

THURSDAY

PRESTONSBURG, KENTUCKY

JANUARY, 10, 1957

## This Town— That World

1957 . . . 1957 . . . 1957 . . . Just practisin'.

### WE'RE COMPLIMENTED

A subscriber—bless her!—from Up Nawth writes to say she "thoroughly enjoys The Times, so full of the soul and sentiment of the South."

This quality, I am frank to say, has escaped me, and even now I am unable to discover it in these pages. Yet it may be there, apparent only to an expatriated Kentuckian or to some soul sick of Yankee ways.

I hope that indeed we do cling still to that spirit, and it strikes us that perhaps this section is overlooking a valuable asset when it forgets and neglects the old ways of those who came out of the South to settle here. And we do not refer to great estates, slave-holding and a Southern aristocracy, either.

What we need, and what would attract others to our region, is at least a semblance of the old, placid way of life, with honor and courtesy and hospitality replacing the dishonorable and the rude.

### WE'RE PLUMB ENVIUS

The Kentucky Press Association's first Bulletin of the year informs yours truly and all other newspaper people of the state that Joseph Hart, staff writer for The Courier-Journal, who is scheduled for retirement within the next two years, has purchased Botany Bay Woods, last barrier island in the Charlestown area, and that he will make the island his retirement home. The island, we are told, has 490 acres of highland, 200 acres of marsh and half a mile of ocean frontage. It can be reached only by water.

And somebody said newspapermen don't go to heaven!

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## LAKE VISITORS FEWER IN '56

### Number of Sightseers, Anglers in Big Drop, Manager's Data Shows

Dewey Lake's total number of visitors last year dropped 163,000 from the 1955 total, data released this week by Howard Osborne, reservoir manager, reveals.

The big drop is reflected in the number of sightseers, although the number of fishermen and boaters also was far off the 1955 pace.

The visitor total last year was 501,312, as compared with 664,385 during the preceding year. The number of fishermen dropped from 63,705 in 1955 to 38,595 last year, and boating was down from 48,330 to 37,125. The count of cars showed that 135,378 were at the lake last year, as compared with 165,751 in 1955.

In three departments—picnicking, swimming and camping—there were increases last year. The number of picnickers jumped from 20,920 in 1955 to 22,420; swimmers, from 21,970 to 27,220; campers, from 10,970 to 12,025. There were 580 duck hunters this year, which is a clear gain, for no hunters were included in the 1955 figures.

Biggest month for the lake in 1956 was July when 116,531 persons visited the impoundment.

Although the totals were off for last year, Dewey Lake yet remained the biggest single attraction in this area.

## Court House Happenings

### SUITS FILED

Marion Martin vs. Thelma Terry Martin; Paul E. Hayes, atty. Add Scott, et al vs. James McKinney; Joe Hobson, atty. Home Owners Loan & Mortgage Co. vs. George Campbell, et al; W. W. Burchett, atty. Clabe Bingham, d/b/a vs. Lacy Smith, et al; W. W. Burchett, atty. Anna Akers vs. Marion Martin, executor, et al; Joe Hobson, atty. Carrie Wells, gdn., ex parte; W. W. Burchett, atty.

### MARRIAGE LICENSES

Phillip Rice, 21, and Ollie Kathryn Auxier, 21, both of Oil Springs; marriage solemnized here Jan. 2 by the Rev. Harold W. Dorsey, Charles Lafferty, 24, Dwayne, and Maxine Cobb, 20, Martin, Bedford Stone, 19, Wayland, and Linda Minter, 17, Celina, O. Garland Packett, 23, Melvin, and Betty Sue Johnson, 20, Weeksberry, William Yonno, 26, and Opal Hall, 16, both of Melvin, Ernest O. Burchett, 20, Emma, and Marilyn Yvonne Patton, 21, Buchanan, Ky.

# County Gets Promise Of New Library Help

## BOOKMOBILE SECOND UNIT TO BE ADDED

### Hill Told 2,000 Books Also To Be Sent Here; Bookmobile Job Lauded

Floyd county this week was assured a second Bookmobile with a full complement of books to expand the mobile library service begun two years ago for the benefit of the county's school population and other citizens.

Miss Margaret Willis, Frankfort, acting director of the state Library Extension Division, in a telephone conversation with Representative Lon C. Hill, who also is a member of the Floyd County Library Board, said a Bookmobile that has been little used and at least 2,000 books will be supplied this county.

The application for a second Bookmobile was made by Mr. Hill last week following a meeting of the County Library Board at Martin, and Jerry J. Howell, of Price, later presented Floyd county's case to Governor Chandler.

Miss Willis was high in her praise of the service rendered by the one Bookmobile in this county and the interest of the Library Board. It was on the basis of this record and the need of expanded service that the second Bookmobile and a new supply of books are being made available.

Cooperation of the Floyd County Board of Education and the Floyd Fiscal court, both of which have appropriated Bookmobile funds, has not only made the continued service possible but also was a factor in pointing up to the state officials that the county because of such interest deserves all support possible.

The Bookmobile that will be furnished is one that originally was placed in another county but which was put into little actual use. Miss Willis said she could not say at this time if it will be a walk-in type such as the present Bookmobile in use here or a panel model.

Need of a second Bookmobile has been apparent, it was said, for some time. With one truck, the distribution of books cannot be made as often as needed, the turnover of books is slow, and children and adults must wait for long periods for the return of the Bookmobile to their communities.

The only added expense a second Bookmobile will entail, since the Library Extension Division is making 2,000 additional volumes available at no cost, will be the salary of

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## GARRETT MAN HIT BY SHOT

### Isaacs Admits Shooting Of Hicks at Martin; Man Found in Wrecked Car Lot

Howard Hicks, 23-year-old Garrett man, was shot and seriously wounded late Saturday night at the Moore Motor Company's wrecked-car lot, near Martin, when he allegedly was discovered stealing tires and other automotive equipment.

Virnes Isaac, 25, employe of the motor company, came here Sunday to the home of County Judge Henry Stumbo, told Judge Stumbo he fired the shot that hit Hicks and executed \$5,000 bond.

Mason Moore, owner of the auto business, said he and Isaac saw the Garrett man in the lot and that at his order Hicks removed his left hand from his pocket. Then, when the three men were only a few paces apart, he added, Hicks suddenly thrust his hand into his right pocket, whereupon Isaac fired.

The bullet entered Hicks' right side. He was taken to the Methodist hospital, Pikeville, where an operation was performed Saturday night.

Mr. Moore said Hicks had driven to the car lot, which is located near the junction of Routes 80 and 122, outside Martin, and that a roll of television wire and two or three tires are in the trunk of his auto.

The motor company has been a frequent target of thieves, and it was learned only this week that several months ago the nearby drive-in restaurant was held up by a masked robber.

## Service Station Man Severely Beaten Here By Teen-Agers, Said

Two teen-agers severely beat Grady Nelson attendant at the Pettrey Service Station here, late Saturday night, Bill Pettrey, owner of the station, reported to authorities this week.

He expressed the belief steel knucks may have been used by Nelson's assailants, his face was so badly cut. An attempt to locate police was made by a witness to the attack but when they were not found Mr. Pettrey was notified. When he arrived, he said, the youths had Nelson on the floor and were choking him.

## STRAWBERRY TALK SLATED

### Area Growers To Plan 1956 Crop Marketing At Meet Here Jan. 17

Plans will be made at a meeting by the East Kentucky Strawberry Growers Association at the courthouse here, Jan. 17, for the marketing of the berry crop this year. A record production is anticipated, officers of the Association say, from the five-county area of Pike, Martin, Johnson, Magoffin and Floyd counties.

"During the past year the directors of the association met many problems, and much valuable experience was gained, which will enable them to improve the association. The full support and cooperation of all growers is needed to make the association function properly," said Kermit Howard, president of the Association.

"If the Big Sandy Valley is to be known as one of the major strawberry producing areas of the state, growers must expand acreage this year," he continued. "An increase in volume of berries will make a more attractive market for buyers and will increase marketing cost per crate. Now that growers, selling through the Association, have shown the buyers that they can produce a product that will meet market demands, the door is open for a large increase in strawberry production, with insurance for a market."

The following farmers have agreed to take strawberry plant orders this year: J. L. Laffery, of Cliff, Arnold Hunter, of Bluemont, Fred Leuxmore, of Price, Virgil Smith, of Allen, The vocational agricultural teachers in the county—Eugene Stanley, of Betsy Layne; Roy Denney, of Maytown, and Lloyd Wells, of Prestonsburg, will also take orders.

The plants will come from the Mullins Plant Farm, Chattanooga, Tenn., and will be delivered in Prestonsburg for \$10.00 per thousand. They will be virus-free Tennessee Beauties, which have proven satisfactory in this area. Fifty percent down payment will be required when the order is placed and the balance when the plants are delivered.

### ORDER SEEDLINGS

Twenty-seven landowners have ordered 162,000 forest tree seedlings for planting this year, L. R. Johnson, soil conservationist, says. Species being ordered are locust, black walnut, poplar, and pine. Most landowners prefer pine, it was noted by Johnson.

## '56 Was Big Year in Floyd In Both Weddings, Divorces

The year just ended was Leap Year, and an increasing number of Floyd county couples took the Big Leap.

During 1956 a total of 338 Marriage licenses were issued at the County Clerk's office here, as compared with 299 in 1955.

But the divorce mill kept pace with the increasing number of marriages. A check of the Circuit Clerk's records shows that during 1956, 178 divorce suits were filed. The preceding year saw only 139 such cases in court here.

Actually, though, all 178 couples involved in these 1956 divorce cases did not once and for all cut the knot. Several disputes were patched up after they had been taken to court.

June, the traditional Month of

## CAB DRIVERS' PLEA DENIED

### Owners, Refused Parking On Lake Drive, Appeal; Garbage Fees Discussed

The question of taxicab parking here claimed most attention from the Prestonsburg City Council at its Monday evening meeting, although the cost of garbage collection shared a spot in the meeting.

Five cab owners who had been denied by the Taxicab Commission the right to park on the highway near the present parking lot used by the cabs appealed their case to the Council. They contended the present parking system is unfair to them and that it hampers them in the conduct of their business.

This set off a discussion, and there was a considerable lack of unanimity among the members of the Council. Finally the Council by a 3-2 vote denied the cab owners' plea.

Talk was heard at the meeting of the need of higher fees for garbage collection, but no action was taken. This review of the garbage service disclosed that present fees are insufficient to accumulate any reserve fund to replace the present garbage truck which is now entering its seventh year of service. It was pointed out that the body of the truck is in good condition but that a new chassis is needed. This would cost about \$3,000, it was said.

## STRICKEN GIRL IN POLIO WARD

### Floyd's Lone Sufferer From Disease in 1956 Stricken in December

Floyd county's only known polio sufferer during the year 1956 was reported a patient last week at Morris Memorial hospital, Milton, W. Va.

The lone polio victim of the year is 10-year-old Carolyn Gaye Hurst, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Luther Hurst, of Drift. The child was first taken to Beaver Valley hospital, and the definite polio diagnosis was made at the Milton hospital.

The year lacked only 14 days of its end before the single outbreak of the crippling disease occurred. Doctors expressed the belief that the two "shots" of Salk vaccine the girl received last fall will prevent any crippling effects.

They pointed out, however, that Floyd county was "simply lucky" in not having more than one case during the year, since many thousands of persons have not taken advantage of the immunization vaccinations offered.

Of five persons who died from poliomyelitis in Kentucky during 1956, four were between the ages of 15 and 21, according to the most recent report of the Kentucky State Department of Health. One was 15, and one was 20 and two were 21 years of age. None of these persons had had any injections of Salk vaccine.

"This report clearly shows the need for Kentucky's teenagers and young adults to protect themselves against poliomyelitis with Salk vaccine."

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## YOUTH TERMS ARE PROBATED

### Four Boys Convicted Here Given Clemency; Order Sets Stringent Controls

The four Prestonsburg high school boys who had been convicted in juvenile court here on charges connected with breaking and entering and taking money or merchandise from Prestonsburg business places and schools were granted probation Saturday by County Judge Henry Stumbo.

Stringent probation provisions were applied by the judge in each boy's case.

His action followed a conference with ministers, educators, Boy Scout leaders and business men Friday morning and a second parley with them on the following morning as to terms of probation.

The individual order issued in the case of each youth involved reads, in part:

"The Court, having sought the advice and suggestions of various ministers, educators and business men, and it being the desire of all concerned that the said child rehabilitate himself and become a useful citizen to the community, and after hearing suggestions and recommendations from the various parties present, it is ordered by the court that the said defendant be probated to his parents under the following conditions:

"1. The parents are to assume all responsibility for the acts of said child.

"2. That the defendant shall attend school and any time he is absent he and his parents shall make a report to this Court in regard to such absence.

"3. The said juvenile shall attend the activities provided for him by the church of his choice.

"4. At no time shall the said juvenile be on the streets or absent from his home later than 7:30 p.m., during the school year and no later than 8:30 p.m., during the three months school is in vacation, unless accompanied by his parents or by special permission of this Court.

"5. That the juvenile shall along with his parents report to the Court on the first of each month until further orders of the Court, and it is recommended that the Parole Officer report to this Court once each month as to the conduct of said juvenile.

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## BILL OFFERED TO HELP AREA

### Perkins Bill Conceived To Perk Up Employment; Would Add New Industry

Representative Carl D. Perkins, of Hindman, introduced a bill in the House of Representatives at Washington, Saturday, to perk up employment in areas squeezed by economic depression.

The Hindman Democrat's bill would set up a national depressed-areas administration with authority to make loans to build new industrial plants and to finance local public-works projects.

The proposed agency, headed by an administrator, would have an initial lending capacity of \$200,000, Perkins said.

Perkins' bill defines a "depressed area" as one in which 9 percent of the labor force has been unemployed for at least 18 months, or in which 6 percent of the labor force has been unemployed for three years.

Numerous Kentucky communities particularly in East Kentucky, could qualify for federal economic assistance under the bill if there is

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## Education Board Plans New Warrix Schoolhouse

Decision to rebuild the Warrix school building on Bull Creek that burned several weeks ago, was reached at the Jan. 2 meeting of the Board of Education.

Business before the board was mostly routine, it was noted. The final estimate of W. R. Kendrick for constructing the two rooms made necessary by increased enrollment at McDowell was paid.

The bid of \$3,890.66 of the Allen Lumber Company to supply certain designated materials for repairs to school properties was accepted. It was voted also to cooperate in conducting the annual dental clinic held in the county for the last several years. The Board of Education made available \$400, which the state will match. Several dentists have proffered aid in the program. It was said.

# Judge Says Rum Sales Biggest Floyd Problem



MRS. MARY EMMA SAVAGE

## SENIOR WINS ESSAY PRIZE

### Wayland Woman's Essay Held Best Among 2,809 Submitted for Contest

Mrs. Mary Emma Savage, Wayland high school senior, was the winner of the essay contest conducted by the local Soil Conservation District and sponsored statewide by the Louisville Courier-Journal, Radio Station WHAS, and the Kentucky Department of Education. First place carried with it a \$25 U. S. Savings bond.

The subject, "How Fish and Wildlife Conservation Can Benefit My Community," drew 2,809 entrants from Floyd county schools. It was the third contest, on like subjects, to be conducted in this county.

Annie Yvonne Handshoe, Garrett high school senior, took second place in the county contest, with a prize of \$10 cash.

The top county winner, wife of Dr. Paul Savage, notes that she left high school in her third year to take a commercial course but returned to finish the senior year at Wayland high after an absence of several years. She attended St. Philomena high school at Louisville and the Lawrenceburg (Ky.) high school.

Under the system of grading determined by the judges, Mrs. Savage and Miss Handshoe are not only top county winners but receive first and second place in the 12th grade. Winners in the other grades, first and second place, with the cash prizes follow:

Grade 11, first place, Jerry R. Grigsby, of Martin, \$8, and second place, Billie Parker, of McDowell.

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## Engineer Discusses Span, Plans for New Highway

Repair of the bridge at Cliff on U. S. 23 is not a matter of the immediate future but is a job that must eventually be done, M. F. Johnson, Pikeville, district highway engineer, told The Times last week.

Mr. Johnson's statement was made after The Times had told him of reports heard here to the effect that immediate work is planned and that the span would be closed to traffic.

"We hope that the new routing of U. S. 23 via Auxier can be completed before the repairs become urgent," the highway engineer said. He pointed out that flooring is most needed, but, if necessary, this could be done without entirely closing the bridge by putting down half the new floor at a time. Other work on the span is planned.

If the bridge were closed before the Prestonsburg-Auxier-Pointsville routing of U. S. 23 is made, heavy traffic in this section would be almost completely bottled up.

Mr. Johnson also commented on his plan for an alternate two-lane route for U. S. 23 to be constructed on the side of the river opposite to the present highway. Pointing out that this route is now only in the talking stage and that nobody can accurately say when and if it will be built, he said the volume of traffic between Paintsville and Shelbyville is sufficient to justify either a four-lane highway along the present U. S. 23 route or a two-lane road on the opposite side of the

## New McDowell Exchange To Open Saturday Noon

The new dial exchange at McDowell will go into operation at noon Saturday, January 19, H. D. Hayes, of Paintsville, manager for the Southern Bell Telephone Company, announced this week.

The new exchange will provide service to approximately 325 subscribers located in the communities of McDowell, Drift, and Hi Hat.

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## SCHOOL UNITS ARE APPRAISED

### Department of Education Officials Evaluate Units, Speak at Principals' Meet

Two officials of the State Department of Education were in this county last week evaluating the special units in education in the school system as provided by the Minimum Foundation Law. The two, Don Bales, head of the Bureau of Instruction, and Lee Gentry, Director of Health and Physical Education, complimented what they found.

Both men, with Jimmy Owens, Scout executive of the Jenny Wiley district, spoke at the principals' meeting at Martin, Monday evening. Owens discussed plans to organize Explorer Scout troops with boys 14 years of age or older. It is said that Prestonsburg high school will soon organize such a troop. Owens was invited by the Garrett and Weeksberry principals to aid in the organization of Scouting there.

Bales discussed the role of the principal as administrator and supervisor. He said that administrative duties are more or less automatic but that supervision has for its intent the improvement of instruction. He noted that under the Minimum Foundation Law for Education a principal is required to spend 50 percent of his time in supervision.

Gentry made it clear that physical education does not necessarily encompass a mere limited athletic program. Naming many other things desirable in a well-rounded athletic program such as calisthenics, games and group play, he said that it is in such activities that a promising athlete can be spotted.

Robert Wallace, Bookmobile librarian, discussed plans to transport the Book Fair from school to school, using a period of eight or ten days. He said that the display of 200 to 1,100 juvenile books could be put on display and orders from interested parents taken for any of these.

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## JURY IS TOLD CRIME RECORD IS IMPROVED

### Judge Says State Law Restricting the Aged Vicious, Needs Repeat

Although expressing the opinion that Floyd county is improving from the standpoint of crime, Circuit Judge Edward P. Hill noted Monday in his instructions to the grand jury that the liquor traffic is a serious matter in the county.

"I think the biggest job we have is to try to eliminate—or at least reduce—the bootlegging in this county," he declared.

He pointed out that the penalty for first-offense bootlegging is a fine and 30 days in jail, that a second offense conviction carries a double penalty and a third conviction under the law carries a felony penalty.

Judge Hill also pointed out that the statute provides that the Commonwealth's Attorney, County Attorney or any interested citizen may institute action to close bootlegging places as nuisances.

Two men called for jury service, were excused because they are old-age pensioners. Later he commented on the Old-Age Assistance law which prohibits beneficiaries from earning money in addition to their pay from the state. "A vicious rule that ought to be abolished," he commented.

"We have a good many elderly people who are drawing old-age assistance," the judge remarked. "When we get one of these people on the jury, . . . the rule of the Department is that any compensation they may earn as jurors will be deducted from their pay. This discourages them from trying to earn money otherwise, and the state pays them only \$40 a month. I think this is a vicious rule that ought to be abolished."

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## COURT MAKES EMPLOYE CUT

### Road, Relief Department Get Personnel Reduction; Action Temporary, Said

Floyd county began the new year with a personnel reduction in both its road department and relief board.

The fiscal court at its last meeting of the old year cut the number of county road employes to two, Shelley Woods and Jerry Stephens, and reduced the number of relief office workers to three, G. R. Spradlin, Glenn Burchett and Lena June Sward.

Both cuts are temporary and were made necessary by lack of funds.

At the Jan. 3 meeting of the fiscal court County Attorney Hollie Conley was directed to take legal steps toward condemnation of a roadway over the property of Gline Mitchell at the mouth of the Sie Frasure Branch, near Grethel, in order to open the road for public use. The court and Mr. Mitchell have been negotiating for some time on the road, and the order noted that the court is unable to agree with him as to the amount to pay for this property.

## VETS STRESS MEMBERSHIP

### 10th District Convention Of Legion Hears Dotson; Africa Receives Citation

Membership was stressed by Harold Dotson, commander of the Kentucky Department, American Legion, and other state officials of the veterans' organization in addresses during the two-day convention here last week-end of the 10th American Legion district.

Herbert Patton, commander of Floyd Post No. 123 here, host to the convention, reported that his post already has topped its membership quota.

The convention began with a

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**Engagement Announced**

Mr. and Mrs. Fred T. Trapp, of Butler, Kentucky, announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Dixie Della Trapp, to Mr. John Edward Higgins, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Higgins of Salyersville. Miss Trapp, who graduated from Eastern Kentucky State College, is Home Demonstration Agent here. Mr. Higgins attended Eastern Kentucky State College, is a member of Pi Kappa Alpha fraternity at Georgetown, Kentucky and is teaching music in Salyersville schools.

