jones and Elder Bollenbroke.

Those participating on the program were Lynn Grigsby, Marena Ann Grigsby, Lynn Hutchinson, Alicia Crisp, the Griffith twins, Bud Reynolds, Larry Greer, Peggy Rietz, Sonia Greer, Buddy Rattliff, Elder Hatch, Elder Jones and Elder Bollenbroke, Hawley Flannery, Dolores Flannery, Allene Hatch. Mrs. Marena Grigsby was master of ceremonies. About 80 persons attended. Betty Preatlisch and Mrs. Cornelia Bailey were among the guests. The first of April, they will have their Blue and Gold ball in the hall, and Scott Craft's orchestra will furnish the music.

Dick Brashear, student in a military school in Gainesville, Ga., is spending a week at home with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Brashear.

Rev. Eugene Wagner, of Maysville, celebrated mass in Our Lady of the Way hospital chapel Tuesday morning. Rev. George W. Nerbonne spent the day in Maysville on business.

Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Brashear and son, Dick, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Mandt, were among those from here to attend the basketball tournament in Lexington, this week-end.

A new flower and gift shop had its official opening here last week. The owner and operator is Mrs. Johnny Maddox. All women who visited the shop during the day were given a carnation.

Rev. Maurice Brinker, of Holy Family Church, Ashland, had Lenten devotions here Friday night.

Kenneth Peters has almost fully recovered from his recent siege of pneumonia. He received treatment in Our Lady of the Way hospital.

Mrs. S. J. Roberts was the Sunday night guest of Mrs. Florence Crisp.

(This Week's News)

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Skeans and daughter, Linda Kay, and Betty Preatlisch motored to Weebury Sunday.

Mrs. Billy Stith gave a birthday party Saturday in honor of her daughter, Karen. Several of her little friends attended and enjoyed ice cream and cake, played games and watched TV.

Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Dermont and little granddaughter, Mary Ellen Dermont, spent the week-end visiting relatives in Beckley, W. Va. and Roanoke, Va.

Mrs. Mack Taylor, Mrs. John Mayo and Mrs. Gypsy Collins were doing Easter shopping in Huntington, W. Va., Friday.

Mrs. Cynthia Hatfield, of Prestonsburg, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Florence Crisp, who is seriously ill here.

Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Brashear left Saturday morning for Gainesville, Ga., to take their son, Dick, back to school. He had spent a week's vacation at home.

Mrs. Juanita Mullins, formerly of Martin announces the opening of her new beauty shop in Muncie, Ind., where she and her family now live.

Rev. Maurice Brinker, of Holy Family Church of Ashland, and two of his parishioners were the guests of Rev. George W. Nerbonne during last week-end.

Mrs. Elsie Hunter Hebert has returned to her home in New York after spending a few months here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Hunter.

Mr. and Mrs. Hershel Lester, Bobbie Sue Lester, Etta Elizabeth Lester and Loraine Whicker attended part of the trial of Leva Rice in Louisa.

Mrs. Byrd Fitch, of Lackey, was visiting her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Hershel Lester, here last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Franklin (Sambo) Salisbury spent the week-end here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Salisbury. He is a student in Richmond.

Rev. George W. Nerbonne spent some time in Melbourne this week on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Music, Mr. and Mrs. Michael Friedman and son, Eddie, of Estill, attended mass in St. Juliana Church here Sunday.

Sgt. 1/c Newell Hunter and wife are announcing the birth of a daughter, Connie Jane. Sgt. Hunter is stationed in Germany.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Martin have moved to Lakeland, Fla. Their many friends will miss them here. He worked several years for Ideal Cleaners.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to take this means to thank our many friends for their kind and helpful services upon the death of our beloved wife and mother, Balmie Dingus Allen. We especially thank Rev. Bob Martin for his services, and the other ministers who assisted in anyway. To those who sent flowers and to the Turner Funeral Home we extend our appreciation.

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JOSEPH, SPEAKER AT CLUB MEET

The Drift Woman's Club met March 22 at the home of Mrs. Everett Stidham, McDowell. Ervine Joseph, assistant county agricultural agent, spoke on "Youth Conservation," stressing the interests of youth in each age group. A. A. Williams, of Lexington, field agent in 4-H Club work, explained the duties of the home demonstration agent. Mrs. H. D. Hewlett was in charge of the program.

