

## This Town— That World

We mourn the passing of another institution. They've started making nail kegs out of cardboard boxes.

Maybe if they would put filter tips at both ends of cigarettes some of us ignoramuses would quit.

### VACATION BLUES

Man is on vacation when he quits the even tenor of his ways, leaves the old stamping ground, parts with at least the better part of his faculties and takes off as if pursued by both sheriff and devil.

Now the sun that he has been dodging all summer long can't beam too brightly. He soaks himself in sundry unguents and ventures forth, bent on making racial integration easy by tanning his hide to a dark brown. His wife helps along in this project by doing likewise and kinking her hair while her colored sister seeks bleaching preparations for her skin and lotions to straighten her hair.

Maybe Congress shouldn't be in a rush about solving the race problem and should go on vacation. If it will give every man, woman and child enough time in the sun and the proper lotions, we won't be able to segregate by sight in another generation or so, anyhow.

That might be the peaceable way of going about this matter, but a recent experience causes me to add that it couldn't be called the least painful.

### STUDY IN CONTRASTS

A full moon apparently emerging, dripping wet, from the ocean; laurel in bloom among the rocks in mountain gorges; a lake venturing long, graceful fingers up into clefts in the hills; cloud shadows racing across a mountainside; crepe myrtle standing out as beautifully distinctive as a redbird in the snow. . . . People walking, walking, tired, walking the old treadmill; knobby knees, hairy legs, more knobby knees, sharp shank—men in Bermuda shorts. . . . Well, anyway, I caught up on my reading. For anybody who likes the outdoors I recommend "The Sound of Music" as the best of the episodes wherein the max. gorges.

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## AUTO WRECK CLAIMS HALL

### Former Floyd Man Dies, Father Injured in Ohio; Funeral Is Held at Amba

Joe Hall, 23 years old, former Floyd county, was fatally injured and his father, Stallard Hall, suffered minor hurts in the wreck of their auto at Clyde, O., July 3.

The younger Hall died July 7 at Memorial hospital, Sandusky, Ohio. Details of the tragedy were not learned.

The Halls resided at Clyde, O., where Joe Hall was employed by the RCA Whirlpool Corporation. He is survived by his father, his mother, Mrs. Minda Hall, his widow, Mrs. Georgia Ann Howell Hall, two children, Betty Jo and Janelle, two brothers and two sisters, Clewis Hall, Clyde, O., Charles Donald Hall, Frankfurt, Germany, Katherine and Brenda Joyce Hall, both of Clyde.

The body was returned to this county, and funeral rites were conducted last Wednesday from the home of Mrs. Lizzie Adkins at Amba, and burial was made there in the family cemetery, the Hall Brothers Funeral Home directing.

## Court House Happenings

### SUITS FILED

Oralee Wireman vs. General Motors Acceptance Corp., R. S. Wellman, atty. Clarence King, et al. Merion Derossett, et al.; W. A. Johnson, atty. Dorothy Little, et al. vs. Larry Jack Little, et al.; R. S. Wellman, atty. Bill Johnson vs. Menda Johnson; W. W. Burchett, atty. The Bank Josephine vs. Shelly Patrick, et al. Emma Goble Well Roe, et al. John W. Rose, et al. Columbus Compton, et al. (four separate cases); Joe Hobson, atty. Mae Stanley vs. Herbert B. Stanley; Burnis Martin, atty. Lila P. Ousley vs. Richard E. Ousley; Hollie Conley, atty. R. L. Hall & Sons vs. John Hobson; Hollie Conley, atty. Marjorie Bailey Pruitt vs. Ernest Pruitt; Chas E. Lowe, atty. Wilburn Conn vs. Charlene Conn; Joe Hobson, atty.

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## CONTEST CASE APPEAL TO WAIT COURT ACTION

### COURT RULING ON INJUNCTION FIRST SOUGHT

#### Meade Denies That Fear Felt Bond Came Too Late For High Court Ruling

With his contest of the absentee balloting in the recent primary election dismissed in circuit court here, A. B. Meade said at his home here Tuesday that an appeal from that decision is planned but that it will not be filed until the Court of Appeals rules on his appeal from the dismissal of his injunction suit which was filed after the election to prevent counting of the absentee ballots.