**PERSONALS**

Gene and Ballard Wright have returned to Berea, where they are students. They visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Wright, at West Prestonsburg.

Mrs. Grace D. Ford and Mrs. Rebecca Dingus were supper guests of Mrs. G. R. Allen last Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Webb returned home from a business trip to Cincinnati last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Mellon are in Huntington where he will consult a specialist. Mr. Mellon was quite ill last week but is improved.

Mrs. Fanny Jarrell entertained recently Mr. and Mrs. Bernard C. Gravit and daughter, Cathy, of Frankfort, Mr. and Mrs. James Stephens and Mrs. Cynthia Hatfield.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Rimmer spent the holidays with their daughter, Mrs. Richard Webb, and family in Lexington.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Knapp and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. James W. Wine, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Guthrie, of Pikeville, were here last week on business.

Sheriff and Mrs. Gorman Collins and daughters, Mary Kay and Pam, returned this week from Louisiana where they visited Mrs. Collins' mother, Mrs. Jordan, who was ill.

Joe Jack Arnett returned last week to the University of Lexington after a visit with his parents at West Prestonsburg.

Mrs. Jessie Housh returned to her home in Louisville Sunday after having spent the holidays here with her son, Marshall Davidson, and family. Mr. Davidson accompanied her home.

Dr. and Mrs. Herbert Salisbury visited his brother, Dr. Robert Salisbury, and family in Mt. Sterling, Sunday.

Mrs. H. C. Francis is improved from a recent illness and is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Curt Homes, this week during her convalescence.

Mason Miller, of Huntington, was here Thursday of this week on business.

**RECENT VISITORS**

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Pettrey had as their recent houseguests, Mr. and Mrs. Don Harris, Jr., Lexington, Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Spencer, Tommy Johnson and Mrs. Rebecca Rasmick, of Garrett.

**RETURNS FROM HOSPITAL**

Mrs. George Vaughan has returned home after spending a few days at the Paintsville Clinic where she underwent minor surgery.

**VISITORS FROM HARLAN**

Mr. and Mrs. Hiram Brock, Jr., of Harlan, were visiting Mrs. Sylvia Nunnery, Mr. and Mrs. Heber Burke and Mrs. Ada Nunnery Mayo here through the holidays.

**VISITORS HERE**

Curtis Hopson and family, of Cumberland Gap, spent Christmas week-end here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Hopson, and other relatives.

**HERE FROM INDIANA**

Mrs. James Stafford and Miss Nancy Harmon, of Warsaw, Ind., were called here recently by the illness of their mother, Mrs. James Harmon, of West Prestonsburg.

**WOMAN'S CLUB MEETS**

The Senior Woman's Club of Prestonsburg met Jan. 3, at 8 p.m., at the home of Mrs. W. W. Cooley. The president, Mrs. Harold Dorsey, opened the meeting with the pledge to the Flag and the club collect was given by Miss Mary E. Powers. During the business session the club voted to send a CARE package to Greece, which is our Kentucky Federation Club Project. Mrs. Rebecca Rasmick and Mrs. David Vaughn were received as members into the club. The program was "Youth Potpourri". The leader, Mrs. James Donahoe, introduced the following: Robert Wallace who spoke on the Bookmobile and the many wonderful books available to Floyd countians. Robert C. Wallace, who gave a report on the history of the Youth Center and the importance of it in the lives of the youth of our community; Mrs. Zella Archer, executive secretary of the Sandy Valley Girl Scout Council, who gave an informative talk on Girl Scouting and showed pictures of Camp Chatter-awha on Dewey Lake. A group of the Patsy Teen-agers under the direction of Mrs. C. H. Frazier gave a short musical program. A salad course was served to those present by the hostesses: Mrs. W. W. Cooley, Mrs. James Donahoe, Mrs. J. Y. Goble, Mrs. Gwynne Ford, Mrs. W. W. Burchett and Mrs. John Roberts.

**ILL AT HOME HERE**

Lee Harmon is ill at his home on Graham street, having suffered a light stroke. His condition is improved this week.

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**VISIT STYLE MART**

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. O. Goebel, of the Ben Franklin Store, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Clark, of the Francis Stores, visited the Style Mart in Lexington over the week-end, making selections of merchandise.

**RETURN FROM LEXINGTON**

Miss Mary Belle Layne returned home Sunday from Lexington where she visited her father, Frank H. Layne, at the Good Samaritan hospital. Mr. Layne is doing nicely after surgery for stomach ulcers.

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Burke and Mrs. Miles Chaloupka returned here Sunday also, having been at the bedside of their brother.

**CALLED HERE BY HOWARD DEATH**

Relatives who came here for the funeral of William "Babe" Howard at the Presbyterian Church, January 6, were Mr. and Mrs. Norman Dial, Sr., Mr. and Mrs. Norman Dial, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Frank Dial, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Keaton, Huntington, W. Va., Mr. and Mrs. Riley Skeans, Mr. and Mrs. George Smith, Kenova, W. Va., Pete Howard, Cincinnati, O.

**ATTEND FUNERAL**

Relatives who attended the funeral of Mrs. Mary Douglas Mayo, 98 years old, Tuesday afternoon at the John Steen Funeral Home in Ashland were Mrs. J. M. Porter, J. P. May, W. J. May, H. L. Mayo, Luther Shivel, Mrs. G. R. Francis, Mr. and Mrs. Alex L. Davidson, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Salisbury, Mr. and Mrs. George T. Roberts.

**ENTERTAINS AUXILIARY VISITORS**

Mrs. Tom James entertained at her home on Central avenue last Sunday afternoon, complimenting out-of-town visitors here who were attending the meeting of the American Legion and Woman's Auxiliary. Guests included Mrs. Ralph Cleven-er, district president, Helliger; Mrs. Howard Dodson, wife of the state commander of the American Legion, Henderson, Ky.; Mrs. Sam Hatcher, Mrs. Ed May, Mrs. Bill Stone, Mrs. Joe P. Tackett, Mrs. Homer Wright, Mrs. Herbert Patton, Mrs. Opal Patton. Other guests were Mrs. Winnie F. Johns, president of the Dogwood Trail Memorial to war dead, and Mrs. Claude P. Stephens, Curator Nationale of the United States Daughters of 1812. After the business session, refreshments were served by Mrs. James.

**ENTERTAINS TO CHRISTMAS DINNER**

Mrs. Olga Latta entertained to Christmas dinner members of her family. Those attending were A. J. May, Mr. and Mrs. R. V. May, Misses Julia and Elizabeth May, Bobby and Walkie May, Mrs. Bess S. May, Miss Barbara Jean May, Mr. and Mrs. James A. May and daughter, Barbara Suzanne, Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Latta and son, Robert Andrew Latta.

**ENTERTAIN TO COFFEE**

Mrs. Olga Latta and Mrs. Clifford Latta were co-hostesses to coffee on Thursday morning, December 27, at 10:30 o'clock at Mrs. Latta's home on Second avenue.

The guests were greeted by the younger Mrs. Latta, then taken to the dining room where Mrs. R. V. May presided over the coffee urn.

The dining room was decorated in a green and gold motif. Cookies, cakes, ham, tidbits and mints carried out the Christmas colors. The living room and den where the guests gathered to chat were also decorated for the holiday season. More than 50 guests attended.

**RETURNS TO COLLEGE**

Miss Sally Hill has returned to Stetson University, Deland, Fla., after spending the holidays here with her parents, Judge and Mrs. Edward P. Hill.

**VISIT IN PIKE COUNTY**

Mrs. J. W. Spears, Mrs. J. G. Stepp, Mrs. James B. Goble and children, were visiting John W. Spears in Pike county, Sunday.

**900 CLUB HAS SPEAKER ON CANCER**

Mrs. Sam Hatcher was hostess to the 900 Club at her home on Lake Drive, December 18. Mrs. Harry Benner, Wheelwright, Floyd county cancer chairman, was guest speaker on cancer and the fight against it in this county. Mrs. Henry Wright read the Christmas Story. The gift exchange to the members was directed by Miss Anna Mae Harris. Mrs. Hatcher was presented gifts of Postoria crystal by the members, adding many pieces to her collection. A salad course was served to 15 members present. Mrs. Betty Ramey will be hostess to the club at her home in West Prestonsburg, January 25.

**RECENT GUESTS**

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Wright, of West Prestonsburg, had as their houseguests recently, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Wright and daughter, Peggy, of Cincinnati, O., Rev. and Mrs. Vernon Wright and son, Dougie, of Raceland.

**MRS. HARRIS VERY ILL**

Mrs. Kate L. Harris is very ill at her home at West Prestonsburg. Her condition has been grave for several days and her many friends are anxious about her.

**SPEARS IMPROVING**

Bill Claude Spears, who has been a patient at the Veterans hospital, Cincinnati, since October, is improving since his last surgery, relatives noted here this week.

**VACATION IN FLORIDA**

Mr. and Mrs. Bert T. Combs and children of Prestonsburg, and Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Allen and daughters, of Martin, returned last week from Florida where they spent a holiday vacation.

**VISITING DAUGHTER HERE**

Mrs. Angeline Layne Chaloupka, of New York City, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Ray Davis, and family on Graham street for two weeks.

**HOME FROM HOSPITAL**

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**TO GO TO NEW YORK**

Mrs. Bob Francis will leave Sunday for New York City to buy merchandise for Bob Francis, Apparel.

**CLASS ENTERTAINED**

Irene Burke Sunday School class of the Methodist Church enjoyed its annual Christmas party on December 20 at the home of Mrs. Cecil Kendrick on Court street. The Christmas story was read by Mrs. Regina Roberts, followed by prayer given by Mrs. David Vaughan. Yule decorations were attractively arranged throughout the house. Mrs. Kendrick conducted games and contests. Mrs. Hattie Webb and Mrs. Harold Dorsey being the winners. Names of church shut-ins to be visited during the holidays were drawn by the members. Mrs. Kendrick served from the buffet. Members present were Mesdames G. R. Allen, Harold Dorsey, Alice Ball, Ethel Powers, Regina Roberts, David Vaughan, Hattie Webb. Guests were Miss Versie Hughes, Mrs. Nicie Kenney, Cecil Kendrick, Mrs. Manis Conley, Mrs. Nancy Caudill.

**AUXILIARY MEETS**

The Auxiliary of the Presbyterian church met January at the church, with Mrs. Marvin Music, the president, presiding. Latin America, Mexico and the missionaries of Cuba were topics of discussion, and special prayer was offered for these countries. Miss Catherine Reed, home on vacation from her missionary study in Chicago, gave an interesting program illustrated by slides of "Dodge House in Detroit. Miss Daisy Miller conducted the devotional. Following the program, the hostess, Mrs. Harold Ensminger and Mrs. J. A. Hager, served refreshments in the church parlours to Mesdames Marvin Music, Everett Sowards, E. R. Burke, Frank Layne, Mae Hyden, David Leslie, Ramley White, Glenn Anderson, Harold Ensminger, J. A. Hager, Ernest Osborne, Rex Osborne, Ralph Davis, Ray Howard, W. C. Rimmer, Dan Reed, Clarence Martin, Orville Cooley, Harvey Howard, Bill Harvey Howard, F. L. Heinze, Misses Hazel Hill, Alma Collins, Mary E. Powers, Catherine Reed, Daisy Miller.

**RETURN FROM MANCHESTER**

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Burke have returned from Manchester where Mrs. Burke bought merchandise for the Mill End Shop.

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**SUFFERS BROKEN ARM**

Mrs. Mary King, 84 years old, suffered a broken hip last Thursday in a fall at the home here of her daughter, Mrs. B. L. Sturgill, on Lake Drive. She was removed to St. Mary's hospital in Huntington, where she is doing nicely. Mrs. Sturgill is at her bedside.

**BUYS MARCUM PROPERTY**

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. McIntosh recently purchased the brick dwelling from Mr. and Mrs. John Marcum on First avenue. They moved into it before the holidays. Mr. and Mrs. Marcum have purchased a home in Lexington.

**CALLERS AT PETTREY HOME**

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Pettrey entertained friends from out of town Saturday evening at their home on Arnold avenue. Calling were Mr. and Mrs. Buster Richmond, Tommy Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Rush Sloan, Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Spencer, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Parker.

**ENTERTAIN TO DINNER**

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Stephens were hosts to dinner Tuesday, having as guests Miss Burlata Gearheart, Mrs. John Warrick, Mrs. Bill Pettrey and Mrs. Rebecca Rasmick.

**UNDERGOES SURGERY**

J. A. Hager is doing nicely at the Prestonsburg General hospital after having undergone surgery last Thursday. His many friends wish him a speedy recovery.

**SUFFERING FROM FALL**

Miss Geneva James is suffering from the effects of a fall at her home last week. She was removed to the home of her daughter, Mrs. J. W. McIntosh, on First avenue. Her many friends wish for her a speedy recovery.

**Stephens-Goble Vows Said on December 16**

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Stephens, of Prestonsburg, announce the marriage of their daughter, Joan, to Seaman First Class Jackie L. Goble, son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Goble, of Auxier, Ky. The marriage took place Dec. 16 at the home of the officiating minister, the Rev. Isaac Stratton, of Banner.

**HOME ON HOLIDAYS**

Jimmy Nunnery, son of Mrs. Sylvia Nunnery, returned from Bob Jones University, Greenville, S. C., to visit his relatives through the holidays.

**SLEEPER PARTY**

Miss Lolita Arnett entertained overnight guests on New Year's eve at her home at West Prestonsburg. Dancing and games were enjoyed before the midnight snack. Guests were Misses Cora Ruth Wright, Garnet Fitzpatrick, Rita Hale, Shirley Ann Jones, Betty Lou Crisp, Klora Lafferty.

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collected along the Big Sandy and  
Kanawha Rivers and shipped to  
Europe where they became the  
headpieces of Napoleon's grenadiers.

**District Revenue Head  
Reminds State Employers  
Of Changed Tax Rates**

District Director of Internal Revenue, Wm. M. Gray, recently reminded Kentucky employers that recent amendments have changed tax rates under the Federal Insurance Contributions Act (Social Security) and filing requirements under the Federal Unemployment Tax Act.

New F. I. C. A. rates on wages paid on or after January 1, 1957, will be 2 1/4 percent each for employers and employees, a total of 4 1/2 percent, Mr. Gray said.

The changes in the Federal Unemployment Tax Act, he explained, provides that employers who had four or more employees on at least one day of each of 20 calendar weeks during 1956 will be required to file Form 940 by January 31, 1957. The filing of Form 940, Annual Federal Tax Return of Employers, was formerly required of employers who had eight or more employees.

**Aged Langley Woman  
Found Dead At Home  
Burial Made Wednesday**

Mary Arms, 76, of Langley, died at the home of a daughter, Mrs. Manor Manuel, Monday, at 3 a.m. She was found dead in bed, the cause of her death unknown.

Mrs. Arms was a daughter of Ely and Tilda Preston and the widow of Bennett Arms. Surviving sons and daughters, besides Mrs. Manuel, are Andy Arms, Waverly, N. Y., Earl Arms, Federalsburg, Md., Mrs. Marie Hays, of Langley, Mrs. Renie Lyden, Stockley, Del., Mrs. Mertha Ewe-ridge, Federalsburg, Md., and Mrs. Lucy Anderson, in West Virginia. Nine great-grandchildren and 45 grandchildren survive.

Funeral services were conducted Wednesday at 10 a.m., at the Wilson Creek Baptist church, the Revs. M. C. Wright, Bert Howard and Coy Combs officiating. Burial was made in the Newt Allen cemetery at Langley under the direction of Turner-Ryan Funeral Home.

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**Old Circular Recalls Third Year  
Of Early Presbyterian School**

By Henry P. Scalf

Sixty-five years ago Myrtle Barton Friend, afterwards wife of J. M. Weddington, Prestonsburg banker, was the lone Floyd county student in the freshman class of Pikeville Collegiate Institute, now Pikeville College.

Annie Sophia Layne, who married Jo M. Davidson, another Prestonsburg banker, John C. Hopkins and William Mayo were the three students from this county in the first class of the preparatory department.

These bits of information are gleaned from an 1891-92 circular of the school, now in the possession of Mrs. Davidson, who is the sole surviving Floyd county member of the class. Mrs. Weddington died in Dec. 1954, but two months before her death, she and Mrs. Davidson jointly contributed to the Pikeville College endowment fund. The gift was promoted by the "lingering memories of happy days. . ."

There were three other Floyd county students in Pikeville Collegiate Institute in 1891, according to the circular. James D. Morrell, Samuel Roberts and Cordelia May were pupils in the advanced class of the preparatory department. The school, then in its third year had an enrollment of 123, of which 21 were in the college department, 44 in the preparatory and 58 in the primary department.

Students from this county who attend Pikeville College now drive a car back and forth daily to attend classes there. When the Floyd county students entered the school in 1891 it was necessary to travel by coach or "hack" over the rough, beaten predecessor of U. S. 23, horseback or steamboat. Once there they didn't hurry back to Prestonsburg when evening classes were dismissed. They went to private boarding houses where meals and room cost from \$2 to \$3.50 per week.

We are indebted to the 65-year-old circular, only one in existence in this county and one of the few still around anywhere, for information on life at Pikeville and of the struggling collegiate institution there.

"The little village is far up in the mountains and has no rival in all the region as a business center," the bulletin said. "It has a population of nearly 500 and is an exceptional town for its location and advantages. It has four church organizations, three Sabbath schools, one Y.P.S.C.E., one bank, fine public buildings, seven large stores, two groceries, and one drug store. It has not had a saloon in nearly ten years.

"Pikeville Collegiate Institute . . . was founded by the Presbytery of Ebenezer, of the Synod of Kentucky of the Presbyterian Church of the U. S. A. at a cost of \$7,000. The usefulness of the school has already been greatly hindered by its having no boarding hall for the teachers and lady students. A handsome start towards the erection of such a building has already been collected and when the amount reaches \$2,500 work will begin on the building."

Gone to their reward now are the 1891 trustees, officers and teachers of Pikeville Collegiate Institute but their names, listed in the college circulars, are also inscribed indelibly upon the records of educational advance in Eastern Kentucky. Three of the nine-man board of trustees were the ministers, J. P. Hendrick, of Flemingsburg, W. C. Condit, of Ashland, and W. S. Fulton, Lexington.

It was Condit who came to Big Sandy in the early 80's and laid the foundation for Presbyterianism in the valley. His daily journal, now in the possession of his daughter at Ashland, titled "Prospecting for Presbyterianism," is a vivid, human interest account of his travels and his visits to Inez, Prestonsburg, and Pikeville.

Condit came to Prestonsburg, found no churches whatsoever. He then looked for a Christian, of any denomination, found Robert Strain Friend, who asked him to preach in the schoolhouse. A Negro was given an old dinner bell. He went up and down the lanes of the town that passed for streets and ringing the bell, called out, in the manner of a New England town-crier, that a Presbyterian minister was in town and would preach that night. Con-

dit had a big laugh at the colored man's attempt to pronounce Presbyterian. He had never heard the word before. Condit never heard that pronunciation again, either.

Condit noted in his journal, though, that Pikeville should be the location of the school his Presbytery planned. He had to decline offers of brick, labor and money in Prestonsburg.

W. M. Connolly was president of the Institute in 1891, C. M. Parsons, secretary, and James Hatcher, treasurer. They were also trustees. The remaining trustees on the board were F. B. Russell, Tolesborough, Ky., John A. Simpson, Covington, and W. H. Averill, M. D., of Frankfort.

Rev. David Blyth, principal of the fledgling institution in the early 90's was assisted by two other faculty members—Mrs. Lucy Dodds Blyth and Miss Ruth A. Gottlieb. The circular notes that one of the "advantages offered" at the school was a music course. "Miss Parlee Clark, an experienced and thorough teacher of music, teaches a class in the village and any student who desires to enter her class will have special attention given to her. Mrs. Dr. J. E. Wrightson is a fine artist and a very successful teacher and will give lessons to all students who may desire them."

Pikeville Collegiate Institute, 65 years ago, was wrestling mightily with the problems of finance and made an eloquent appeal for aid.

"It is customary for old and large schools, even with millions of property and endowment, to call loudly for more money to sustain them and great praise be to those who respond. This school is neither old nor large and has no endowment."

"Its plea for money, when so many others are calling, that have larger and more cultivated voices, will never be heard by some but we speak a word which we hope may catch the eye, ear and heart of some of the children of the King."

Prophetic of the eminence to which Pikeville College was to attain in the field of Eastern Kentucky is this simple statement, in the bulletin, probably written by Principal Blyth:

"Its influence for good grows daily the prospects for the future grows brighter."

**CARD OF THANKS**

We gratefully acknowledge every assistance and kindness during the last illness of our dear husband and father, A. H. Green, and for every expression of respect upon his passing. We would especially thank those who sent flowers, the ministers, Revs. Woodrow Branham, Moses Kitchen and Charlie Rowe, for their comforting words, and the Carter & Callahan Funeral Home for its kind and efficient service.

The Family

TIMES WANT ADS PAY—  
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**Hill, High Finalist  
In Aptitude Tests**

One senior at Prestonsburg high school has been named finalist in the National Merit Scholarship competition, according to Principal Otis D. Spurlock. The local student is among the 7,500 highest scorers in a nationwide college aptitude examination given to 162,000 seniors in 12,500 high schools on October 24.

The Prestonsburg high school finalist is Lon Clay Hill, Jr.

The finalists now face a stiff three-hour college board examination on January 12, plus intensive screening of their leadership and extra-curricula records by a selection board.