Opening the business meeting, Miss Ruby Akers, the president, read announcements of the nomination of Mrs. W. C. Cruse, Jr., and Mrs. George Cohen for KFWC offices. A card of thanks for club assistance was read from the Drift elementary band and the director, Edith Hopkins.

Club participation in the GFWC Community Achievement Contest will be in charge of Mrs. B. F. Reed, chairman. Mrs. H. D. Hewlett, Mrs. Alan Reed, Mrs. Foster Stumbo, and Mrs. Arnold Turner. The club will contribute \$15 to the American Red Cross Drive and \$10 toward a KFWC headquarters building to be located at Louisville.

Mrs. R. W. Ankrom reported on the Salk vaccine poliomyelitis program. When the vaccine is licensed, five volunteer workers will be needed to help in carrying out the program in this section.

Plans were made to entertain the Wheelwright Woman's Club on April 25. KFWC first Vice-President, Mrs. Eldred E. Adams, will be the guest speaker. On April 4, Mrs. Lloyd Stumbo will be hostess to the club at the Turner-Elkhorn Office Building.

Refreshments were served to Mesdames: R. W. Ankrom, C. J. Cahill, Fred Cochrane, Jack Dingus, Oliver Elam, Bobby Hall, William Hall, H. D. Hewlett, Edgar Jones, Claude Martin, Girdle Moore, Joe C. Moore, Alan Reed, Everett Stidham, Foster Stumbo, Lloyd Stumbo, Arnold Turner, Clarence Turner, Glen Ward; Misses Ruby Akers, Catherine Reed; and guests Ervine Joseph and A. A. Williams.