The appeal from the order of Special Judge M. J. See, of Louisa, dismissing the injunction action was filed Monday of last week, two days before the arrival here of Special Judge J. B. Johnson, of Harlan, to hear the contest case.

Mr. Meade said he has executed appeal bond in the contest case decision. Asked if there is a possibility that he may have executed appeal bond too late in both the injunction and contest appeals, Meade said his lawyers have assured him he made bond in the time required by law.

A supersedeas bond in a contest appeal must be filed not later than

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## PAYROLL NEAR \$20 MILLION

### For '56 in Floyd County As 'Covered' Wages Rise, Department Figures Say

Floyd county employers covered by unemployment insurance paid total wages of \$19,834,586 last year, for an increase of 2.9 percent over the preceding year, according to a report of the state Department of Economic Security released this week.

Employees in the Prestonsburg district, consisting of Floyd, Martin, Johnson and Magoffin counties, were paid a total of \$24,916,534, or an increase of 4.5 percent over the 1955 payroll. Johnson county's industrial wage payment figure was set at \$3,586,335, and Martin county paid a total of \$725,222. The lowest wage payment by either of the four counties in the Prestonsburg district was Magoffin, which paid \$743,391. This total wage payments in Floyd county accounted for all of the 24 million-plus payroll except \$5,081,948, or about four times all the other counties combined.

Pike county itself, though, exceeded the combined Prestonsburg district figure. Its total wage payments under unemployment insurance coverage was \$29,671,266. Harlan county had the highest in the Eastern part of the state, the total wages paid being \$44,744,678. Harlan's percentage increase was 22.5 percent. Leslie county, up and coming in coal production, paid wages of only \$4,309,583 but this was a boom increase of 57.3 percent over the preceding year.

It is the average weekly wage payments over the state that show a wide disparity on individual earnings. Marshall county had a weekly

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## Former Floyd Countian, Mrs. Bertha Rhodes, Dies Of Cerebral Hemorrhage

Mrs. Bertha Sexton Rhodes, wife of H. W. Rhodes, San Diego, Calif., died last Thursday, 24 hours after suffering a cerebral hemorrhage.

A daughter of M. C. Sexton, of Estill, she was a native of this county. Other survivors are a son, Raymond Hale Rhodes, of the U. S. Navy, two daughters, Mrs. Alice Casten, of Guam, and Miss Carolyn Rhodes, San Diego; four brothers and two sisters, Thomas and Bill Sexton, Mrs. Marie Armstrong and Mrs. Elizabeth S. Hayes, all of Los Angeles, California, Floyd D. Sexton, Charleston, W. Va., and Raymond Sexton, Adolphus, Ky.

Mrs. Rhodes at one time taught in the Floyd county school system, and is remembered here by many relatives and friends.

## BOARD HIRES 70 TEACHERS

### Total of 459 Employed For Schools of County; Term To Begin, Monday

Seventy additional Floyd county teachers were employed at the recent regular Board of Education meeting, it was announced this week. The first group of 388 was employed sometime ago.

Rural schools will open July 22, but consolidated schools will not begin their terms till August 30, the superintendent's office announces. The forenoon session will be devoted to registration and organization and the pupils will be dismissed at noon. A teachers' meet will be held at Martin in the afternoon.

Many of the teachers employed this week are already certified, it was noted, but several remain to get their certificates on file. Superintendent V. O. Turner urged this week that this matter of certification be attended to at once.

Names of the recently employed teachers follow:

Big Branch, Mary Alice Wright;

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### Wanted

Correspondents in Wayland, Garrett, Betsy Layne, and Wheelwright. The Times is interested in contacting in each of these communities a person who will serve as a news correspondent. Social events, everything of interest in your community, is the type of news we want. If interested, write us for details.