At stake are more than 700 four-year scholarships, many of them sponsored by business and industrial corporations. Included are 100 Sears-Roebuck Foundation Merit Scholarships and nationwide programs sponsored by such companies and foundations as Pittsburgh Plate Glass, F. W. Woolworth, Standard Oil (Indiana), International Nickel, and many others.

The January 12 examination will be given in designated testing centers throughout the country, and at least 7,000 of the merit finalists are expected to survive this hurdle, according to John M. Stalnaker, president of the National Merit Scholarship Corporation.

**RETURN FROM TEXAS**

Mrs. Lucy Ransdell, Mr. and Mrs. Phil Schroeder returned last week from Fort Worth, Texas, where they spent Christmas as guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jay Shields.

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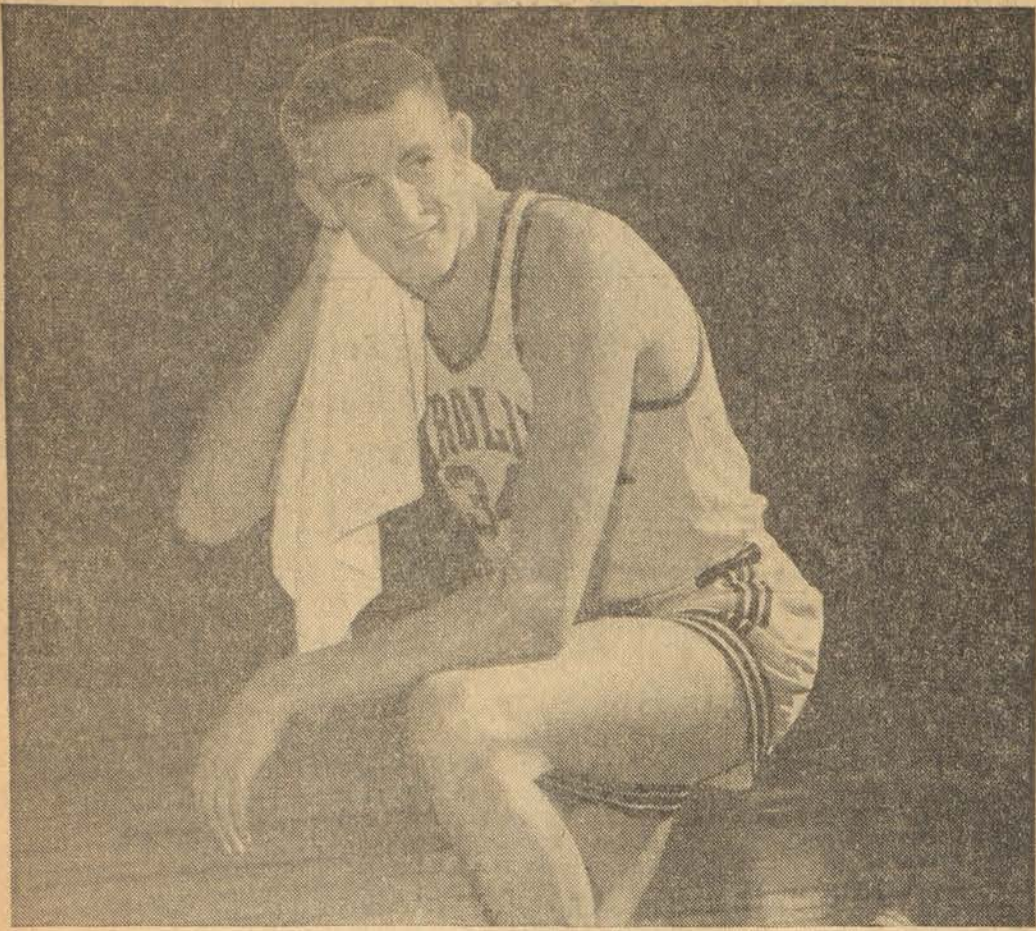
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# South Carolina Has All-American In Floyd County's Grady Wallace



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**KENTUCKIAN TOPS . . . Grady Wallace, from Mare Creek, is South Carolina's leading scorer and a candidate for All-America basketball honors. Wallace, the nation's second leading scorer, is averaging over 30 points a game.**

When the University of South Carolina's Gamecocks signed on Walter Hambrick as assistant basketball coach in 1955 they got a bargain.

They got a crackin' good net mentor in Hambrick, the former Pikeville College coach, and with him they also got Grady Wallace, of Mare Creek, this county.

And this Wallace has turned out to be one of the top scorers of the nation, an all-America candidate, a Dean's List student. When time came for Christmas vacation it was the 6-4 Wallace, not Will the "Stilt" Chamberlin of Kansas, that had scored the most points in a single major college game this season.

He scored 54 points in the Gamecocks' defeat of Georgia Tech, of the Southeastern Conference.

A senior forward at South Carolina, Wallace is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Wallace, of Mare Creek, and is a graduate of Betsy Layne high school. At Betsy Layne his ability was recognized but collegiate greatness on the hardwood was not generally expected. At Pikeville College he broke a bit farther into the limelight as he "sneaked in" 1,086 points to lead the nation's junior college scorers. Last year as a junior at the University of South Carolina he kept up his scoring pace with a 23.9-point-per-game average.

But it was not till this year that Wallace flashed to true stardom.

"Grady is better than ever, but we can't get him to believe it," Coach Hambrick wrote Gordon Moore, Prestonsburg sportswriter, recently.

Sports heroes come in a variety of builds and temperaments—chesty, cocky, lithe, fierce, handsome, and maybe popular.

Few are as unspectacular and timid-appearing as South Carolina's great net captain, Wallace.

When Wallace takes the floor it is reminiscent of a plowboy striding across a stubble of corn. When he shoots, it's almost as if he's trying to sneak the ball through the hoop.

He shoots often, however, and hits from the most unlikely places, such as 30 feet out and to the side

with four to six arms flailing about him to hamper the attempt.

When news came to South Carolina that their new assistant coach, Walter Hambrick, under whom Wallace had played, would bring in a man who had averaged 32.8 points a game, there was excitement. Then, when Wallace made his first appearance on the court fans could scarcely believe that the harmless-looking Kentuckian could produce against the accustomed competition of the Gamecocks.

But Grady, stealthily tucking in points, soon came to the fore. He set several school records and completed his junior season with a 23.9 average, second best in the Atlantic Coast Conference.

Coach Frank Johnson advertised before the current season opened that Wallace would be even better in 1956-57.

After five games there's no doubt about it. Against Wofford, Duke, N. C. State and North Carolina, he has accumulated 133 points for a 26.6 average.

"And he hasn't played up to his full potential yet," says Johnson.

Grady does his best against the big boys, against strong competition. Scoring he does against any of them, but his real love seems to be defense. Here his timidity is an asset.

He approaches his adversary with near apologies, his long arms dangling. With electrifying quickness an arm shoots out, the ball is his and it is passed off or shot into the hoop with the same good-mannered expression of a freshly scrubbed country boy.

The "country boy" was billed as the Gamecocks' answer to North Carolina's spectacular Lennie Rosenbluth. The promotion looked like a farce in the first few minutes of the game. South Carolina was well behind, 15 points in fact, when Wallace loped into his peak.

Before he fouled out in the overtime period, he had without much fanfare poured in 35 points. Rosenbluth, the guest of honor, had a sub-normal 18, but South Carolina fans were satisfied they'd seen two all-Americans perform.

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The entire project, including the building, central office equipment and outside plant facilities, was completed at a cost of approximately \$120,000.

Since all the telephone numbers are new, all subscribers are being urged to begin using their new green McDowell exchange telephone directories at noon January 19.

### INVENTS STEAMBOAT

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## SPORTS CHATTER

By GORDON MOORE

### OSBORNE SHINES

The individual star of the Ashland Invitational was Flat Gap's Charlie Osborne, who flipped in 117 points in three games, an uncanny 39 point per game average.

The six-foot-five-inch ace (son of Bill Osborne, of Prestonsburg) is vastly improved over last season and his 50 points in the first game was an Armory record. In the second game against previously unbeaten Russell he hit for 40 and in the final game with Ashland, a team that has two boys 6-5 and one 6-6, Osborne hooped 27, although he missed 10 minutes of the game. In the rebounding and defensive departments, the agile senior kept the capacity crowds gasping with his stellar play.

### NEW COLLEGE RULING IN O. V. C.

For a number of years the Ohio Valley Conference had a rule permitting any basketball player, who played professional baseball during the summer, to compete in any sport in the college except the one he played professionally, but, since the O. V. C. became affiliated with the N. C. A. A., any high school senior or college athlete who plays for pay either after graduating from high school or in the summertime is now ineligible for any college sports.

Graduating high school seniors, who usually play baseball in the summertime with semi-pro and professional teams, had better beware if they expect to play on any college units.

### WIN TOURNEY

Pikeville, by virtue of winning its own invitational tournament enters the state-wide ratings for the first time, currently listed as 15th in the state while Maytown continues to hold the 22nd spot. Flat Gap, Hindman and Hazard are the other mountain teams in the leading 25.

### HOPE FOR TOURNEY

The Prestonsburg Junior Chamber of Commerce is considering the possibility of a Christmas invitational tournament next basketball season, if the local gymnasium is completed by the 1956-57 season.

Early plans are to invite four high school teams, two from the 15th region and two of the strongest available from other sections.

### WELLS TO PERRY COUNTY

James M. "Toodles" Wells, last season's state tournament officials and for a number of years one of the officials in the Floyd County tournament, has been named to work the Perry county district tournament this season.

## BASKETBALL

### FRIDAY GAMES

Prestonsburg at Maytown. Wayland at McDowell. Salyersville at Martin.

### SATURDAY GAMES

Martin at Elkhorn City. Betsy Layne at Wheelwright. Garrett at Breathitt Co. Wayland at M. C. Napier.

### LAST WEEK'S SCORES

Prestonsburg, 86, Wheelwright 70. Maytown 81, Mullins 51. Wayland 83, Auxier 70. Betsy Layne 104, McDowell 62.

### FLOYD COUNTY STANDINGS

Team	W	L
Maytown	14	0
Garrett	9	3
Martin	11	5
Betsy Layne	12	7
Wayland	7	8
Prestonsburg	2	8
Wheelwright	1	10
Auxier	0	10

### LEADING SCORERS

	G.	Tl.	Av.
Powers, Auxier	10	380	38.0
Osborne, Flat Gap	13	469	36.0
Rister, Garrett	12	367	30.5
Osborn, Hellier	12	358	29.8
Elliott, Maytown	14	350	25.0
Francisco, Hellier	12	298	24.8
Burchett, Flat Gap	13	288	22.0

### LEADING OFFENSIVE TEAMS

	G.	Tl.	Av.
Flat Gap	13	1174	92.6
Maytown	14	1238	88.4
Paintsville	9	790	87.7
Inez	8	669	82.5
Pikeville	7	528	75.4

### 15th REGIONAL RATINGS

1. Pikeville	99
2. Paintsville	94
3. Flat Gap	93
4. Maytown	93
5. Inez	91
6. Garrett	90
7. Belfry	86
8. Oil Springs	86
9. Meade Memorial	86
10. Betsy Layne	86
11. Virgie	85
12. Wayland	76
13. Martin	76
14. Elkhorn City	76
15. McDowell	69
16. Hellier	57
17. Morgan Co.	57
18. Wheelwright	56
19. Prestonsburg	56
20. Van Lear	55
21. Salyersville	55
22. Auxier	54
23. Sandy Hook	54
24. Phelps	54
25. Feds Creek	53
26. Dorton	53
27. Johns Creek	50
28. Louisa	45
29. Ezel	44
30. Blaine	43
31. Mullins	43
32. Warfield	(not rated)

### MOUNT WASHINGTON FLOURISHED EARLY

Mount Washington was a flourishing community on the stage turnpike from Louisville to Nashville as early as 1800. The settlement was first known as The Crossroads, then as Mount Vernon; finally, by order of postal authorities, Mount Washington.

Paintsville's fifth annual invitational basketball tournament will open next Wednesday with eight 15th region teams competing for the crown now held by the hosts.

In the first round Wednesday, Martin meets Paintsville and in the second game of the evening, Prestonsburg tangles with Meade Memorial.

Thursday's first round matches pit Inez versus Flat Gap and Oil Springs against Betsy Layne.

### DEDICATE NEW GYMNASIUM

Morehead State College will dedicate its new 5,000-seat gymnasium, January 16, when the Eagles meet Marshall College of Huntington, West Virginia.

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## Bears Lose Close One To Fort Knox Tankers; Butcher in Star Role

The Pikeville College Bears, opening the second half of their basketball season against a rugged service team, fell to All-American Julius McCoy and his Fort Knox (Ky.) Tankers by half a dozen points, 91-85, Saturday.

McCoy, the former Michigan State star, took scoring honors with 37 points, on 14 field goals and nine charities. He was outgunned from the field by Pikeville's John Lee Butcher, who sank 16 fielders but had only three gratis points to total 35.

Pikeville poured in 37 field goals to Fort Knox's 35, but the Bears fell on fouls again as they had only 18 chances at the free-throw line, while they gave McCoy and his mates 30. Millard Bevins totaled 17 points for second honors for the Bears, and Lloyd Mullins rang up 13. Ken Smallwood got eight points and R. B. Singleton and John Waddell six each, all on fielders.

The Tankers are scheduled to return the Bears' visit Feb. 9 at the Pikeville College gymnasium.

The meeting with Steed Tech, scheduled for Thursday, was cancelled because the two schools could not agree on arrangements for future games, it was announced.

After opening a three-game home stand Tuesday night against the Rio Grande College (Ohio) Redmen, the Bears will entertain the Berea College Mountaineers Saturday, (Jan. 12) and the King College Tornado on Monday. In these meetings the Bruins will try to repeat on two of the four wins they have picked up this season. Berea fell, 72-70, Nov. 24, and King by 96-95 Nov. 29, both on their own courts.

## Miss Francis Named Treasurer of Club

Pikeville, Ky., Jan. 9 — (Spl.) — Phila Mae Francis, of Garrett, a junior at Pikeville College, has been chosen treasurer of the German Club there.

The club includes most of the students of German. The group's principal holiday project this year was the construction and display of an Advent Wreath, a traditional Christmas feature of homes in Germany.

Miss Francis, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Francis, Garrett, is a 1951 graduate of Garrett high school. At Pikeville, where she is preparing to become a teacher in the elementary schools, she has been a member of the Future Teachers' Association and the college chorus. She has belonged also to the girls' athletic association, the Young Women's Christian Association and the Student Christian Fellowship.

## Consider Career In State Police, Sturgill Urges

Frankfort, Jan. 7 (Spl.) — Commissioner of Public Safety Don S. Sturgill urged young men to consider a career in law enforcement with the growing Kentucky State Police, pointing out that 100 vacancies exist for state troopers.

The 1955 legislature authorized a 105 man increase in the Kentucky state police force.

"Troopers are selected by an impartial and non-political personnel board composed of two Democrats and two Republican members," Sturgill added. "State police officers are prohibited by law from taking part in politics other than to cast a vote in regularly constituted elections. Trooper applicants are not cleared by any political organizations."

The commissioner explained that all cadet troopers attend a three-month training course at the state police training school in Frankfort in which they are taught subjects relating to police work. The next school starts the first of February. During the course cadets receive classroom and on the job training which qualifies a man for any police position.

Commissioner Sturgill emphasized the maximum height limitations have been removed from trooper minimum qualifications which are: residents of Kentucky; not less than 21 nor more than 35 years old; at least five feet nine and one half inches tall; weight at least 150 pounds; be a high school graduate or have an equivalent education; pass physical and mental exams and possess a valid Kentucky operator's license.

Application forms can be secured at any state police post or from Kentucky State Police, Frankfort, LaGrange, Mayfield, Madisonville, Elizabethtown, Ashland, Dry Ridge, Morehead, London, Harlan, Hazard, Pikeville, Bowling Green, Henderson, Lebanon and Richmond.

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## Capitol Notebook

### A GOOD MOTTO

A letter to the editor of a Kentucky daily newspaper suggests that the Commonwealth be divided into two states—East Kentucky and West Kentucky.

The reason given by the letter writer was that eastern Kentucky gets scant attention except at election time.

While agreeing that every section of the State should be given due consideration at all times, we think the editor made apt comment on the writer's suggestion by inserting a replica of the Great Seal of Kentucky in the newspaper with the letter.

The seal, in case you forget, carries the motto, "United we stand, divided we fall."

### DIPLOMATIC REPLY

A visitor at the home of a State official asked a maid if she had any political views. "No," she replied, "but I have some lovely snapshots of Cumberland Falls and Kentucky Lake State Park."

### A QUERY

A reader who signs himself "Hardboot" writes "where are the horses of yesteryear?" It develops that he wants to know where the living Kentucky Derby winners of past years are now stabled. We could have forwarded the inquiry to Brownie Leach at Churchill Downs, but thought our readers might want to help. Can anyone tell us where these horses are?

### NEWS LINES

Economic Development Department reports it foresees no weakening of Kentucky's industrial momentum during 1957. Approximately 10,000 hunters killed an estimated 750 deer during the recent deer season in 27 counties—Kentucky's first in 50 years. Commissioner James W. Martin reports that the Finance Department during 1956 initiated a "much needed, long range planning program for capital construction." State Water Pollution Commission says that survey reveals 75 percent of industrial sewage treatment in Commonwealth meets requirement of Kentucky law. State Tuberculosis Hospital Commission reports that backlog of patients awaiting surgery has been eliminated and surgery is available immediately upon transfer to the Louisville hospital.

### RECOLLECTIONS

I recall the old expression, "He looks like the hind wheels of bad luck."—A.S.T. Hyden.

I recall reading in Mark Twain's "Life on the Mississippi" that Hickman was one of the most beautiful towns along the Mississippi River—J. C. Hickman, Ky.

I recall during feuding days when those who were killed were buried secretly so the enemy would not know his score.—"Hillbilly," Hindman, Ky.

I recall the expression "happy as a possum up a simmon tree with a dog a mile off."—John Blades, Ashland.

### NEW KENTUCKY HISTORY

Kentucky is a wonderful State. As a matter of fact I think it's great.

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So goes the poetical introduction of a new "History of Kentucky" written by third graders of a Louisville school.

The gigantic project was begun last year by 15 boys in the third grade of Country Day School. Each student was to write a chapter during his summer vacation. The volume now is hot off the mimeograph machine and will be used as a supplementary text in the third grade at the school.

As an example of the literary quality of the work, here's a sample by Joseph Ardery III:

"I decided to report on Duncan Tavern (Paris, Ky.) because my grandmother, Mrs. William B. Ardery, was the chairman of the committee chosen by the Daughters of the American Revolution to restore the historic inn. She went about through the countryside collecting authentic pieces to put in it. I think the tavern is very pretty both inside and out. Since my grandmother and her friends worked on the restoration, Duncan Tavern is more attractive than it was before."

### POETRY NOOK

Patience Plume, our poetry editor, offers for your contemplation this verse contributed to the Hart County Herald, Horse Cave, by a "Native of Kentucky."

With Republican money rattling, And Democratic liquor flowing, Many not a' caring, More not a' knowing, Your worst enemy might be, Your own granddaddy, you see, On election day back in old Kentucky.

### HAPPY-HYPERTENSION

The Kentucky Heart Assn. chose an apt time—following the holidays when hearts are palpitating from too many festivities—to remind folks with high blood pressure of some good resolutions:

See the doctor regularly. Try not to worry. Get plenty of sleep. Rest before becoming tired. Engage in mild exercise. Keep weight normal.

We wouldn't have admonished you this way before the holidays. You wouldn't have heeded us. But now that the merriment is over—well, happy hypertension.

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## Old Floyd County And a New Year

What does the new year 1957 hold for Floyd county and its citizens as individual human beings?

THE TIMES does not presume to know, nor has it the presumptuousness to hazard a guess. It would simply think with its readers on what things might be.

At any rate, now is no time for nostalgia, even for repining. Let the traditional "Auld Lang Syne" be sung, but let our thinking be more of the future.

This new year, fraught with opportunity and hazard alike, could be, and indeed may be, a great one for county. The industrial picture has made a strong comeback from a season of depression which temporarily bred a pessimistic outlook concerning the very future of coal, its production and marketing at a reasonable profit.

Now, the coal business is not only resurgent, with a bright future, but also has in this county the possibility of new mines in new territory.

The demand for natural gas continues strong, and early this year the new hydro-carbon recovery plant near Maytown will begin the extraction of by-products from Eastern Kentucky gas to supply West Virginia chemical plants. This Floyd plant may be only the first of such installations to be made by other gas companies.

Sheep-growing, strawberries and aromatic tobacco as cash crops, soil conservation and reforestation—these mark a keen upturn in farming interest. Kentucky's Department of Conservation has expressed a deep interest in the Dewey Lake area as a possible site for a wood products plant, and this could mean cash from undesirable forest growth, plus its replacement through reforestation with valuable trees.

This is not an editorial "pep talk"; instead, it is merely to touch on those things that, materially speaking, may mean much to the economy of Floyd county and its people. There are many other things to consider in this category—among them, better roads to homes and churches and schools, and that old dream of a navigable waterway for the Big Sandy by means of a system of locks and dams. Kentucky has voted bonds for better roads, and we know exactly where to look for them. Kentucky's two Senators and the district's Congressman have avowed their interest in canalization. We hope they will not fail us, but if this waterway is realized through their efforts they will have broken a disappointment skein that began more than half a century ago.

For better or worse, the year belongs to time ahead.