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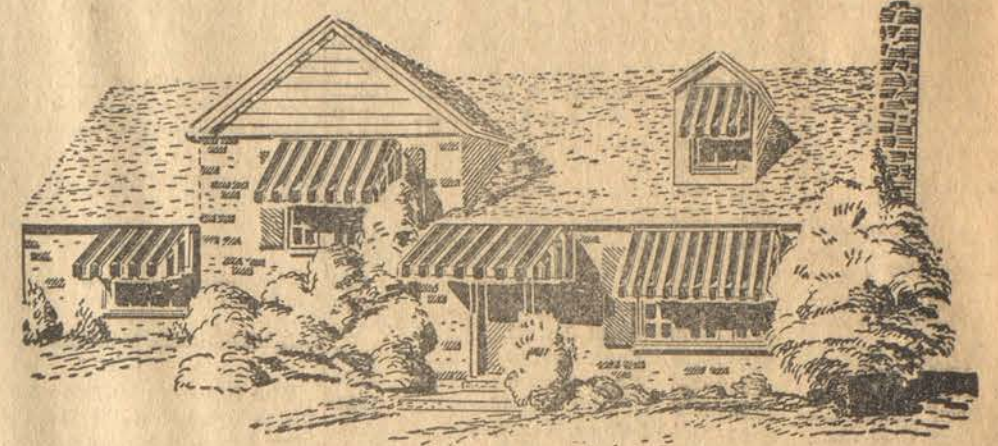
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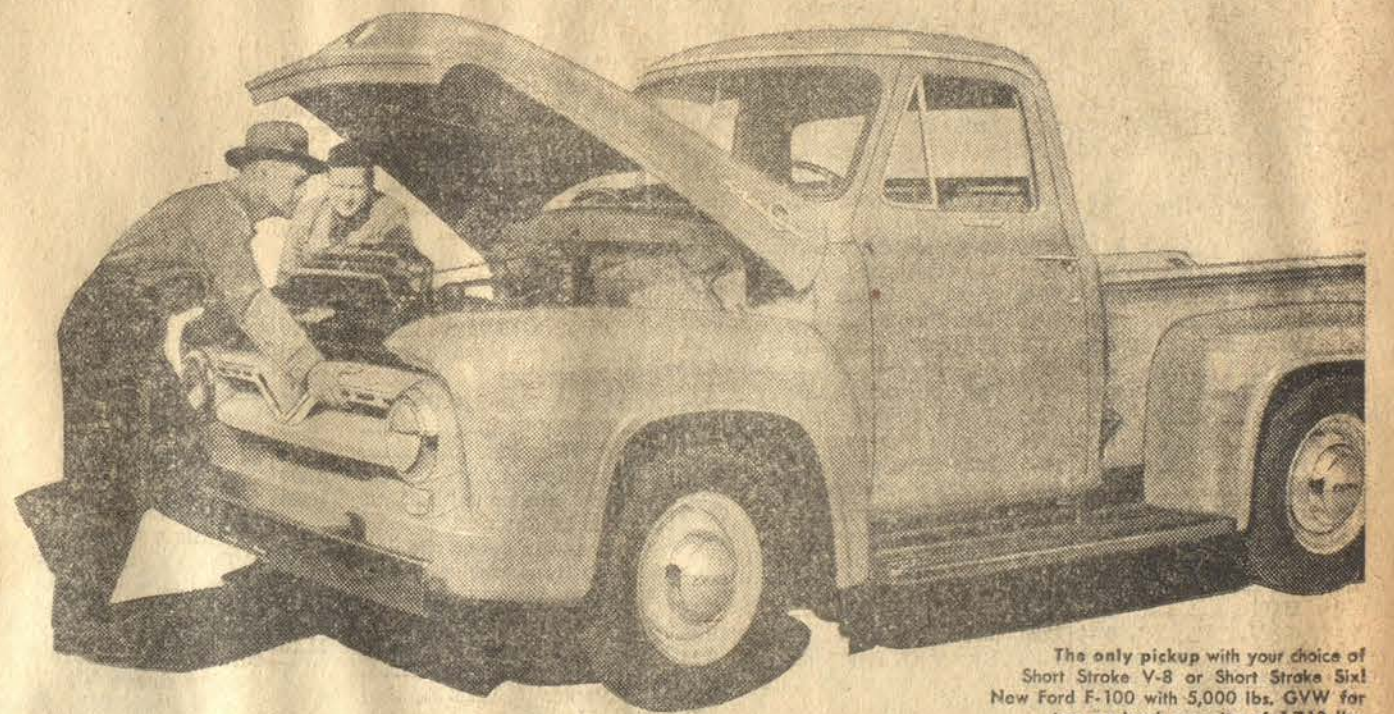
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DISCUSSES ATOMIC ENERGY
An internationally known chemist from Princeton University discussed atomic energy on Monday at the University of Kentucky under auspices of the Lexington section of the American Chemical Society.

Randall Wells Is Member Of All-State Orchestra To Perform at Louisville

The 1955 Kentucky All-State Orchestra will perform on Friday, April 15 at 8:00 p.m. in the Memorial Auditorium, Louisville. The orchestra program is the culminating event of the Kentucky Education Association annual meeting, April 13, 14 and 15.

Randall Wells, Prestonsburg high school senior, is a member of the All-State Orchestra.

The guest conductor will be Guy Fraser Harrison, conductor of the Oklahoma Symphony Orchestra. Mr. Harrison is a skillful and colorful conductor of international repute.

The 1955 Kentucky All-State Orchestra will consist of more than 150 junior high and high school students from all parts of Kentucky. The orchestra will rehearse on Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday, April 13, 14, and 15 and perform on Friday, April 15 in a program which will consist of drama music, art and dancing.

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NATIONAL COAL ASS'N ASKS RATE INCREASES REMOVED

WASHINGTON, March 23 — The National Coal Association today filed a petition with the Interstate Commerce Commission asking that agency to remove the increases in freight rates on bituminous coal which it authorized in decisions rendered in 1953 and prior thereto in Docket known as Ex-Parte 175.

Those increases range up to 40 cents per ton on bituminous coal with an average of about 33 cents per ton.

The Interstate Commerce Commission has had this matter before it for several years and increases have been pyramided on increases until the burden on coal has become unbearable, according to the petition filed.

The Commission is advised that, in spite of its rather optimistic view expressed in 1953 with respect to an upturn in coal production, there has been a steady decline in the production, and that excessive freight charges are largely responsible for the loss of coal markets in recent years.