## Camp Chatterawha Open With High Attendance; Last Period Starts Soon

Camp Chatterawha, Sandy Valley Girl Scout Council camp located on Dewey Lake, is now going on with 50 girls in Camp Mrs. Zella Archer, Scout executive and camp director, has announced that there are a few vacancies for the third and fourth weeks of camp. The second period opened July 14. The camp is open to any girl between the ages of 10 and 17 years of age whether or not she is a registered Girl Scout although the fee is slightly higher

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## SCOUTS VISIT DEWEY CAMP

### Jamboree-Bound Group Stops at Camp Shawnee; Two to Go to England

Kentucky and Virginia boy scouts, heading for the 10-day outdoor National Scout Jamboree at Valley Forge, Pa., decided to get in some outdoor-life practice along the way.

The 36 boys and three scout leaders pitched tents the first night at Camp Shawnee, Dewey Lake.

The scouts, ranging in age from 12 to 17, are one of two groups representing the Lonesome Pine Council, which encompasses 10 Eastern Kentucky and five Western Virginia counties.

The two groups, traveling in buses, met at High Knob, Va., and bivouaced the second night at Roanoke, Va. During the two practice camps, the scouts also had to cook their own food.

But they didn't cook potatoes, rolled in mud, in the ashes of a wood fire. Keeping abreast of the times, they cooked their food in metal foil over portable charcoal grills.

Two of the scouts, at the close of the Valley Forge encampment, will go on to England, where they will attend the international Jubilee Jamboree August 1 to 12 at Sutton Park, Warwickshire.

The Jubilee Jamboree will commemorate the 100th anniversary of the birth of Lord Baden-Powell, founder of the boy-scout movement, and the 50th anniversary of scouting.

Heading for England will be Michael Leedy, Hazard, and E. M. Bane, Jr., Grundy, Va. Both are eagle scouts.

Leaders accompanying the scouts to Valley Forge are Arthur Crump and Sam Reed, Pikeville, and Bill Combs, Wheelwright. Crump is a clothing-store manager, Reed is principal of the Perry A. Cline School and Combs is a coal miner.

## Mrs. John G. McNeil, Sr., Former County Resident, Is Victim In Cincinnati

Mrs. John C. McNeil, Sr., of Bowling Green, formerly of Wheelwright, died Tuesday in a Cincinnati hospital, it was learned here Wednesday. Cause of death was not learned.

Survivors include her husband, a member of the auditing department of the Inland Steel Company at Wheelwright for years, three sons, John C. McNeil, Jr., Wheelwright, Gene and Walter McNeil, Pikeville, R. S. Yarnes McNeil, Williamson, Swack, and Mrs. Creed Oney, of Bowling Green.

## COMMITTEE APPROVES FUNDS FOR RESERVOIR

### Farm Family Field Day Slated July 31 in Allen At Virgil Smith Farm

The Farm Family Field Day scheduled on the farm of Virgil Smith at Allen, July 31, promises to be one of the agricultural highlights of the farm program for some time, it was noted this week. Three specialists from the University of Kentucky, W. W. (Tubby) Magill, R. C. Miller and Harold Miller, will attend, it was said.

A home economist of the Kentucky Power Company will demonstrate lighting and a flower arranging artist will demonstrate the artistry of that work. Highlights of the farm tour will be inspection of the sheep flock, pastures, alfalfa field, strawberry plot, garden, turkey flock, chickens, and sheep barns. Judging will include sheep, seed identification, canned goods and flowers.

The meet is an annual affair promoted by the Farm Advisory committee of the local Extension Service. It will begin at 9:30 a.m.

## KNIFE FIGHT INJURES ONE

### Gibson in County Jail After Brother-in-Law Is Seriously Slashed

Fred Gibson remained in jail here Tuesday, three days after his arrest on a charge of cutting and wounding his brother-in-law, Ralph Martin, as the result of an altercation between the two on Stumbo Hollow, near McDowell.

Martin, who was seriously wounded, is expected to recover. He is at the UMW Memorial hospital, McDowell.