And progress does not, of course, belong wholly within the field of material accomplishment. As in the development of its resources beneath or springing from the soil, Floyd county must work with its existing human resources for a higher standard of morals, better schools, a fuller church and community life. Home and church and school are the ingredients of good citizenship. We have more of all these than at any time in the history of the county but how closely they come to the mind and soul of each individual among us, young and old, poses the big question mark in this year 1957.

How much of our tangibles are we willing to sacrifice for these intangibles? This election year, how closely will we cling to the old truths even when they hurt political fortunes? Do we want the law enforced even when enforcement hits a relative or friend? These questions are only a few that we of Floyd county need to ask ourselves and to answer honestly at the outset of the new year.

This county has a great potential, a fraction of which has been realized—only a fraction; so we take heart and look forward to the new year with all its uncertainties in the spirit of anticipation rather than of ruefulness for the failures of 1956 or even of contentment with the status quo.

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Plans to organize a four-day music clinic in the county was unfolded to the principals by Jesse Elliott, music supervisor of Floyd county schools. Elliott's plans call for a mixed chorus of 50 voices and a mixed band of 50 instruments made up from various schools, the instructors for the clinic to be furnished by Morehead State College. The two units that would evolve from the clinic slated for the week of January 14, would present evening concerts at the schools that are represented either in the band or chorus. The proceeds of the concerts would be used to buy music.

Somerset was named for the Duke of Somerset and made the seat of Pulaski county by court order in 1801.

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\$7; grade ten, first place Judith Carol Dixon, of Prestonsburg, \$7, and Douglas Frazier, of Wheelwright, \$6; grade nine winners, Sharon Allen, of Prestonsburg, \$6, and runner-up Charlotte Hall, of McDowell, \$5; grade eight, Delores Ann Howell, Spradlin Branch school, \$5, and Phyllis Spencer, of Wheelwright, \$4; grade seven, Brenda Patton, of Allen, \$5, and Sandra Gale Hayes, of Maytown, \$4; grade six, Ada Carol Maggard, of Martin, \$4; and Anna Lee Johnson, of Garrett, \$2; fifth grade, Patria Jean Stanley, of Betsy Layne, \$4, and Tommie Carol Laven, of Allen, \$2; fourth grade, Nancy Eileen Dotson, of Prestonsburg, \$4, and Brenda Jean Cramer, of the Spradlin Branch school, \$2.

The best essays written in various schools, as released by the judges, follows:

Mary Emma Savage, Wayland high school; Wayland, Annita Yvonne Handshoe, Garrett high school; Jerry R. Grigsby, Martin high school; Thelma Combs, McDowell high school; Sharon Allen, Prestonsburg high school; Douglas Frazier, Wheelwright high school; Sandra Gale Hayes, Maytown high school; Linda Darby, Allen grade school; Lorretta Osborne, Weeksbury grade school; Delores Osborne, Spradlin Branch school; Ines Allen, Bescoe Consolidated school; Patsy Haywood, Buckeye school; Phyllis Keathley, Branham Creek school; Juaneta Reffitt, Sam Hale school; Malissa Howell, Neck Branch school; Patria Jean Stanley, Betsy Layne, school; and Nancy Eileen Dotson, Prestonsburg grade school.

### VISIT MR. GARDNER

Tram—Mrs. Evelyn Gardner and family recently visited her husband, Alex Gardner, who is in a Huntington hospital. They also visited relatives in Ashland and Ironton.

## Dickerson-Hackworth Wedding Is Solemnized

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Dickerson, of Brainard, Ky., announce the marriage of their daughter, Bertha Helen, to Mr. William Hackworth, son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hackworth, of Bonanza, Ky., on Monday, Dec. 24, at 5 p.m., at the home of the bride.

The Rev. J. A. Dickerson, father of the bride, performed the double ring ceremony. Her only attendant was Miss Venus Conley, of Bonanza, Mr. Jimmy Ray Hamilton served as best man.

Immediately following the ceremony the newlyweds left for a brief wedding trip to points in Ohio. They will reside here, where Mr. Hackworth is employed by the Gulf Refining Company.

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Sergeant Harris, a squad leader in the 2d Battalion Headquarters Company of the division's 19th Regiment, entered the Army in 1950 and was last stationed at Fort Campbell, Ky.

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### Mrs. Mary Douglas Mayo, Prestonsburg Native, Dies At Boyd-co. Home, Sunday

Mrs. Mary Douglas Mayo, 98, believed to be Boyd county's oldest resident, died at 6 a.m. Sunday at the home of a daughter, Mrs. Redwood Taylor, Sr., Naples, Ky., following a brief illness. She was born April 5, 1858 at Prestonsburg, a daughter of the late William J. and Cynthia Powers May. She was a member of the Cannonsburg Methodist Church, and had resided at Naples since 1909.

Funeral services were conducted at 1:30 p.m. Tuesday at the John Steen Funeral Home by the Rev. J. I. Myers and the Rev. T. M. Chandler. Burial was in Ashland cemetery.

Active pallbearers were Redwood Taylor, Jr., Douglas Taylor, Chester Ross, Fields Scott, Clyde Trimble, and Robert Curnutte.

Honorary pallbearers were A. H. Turman, Louis Mayo, George Roberts, Luther Shivel, Thomas Fields, former Congressman A. J. May, Graham Porter, Homer Salisbury, Gordon Francis, W. J. May, Sr., Curtis May, Martin Lee May, Ed May, Alex Davidson, Charles Elliott, Dr. A. J. Davidson, Leroy McGlone and Joe Mock, W. B. Davidson, James E. Garnett, E. B. May, Sr.

Surviving in addition to her daughter are two step-daughters, Mrs. Maude Ross and Miss Cora Mayo, both of Ashland; one brother, John P. May, Prestonsburg; two sisters, Mrs. Laura Davidson and Mrs. Cynthia Porter, both of Prestonsburg; nine grandchildren, 19 great-grandchildren, and two great-great-grandchildren.

### Top State Corn Yield Grown on Lincoln Farm; Elliott Boy Is Second

Lexington, Ky., Jan. 9 (Spl.) — A Lincoln county dairy farmer and an Elliott county 4-H youngster, 17 years old, have won the 1956 Corn Derby in Kentucky.

Winners were announced today by the Kentucky Agricultural Extension Service Agronomy department. In both the one-acre and five-acre divisions, the top 10 places were from four counties of the state.

George Depp, Lincoln county dairyman, took the five-acre championship with a yield of 180.5 bushels an acre. Second place went to Lonza Reed, Johnson county, whose yield was 178.3 bushels an acre.

Dale Porter, of Elliott, 17 years old, took the one-acre championship, with a yield of 186.7 bushels an acre. His brother, Jewell Porter, 11 years old, was second with a yield of 175.0 bushels an acre.

The winners in each division were not new to the championship either in a personal or a family way. Depp won the Derby in 1953 with 143.6 bushels an acre; and the Porter family has been in the top 10 for years; brother Vaughn won it in 1955, and brother Glennis was second and third, respectively, in 1953 and 1955.

Johnson led the counties list, with seven of the top 20 in both divisions farming there. Lincoln had five of the top 20; Fulton had 3; Elliott had 2; and McCreary, Pike and Clark, one each.

### NOTICE

Betty Pitts has filed with the Floyd County Court application for roadhouse license in the operation of Betty's Friendly Cafe at Martin, Ky.

DuRan Moore  
Clerk, Floyd County Court

### NOTICE

Grover Sammons has filed with the Floyd County Court application for roadhouse license in the operation at Minnie, Ky., of the Sammons & Sammons Skating Rink.

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Floyd County Court

### Advancing Education in Kentucky

By ROBERT R. MARTIN  
Superintendent of Public Instruction

Two of the most massive problems that are facing public school education in Kentucky today are, the shortage of qualified teachers and the shortage of adequate classroom facilities.

In this column, I shall deal with the latter of these problems, briefly outlining some of the things that have been done and planned to alleviate this basic need.

Under the Foundation law, school districts are allocated funds for building and construction purposes. These funds are classified as "capital outlay" and during the first part of the 1956-57 school year just ended, their use by local districts has made it possible for many systems to add new buildings or additions and alterations of existing buildings.

The Division of Buildings and Grounds in the Department of Education's Bureau of Administration and Finance in reviewing construction activity during the first half of the fiscal year advises us that 436 classrooms have been built as of December 1, 1956, at a cost of some \$8,883,000 by 27 school districts.

In addition to these classrooms (which represent new buildings only), there have been 188 additional classrooms provided through alterations to existing facilities; 123 through remodeling; 114 through rentals; and 353 re-occupied after minor modifications and refurbishing.

These figures represent only those classrooms that have already been provided. They do not include planned construction.

For new building constructions alone, the Department of Education has approved an estimated \$11,000,000 in plans and \$10,750,000 in revenue-bond issues for school construction purposes.

These additional classroom facilities represent the greatest expansion in schools construction that we have ever had in Kentucky during any year, however they fall far short of the estimated total need.

A recent survey financed by Congress and conducted by the U. S. Office of Education and the Kentucky State Department of Education indicates that we need a total of 18,661 additional classrooms in this state before we can provide adequate housing for the 590,129 pupils attending Kentucky's public schools. It is of paramount and unquestionable importance to education

that we provide a situation whereby teachers can devote some time to each individual student in the classroom. When that room houses forty to fifty youngsters, individual attention is impossible. To-day there are many classrooms across the nation that have that many students; other schools have had to resort to the 'split season' to accommodate their pupil populations. Conversely, many teachers have left the profession because of 'overlooking' their schedules, thereby aggravating that other problem of vital concern—the teacher shortage.

This need for adequate housing is not insurmountable. Under the "Capital Outlay" provision of the Foundation law, we have made a substantial attack on it in Kentucky. Certainly that provision will not provide enough financing to satisfy the need but there are other methods of solving it. The prospect of federal aid is brighter this year than ever before. I am confident that the new Congress will provide federal funds. How much of that money each state will get remains to be seen.

We in education are firmly convinced that the solution for Kentucky is a bond issue for schools construction similar to the recently approved road bond issue.

At the present time, a committee of the Advisory Council on Public Education in Kentucky is studying various aspects of such a plan. Such a bond issue would be supplemented by the local school districts according to their individual needs and ability.

As soon as the findings of that committee are complete, we will know more about the details of such a proposal and will make them known.

The people of Kentucky are certainly aware of this classroom shortage problem and they have indicated to us time and again that efforts must be made to solve it. Kentucky education has done a remarkable job this year but, of course, much remains to be done.

### Paintsville Man Shot Three Times in Hip; Spradlin Is Charged

Chalmer C. Johnson, 41, of Paintsville, was shot three times in the hip early Sunday night and a 50-year-old man was arrested Tuesday on charges of shooting with intent to kill.

Johnson was taken to St. Mary's hospital, Huntington, by Johnson County Coroner James H. Trimble. His condition was described as fair.

The shooting occurred on a dirt road in the city limits of Paintsville about 6 p.m.

Held in the shooting was Jim Spradling, also of Paintsville. The warrant was obtained by Paintsville Police Chief William Witten.

Chief Witten quoted Spradling as saying he and Johnson had been drinking and an argument developed over \$11 that Spradling claimed was stolen from him several weeks ago.

A .38-calibre revolver was used.

### THE FIRST METHODIST CHURCH Harold W. Dorsey, Minister SUNDAY, January 13—

9:45 a.m., Church School. Classes for all ages.  
10:55 a.m., Morning worship. Sermon topic: "The Answer Is God."  
5:55 p.m., Senior M. Y. F. meets.  
6:15 p.m., Intermediate M. Y. F. meets.  
7:30 p.m., Evening worship. Sermon topic: "One Thing More."  
Monday, 7:30 p.m., Circle No. 1, W. S. C. S., meets.  
Wednesday, 8:30 a.m., Morning devotions over W.P.R.T.  
3:45 p.m., Wesley choir practice.  
7:30 p.m., Weekly prayer meeting.  
8:15 p.m., Chancel Choir practice.  
10:00 a.m., District meeting of Church Extension. Rev. E. T. Curry, Winchester, and Dr. John F. Baggett, assistant to the Bishop, are speakers.

### COMMUNITY METHODIST CHURCH J. Baldwin Stitz, minister Week beginning Jan. 13—

SUNDAY—  
9:30 a.m., Worship service. Sermon topic: "Dead Ends"  
10:30 a.m., Sunday school.  
5:00 p.m., Busy Bees.  
26:00 p.m., MYF.  
7:30 p.m., Evangelistic service. Sermon topic: "Why Can't I Be Good?"  
MONDAY—  
7:00 p.m., Boy Scouts. First-Aid Lessons.  
TUESDAY—  
7:00 p.m., Choir practice.  
8:00 p.m., Prayer meeting.  
THURSDAY—  
10:30 a.m., Church extension meeting at First Methodist Church in Prestonsburg.

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### BABE DIES

Serito Ann Goble, one-day-old daughter of J. B. and May Hamilton Goble, of Ivel, died at the Beaver Valley hospital, Martin, Tuesday. She was the only child. Funeral rites were conducted Wednesday at the graveside at 10 a.m. and burial was made in the family cemetery under the direction of Hall Bros. Funeral Home.

### BABE DIES

Linda Sue Warren, two-day-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Edward Warren, Sr., of Oklahoma City, Okla., died at Our Lady of the Way hospital, Martin, at 2 p.m. Tuesday. She was one of twins, her sister, Cinda Lu, surviving. Besides the parents and Cinda Lu, three brothers and sisters survive. Funeral services were conducted Wednesday at the graveside in the Martin cemetery, the Rev. Childers officiating. Burial was under the direction of Hall Bros. Funeral Home.

### Laura Tackett, of Hunter Dies of Heart Condition At Beaver Valley, Friday

Miss Laura Tackett, 69, of Hunter, died at 4:30 a.m. Friday at the Beaver Valley hospital, Martin, of a heart condition.

Miss Tackett was a daughter of the late Dick and Polly Meade Tackett and is survived by the following brothers and sisters: Wheeler Tackett, of Hunter, Bernard Tackett, of Betsy Layne, Bun Tackett, of Inez, Nelson Tackett, Orville, O., Richard Tackett, of Virgie, Pike county, Mrs. Flora Conn, and Miss Mary Tackett, both of Hunter.

Funeral rites were held at the First Baptist church at Hunter, at 10 a.m. Sunday, the Revs. Hershell Huff and Banner Mamm officiating. Burial was made in the Salsbury cemetery at Hunter under the direction of Hall Bros. Funeral Home.

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### Hueysville Man Dies Of Stroke At Home; Was Farmer, Carpenter

Cass Stanley, 76, of Hueysville, died at 12:10 p.m. Sunday at home. A stroke was given as the cause of death. He was a farmer and carpenter.

Surviving are his wife, Orlena Kennedy Stanley, and three foster children: Mrs. Hazel Bolen, of Hindman, Mrs. Ethel Norden, Toledo, O., and Mrs. Michael Kilburn, Fort Knox, Ky. Surviving also are a half-brother, George Hill, and a half-sister, Mrs. Sanders Hill, both of Coeburn, Va.

Funeral rites were conducted Tuesday at 11 a.m. at the Rachel Chapel, Caney Ridge, Va., by the Revs. Ben Powers, Wade Powers, Chester Lucas and J. S. Bell. Burial was made in the Caney Ridge cemetery under the direction of Hall Bros. Funeral Home.

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### Wayland Soldier In Training Exercise

U. S. Forces, Germany — Pvt. Tom R. Martin, 22, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Martin, of Wayland, Ky., recently participated with the 8th Infantry Division in "War Hawk", a two-week field training exercise in Germany.

Martin, a cannoneer in Battery A of the division's 28th Field Artillery Battalion, entered the Army in March 1956 and arrived overseas last October. He attended Wayland high school.

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### NOTICE

I will be at the following places for the purpose of selling motor vehicle licenses. This service is for the public's convenience, so that you will be able to buy your licenses at the places listed below and avoid the last week's rush in your County Court Clerk's Office.

January 21—Monday—Garrett High School—10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.  
January 23—Wednesday—Wayland High School—10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

January 25—Friday—Wheelwright City Hall—10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.  
January 30—Wednesday—McDowell High School—10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

February 1—Friday—Maytown High School—10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.  
February 5—Tuesday—Betsy Layne High School—10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

February 5—Tuesday—Stumbo Service Sta.—Harold, Kentucky—4:30 p.m. to 6:30 p.m.

February 7—Thursday—Martin High School—10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.  
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a second driver-librarian and the cost of gasoline and attendant incidents.

The Bookmobile service in Floyd county has been hailed as a model of efficiency, and its driver-librarian, Robert W. Wallace, was recently recognized by the Kentucky Library Association when it named him chairman of its Legislative committee.

Miss Willis also told Representative Hill it is almost certain that the regional headquarters for Eastern Kentucky Bookmobiles will be located in Floyd county. Certain local support is required, but it is believed that this may be met by supplying a building for the regional library. The old high school building here, now in disuse except by the Bookmobile and the high school basketball team, has been suggested as a possible site for the area library headquarters.

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# REWARD!

The undersigned, Turner Elkhorn Mining Company, a corporation, of Drift, Floyd County, Kentucky, will pay a reward in the aggregate sum of One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000.00) to the person or persons who furnish information leading to the arrest and conviction of person or persons who have stolen and carried away a quantity of copper wire from the premises of the undersigned at or near its Liberty No. 1 Mine, Maytown, its Guaranty Mine, Hite, and its Liberty No. 3 Mine on Buck's Branch near Martin, Kentucky, within 90 days immediately preceding the date hereof. If conflicting claims are made for this reward the undersigned shall be discharged from all liability upon paying such reward into the Circuit Court of Floyd County, Kentucky, which shall finally determine such claims.

This 2nd day of January, 1957.

TURNER ELKHORN COMPANY

By C. D. Reed, President

## TIDBITS OF KENTUCKY FOLKLORE

By GORDON WILSON, Ph.D.

Western Kentucky Teachers' College Bowling Green, Ky.

### "SILK STOCKINGS"

When I tried recently to tell a freshman girl who is a good friend of the family about silk stockings as a badge of being dressed up, she naively asked, "What are silk stockings?" Imagine that! Why, those ladies of other times, now pretty old, maybe, or lying in the old family cemetery, must have turned over in their graves or else turned, rather painfully, in their arm chairs, if arm chairs still exist.

Now back in Fidelity around the turn of the century and for some time afterwards, it was a mark of high distinction to be the owner of such a luxury as a pair of silk stockings. Somewhat later it was just the mark of being a well-dressed woman, neither rich nor famous. A famous school in the state used to rule out silk stockings, as it was a mark of having spent too much money for clothes, and it tried to cater to those who needed an education but had limited means to get it. Many former students of mine, who had spent some time in that college, used to tell gleefully how they had managed to get by the authorities and wickedly wear the daring, expensive silk stockings and even (Horrors!) silk dresses! Maybe that was why they were still in college but at Western instead of the other college.

This question of silk brings up another memory that many younger ones will not believe, but I can rely on those who are unashamedly old to stand by me. Preachers at Fidelity and elsewhere tore into the subject of silk garments with all the zeal of Oriental reformers, declaring that any such extravagance was wicked, sure to lead down the primrose path. Young girls who sat through such tirades are now, like this chronicler, wearing false teeth and bifocals and are regarded by their children and grandchildren as pretty safe, even as old fogies, that name that reappears in every generation to describe those a bit older than the ones who use the term. I wonder what the parson at Fidelity new talks about that could give such vim to his voice as did this symbol of extravagance or even wickedness. Of course, stockings

were slightly hush-hush, anyway; silk only gave an added bit of wickedness.

It is said to be good to confess one's sins. Here goes! When the first girl who was majoring in English wore bobby socks to my class, with never a blush in sight, I called her into my office and spoke about as follows: "Irene (that was not her name), somehow you are not the type of girl that I would expect to rush the style. I know that you are a fine girl, modest, intelligent, moral; but I am afraid that somebody else, who does not know you as well as I do, might think otherwise." She, being just what I said she was, took my embarrassed suggestion very kindly, smiled engagingly, and left. To save my life, I cannot recall whether she clung to the wicked bobby socks or not. No dire prophecies were necessary, it seems, for not long after my abbreviated curtain lecture she married a promising young medical student, taught school in Jefferson County to help pay his way through, and for years she and he, with their two children, have been solid, substantial citizens of a good-sized town where he is practicing his profession. Every time I think of this little conference, I smile at myself and others who have felt that change seems often a bit too-too.

I am sure that this rather silly talk has made me think twice several times since then before I made too rash an assertion about as simple a thing as whether a girl wears long stockings or bobby socks or no socks or stockings at all. Tomorrow I will be teaching a Saturday class of in-service teachers, hard-working women, most of them mothers and a few of them grandmothers, who drive in for miles and miles to carry on their education. Since it is still warm weather now, I will wager a coke that several of them will be stockingless. Again, how those old-timers would have been shocked beyond recovery. Maybe such shocking manners by the younger generation accounts for the short lives of many of the women and men of the older generation.

## William (Babe) Howard, Of Prestonsburg, Victim Of Cerebral Hemorrhage

William (Babe) Howard, 69, of Prestonsburg, succumbed to a cerebral hemorrhage at the Prestonsburg General hospital at 12:30 a.m., Friday. He had been seriously ill from the preceding Wednesday and in failing health for some time.