The petition pointed out that the coal industry, as well as the railroads, must be kept in a position to meet any national emergency. The Coal Association called attention to the declining markets for coal and said:

"Only by a downward adjustment of rail freight rates on bituminous coal can the trend of the decline be erased and recovery of lost tonnage be expected."

The petition further said, "The coal industry has suffered to a point where profits are practically nonexistent." The Association alleged that the Coal Industry cannot put itself in a position to serve the nation properly in an emergency unless allowed to market its product profitably against competitive fuels, some of which are produced practically laborless.

The Commission's attention is directed to its own conclusions reached in 1953 wherein it expressed grave doubt about its action in allowing rate increases and the petition further said:

"Over a year and a half have elapsed since the issuance of the Commission's order in July, 1953. Economic conditions in the coal industry since the decision of the

Commission have become much worse and the continuing trend of these conditions is downward. If this trend is not stopped, the coal industry, the railroads and the welfare of the nation generally, and the national defense in particular will be seriously affected if indeed, not jeopardized."

This was recognized in the report of the President's Cabinet Advisory Committee on Energy Supplies and Resources Policy released by the President of the United States on February 26, 1955, which recommended steps to improve the economic position of the coal industry "now seriously depressed." One of such recommendations, in order to maintain vitality as an instrument of national defense by improving currently coal's ability to compete with other fuels, was an adjustment in freight rates.

The petition specifically requested the ICC by appropriate actions to reopen the proceedings in Docket 175 and to modify its previous orders and reports issued in connection therewith insofar as they authorized increases in freight rates on transportation of bituminous coal. The petition requested a separate hearing before the Commission and asked that the Commission find that the increases in the rates and charges for the transportation of bituminous coal authorized by it in Docket 175 be found to be excessive, unlawful, and not justified.

Tax Deadline Nears; 350,000 Yet To File

Frankfort, Ky., March 28 (Sp.) —Almost 350,000 Kentuckians have only two weeks remaining in which to file their 1954 income tax returns. April 15 is the deadline for filing the returns and paying all the tax due and Commissioner of Revenue Robert H. Allphin urged all who have not yet filed to do so at once and avoid the 5 per cent late-filing penalty which applies after the deadline.

Allphin reminded taxpayers today that single persons who received \$1,500 or more gross income, or more net income must file a return. Married persons whose combined gross income was \$2,500, or whose combined net income was \$2,000 must file.

The pay-as-you-go income tax law, provided for the withholding of income tax on wages and salaries after July 1, 1954. Many taxpayers had some of the tax due on 1954 income withheld during the last six months of 1954. These taxpayers must file a return and pay the remaining tax due on income earned during the first half of 1954. Commissioner Allphin stressed that the withholding of income tax from wages and salaries does not remove the filing requirement from Kentucky taxpayers.

Department of Revenue offices in Ashland, Covington, Frankfort, Lexington, Louisville and Paducah are prepared to provide information and assistance to taxpayers in filing their returns.

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Public Service Group Orders Refund Be Paid

Frankfort, Ky., March 28 — Kentucky Public Service Commission directed Union Light, Heat and Power Company and Frankfort Natural Gas Company to refund portions of increases the companies have been collecting since last November.

The Union Light Company — which serves cities in Kenton and Campbell counties—had been collecting at the rate of \$916.00 a year additional for retail gas, while the Frankfort company, was collecting \$91,990 a year additional. The commission approved provisional increases of \$376,000 for Union Light, and \$44,000 for Frankfort. Final determination of the raises is contingent upon whether the Federal Power Commission grants the Central Kentucky Company, wholesale supplier to both companies, rate increases.

KAMMERER ELECTED

Dr. Gladys Kammerer of the UK Department of Political Science has been elected to the National Council of the American Association of University Professors.

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Inez Man Found Dead In Car; Had Been Dead 3 Days, Coroner Says

Louisa, Ky., March 24 — The body of Lafayette K. Branham, 36, of Inez, father of five children, was found in his car today on a secondary road five miles south of here. Coroner Byron Young tentatively ruled the death a suicide by carbon-monoxide poisoning.

Branham, an automobile mechanic, was last seen Saturday night.

Coroner Young said a rubber found slumped over in the front seat of the car with all doors and windows closed.

The coroner said a rubber hose carried the gas into the car, and that he had been dead two or three days.

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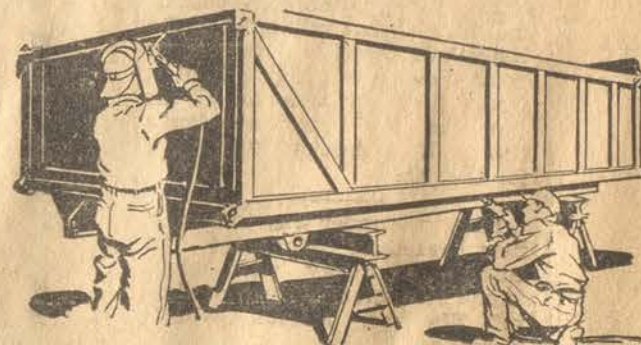
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THIRTEEN NEW JOBS IN HI HAT



Arley Hayes Turns An Idea Into A \$100,000 Business

Arley Hayes is a product of his own philosophy.

He lives in Hi Hat, Kentucky, and he believes that people there can develop industries themselves—if they want them enough. He believes this because he has developed an industry himself.

Two years ago, he was in the business of selling automobile parts. Like a lot of people, he was having a hard time. But he had an idea

that, with some help, he could make steel bodies for coal trucks. He believed he could make them for less money.

He gathered some workers and put up \$6,000 for operating capital. The Hayes Metal Products Company was then in business.

Today Arley Hayes' company manufactures truck bodies, steel playground equipment and steel tanks. There are 13 men in his regular

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

FROM COAL MINING TO CHICKEN RAISING

Beckley People Start a \$1,000,000 Industry in The Switch



When folks around Beckley, West Virginia, found they couldn't depend entirely on coal for a living, they started raising poultry. During 1953 alone they sold more than \$1,294,000 worth of broilers.

And that's only part of the story. Growers also received \$75,000 for manure and \$32,000 for feed sacks. Dealers in the area sold \$993,000 worth of feed and chicks.

What's behind all this? How did it happen among people who for generations have

largely made their living from the coal mines?

Simple. People around Beckley were determined to make things better—and they had an idea how to do it. The Beckley Area Rural Development Council was formed. One of its five commissions was devoted to establishing a poultry industry.

By 1949 the commission went to work. Advice and information went out to people who wanted to give the new idea a try.

Processing plants were set up at Beckley and Roncoveito. Plants at Huntington and Charleston have been expanded to handle the increased supply of birds.

With more than a million dollars' investment in buildings and equipment, Beckley's new industry seems well on its feet. It's probably there to stay. One thing is certain: Folks around there found there's more than one way to make a living.

Ideas like these—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.

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



T. L. Morgan, of Price, is really giving the big bass in Lake Eustis, Fla., a hard time. Proof of the fishing trip is shown in this photo. Morgan is leading in the Eustis Chamber of Commerce bass tournament with this 12-pound, 4 ounces whopper. He is eligible for competition in the contest for a Johnson

5 1/2 h.p. trolling motor. So far, Morgan is No. 1 on the list.
Mr. and Mrs. Morgan are staying at Haines Creek cottages, just north of Eustis, and the Floyd countian is in easy reach of any of the 1,400 named lakes in Lake county.

Two from 15th Region Named to All-State 5

Two of the 15th region's top-flight high school cage performers — Donnis Butcher of Meade Memorial and Herby Triplett of Inez — were named to the 1955 Courier-Journal all-state high school team.

Kelly Coleman, Wayland record-setting guard, was a second team choice and guard Ralph Gilliam, of Pikeville was listed on the third team.

Honorable mention went to seven players in the region. They were: Lowell Hughes, (Prestons-

Dr. H. G. Salisbury, Jr.

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burg), Ronnie Blackburn (Belfry), Edgar Rister, (Garrett), Jack Williams, (Paintsville), Don Jack Whitt (Pikeville), Charles Osborne, (Flat Gap) and Charles Hall, (Paintsville).

DONNIS BUTCHER — A dual purpose performer, who played either at guard or center. All-District three years and all-Regional twice, he averaged 27.9 points a game this year and tallied 2,400 in three seasons.