Mr. Howard was born on Quicksand Creek, Knott county, a son of Don and Martha Handshoe Howard. He was married to Pearl Calhoun. Two children, Frank and Eunice, both of Watergap, survive. Surviving brothers and sisters are F. P. (Chick) Howard and Catherine Howard, both of Prestonsburg; Mrs. Margaret Smith, of Kenova, W. Va., and W. B. Howard, Portsmouth, O. Funeral services were conducted from the First Presbyterian church here, Sunday at 2 p.m. the Revs. Ira McMillen, Jr., Harold Dorsey and Paul Bingham officiating. Burial was made in the Porter cemetery at Cliff under the direction of Carter & Callihan Funeral Home.

Active pallbearers were Henry Stumbo, Wilsie Rose, Norman Henry Dials, Franklin Dials, Bob Keeton, Pete Howard.

Young children learning to sew can usually sew better by machine than by hand.

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"6. That the said juvenile shall not loaf or remain in business establishments where pin ball machines are played or other games of chance and shall not engage in said games, and at no time shall the juvenile visit the pool rooms."

The probation order specified that if any of the conditions set out by the court are not complied with, probation will be revoked and the juvenile will be committed to the Welfare Department until he reaches the age of 21.

Milford Wells, district probation supervisor, said he would accept the task of checking on the youths' conduct, and will make monthly reports to Judge Stumbo.

Conferring with Judge Stumbo on the boys' case at his invitation were the Revs. Harold W. Dorsey and Ira McMillen, Jr., of Prestonsburg; Revs. Robert Martin and Dan Heinzelman, of Martin. County Superintendent V. O. Turner, Otis D. Spurlock, principal of Prestonsburg high school, Chalmers H. Frazier, principal of the Prestonsburg grade school, John Dean, executive, Lonesome Pine Boy Scout Council, and James Owens, executive of Jenny Wiley Boy Scout district.

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a recurrence of widespread unemployment in mining areas. Perkins representing the Kentucky Seventh District, began his fifth term last Thursday. The depressed areas bill would set up local industrial committees to plan for building new plants and for attracting new industries into their areas.

The Federal Government would then lend up to two thirds of the cost of construction of the new industrial facilities.

The bill would also authorize the depressed-areas agency to make grants for construction and repair of secondary roads if local authorities certify the projects.

Other phases of the bill:

1. Permit new industry in depressed areas a quick write-off of capital outlay for tax purposes.
2. Direct the Department of Labor to provide re-employment training, vocational rehabilitation, and vocational education for the affected areas.
3. Provide additional payment of unemployment compensation for up to 13 weeks beyond the present legal limit.

Perkins is a member of the House Committee on Education and Labor.

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### INFANT DIES

The infant daughter of Willie and Sadie Sparkman, of Hueysville, died at 4 p.m. at the McDowell Memorial hospital Saturday. Besides the parents it is survived by 13 brothers and sisters. Burial was made in the family cemetery at Hueysville under the direction of Hall Bros. Funeral Home.

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### MISS FURMAN SINGS

Beth Furman, of the Fort Wayne Bible College, Ft. Wayne, Indiana, spent the holiday season with her parents, Rev. and Mrs. C. H. Furman, of Betsy Layne. On Dec. 9th at Ft. Wayne she sang with the Oratorio Chorus of more than 100 voices and the orchestra of the Bible College as they gave the annual presentation of Handel's Oratorio, "The Messiah," to an audience of nearly a thousand people.

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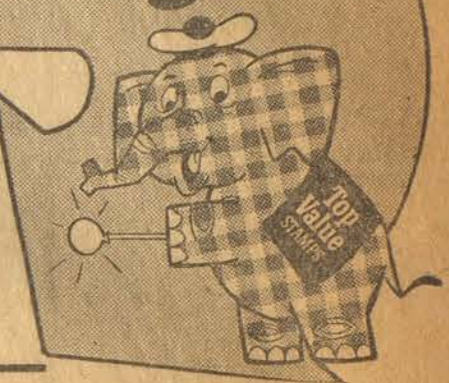
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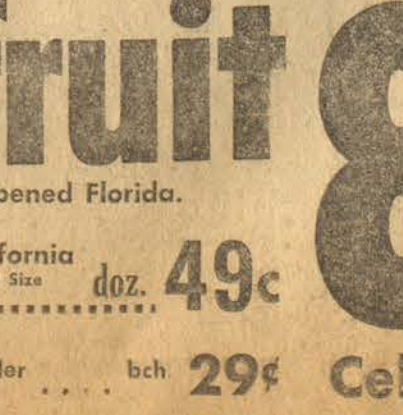
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<b>Green Beans</b> Avondale Cut	2 No. 303 cans	<b>27¢</b>	<b>Pineapple</b> Avondale Sliced	2 No. 2 cans	<b>55¢</b>

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<b>French Fries</b> Kroger frozen	2 9 oz. pkgs.	<b>29¢</b>	<b>Ice Cream</b> Country Club	1/2 gal.	<b>69¢</b>

	<b>Grapefruit</b>	8 lb. bag	<b>49¢</b>
	Sun-ripened Florida.		
	<b>Oranges</b>	California 220 Size doz.	<b>49¢</b>
	<b>Broccoli</b>	Fresh, tender bch	<b>29¢</b>
	<b>Cello Carrots</b>	Crisp 2 lb. pkg.	<b>29¢</b>

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banquet at the B & W Cafe, Saturday evening. Homer Wright, of Prestonsburg, served as toastmaster, and the address of welcome was made by Commonwealth's Attorney Burnis Martin. Approximately 60 state and district officers and representatives attended the banquet. W. G. Africa, of Floyd Post, received at this time a citation for his long and useful service to the post here.

A dance at the Eagles Club followed the banquet.

At the business session Sunday afternoon Robert S. Wellman, of Prestonsburg, keynoted the meeting.

Speakers praised the motel accommodations here and the successful conduct of the convention. Among those who addressed the convention were Department Commander Dotson; Charles M. Blackburn, national executive committee man; Darrell Hancock, past department commander; Ray Beyer, department membership chairman; Gomer Martin, Jr., Richlands, Va.; William Allen, Marion, Ky.; Paul Selfret, department field representative; District Commander Ralph Clevinger; Roy M. Cain, representative of the Kentucky Disabled Ex-Servicemen's Bureau, and E. H. "Ted" Stumbo, of Harold, state commander of the Veterans of Foreign Wars.

### Claudena Lowe Named Head of 4-H Group At Recent Allen Meet

At the 4-H Club leaders and officers training meeting held at Allen Grade School, the afternoon of December 28, new county 4-H Club officers were elected. Claudena Lowe, of Eastern, was elected president; Sarah Jane Anderson, of McDowell, was elected vice-president; and Melanie Ann Conley, of Eastern, was elected secretary-treasurer. Joan Falkner, Melves Boyd, Bennie Hall, Russ Sword, Sandra Hall, Carolyn Chaffin, Brenda Calhoun, Johnnie Pat Clifton were appointed song leaders. These officers will be in charge of all county-wide 4-H programs to be held this year.


### 4-Hers GET PIGS

The Floyd county 4-H Club Council approved the applications of seven 4-H boys and girls for pigs under the pig chain program. These 4-Hers are: Jerry Greer of Bonanza; Glenn Salyers, and Rhoda Ann Gayheart, both of Eastern; Roy Balsden, of Dwaile; Meridith Stone, of Hi Hat; Belve Hackworth, of Middle Creek road, and Barbara Lafferty, of Cliff. Each year since the pig chain started in 1955, seven deserving 4-H Club members are given a purebred Duroc sow pig.

Hazard in Perry county, was named by men who served under Oliver Hazard Perry in the battle of Lake Erie.

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When the site was selected for the Bath County seat in 1811, the land was owned by Richard Menifee and Col. Thomas Dye Owings, each of whom wished to bestow his name on the new town. It was decided to name the village for the man who erected the finest residence in the shortest time. The honor went to Owings and the town became Owingsville.

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### PRICE THEATRE

HI HAT, KY.  
Admission 20-40c

FRIDAY, 6:30 p.m.—  
"The Young Guns"  
Russ Tamblin and Gloria Talbot  
Serial and Door Prizes

SATURDAY, 6:30 p.m.—  
Double Bill—  
"Music Land"  
All-Star Cast  
Also  
"Walk a Crooked Mile"  
Dennis O'Keefe  
Cartoon

SUNDAY, 2 and 6:30 p.m.—  
"Rawhide"  
Tyrone Power  
Cartoon

### Rites for Sgt. Phillips Held at Betsy Layne; Was Shotgun Accident Victim

Funeral services for Sgt. James H. Phillips, 40, of Altus, Okla., but formerly of Betsy Layne, were held at the Betsy Layne high school auditorium, Wednesday, Jan. 2. Sgt. Phillips was accidentally killed by the discharge of a shotgun he was cleaning at his home, Dec. 27.

Reports say that at the time of the tragedy his wife and their two children were out of the house, rushing in, when they heard the report of the gun, they found him dead.

Phillips, a 16-year veteran of the Air Force, was a son of James and Nellie Ritchey Phillips, natives of Wise county, Virginia.

Survivors, besides his parents, include his wife, Mrs. Ruby Faye Phillips; a son, Jimmy Phillips, and a daughter, Wilma Faye Phillips, both at home. Three brothers and sisters also survive: Lester Phillips, of Pikeville, Grady Phillips, Catlettsburg, Richard Phillips, of Mouthcard, Pike county, Mrs. Clara Allen, of Betsy Layne, Mrs. Evelyn Fields, Kingsport, Tenn., Mrs. Zuelia Reising, Louisville, Mrs. Mildred Patterson, Pikeville, Mrs. Vera Thompson, of Zebulon, and Mrs. Bessie Morrow, Arlington, Va.

Officiating at the last rites was the Rev. W. E. Davis. Burial was made in the Bush-Hagan cemetery at Harold.

### Not Too Late To Give to TB Drive; Support Needed

Tuberculosis control in Kentucky may suffer a serious set-back unless the 1956 Christmas Seal drive is given a shot in the arm by last minute contributors.

This alarming statement was made by John W. Woods, president of the Kentucky Tuberculosis Association, in a final plea for contributions to the annual fund-raising drive that supports the voluntary TB association work throughout the state.

"It's not too late to mail in your contributions," Woods said. "Although the campaign officially closed December 31, contributions are accepted through March 31."

"We are more than \$9,000 behind last year's drive. Many people have put off answering their Christmas mail in the holiday rush and think that it is too late for this year. There is still time to answer your Christmas Seal letter," he said.

"TB can strike in any home, rich or poor, and wherever it strikes it brings tragic upheaval to family life. More than 11,000 Kentuckians are now ill with the disease. Ninety-four cents out of every dollar you give will remain in Kentucky to combat tuberculosis here. Only six cents goes for national research and health education.

"When you contribute to the Christmas Seal drive, you are helping to keep TB away from your home, your family."

### Txpayers Are Receiving Newly Simplified Forms

As a result of surveys and studies conducted by the Internal Revenue Service, several million taxpayers who last year filed their returns on Form 1040 are this year receiving in the mail the simplified punch-card Form 1040A, which makes possible easier preparation of a return and can be more readily processed by the Service.

The card form enables the taxpayer to provide all pertinent information on his income and exemption status, if his income was less than \$5,000 during 1956, consisting of salary or wages from which taxes was withheld, and he had no more than \$100 total of other wages, dividends and interest, and if his deductible expenses were less than the standard 10 percent calculated as part of the tax table for incomes up to that figure.

For those taxpayers with less than \$5,000 income but with allowable deductions exceeding 10 percent, the regular Form 1040 should be used to obtain a refund or reduce the balance of tax due.

Persons who qualify to use the card form but who did not receive it may obtain a card from the local internal revenue office. An instruction sheet accompanies the card form. It contains a reproduction of the card, to serve as a sample to fill out before preparing the form itself and to be retained by the taxpayer for his records.

A new feature of the card form this year is the addition of lines making it possible for the taxpayer to compute his own tax.

I recall our old-time Negro mammy who used to boast that she could fix possum and coon so that even white folks liked it.—Jay Norris, Paducah.

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Commenting on the reduced crime in the county, Judge Hill, said he saw only one man during the holidays who was obviously drinking. Homicides are fewer, also, he added. "But," he warned, "that doesn't mean we can lay down on the job of trying to enforce the laws."

Drunk driving, stealing and forest fires were some of the violations specifically called to the attention of the grand jury. The judge also told the jury it has the right, in addition to that of investigating criminal violations, to look into the conduct of the financial affairs of the county, schools and towns.

Near the end of his talk to the grand jury he recognized 1957 as a county election year. "There's politics in the air, I understand, but I hope each case will be tried on its merits and that politics will not enter into the work of the court. Let's all guard against that," he warned.

W. J. Reynolds, of Martin, was named foreman of the grand jury, but later reported ill. A bystander juror, James Crager, was added to the jury, and John Stratton, of David, was named foreman.

Trial sessions of the court term started off on the dull side, with only one defendant being convicted. But this defendant, Jim Hunter, drew two \$75 fines for reckless use of a deadly weapon and cutting and taking timber of another. He was not present for the hearing of either case. A charge against him of using abusive language to provoke assault was continued generally.

Twenty-one child desertion cases were continued, the first day of court, with alias process to issue. The same charge against Jake Halbert was dismissed at the request of the prosecuting witness, and the child desertion count against Burlie Yates also was dismissed because he and his wife are now living together. The same reason was given for the dismissal of the indictment alleging desertion of a pregnant wife against Bill Johnson.

Joe P. Tackett was named by the court to represent Ed Prater, accused of rape, and the trial was set April 1.

When the case of Norman Shepherd, charged with possessing alcoholic beverages, was called Tuesday and continued till the following day because the defense was not ready, an attachment was issued for Magistrate Grover Holbrook, a witness in the case, and a rule was issued to require the official to show cause why he should not be held in contempt for failure to appear.

### Technician Conley On USS Taussig

San Diego, Calif.—Bernard Conley, fire control technician third class, USN, son of Mrs. Sarah Terry, Langley, Ky., arrived at San Diego, Calif., Dec. 21, aboard the destroyer USS Taussig.

The ship completed six months' in the Far East where she operated with Task Force 77. Ports visited were Kobe and Yokosuka, Japan, and Hong Kong.

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THURSDAY, 7 p.m.—  
"King of the Khyber Rifles"  
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FRIDAY, 7 p.m.—  
"Beneath the 12-Mile Reef"  
Robert Wagner, Terry Moore, Gilbert Roland  
Also on Stage in person—  
Lonesome Pine Fiddlers

SATURDAY 7 p.m.—  
"The Racers"  
(CinemaScope and Color)  
Kirk Douglas, Bella Darwin,  
"Soldier of Fortune"  
(CinemaScope-Color)  
Clarke Gable, Susan Hayward, Michael Rennie

SUN—1 p.m. & 7 p.m., Mon—7 p.m.  
"Violent Saturday"  
(Color-CinemaScope)  
Victor Mature, Sylvia Sidney  
"Untamed"  
(Color-CinemaScope)  
Tyrone Power, Susan Hayward

TUESDAY—  
"Naked Dawn"  
(Color)  
Arthur Kennedy, Bettet St. John

WEDNESDAY—  
"Lady Godiva"  
(Color)  
Maureen O'Hara, George Nader

THURSDAY—  
"Running Wild"  
W. M. Campbell, Mamie Vandoren

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Now, I have only one favor to ask of the aforesaid Mr. Hart, and that is a hint as to how a newspaperman goes about saving enough money to buy almost 700 acres of land, not to mention building a home thereon.

I would say that should be "green pastures" for a guy grown old in the galley-slavedom of newspaper work, weary of it all and just wanting to rest and look out on something his very own, his solitary own.

Sea and sky and soft breezes parting the old beard . . . hm-m. Wonder how the fishing is around those parts

### ALL IS NOT LOST

The Courier-Journal this morning has a story about the scarcity of doctors in Eastern Kentucky, and at first glance the reader from this section might feel some concern. But read on, dear reader: the story says rejections for military service are lower from this section than the state average and the death rate is lower, too.

Maybe it's the mountain air—certainly not the dew.

### 27—COUNT 'EM!

Only 27 Floyd county residents of all the county's thousands have contributed to the Red Cross Hungarian Relief Fund. These 27 have given only \$191 of the paltry \$701 quota set for this county and its 50,000-odd residents.

We have never accused our people of being tight-fisted or heartless. We simply aren't thinking—especially of others—as we should. P. S. It isn't too late to send, mail or take your dollar to the Red Cross here.

### SIGNS OF THE TIMES

Sign at a Central Kentucky church: "Don't Let the Undertaker Bring You to Church for the First Time."

Label on a shipment of fish: "If Not Delivered in Ten Days—Never Mind."

This is how the population grows. In 1900 James Rathiff, 20, married Polly Sutton, 17, at Hueysville. They had 16 children, now have 71 grandchildren and 40 great-grandchildren.

I have never asked for public office before but at many requests from good friends, I now ask for your vote and influence in my behalf as I seek election as your Constable, Dist No. 1.

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Prestonsburg, Ky.



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THURSDAY, 7:30 p.m.—  
"Tarantula"  
John Agar, Mara Corday

### Extension Rally Set At Church Here, Jan. 17

Louisville, Ky., Jan. 7 (Spl.)—One of 18 church extension rallies to be held by Kentucky Methodists this month has been scheduled for the First Methodist Church, Prestonsburg, on Jan. 17, it was announced here today by Bishop William T. Watkins.

The main purpose of the rallies is to plan and emphasize a program of church-building in Kentucky for the year. The meetings will be attended by both ministers and laymen representing districts or sub-districts of the church.

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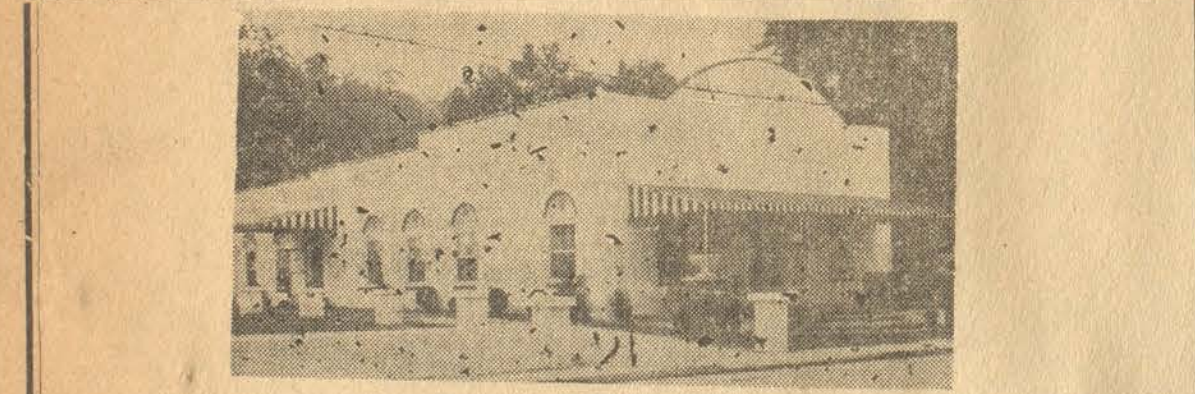


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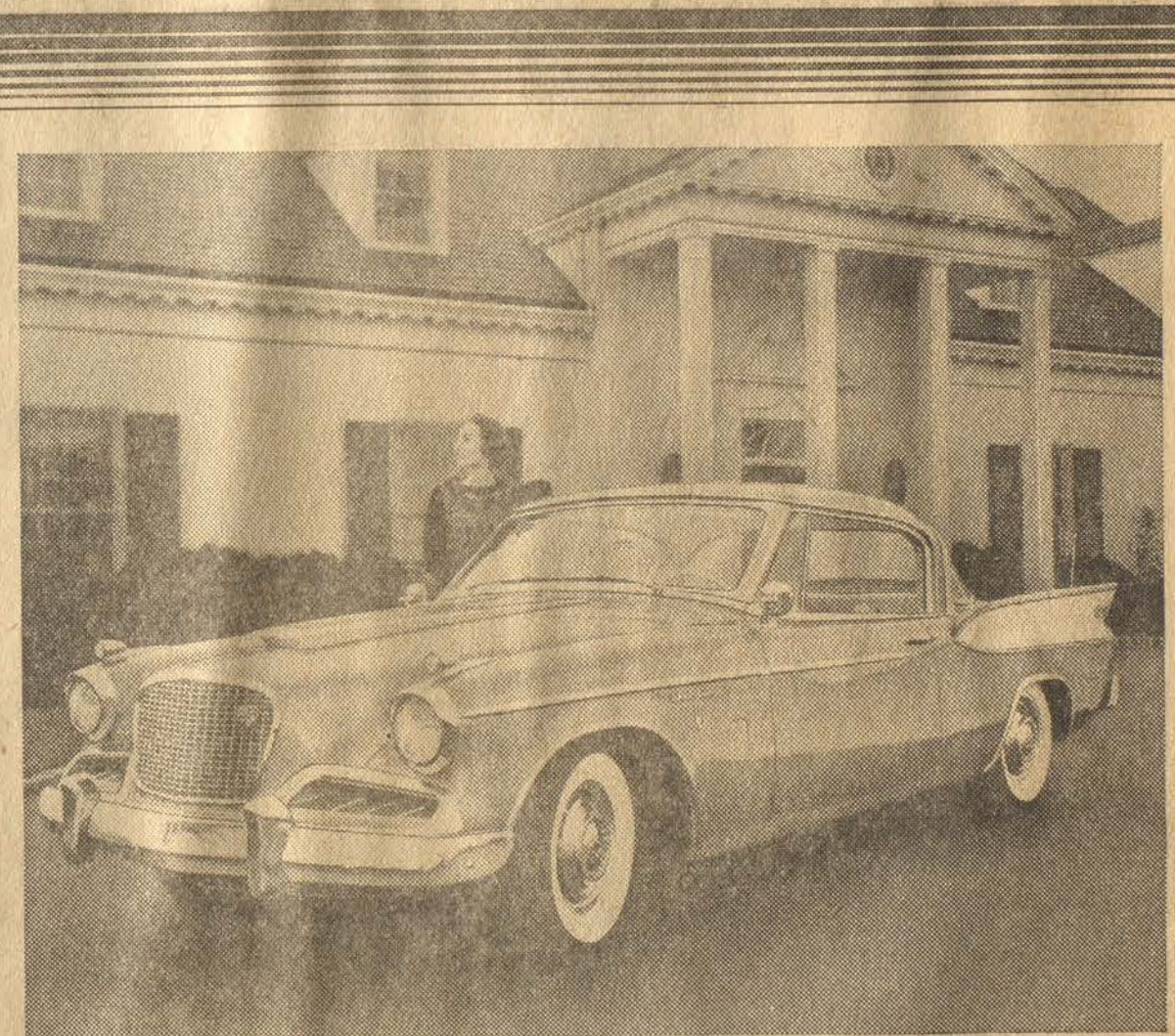
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## Political Announcements

### For Representative

**W. G. BIGGERS**  
Of Prestonsburg, Ky., candidate for REPRESENTATIVE (Legislative District No. 96) Democratic primary, May 28

Announcing the candidacy of **J. C. "CRIT" WELLS**  
Estill, Ky., for REPRESENTATIVE, 96 Legislative District, subject to the action of the Democratic Party, May 28, 1957, primary election.