He is considered a pro baseball prospect as a second baseman, has been an honor roll student four years. Coached by his brother, Paul, he has signed to play with the University of Kentucky next year.

HERBY TRIPLETT — A fine outside shot and a brainy defensive player, little Herbie was a big factor in Inez's 1954 prep title. Only a junior, Triplett has been named all-District twice and once All-Regional. Last year, he was All-State Tournament. Scored 518 points this season, has 1,350 for his high school career. Coached by Claude Mills.

SPORTS CHATTER

By Gordon Moore

Ten years ago, an athlete from eastern Kentucky on the University of Kentucky football squad was an "unheard of" rarity. Today, thirteen former Eastern Kentucky Mountain Conference gridders are on the U. K. 1955 squad roster, which speaks well of the caliber of football tutors who have migrated to the mountains in the past few years.

All of the players now carried on Blanton Collier's squad were first team choices in their respective seasons on the all-Eastern Kentucky Mountain or Big Sandy Conference teams, which shows the selections were true representatives of the high school units.

Thus, this season, when we make the weekly trek to Lexington, we can feel that we have a much greater interest in U.K.'s teams as our kids are striving to make a name for our section of the state in the football world.

The mountain members of the U. K. squad:

Ends:—Frank Asbury, Jenkins, Jerry Beatty, Paintsville, and Roger Pack, Jenkins.

Tackles:—Frank Hammonds, Whitesburg; Bob Lindon, Hazard, and Bill Wheeler, Pikeville.

Guards:—Bob Collier, Jenkins; John Goble, Prestonsburg, and Gordon Mathews, Pikeville.

Center:—Lawson King, Belfry. Quarterbacks: Delmar Hughes, Prestonsburg.

Halfbacks:—Bob Phillips, Pikeville.

Fullbacks: — Burton Bradley, Jenkins.

According to the Institute for Safer Living, more than 10,000 golfers, caddies and club personnel will be injured this year on America's golf courses.

A nationwide study of golfing mishaps show that this popular pastime is producing an average of two serious accidents per year, per course.

Golfers, the institute said, often overlook the fact that golf ball, a hard-shelled object traveling at some 250 miles per hour, is a dangerous missile. They also discount the dangers of lightning, heat prostration and sunstroke, and ignore the hazards of motor vehicles as they cross roads running through the course.

There were 150 instances where lightning struck down players or caddies and at least half the cases caused death.

Foster "Sid" Meade, former Weeksbury Principal and well-known eastern Kentucky basketball official, has relinquished the basketball coaching duties at South Portsmouth High School in Greenup county to devote all his time to the Superintendent's chores. He is taking applications for the job.

Plans are under way to form a new basketball conference in eastern Kentucky with eight teams interested. They are: Garrett, Wayland, Martin, Wheelwright and McDowell, from Floyd county; Virgie from Pike county and M. C. Napier and Combs Memorial from Perry county.

Figures released by the Tennessee Valley Authority showed that 64 persons were drowned in the T. V. A. Lakes in 1954. In comparison, only nine have drowned in Dewey Lake since its impoundment, yet many people condemn the Lake and its founders, every time a tragedy occurs.

Bill Martin, ex-Martin high school cager and now a star on the Greenbrier, West Virginia Military Academy team, is playing in the Eastern States Tournament in Glen Falls, New York, this week.

NOTICE OF SALE

The undersigned will offer for sale at public auction to the highest and best bidder at his place of business in Allen, Ky., on Saturday, April 2, 1955, between the hours of 10 a.m. and 12 noon the following described automobile:

Model 1953 Ford two-door sedan, Motor No. A3GG145049; owner, Morgan Howard.

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ARTHRITIS RHEUMATISM SUFFERERS Find New Curb For Pain

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Victims of crippling arthritis, rheumatism and neuritis pain can take joyous new hope from announcement of dramatic success with a new formula which combines 4 drugs into one tablet capable of relieving agonizing pain in joints and muscles. According to clinical reports, this new compound, called VERTASOL, acts internally to curb torturous arthritis, rheumatism, neuritis pain in back, hands, arms, legs and shoulders yet is safe to take, requires no prescription. With tears of joy in their eyes, men and women who formerly suffered dread stabbing torture of arthritis and rheumatism pain in swollen joints and muscles now tell of blessed relief after using it.

VERTASOL costs \$3.00 but considering results is not expensive, is only pennies per dose. Sold with money back guarantee by

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Prestonsburg, Mail orders filled.

Pony League Baseball May Be Played Here, If Youths Interested

Prestonsburg may have its first Pony League Baseball this season if enough 13 to 16-year-old youths show an interest in the next step up the baseball ladder from the Little League.

The Prestonsburg Junior Chamber of Commerce is in the process of securing the playing rules, players and etc. and setting up the winter trades and has named Lexie Potter, chairman of the Finance Committee.

All youths in the vicinity of Prestonsburg are requested to bring or mail their name, age, and address to Gordon Moore, Prestonsburg, and in one month, be able to present a birth certificate to the League.

It is desired to have four teams in the Pony League, and to play on the days that the Little League is not in action.

If enough money is secured, uniforms will be purchased, if not the league will try to find four sponsors that can and will equip an entire team.

RECREATION ORGANIZED

An organized recreational program for Kentucky high school students attending the state high school tournament recently in Lexington was conducted by the University of Kentucky for the first time since the affair was moved to UK's Memorial coliseum.

Two Floyd Athletes In May Fest Roles

Pikeville, Ky., March 27—Two young Floyd county men, both sophomore members of the Pikeville Junior College Bears last season, have been named to prominent roles in Pikeville's May festival May 6.

Mack D. Slone, Garrett, Ky., and Grady Wallace, Mare Creek, Ky., were among the first four runners-up to Bobby McCoy, Pikeville, when McCoy was voted May king for the festivities. He will accompany May Queen Shirley Brown Hensley, Goody, Ky., the first married queen ever elected on the Pikeville campus, when she is crowned in an opening scene of the festival, Dr. A. A. Page, college president, said today.

Slone, Wallace, and the other two of the top four men will act as escorts for the queen's four attendants. The other two are Paul Calloway, Cumberland, Ky., and Glenn A. Smith, Pikeville.

Attendants to the queen, her four highest runners-up in the voting, will be Roberta Blevins, Little Dixie, Ky.; Barbara Gail Burgess, Pikeville; Betty Kirtner, Chaffaroy, W. Va., and Phyllis Sword, Little Dixie.

Today 85 per cent of all skin cancers are cured, but 95 per cent could be cured. Regular physical examinations can prevent cancer deaths, the American Cancer Society says.

Pvt. Smith Is Assigned To Airborne Battalion

Fort Jackson, S. C. — Pvt. Clay Smith, 20, son of Mr. and Mrs. Eli Smith, Brainard, Ky., has been assigned to Svc. Battery, 516th Airborne Field Artillery Battalion for basic training.

He will spend the next eight weeks here learning the fundamentals of being a soldier. This includes classroom lectures in such subjects as Military Courtesy and First Aid, and Combat field problems involving the use of the M-1 rifle, which he will learn to fire on various ranges.

After eight weeks of training with the 101st Airborne Division, the trainee is given about 14 days leave. He may return here for eight more weeks of infantry training, or he may be assigned to one of the many Army schools.

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1. WHAT CAUSES THE MOST FOREST FIRES?
a) Lightning b) Arsonists c) The Average Citizen
2. WHAT WAS THE TOTAL AREA BURNED LAST YEAR?
a) 1 million acres b) 5 million acres c) 10 million acres
3. WHAT DO FOREST FIRES COST US EACH YEAR?
a) \$1 million b) \$100 million c) \$1 billion
4. HOW MANY FOREST FIRES WERE THERE LAST YEAR IN THE U.S.?
a) 25,000 b) 115,000 c) 155,000
5. WHAT IS THE MOST TRAGIC LOSS FROM THESE FIRES?
a) Loss of watershed b) Destruction of recreation area c) Loss of timber

ANS. (c). 90% of all forest fires are started by everyday people who are careless with cigarettes, matches, campfires, etc.

ANS. (c). An area larger than Massachusetts, Connecticut and Rhode Island combined.

ANS. (c). Almost 3 times the property loss from the famous San Francisco fire and earthquake of 1906.

ANS. (c). An average of over 400 a day!

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