### For Circuit Judge

We are authorized to announce **BURNIS MARTIN**  
of Prestonsburg, Ky., as a candidate for CIRCUIT JUDGE Democratic Primary, May 28

We are authorized to announce **EDW. P. HILL**  
as a candidate for re-election to the office of CIRCUIT JUDGE Subject to the action of the Democratic party at its May 28, 1957, Primary.

### For County Judge

**HENRY STUMBO**  
of Prestonsburg, Ky., candidate for COUNTY JUDGE Democratic Primary, May 28, 1957

We are authorized to announce **DEWEY ROBERTS**  
of Harold, Ky., as a candidate for COUNTY JUDGE Democratic Primary May 28, 1957

We are authorized to announce **HARVE SPARS**  
of Endicott, Ky., for COUNTY JUDGE Democratic primary, May 28, 1957

We are authorized to announce **W. W. COOLEY**  
as a candidate for COUNTY JUDGE Subject to the action of the Democratic Party at its May, 1957, Primary. He will announce his program for Floyd County as the campaign develops.

### For Commonwealth's Atty.

We are authorized to announce **HOLLIE CONLEY**  
of Eastern, Ky., as a candidate for COMMONWEALTH'S ATTORNEY Democratic primary, May 28

### For Circuit Clerk

**DAVID MARTIN, JR.**  
Of Hi Hat, Ky., candidate for CIRCUIT COURT CLERK Democratic primary, May 28

### For County Attorney

**JOE P. TACKETT**  
Of Prestonsburg, Ky., candidate for COUNTY ATTORNEY Democratic primary, May 28

### For County Court Clerk

**PAUL E. HAYES**  
Of Prestonsburg and Hi Hat, for COUNTY ATTORNEY Democratic primary, May 28

### For County Court Clerk

We are authorized to announce **BANNER MEADE**  
as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for COUNTY COURT CLERK I pledge to the people fair, honest, efficient and courteous service.

### For Sheriff



**DAVID B. LESLIE**  
as a candidate for Sheriff of Floyd County. Subject to the action of the Democratic Primary

We are authorized to announce **HURSHEL WARRENS**  
of Wayland, Ky., as a candidate for SHERIFF Democratic primary May 28, 1957

### TROY B. STURGILL for SHERIFF

I ask your support upon my record of performance—not empty promises.

We are authorized to announce **JOHN MAY**  
of Langley, Ky., as a candidate for SHERIFF of Floyd County Subject to the action of the Democratic Party at its May 28, 1957, primary.

### For Jailer

We are authorized to announce **CAGER SPRADLIN**  
of Brainard, Ky., as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for JAILER OF FLOYD COUNTY Primary Election May 28, 1957

We are authorized to announce **ROY COOK**  
Of Drift, Ky., as a candidate for JAILER Democratic primary, May 28

Re-Elect **PROCK HAYES**  
JAILER OF FLOYD COUNTY At the Next Democratic Primary to be held May 28, 1957

We are authorized to announce **DORA JOHNSON**  
of Wheelwright Jct., for JAILER Democratic Primary May 28, 1957 12-20-4t-pd.

We are authorized to announce **HENRY HACKWORTH**  
of Bonanza, Ky., as a candidate for JAILER Democratic Primary, May 28, 1957 12-20-13t-pd.

**ROBERT E. LAYNE**  
Of Betsy Layne, Ky., candidate for JAILER Democratic primary, May 28, 1957 1-3-4t-pd.

We are authorized to announce **HENRY SKEENS**  
of Hunter, Ky., as a candidate for JAILER Subject to the action of the Democratic party at its May, 1957, Primary. He is a member of the United Mine Workers of America. 1-3-3t-pd.

**GUY HORN**  
Of Prestonsburg, Ky., candidate for JAILER Democratic primary, May 28, 1957

**JIM HALE**  
Of Risner, Ky., candidate for JAILER OF FLOYD COUNTY Democratic primary, May 28, 1957 Lift up a Standard for the People—I will not let you Down.

We are authorized to announce **MONROE HALL**  
of Bevinville, Ky., as a candidate for JAILER Democratic primary, May 28, 1957 1-3-10t-pd.

### For Coroner:

RE-ELECT **JAMES J. CARTER**  
of Prestonsburg, Ky. CORONER OF FLOYD COUNTY Democratic primary, May 28

We are authorized to announce **RAMON CHILDERS**  
of Allen, Ky., as a candidate for CORONER of Floyd County Subject to the action of the Democratic party at its May, 1957 primary

### For Magistrate

**Hansford Honeycutt Auxier Road**  
Candidate for MAGISTRATE, District No. 1 Subject to Democratic party May Primary

We are authorized to announce **R. T. ALLEN**  
Of Prestonsburg, as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for MAGISTRATE In District No. 1 at the May primary election

We are authorized to announce **KEITH SCOTT**  
Of Garrett, Ky., as a candidate for MAGISTRATE, Dist. No. 2 Democratic primary May 28, 1957

**ELLIS MARTIN**  
of Minnie, Ky., candidate for MAGISTRATE, Dist. No. 3 Democratic Primary, May 28, 1957

**E. G. (Bob) ROBERTS**  
Of Osborne, Ky., for MAGISTRATE, District No. 4 Democratic primary, May 28 12-12-6t.

**SANFORD REFFETT**  
of Hueysville, Ky., candidate for MAGISTRATE, DIST. No. 2 Democratic Primary, May 28, 1957

We are authorized to announce **B. V. MOORE**  
of Garrett, Ky., as a candidate for MAGISTRATE District No. 2 Democratic Primary May 28, 1957

We are authorized to announce **CLUETT MESSER**  
of Estill, Ky., as a candidate for MAGISTRATE District No. 2 Democratic Primary, May 28, 1957 12-29-6t-pd.

We are authorized to announce **ZEB OUSLEY**  
of Hueysville, Ky. as a candidate for MAGISTRATE, District No. 2 Subject to the action of the Democratic Party at its May, 1957 Primary. Your support will be appreciated.

**GROVER C. HOLBROOK**  
Of West Prestonsburg, candidate for MAGISTRATE, Dist. No. 1 Democratic primary, May 28, 1957

**JOHNNIE D. CAUDILL**  
Of McDowell, Ky., candidate for MAGISTRATE, Dist. No. 3 Democratic primary, May 28, 1957 1-3-4t-pd.

We are authorized to announce **MARTIN CASE**  
of Garrett as candidate for Magistrate of District No. 2 Subject to the action of the Democratic Party at its May 28, 1957, Primary. Your support will be greatly appreciated. 8t.

**EMMIT E. CONN**  
Of Harold, Ky., for MAGISTRATE, Dist. 4 Democratic primary, May 28, 1957

**M. F. (Feele) PATTON**  
Of Eastern, Ky., candidate for MAGISTRATE, Dist. No. 2 Democratic primary, May 28, 1957 Your support and influence appreciated

**G. W. ROGERS**  
of Galveston, Ky., candidate for MAGISTRATE, Dist. No. 4 Democratic Primary, May 28, 1957.

**RUD LAWSON**  
of Garrett, Ky., candidate for MAGISTRATE, Dist. No. 2 Democratic Primary, May 28, 1957.

**W. J. SLOAN**  
of Prestonsburg, Ky., candidate for MAGISTRATE, Dist. No. 1 Democratic Primary, May 28, 1957

### For Constable:

**CORBIN JOSEPH**  
of Prestonsburg, Ky., candidate for CONSTABLE, Dist. No. 1 Democratic primary, May 28, 1957

I have never asked for public office before but at many requests from good friends, I now ask for your vote and influence in my behalf as I seek election as your Constable, Dist. No. 1. **HARRIS CAMPBELL**, Itpd. Prestonsburg, Ky.

## TO THE VOTERS OF FLOYD COUNTY

At the request and solicitation of hundreds of people from all parts of the county and after considering the matter for sometime, I have decided to become a candidate for the office of County Judge.

At this time I want to thank the people for being so good to me in the past. My being your Circuit Court Clerk for a number of years has given me the opportunity to become acquainted with the fiscal affairs and financial condition of your county and I feel that I am well qualified to give you an administration which you will be proud of in the years to come. I realize that the responsibilities of this office are great and the work will be hard, but with your help I am willing to undertake to do the things that I feel should be done for our people. It is generally known that we are in bad shape financially and that something must be done and that in order to place this county where it belongs that I cannot do it alone, but I promise you that if elected that I will seek advice from all the good people as to what should be done. I will not undertake to discuss any of the issues of the campaign at this time but I will make you this promise: That I will work diligently, honestly and untiringly to see that the Taxpayers' money is properly spent. Floyd county belongs to you and I will always be glad to discuss all matters with you as to the betterment and welfare of our county. Respectfully, **W. W. COOLEY** (Pol. Adv.)

## MASTER COMMISSIONER'S SALE FLOYD CIRCUIT COURT

Kelly Development Co. Plaintiff  
Vs.: NOTICE OF SALE  
Jefferson Boyd and Cora Boyd Defendant

By virtue of a judgment and order of sale of the Floyd Circuit Court rendered and entered at the November term, 1956, in the above styled cause I shall proceed to offer for sale at the Courthouse door in Prestonsburg, Kentucky, to the highest and best bidder, at public auction, on the 28th day of January 1957, at 10 o'clock, a.m., same being the first day of the regular term of the Floyd County Court, upon a credit of six months, the following described property, to-wit:  
Being lot No. 4, Plat No. 5, House No. 103, of the property of Kelly Development Company at Weeksbury, on Left Beaver Creek, Floyd County, Kentucky, as shown on a certain map entitled, "Map of Weeksbury, Kentucky, Sub-division of Surface Tracts," of record in File Box No. 3, Map No. 142, Floyd County records, to which reference is made for a more complete description.

Said property will be sold to satisfy a judgment against defendants in favor of the plaintiffs for the sum of \$1,051.26 with interest from Feb. 13, 1956, until paid, and the cost of this action.

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

Given under my hand, this 17th day of December, 1956.  
**J. B. CLARKE**,  
Master Commissioner  
Floyd Circuit Court  
1-10-3t. (Cost of Adv. \$16.88)

### For County Judge



**DEWEY ROBERTS**

With his experience in business and as a member of the Fiscal Court he can and will put Floyd County on a sound financial basis. Your money will be closely safeguarded and no unnecessary expenditures will be made. You can be assured that the county will get full value for every dollar that is spent. With proper business management your county can operate on a cash basis and have money in the treasury. This can be done without increase in taxes.

He realizes that the office belongs to the people and not to any individual or group of individuals. He will be on the job every day looking after your business, ready, willing and able to serve and accommodate you.

His record for building and improving roads is well known to all the people he served as magistrate. He is experienced in road building and will work diligently to get more roads built in your county.

He is a man you can talk to and one who can see you every time he meets you.

He will make you a good County Judge. Your support will be appreciated.

### ROBERTS CAMPAIGN COMMITTEE

1-10-2t.

## Department of Health Role in Civil Disaster To Be Study Subject

The roles to be played by the Kentucky State Department of Health and the 120 county health departments in case of civil disaster will be studied at state and district meetings of health workers throughout January and February.

The course will be given first to health workers from the Louisville-Jefferson County Health Department on January 3 and 4 at the State Department of Health auditorium. Harold McPheeters, M. D., Commissioner of the Department of Mental Health will speak on "The Mental Aspects of Civil Defense."

Problems of local health departments in disaster will be discussed by other State Health Department staff members. Emphasis will be placed on problems relating to water, milk and food supplies, waste disposal and the control of rodents and insects.

In addition to the initial meeting in Louisville, meetings will be held at central points in nine districts throughout the state. The meeting for this area will be held at Hazard, Feb. 5-6.

Hazard in Perry county, was named by men who served under Oliver Hazard Perry in the battle of Lake Erie.

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## Daniel Boone Name Familiar: Few Can Recount Full Story

Daniel Boone is a name recognized by all Kentuckians but it is a safe guess that few could recount much of the history of this man so important to the Commonwealth.

Boone (minus a coonskin cap — historians agree he shunned it for a black felt type) personifies the frontiersman, the fearless hunter and explorer who created the mold into which Davy Crockett, Kit Carson, Paul Bunyan and many other real and imaginary heroes were poured.

The Boone saga as studied by every school child is basically true in its broad outline and even without embellishment, it has a story-book ring.

Boone was one of 11 children born to Squire and Sarah Morgan Boone, English Quakers who lived in Pennsylvania. Daniel attended only briefly a school taught by his uncle where he acquired the bare fundamentals of an education.

From boyhood Boone acquired the ability to "think Indian," an asset he put to good use later. In 1750, the Boones moved to Virginia and then to North Carolina and in a short time Daniel was exploring the forests which spread out across the mountains to the West.

As early as 1753, Boone had explored along the line between Kentucky and Virginia and there are indications that in 1767, he entered Kentucky down the headwaters of the Levisa Fork of the Big Sandy River.

After being turned back in his first effort to move his and five other families to Kentucky, Boone met with the Cherokee Indians, in 1773, and bought land on the Kentucky River. He then undertook to carve a road from the settlements in the Yadkin River Valley, in North Carolina, through the wilderness to the Kentucky River, where he and his party erected Fort Boonesboro.

As life became more settled along the frontier, Boone was elected to represent Kentucky's Fayette county in the Virginia Legislature, in 1781. After his term expired, Boone moved to Missouri, where he died in 1820 at the age of 66.

The explorer and his wife are buried in a single grave in Frankfort cemetery, on the banks of his beloved Kentucky River.

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### Lieut.-Gov. Waterfield Pardons Knott Man, 76

Acting Governor Harry Lee Waterfield pardoned a 76-year-old cripple who has served two months of a six-month jail term for malicious shooting.

The action was taken on the last day of the year.

Dr. M. F. Kelley, Hindman, said the prisoner, Willie Bates, Kite, Ky., was suffering from heart disease and low blood pressure and further confinement might jeopardize his life.

The physician was joined in recommending release by the sheriff, jailer, and other citizens of Knott county.

Waterfield gave "full and complete pardon" and directed that Bates be released at once.

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### Technician Conley On USS Tausig

San Diego, Calif. — Burnard Conley, fire control technician third class, USN, son of Mrs. Sarah Terry, Langley, Ky., arrived at San Diego, Calif., Dec. 21, aboard the destroyer USS Tausig.

The ship completed six months' in the Far East where she operated with Task Force 77. Ports visited were Kobe and Yokosuka, Japan, and Hong Kong.

### HENRY STEPHENS FOR CIRCUIT CLERK

He has the endorsement upon the records of the Circuit Court by the state Examiner as being one of the most efficient and best clerks in the state. His record as Circuit Judge of this District is an outstanding one in the Court of Appeals of Kentucky. For honesty and efficiency, you can't go wrong when you support and vote for him. (Pol. Adv.)

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## WAIT!

Be sure you know who you are voting for in this coming election. Make it the election that will mean most to you and your county.

I have served the public for 20 years, and it means a lot to know how COUNTY COURT CLERK to treat people. I don't think I have one enemy in this county anywhere. I am the son of the late Rev. George Patrick, of Garrett, Ky., and was born at Prestonsburg and lived there for 10 years. I was raised on Beaver Creek. I am not bringing my war record in this matter, although I did spend two years overseas serving my country.

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### Report of Finances Must Be Published, Filed with Auditor

All public officers who are required to publish financial statements annually must file a copy with the Auditor of Public Accounts, State Auditor Mary Louise Foust, said this week.

The law requires all public officers entrusted with public funds to make financial statements, Miss Foust said, and to mail a copy of the published statement to be filed with the Auditor.

"Some of the public officials are not complying with this order," Miss Foust continued, "so we are setting up our files showing those who have complied with the law and those who have not."

Public officials making annual statement of collections and disbursements have within 60 days after the close of the fiscal year to publish in full their report in the county newspaper with the largest bona fide circulation. A copy of the report must be filed with the auditor's office on or before Aug. 31.

Failure to comply with these laws can result in fines not less than \$50 or more than \$500 on each count, the Auditor said.

### Prestonsburg's First Music Teacher



Prestonsburg's first music teacher was Miss Parlee Clark who taught here in the late 1880's and at other intervals a few years later. While here she stayed chiefly at the old Bonanza hotel, operated by John W. Layne, near where the residence of Attorney J. W. Howard now stands on First avenue.

Miss Clark, who came here, it is said, from Catlettsburg, was near-sighted almost to the extent of blindness but having a love for classical literature read books in Braille. Often she requested companions to read to her and one of her pupils, Mrs. Jo M. Davidson, who was then about ten years of age, remembers reading aloud for her.

The first piano in Prestonsburg, an Everett, and an Estey organ, owned by Mrs. Davidson's parents, were used by Miss Clark. The piano is now owned by Mrs. Ruth Sowards.

Miss Clark taught in Pikeville in 1891-92, according to a bulletin of Pikeville Collegiate Institute for that date.

The above picture, found in the attic of an old home being dismantled here, has on the back the legend: "C. R. Gardner's Picture Palace, Big Sandy River, Ky." The photographic salons of the pre-railway steamboats did a lucrative business due to the almost total lack of good photographers in the Big Sandy towns.

### MASTER COMMISSIONER'S SALE FLOYD CIRCUIT COURT

Kelly Development Co. Plaintiff  
Vs.: NOTICE OF SALE  
B. D. Potter and  
Mary Potter Defendant

By virtue of a judgment and order of sale of the Floyd Circuit Court rendered and entered at the November term, 1956, in the above styled cause I shall proceed to offer for sale at the Courthouse door in Prestonsburg, Kentucky, to the highest and best bidder, at public auction, on the 28th day of January 1957, at 10 o'clock, a.m., same being the first day of the regular term of the Floyd County Court, upon a credit of six months, the following described property, to-wit:

Being lot No. 23, Plat No. 1, House 160-161 of the property of Kelly Development Company, at Weeksbury, on Left Beaver Creek, Floyd county, Kentucky, as shown on a certain map entitled "Map of Weeksbury, Kentucky, Sub-Division of surface tracts" of record in File Box No. 3, Map No. 142, Floyd County Court Records, to which reference is made for a more complete description of said property.

Said property will be sold to satisfy a judgment against defendants in favor of plaintiffs for the sum of \$1,174.19 with interest from Feb. 13, 1956, until paid, and the costs of this action.

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

Given under my hand, this 17th day of December, 1956.

J. B. CLARKE,  
Master Commissioner  
Floyd Circuit Court  
1-10-3t (Cost of Adv. \$16.88)

Falmouth, known as the Island City, was first settled in 1776. The town was established in 1799 by Virginians who named it for Falmouth, Va.

### MASTER COMMISSIONER'S SALE FLOYD CIRCUIT COURT

Kelly Development Co. Plaintiff  
Vs.: NOTICE OF SALE  
Henry Deadwiler and  
Louise Deadwiler Defendant

By virtue of a judgment and order of sale of the Floyd Circuit Court rendered and entered at the November term, 1956, in the above styled cause I shall proceed to offer for sale at the Courthouse door in Prestonsburg, Kentucky, to the highest and best bidder, at public auction, on the 28th day of January 1957, at 10 o'clock, a.m., same being the first day of the regular term of the Floyd County Court, upon a credit of six months, the following described property, to-wit:

Being Lot No. 4, Plat No. 4, House 145-146, of the property of Kelly Development Company at Weeksbury, Kentucky, Floyd County, as shown on a certain map entitled "Map of Weeksbury, Kentucky, Sub-Division of surface tracts" of record in File Box No. 3, Map 142, Floyd County Court Records, to which reference is made for a more complete description.

Said property will be sold to satisfy a judgment against defendants in favor of plaintiffs for the sum of \$395.81 with interest from Feb. 13, 1956, until paid, and the cost of this action.

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

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### Our Children Can Give Us Lessons In Optimism, Curiosity, Also Logic

Our children can give us valuable lessons in optimism and a great many other things, writes Joseph Wechsberg in the January issue of Reader's Digest. In an article titled, "What We Can Learn From Children," he acknowledges his own debt to his little daughter, Poppy. She has given him curiosity, imagination and indestructible logic. On a family journey in France,

Poppy wanted to know, "Does the dog bark in French?"

"I've been giving her question a lot of thought," writes Wechsberg. "I have come to the conclusion that dogs in France do indeed bark in French."

To the attentive adult, children contribute a lot in logic and lucidity of expression. Poppy has made the Wechsbergs wary of cliches. They no longer say that their old neighbor has a foot in the grave, because Poppy has just seen him with both feet in the garden. "Monsieur Duval didn't leave town under a cloud," she retorted, "he left in his car."

In the eyes of children everything is wondrous and Wechsberg reports he and his wife have learned a great many things from Poppy. "She gives us valuable lessons," he writes, "in such things as, for example, optimism. No hotel room? Wonderful! let's camp under the trees and sleep in the drizzling rain. When a suitcase with my books and manuscripts was stolen from our car, Poppy consoled me: 'Be glad, Daddy, now you'll have to carry less.'"

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### MASTER COMMISSIONER'S SALE FLOYD CIRCUIT COURT

Kelly Development Co. — Plaintiff  
Vs.: NOTICE OF SALE  
John H. Garrison and  
Ruthea Garrison — Defendant

By virtue of a judgment and order of the Floyd Circuit Court rendered and entered at the November term, 1956, in the above styled cause I shall proceed to offer for sale at the Courthouse door in Prestonsburg, Kentucky, to the highest and best bidder, at public auction, on the 28th day of January 1957, at 10 o'clock, a.m. same being the first day of the regular term of the Floyd County Court, upon a credit of six months, the following described property, to-wit:

Being Lot No. 3, Plot No. 4, House 149-147 of the property of the Kelly Development Company at Weeksburg, on Left Beaver Creek, Floyd county, Kentucky as shown on a certain map entitled "Map of Weeksburg, Kentucky, Sub-Division of Surface Tracts", of record in File Box 3, Map 142, Floyd County Court Records, to which reference is made for a more particular description.

Said property will be sold to satisfy a judgment against defendants in favor of plaintiffs for the sum of \$460.72 with interest from Feb. 13, 1956, until paid, and the cost of this action.

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

Given under my hand, this 17th day of December, 1956.

J. B. CLARKE,  
Master Commissioner  
Floyd Circuit Court  
1-10-57. (Cost of Adv. \$16.00)

The human body's circulatory system is the world's most remarkable transportation system, reports the January Reader's Digest. It is an estimated 60,000 to 100,000 miles long, longer than any U. S. railroad, and blood circulates through the system at five quarts per minute—7200 quarts every 24 hours.

### THE STEPHENS FAMILY

#### The George W. Stephens and Margaret Handshoe Stephens Line

(This is the sixth article on the Stephens family compiled from data gathered by Henry Stephens and his son, Edgar P. Stephens.)

(In the fifth article on this family the name of Baisden Osborne was inadvertently omitted as a son of S. B. Osborne and Rhoda Osborne, and grandson of Samuel A. Stephens and Sarah Osborne Stephens. He married Mildred Stone and they are the parents of James, Paul and Ray Osborne.)

George W. Stephens, who married Margaret Handshoe July 24, 1844, lived on the Caney Fork of Middle Creek. He was a member of the Confederate armed forces, enlisting under Col. A. J. May at Prestonsburg. He was a skilled carpenter and farmer.

George and Margaret, who was called Peggy, were the parents of ten children.

Alexander L. Stephens, born July 10, 1835, died Dec. 30, 1953, married Delilah Hale, in 1859, daughter of Samuel Hale and Eda Helton Hale. They had two sons and two daughters: Henry C. Stephens, born Sept. 19, 1880, married first Julia B. Conley, July 3, 1912. She was born Jan. 27, 1891. Their two sons are Edgar P., born Oct. 14, 1914, married Rose Ranier, who died in Paintsville, and James D., born May 2, 1916, married Willette Bruner and are the parents of three children, Edgar P. and James D. both were graduated from the University of Kentucky. Henry later married Katherine Leake, April 19, 1953.

James Stephens, second son of Alexander and Delilah Hale Stephens, was born Sept. 17, 1892, married Virgie Ousley, Dec. 13, 1917. He was killed by Magistrate Robert Stone, his cousin, Feb. 11, 1931, on Spurlock Fork of Middle Creek. He had no children.

Cynthia Stephens, born in May, 1894, married R. C. (Cob) Fitzpatrick, Dec. 31, 1912. They are the parents of three children: Delilah Fitzpatrick, married Francis Oppenheimer. No children. Woodrow Fitzpatrick married Nora Tussey. They are the parents of one child, Rhoda Fitzpatrick married Harmon Tussey and they are the parents of July.

Ella Stephens, daughter of Alexander and Delilah Hale Stephens, married first Simon Haywood, Feb. 7, 1913. They were the parents of Julia Haywood who married Ad Stone and they are the parents of 11 children.

After the death of Simon Haywood his widow, Ella, remarried to Oscar Miller. They are the parents of eight children: Delilah, married Marvin Calhoun; Virginia married Leslie Wallen; Ruby married Alex Hyden; James married first Mary Collins and later to Ratliff; Nora, Henry, unmarried; William married Clevenger, granddaughter of James Clevenger of Prestonsburg; and Donald, killed in an automobile accident near Lancer.

Harrison Stephens, married Rebecca Allen, July 19, 1887. They had one daughter, who married Abe Shepherd. They are the parents of 12 children:

Ashland Shepherd married Gladys Howard; Archer Shepherd married Mary Shepherd; Arville Shepherd married Eva Shepherd; William Shepherd married Helen; Harrison Shepherd married Alene Roland; Wheeler, unmarried; Elizabeth married Ashland Shepherd; Rebecca Shepherd married Richmond Shepherd; Dona married Roy Turner; Margaret married Don Tussey; Bertha and Allie died young.

Martha Stephens married Morgan Baldrige, July 24, 1871. They had ten children. Nola Baldrige married John Stephens and they are the parents of six children: Clayborne, married Irene Patton; Mary, died young; Thelma married John Wallen; Morgan married Mary Ball and was killed in an automobile accident in California; Elsie and Linda are single.

Tom Baldrige married Bertha Pelphrey. One son is John Henry Baldrige. After the death of Bertha Baldrige her husband remarried, Lee Baldrige married Amy Frasure and had several children. Dock Baldrige married Flossie Brown. Bill Baldrige married Emma Perry. Sallie Baldrige married John Sexton. Minerva Baldrige

married John Roberts. Maggie Baldrige married Harve Porter. Della Baldrige married Clabe Roberts. Mary Baldrige married Press Triplett.

Henry Stephens, Squire, married first Fanny Hicks, July 29, 1886. They had seven children: Alexander Stephens married Emma Johnson, Nov. 23, 1904; Hiram married Della Flannery, Nov. 15, 1906 and had no children; Charles married Cynthia May, Feb. 18, 1920 and to them was born one daughter and upon the death of Cynthia, Charles remarried Catherine Weiss and they were the parents of one daughter; John C. married Lora Keathley and they had one daughter; Bob married Minnie Bradley; George married Betty Stephens; and Grace married Wm. Bradley.

Children of Alexander Stephens and Emma Johnson are: Betty married Edward Hunter; Mary married first E. J. Wright and later W. H. Bradley; Grace married Homer Ousley; Bertha married Henry Ousley; Henry married Gracie Hughes and later Maude Igoe; Joe married Minnie Bradley; William married Vergilinda Patrick; Nola married Isaac Stumbo, Dora married Jake Bradley; Julia married Joe Hunter.

Dora Stephens, daughter of Dr. Charles and Cynthia May Stephens, married Otto Elam, Johnnie B. Stephens, daughter of John C. and Lora Keathley Stephens married Carmel Osborne and later George Barnett.

Children of Bob and Minnie Bradley Stephens were: Fannie married Curtis Pitts; Ferdinand, Thelma, Claude and LeRoy.

Children of George and Betty Stephens are: Lillian, died infant; Andrew married Evelyn Akers; Virginia married James R. Belden; George married Mary Lee Harkey; and Margaret married Harold Lockwood.

One child of Grace Stephens Bradley and Wm. Bradley is Ada Bradley who married Rhomer Osborne. Ada Bradley was reared by Hiram Stephens and his wife, Della Flannery Stephens, as was Dora Stephens, daughter of Charles and Cynthia May Stephens, also Ferdinand, son of Bob Stephens and Minnie Bradley Stephens.

Henry Stephens (Squire) married second to Alice Risner and they had nine children: Jay Stephens married Stella Calhoun. No children. Albert Stephens, unmarried, William (Bill) Stephens, unmarried, killed on the Island of Luzon, in the Philippines, in World War II; Harrison Stephens married Clara Howard. One child of Harrison is Eddie. Frank Stephens married Goldie Howard and they are the parents of a daughter, Wanda; Julia married Joe Helton, are the parents of four children—Annie Grace, Hazel, Franklin D., and Lilla Mae married Curt Mosley. Lillie Stephens married E. J. Wright, who was killed on Spurlock and she remarried to Carson Hackworth and they are the parents of a daughter, Juanita. Lillie Stephens married third to Willie Salisbury.

Marie Stephens married Hobart Pitts and have two children—John K., a teacher who is single, and Alice, who married Curtis Ousley. Peggy Stephens died in infancy.

Darcus (Duck) Stephens married Daniel Wicker, Jan. 7, 1873. They were the parents of 12 children. Mark Wicker married Phoebe Keathley and their children were: Sarah married Dr. Russell L. Hall, of Wheelwright; Claude, Isaac, Carl and Edward.

Will Wicker married Minnie Tackett and their children were Bardell, Opal, Ortha Clarice, Kenneth, Orville, Cephas and Quininn.

George Wicker married Lissie Triplett and were the parents of five children: Lawrence, Kenneth, Grace, Ted and Nancy. The last two named are twins.

Cleophas Wicker married Maggie Patrick and were the parents of 15 children: Wilson married Thornsburg; Gladys married Curt Hurt; Virgil married Sylvia Bentley; Opal married Moore; Marie, Imal, Jean, Dan, Bobby, Wendell, Rondal, Ed, Curt, Bert, Willard who died infant.

### DRIFT

The Drift Woman's Club held its December meeting at the home of Mrs. C. J. Cahill. The occasion was the annual Christmas party.

Mrs. Ward Reed introduced Rev. Harold Dorsey, of the Methodist Church, Prestonsburg, who gave an interesting talk on "How Christmas Is Being Commercialized."

Mrs. William Hoffman and Miss Mary Cahill accompanied at the piano the group as carols were sung. After the program, secret pals exchanged gifts and revealed who they were.

Members, former members, and guests present were: Mesdames Bobby Hall, Ray Turner, B. A. Reed, W. L. Reed, I. E. Reed, W. M. Hoffman, C. J. Cahill, H. D. Hewlett, Joe C. Moore, Fred Cochran, G. A. Showers, Delmer Hall, Elford Tackett, Howard Sticker, Glen Ward, Lloyd Stumbo, and Miss Ruby Akers, Jackie Hall, Betty Turner, Mary Cahill and Myrtle Rakes.

A new member, Mrs. Ben Martin, was welcomed.

The next meeting will be at the Turner-Elkhorn office building Jan. 7.

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**Thursday—**  
7 p.m., Prayer meeting.  
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### To The Voters Of Floyd County:

The voters' registration books are now open and will remain open until fifty-nine (59) days before the May 28th Primary Election. When any registered voter moves from the precinct in which he is registered to a different precinct in Floyd county, the law requires that he shall make application to this office to have his voter's card transferred to the proper precinct.

If you are seventeen (17) years of age and you will become eighteen (18) before the November General Election you are eligible to register and vote in the May Primary.

Any voter whose name is changed by marriage or otherwise is required by law to re-register.

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"Happiness has to be earned," writes Arthur Gordon in a January Reader's Digest article. "It doesn't come in pills." The writer reports a certain amount of tension is an unavoidable part of living. "Parents who insulate their children from any sort of discomfort," he says, "are cheating them of the chance to acquire the flexibility and toughness they are going to need."

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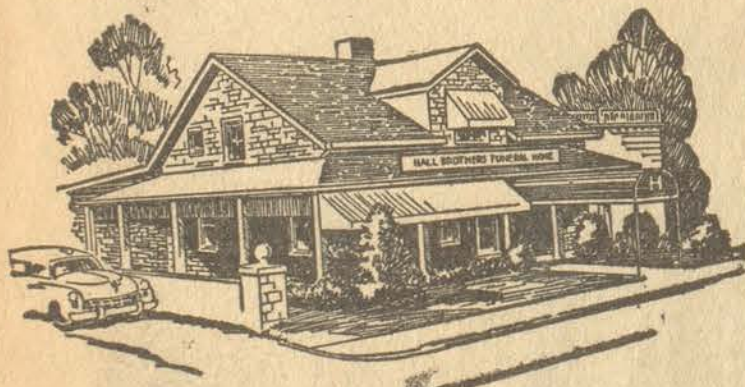
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### Schools Having Building Boom

Frankfort, Jan. 1 (Spl.) — Complete financing of the Foundation Program for Education has brought a boom in public school construction.

The additional \$20,000,000 appropriated by the 1956 Legislature for this purpose resulted in construction of 39 buildings with 436 classrooms in 27 districts, a year-end report by Dr. Robert Martin, state superintendent of public instruction, shows.

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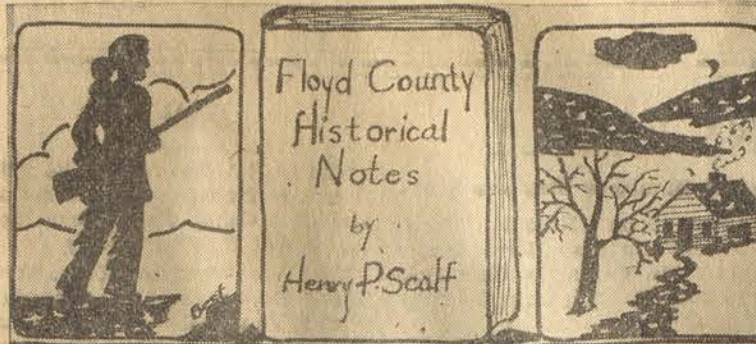
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### THE WEDDINGTON FAMILY

Jacob and Henry Weddington, of Virginia, brothers, came to the Big Sandy valley around the turn of the nineteenth century and settled in Pike county, then Floyd. William Ely, in his book, "The Big Sandy Valley," thinks they may have settled at first on Shelby Creek. Later they made homes north of the present Pikeville and on Johns Creek.

Jacob (1776-1869) died in the present Elliott county, Kentucky. The stone marking his last resting place says he was born in Shenandoah county, Virginia. He was thrice married, the name of his first wife unknown to his descendants still living in Elliott and Floyd. There is a tradition that Jacob had lived near Honaker, Russell county, Virginia, before moving to the Big Sandy. His second wife was a widow, Parthenia Davis Hunt, of Tazewell county, Virginia, and they were the parents of two sons—William and Harvey B. Weddington. After the demise of his second wife, Jacob married Catherine Dailey and they had no children.

Two known sons of his first marriage were John T. Elizabeth and James John T. Weddington, (1805-1850), if this columnist is right, married Hannah Mead and were the parents of William H. Weddington, born July 16, 1842; Jacob Weddington, who moved to Missouri; James Weddington who moved to Western Kentucky; Abigail (Abbie?) married John Meek and lived at Catlettsburg; and America Weddington who married William Ratliff.

Elizabeth Weddington married John Hargis at Pikeville, about 1823, and they moved to Jackson, Breathitt county, when that town was laid out. They were the parents of 11 children, one son being, this column is informed, Appellate Judge Thos. F. Hargis.

James Weddington, Ely says in his book, started west in 1866 and was never heard of again. It was supposed he was killed. In 1887, Ely asserted, his widow was still living in Pike county with her "two sons, Jack and Marion, with an unmarried daughter in charge."

This family background should be sufficient for the publication of an unsigned contribution to this column on the Weddington family. It was received two weeks ago. The writer seems to know what he (or she?) is talking about but since so much of it is at variance with what is accepted about the genesis of the family it is quoted here and the reader himself may be able to unravel accurately the right answers to many questions about the Weddington tree.

The writer asserts Jacob Weddington married, first, Jane Pessley, of Russell county, Virginia, and that their children were:

"Elizabeth (Betsy) married a Hargis, Jane married Thomas Hargis, June 27, 1833. These records are at Pikeville. Martha married Reuben Mead, Oct. 12, 1837. Abigail (Abby) married Jesse P. Meek, Sept. 28, 1837. Levey married Ratliff.

"James W. Sr., married Nancy Fletcher, of Tazewell county, Virginia, Nancy, born Dec. 8, 1809, died Mar. 22, 1881. They came to Kentucky about 1838, I believe. Their children were William, born Dec. 16, 1826, died June 16, 1873. Mary Jane, born Aug. 26, 1831, married Silas Westley Ratliff, John, born July 23, 1836, died June 22, 1912. Never married. James H. Jr., born Oct. 19, 1844, died June 16, 1913. Jacob, born May 8, 1820, died April 26, 1912.

### Big Water Supply Attracts Industry

Frankfort, Jan. 1 (Spl.) — Kentucky's great supply of stream water "rules out anything but optimism in making forecasts of the state's future industrial growth."

In making the prediction, Phil M. Miles, director of the maps and minerals division of the Department of Economic Development, said his basis for the outlook is expected expansion of the national economy and the recent spectacular growth of the chemical, metal and large water-using industries.

Miles said the volume of stream water in Kentucky varies greatly from a trickle in some parts of eastern Kentucky to 1400 billion gallons a day at some points on the Ohio River—but both distribution and quantity is considerably greater than found in many states.

Miles issued the statements in announcing a new Department of Economic Development publication containing flow data and other information on Kentucky streams.

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**To Change Name of Gold Coast**  
The Gold Coast will take the name of Ghana, an ancient West African Empire, when it becomes the first Negro nation in the British Commonwealth on March 6, reports the January Reader's Digest. Its prime minister, Dr. Kwame Nkrumah earned degrees at both Lincoln University and the University of Pennsylvania.

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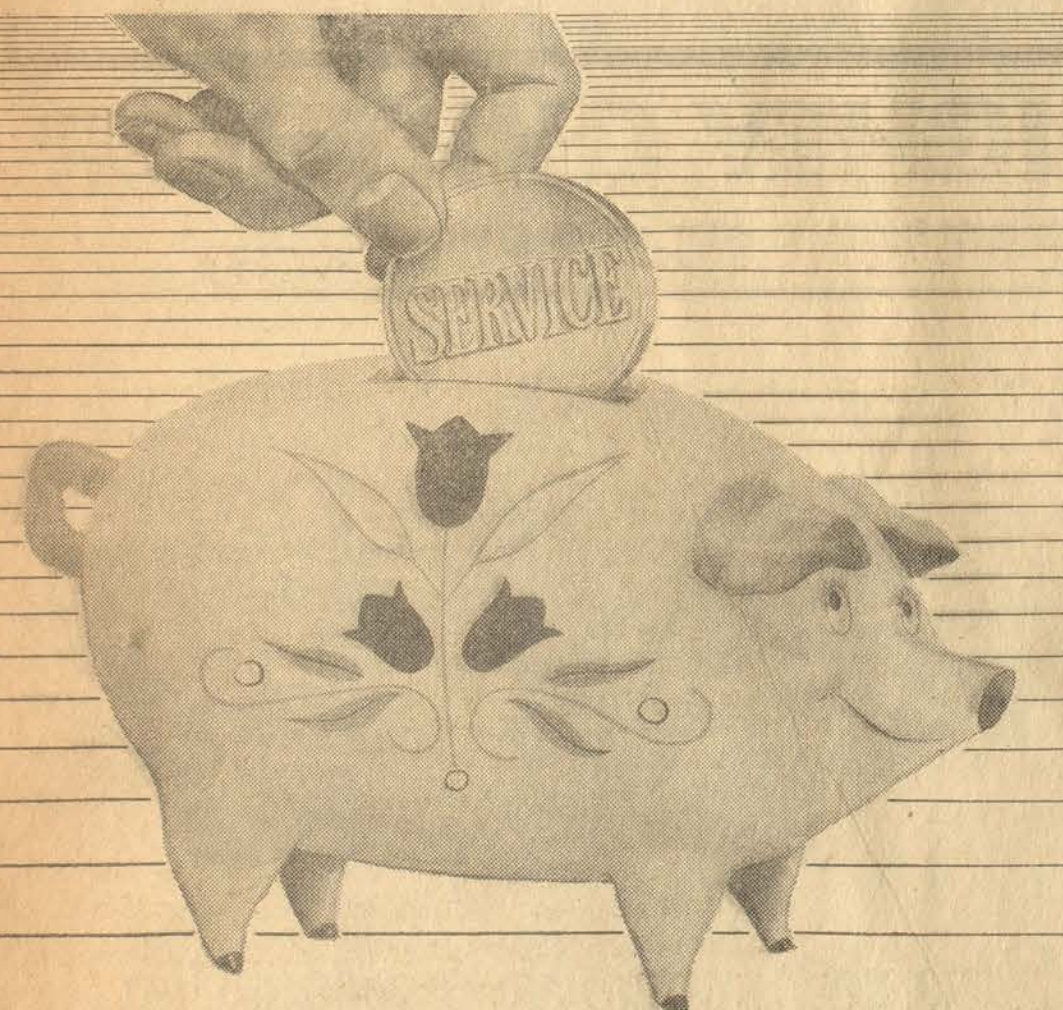
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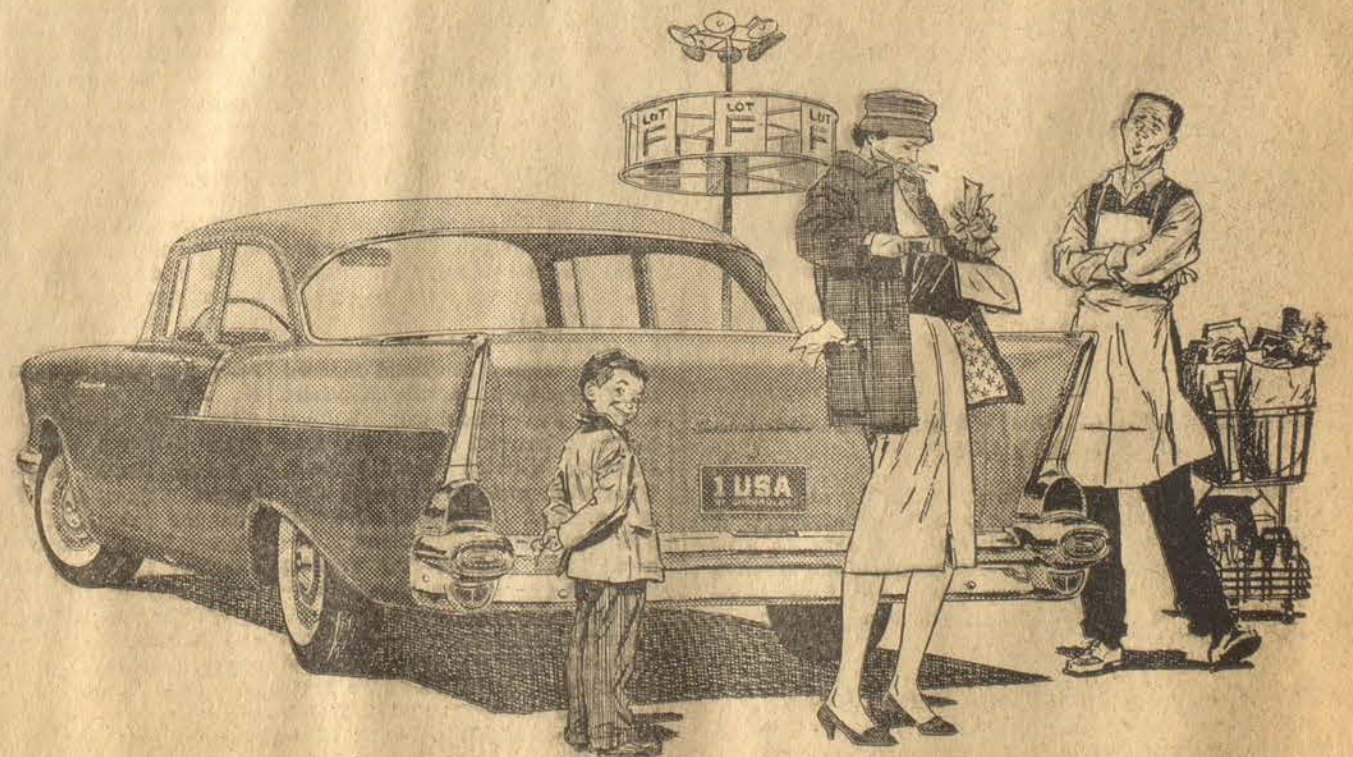
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Kelly Development Co. — Plaintiff  
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By virtue of a judgment and order of sale of the Floyd Circuit Court rendered and entered at the November term, 1956, in the above styled cause I shall proceed to offer for sale at the Courthouse door in Prestonsburg, Kentucky, to the highest and best bidder at public auction, on the 28th day of January 1957 at 10 o'clock, a.m., same being the first day of the regular term of the Floyd county Court, upon a credit of six months, the following described property, to-wit:

Being Lot No. 30, Plat No. 4, House 112, of the property of Kelly Development Company, at Weeksbury, on Left Beaver Creek, Floyd County, Kentucky as shown on a certain map entitled "Map of Weeksbury, Ky., Sub-division Surface Tracts" of record in File Box 3, Map 142, Floyd county Court Records, to which reference is made for a more complete description.

Said property will be sold to satisfy a judgment against the defendants in favor of plaintiff for the sum of \$1,096.26, with interest from Feb. 13, 1956, until paid, and the cost of this action.

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

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**Congressman Says Second Class Postage Important Help To Education In America**

"Next to the public school system itself," writes Rep. Usher L. Burdick of North Dakota in the January Reader's Digest, "second-class postage is the finest thing Congress ever did for the education of the American public. As one who believes that democracy cannot work without knowledgeable citizens, I should like to express my hope that this service will long continue unimpaired."

Mr. Burdick recalls that he learned his ABC's in the Sioux country of North Dakota from a magazine called Farm, Home and Fireside. It carried exciting stories, described new farming methods and provided tantalizing glimpses of the world beyond the horizon.

We could get a Farm, Home and Fireside subscription for 25 cents because in 1879, the year I was born, Congress cut down postage rates for magazines and newspapers so more people could afford to buy

them. Congress figured that the more the people read and learned, the better government by the people would work.

"And they were right. I finally went to college and got housebroken to books; but for me, as for most Americans, newspapers and magazines remain essential teachers. . . Many of these publications, so essential to the maintenance and growth of our freedom, simply could not exist without low second-class postage rates."

**Cotton 'Who's Who' Lists Native Prestonsburg Man**

J. Graham Powers, a director of the Western Cotton Shippers Association for the past four years, is a director and executive vice-president of the Shaw Cotton Co., Phoenix, Arizona.

A native of Prestonsburg, Mr. Powers, son of the late W. H. Powers and Nora Dingus-Powers, entered the cotton business in Timpson, Texas buying street cotton.

From 1929 to 1942 he was associate professor at Texas A. & M. College in the textile engineering department, teaching marketing. At the same time he had a FOB cotton business at Bryan, Texas, operating under the name of Powers & Armstrong.

From 1942 to 1947 Mr. Powers was with the cotton department of Dan River Mills. In June, 1947, he moved to Phoenix as representative of the Shaw Cotton Company. His wife, the former Evelyn Blair, of Timpson is a daughter of a cotton man. They have two children, Mrs. Rae Coursey and J. G. Powers, Jr., who is also in business with the Shaw Cotton Company.

Hopkinsville was incorporated in 1804 and named for Gen. Samuel Hopkins, a hero of the War 1812.

Somerset was named for the Duke of Somerset and made the seat of Pulaski county by court order in 1801.

**Baker and Doyle Upped In Power Company Ranks, Board of Directors Says.**

F. M. Baker was elected a vice-president of Kentucky Power Company, and R. E. Doyle, Jr., was elected a vice-president of Indiana & Michigan Electric Company at last Thursday's board of directors meetings of the two companies. Both companies are operating utilities of the American Gas and Electric System.

Two weeks ago, announcement was made of Mr. Baker's appointment as general manager of Kentucky Power, succeeding Mr. Doyle, who had been promoted to the post of assistant general manager of the larger Indiana & Michigan firm with headquarters in Fort Wayne, Ind.

At last Thursday's board meeting Mr. Doyle resigned as vice-president, general manager and director of Kentucky Power, and Paul D. Brooks, commercial vice-president of the American Gas and Electric Service Corporation, New York City, was elected to the vacated directorship. Mr. Brooks is also a vice-president of Kentucky Power.

All actions became effective January 1.

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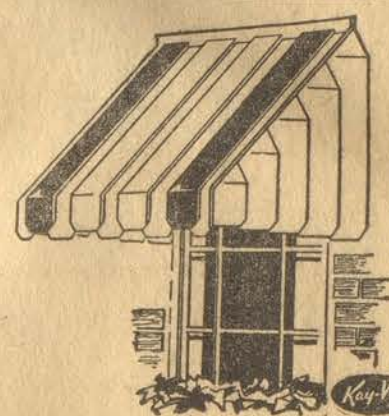
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**Capitol Notebook**

**ATTENTION, MICKY SPILLANE!**

Private Detectives are given no legal authority by the Commonwealth, says Asst. Atty. Gen. Earle V. Powell. In reply to a letter that inquired about obtaining a private detective's license, Powell wrote: "Kentucky does not license or recognize private detectives as having more right or authority than any other private individual." We can spit in a private eye's eye if he gets too nosy.

**POUR THIS MAN A JULEP**

Many sportswriters are great hunters and fishermen — with a typewriter. Others are just as skillful with rod and gun. But adept with both typewriter and sportswriter's gear is Kenedy Ludlam, who writes "Down the Stream" for the Washington, D. C., Daily News. So his recommendation of woodland and stream opportunities at Kentucky Dam Village should send many denizens of the national Capitol to the Kentucky outdoors—unless the voters dispatch them first. Ludlam devoted several of his columns recently to his cherished experiences at the Village. Said Ludlam: "The Village, operated by the State, offers the sportsman fishing and hunting beyond the dreams of avarice." And he brought back the fish and game to prove it. He also described the Village as "one of the most attractive family vacation spots I've seen."

**KERNEL OFF THE COB**

Shortly before he died, Irvin S. Cobb left some directions on how his funeral was to be conducted. He said he'd be happy to have some members of the Paducah lodge of Elks attend the last rites. He explained, "Judging by my latest visits to the basement of the Elks Club, it wouldn't do them a bit of harm if some of the habits there got out in the open air, if only a trip to the cemetery."

**BUT NO RUFFLES**

A spokesman of the State Agriculture Department reports that a boy shared the spotlight with the girls in the dress revue at the Kentucky 33rd annual 4-H Week program. He's Bill Wade Slusher, Bell County who modelled a matched coat and trousers of his own making.

**NEWSLINES**

Governor Chandler commissions Paul Hornung, Notre Dam football All-America from Louisville, a Kentucky Colonel . . . The Governor accepts invitations to preside at installation of first members of Kentucky Sports Hall of Fame at the State High School Basketball Tournament in March . . . Owensboro actor Tom Ewell has a new play on Broadway—"Tunnel of Love" . . . Reorganization of State Highway Department will be effective Jan. 1 . . . Highway Department announces that radio station WHTN, Huntington, is carrying daily eastern Kentucky road condition reports.

**RECOLLECTIONS**

I recall having to go to the smokehouse on cold mornings to draw some sorghum molasses from a barrel. The cold molasses flowed so slowly that I would leave the jug under the tap several hours before it filled.—Beulah Love, Ashland.

I recall hearing my grandfather tell of his grandfather working at the Red River Iron Works at Clay City where they made cannon balls used in the War of 1812.—A.S.K., Winchester.

I recall gathering ginseng roots in Breathitt county and trading it at the store for calico, salt and coffee. The herb was dried and shipped to China, where it was used as medicine.—Ben Roberts, Louisville.

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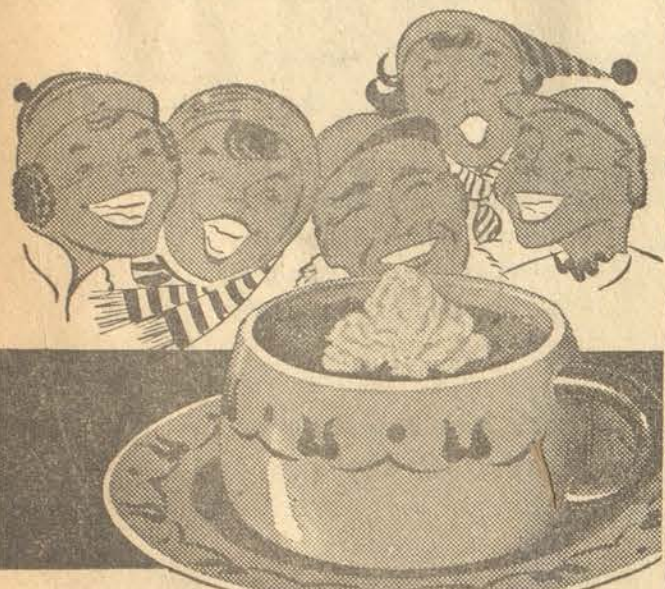
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Maytown Church Scene Of Dec. 29th Wedding

Mr. and Mrs. Henry L. May, of Langley, Ky., announce the marriage of their daughter, Elizabeth Allison, to Mr. Roy M. May, son of Mr. and Mrs. John May, of Langley, on Saturday, December 29, at 8 p.m., at the Maytown Methodist Church.

The Rev. H. M. Wiley, pastor of the church, performed the double-ring ceremony. Attendants were Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Martin, of Eastern, Ky.

Mrs. May is a graduate of the Good Samaritan hospital School of Nursing, Lexington, Ky., and is now employed at the McDowell Memorial hospital. Mr. May is employed on construction of the Kentucky Hydrocarbon Company plant at Maytown.

The young couple are at home to their friends at Maytown.

SUDAN GRASS SEED

The 1956 crop of sudan grass seed is about 43 percent below last year's record crop, but about one-third larger than the average.

Engagement Announced

Cephas Wicker married Zonie Keathley, had one son, William.

Cynthia Wicker married Calloway Chaffins and were the parents of eight children; Valice married Lizzie Hall; Cornelius married Vernie Martin; Grover and Robert died young; Alpha, unmarried; Pharis married Madge Napier; Johnny married Nora Terry; and Julius, unmarried.

Mary Wicker married Coge Parsons. Seven children are Calvin, Pierce, Ora, Alice, Kelse, Belle, and Imogene.

Mousie Wicker died infant.

Myrtle Wicker married Elihu Triplett. Seven children are: Marie married Mickie Hicks; Irene married Ernest Stiles; Arnold married Betty Brown; Ivory, Clyde, Paul and Phil are single.

Ora Wicker married Ballard Hicks. Seven children are: Huey married Margaret Wicker, Sally Smith, and Adis Bolen, Beulah married Elliott Wicker and later Birt Nickles, Flossie married John Wicker, Lucy married Clifton Moore, Dorcie married Allen Hicks and later Feeley Patton. Curtis married Hattie Knox. Ballard married Jacqueline Prater.

Julia Wicker married Robert Martin and are parents of four children: Annie married Dave Wicker; Perry married Genevieve Parker; Harry married Lora Sparkman; Bernie married Gladys Parker.

Virgie Wicker married Robert Wicker and are parents of seven children: Colie died young; Minnie married Curt Triplett; Hager married Mabel Watts; Flossie married Quentin Quirkhill; Elmer married Gamble; Henry and Mitchell.

Florence (Sissy) Stephens married Jim Bradley, Dec. 25, 1957. They had nine children: Harris married Rhoda Flannery and were the parents of ten children; Eva married Taylor Prater, Bertha married Claude Allen, Dona married Willard Ballard, Ada married Clyde Allen, Adam married Ressie Patton, Will married Marie Salsbury, Margaret married Ray Edward; Ora J. married Joe Vargo, Ludy married Roger Stevens.

Hiram Bradley married Florence Stephens and had nine children: James died young; Minnie married Arlie Nabit and later Paul Pope; Cynthia married Elbertson Bentley; Taylor married Dora Howard; Joe married Pearl Stephens; Charles married Martha Frasure, Eli married Dollie Castle; Nola married Willie Bentley; and Clint married Grace Allen.

Samuel Bradley married Dora Ousley. One child was Annie, married Goble Wireman.

Sarah Bradley married Bill Shepherd and are the parents of five children: Katherine married Beecher Shepherd; Betty married John Allen; Oliver, Claude and Bertha.

Mousie Bradley married Lee Risner. Nine children are Harris, never married; Manis married Clara Adkins; Jim married Melba Prater; Opal married Claude Sturgill; Eva married Gordon Tussey; Rhoda married Cephas Ousley; Josie married Leonard Ousley; Lorene, not married; McIntyre married Virginia Adkins. Poppy Bradley married A. L. (Hall) Flannery. Ten children were Felix married Hazel Sammons; Nora married Robert Barnett; Tavis married Bertha Clik; Maude married Linville Higgins; John married Elizabeth Barnett; Phillip married Della Parriott; Robert married Myrtle Prazier; Nola; Annie married Kelly Dingus; one died infant.

Lula, Elias and James Bradley died young.

Minerva Stephens married Alexander Hamilton. They had six children. Mary married Gnat Anderson and had seven children: Alex married Osborne; Carrie, not married; Arthur married Irene Keel; John married Bess DeRossette; Jarvis, not married; Dora married Bennie Hurd; Rhoda married Levi Ousley.

Aggie Hamilton married Morgan Allen. Five children are Lizzie, married Ike Bradley; Tilden married Cynthia Prater; Norman; Ocie, married in Ohio; Ella married Grover England.

Rhoda Hamilton married George Skeans. They had nine children. Minerva married Wm. Reffett; Aggie married John Hayes; Elizabeth married Earl Wright; Mary married Homer Ousley; Taylor married Callie DeRossette; Jonathan married Blanton, Boyd county; Julia D. married Samuel Potter; William and Beverly died young. Cynthia Hamilton married Nelson Hale. No children.

Stephen Hamilton married Minerva Fitzpatrick. Five children were Stephen married Sarah Thornsbury; Bennie married Maggie Miller; Annie married Ira Brookover; Cynthia married Oran Huddleston and upon her death he married Julia Hamilton.

Tandy (Tan) married Phoebe Hyden. One child is Alex, married Virgie Poe.

(The George W. Stephens and Margaret (Peggy) Handshoe Stephens line will be completed in the next issue.) (11.)

MAYTOWN



Mrs. Vina Beverly, of Plano, Ill., formerly of Drift, announces the engagement of her daughter, Helene, to Clifford Joseph Porter, son of Mrs. Vern Kiser, of 38 Talma St., Aurora, Illinois. No date has been set for the wedding.

Congratulations to our young people who were married during the month of December. They are: Mary Alice Hicks, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Hicks, and Ray Fraley, of Drift; Paul Francis May, son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry May, and Octavia Ann Stratton, of Betsy Layne; Betty May, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry L. May, and Roy M. May, son of Mr. and Mrs. John May.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Hopkins have moved to Eastern.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Jones are the parents of a son born December 19 at the McDowell hospital. The babe has been named Thomas Jeffrey.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Sutton have returned from Nitro, W. Va., where they were visiting their daughter, Mrs. Theodore Snoddy, and family.

Miss Clara Beth McGlone and Mary Francis Spencer, of Smokey Valley, spent the holidays with Mrs. George Patton and Mrs. Elizabeth Allen and families.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy May have moved into the new house of Edgar May.

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Is your life being ruined by PAIN due to Arthritis—Rheumatism, Sciatica, Lumbago, Neuritis or Neuralgia? Then READ, and LEARN the TRUTH BELIEVE us, you can QUICKLY relieve agonizing suffering now. Modern "wonder-tablet" AR-PAN-EX, efficient because of 7 PROVEN ingredients, SPEEDS to deeply entrenched pain—then like a miracle from heaven, soothes most stiffness of joints and muscular aches. We wish you could listen to the thousands who TRIED EVERYTHING without results and lost FAITH—only to find, to their great joy that amazing AR-PAN-EX was what we claim—a positive and definite ally of most

pain. It WILL do that—or YOUR MONEY BACK!  
If you have found some FAITH and HOPE... read further. We tell you that AR-PAN-EX has been hailed by many as a new wonder of science—known as the best specific for arthritic pain. It QUICKLY eases most suffering, builds energy and resistance, tones the system, soothes the stomach and brings a YOUTHFUL buoyant feeling.  
If you fail to use AR-PAN-EX you only have yourself to blame for suffering. Don't be a slave to DOUBT. Read, mark and learn the TRUTH... relieve SUFFERING now. You owe it to yourself and your loved ones.

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if your husband had to do this today...



...guess what he'd do tomorrow!

- If your husband had to take down the family wash every time it rains — and then put it all back up — he'd soon buy an electric clothes dryer!
- Since things don't work that way, why not explain your problem to him? Maybe he hasn't even thought about it!
- explain... how heavy wet clothes are, and how you have to wrestle them out to the clothesline, basketload after basketload... week after week... month after month.
- explain... how your back aches after you hang out the wash... bend and straighten... bend and straighten... over and over and over again.
- explain... the nuisance of keeping up with clothespins, wiping clotheslines clean and tightening them when they sag.
- explain... how much smoother and fluffier each piece is when it comes from the dryer... that some pieces such as towels don't even have to be ironed, and all can be ironed without sprinkling.
- If you do, chances are you'll soon own a bright new electric clothes dryer. And he'll be just as proud as you when that clothesline comes down, to tell the world that your family is modern — Living Better Electrically!

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"Earthy" Story About Hogs Wins Lie Champ

Burlington, Wis. — An "earthy" story of hogs who were doomed to death by sticky soil today won Albert B. Hopkins, of Madison, Wis., the title of World Champion Liar of 1956.

The Burlington Lairs' Club selected Hopkins' tale of hogs' tails from a collection of varied fabrications in its annual contest.

Hopkins, a 49-year-old electroplater, won the club's "gold plated diamond studded" medal for relating:

"Out in South Dakota they have a clay-like soil they call gumbo. The gumbo roads are smooth and hard as glass when dry, but when wet the gumbo balls up under the fenders until it locks the wheels on a car.

"Last year, during a wet spell, a farmer's hogs got a little ball of gumbo on their tails. As they walked around it got bigger and bigger until the weight of it pulled their skin back so tight they could not get their eyes shut—and they died from lack of sleep."

Five milligrams of stilbestrol fed daily to steers wintering on roughage primarily, was no particular help in gains, the USDA reports.

COWS AND TEMPERATURE

Dairy cows on a low-fiber diet are less affected by high temperatures than those on a high-fiber diet, research showed recently.

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