Suffering from knife wounds and recuperating in jail is Otto Horn, of West Prestonsburg. Horn bore when he entered jail, chest slashes which required 32 stitches to close. He was jailed on a capias Horn did not name his assailant. He told jail attendants three men leaped from a freight train and assaulted him. Declining hospital treatment, Horn said penicillin would take care of his wounds.

Howard Hicks, who was jailed with Clester Hall July 6 on a robbery charge, was still in jail Tuesday in default of \$1,000 bond. Hall executed bond in that amount and was released. The two allegedly

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## SENATE GROUP ASKS \$140,000 FOR PLANNING

### Cooper Hails Decision To Include Big Sandy Work in 18 Projects

"Full-scale flood control and river development in Kentucky has moved another big step ahead," Senator John Sherman Cooper (R-Ky.) declared last week as the full Senate Appropriations Committee approved subcommittee recommendations totaling over \$40 million for planning and construction of 18 projects on Kentucky rivers during fiscal year 1958.

Included in the recommendation was an appropriation of \$140,000 for advance engineering and planning of the Pound reservoir on the Big Sandy river. No recommendation was made for the proposed Fishtrap reservoir in Pike county.

Senator Cooper expressed particular pleasure that the Committee accepted three Kentucky projects not included in the House-passed public works appropriations measure — projects which were added to the bill following personal testimony and a series of strong appeals by Senator Cooper.

Other recommendations of the Senate committee affecting Eastern Kentucky were \$2,000,000 for the construction of the Catlettsburg floodwall; \$13,500,000 for construction work on the Greempool lock and dams, \$1,900,000 for construction of Buckhorn Reservoir; \$30,000 for examination and survey of Little Sandy River and Tygart's Creek; \$54,500 for survey of the Kentucky River, and \$19,800 for survey of the Laurel River. The remainder of the \$40 million dollars recommended was for Western Kentucky and Ohio River projects.

## VALLEY COAL SHOWS GAINS

### Production Gains 6.05% In First Half of Year As National Total Less

Coal production in both the big Sandy and Hazard fields in the first half of 1957 showed an increase over production for the corresponding period last year, according to association figures released today.

Big Sandy production was up 6.05 per cent, while Hazard production was up 2.6 per cent.

The Big Sandy field produced 7,309,780 tons for the first half as compared with 6,892,400 tons mined during the same period of 1956. This was 2.92 per cent of the total United States production up to June 29. For the corresponding period last year, the field produced 2.71 per cent of the nation's coal.

The Hazard field produced 4,578,700 tons up to June 29. For the corresponding period of 1956, the total was 4,463,950 tons. For the first half of this year, Hazard produced 1.83 per cent of the nation's total. During the corresponding period last year the Hazard field had produced 1.76 per cent of the national total.

Production in the entire country for the first half of this year was 249,919,000 tons, as compared with 253,899,000 tons for the first half of 1956, according to estimates by the National Coal Association and the U. S. Bureau of Mines.

This is a decrease of 1.6 per cent from the national total for the first half of 1956.

Big Sandy coal production is up despite the fact that there has been a falling off in the consumption of metallurgical and industrial coals nationally. A large part of Big Sandy coal is classed as metallurgical, or coking coal.

The Big Sandy field would have

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## Mr. Howard's Funeral To Be Held Saturday

Funeral of F. P. "Chick" Howard, well-known Prestonsburg man, who died at 10 p.m., Wednesday at the Prestonsburg General hospital, will be held at 10 a.m., Saturday from the First Presbyterian Church here. Mr. Howard died of a stroke which he suffered at his home last Sunday.

## REVOLUTIONARY DEVICE FOR COAL MINING SEEN

### Martin Man, Inventor, and Others Charter Firm To Produce Machine Designed for "Peeling Off" Coal

With the incorporation of the Termit Mining Machine Company recently it was learned that the manufacture of a new type of mining machine is envisioned by its inventor, John Henry Osborne, of Martin. Articles of incorporation were filed with the Secretary of State, listing incorporators as inventor and his two brothers, R. E. and James W. Osborne.

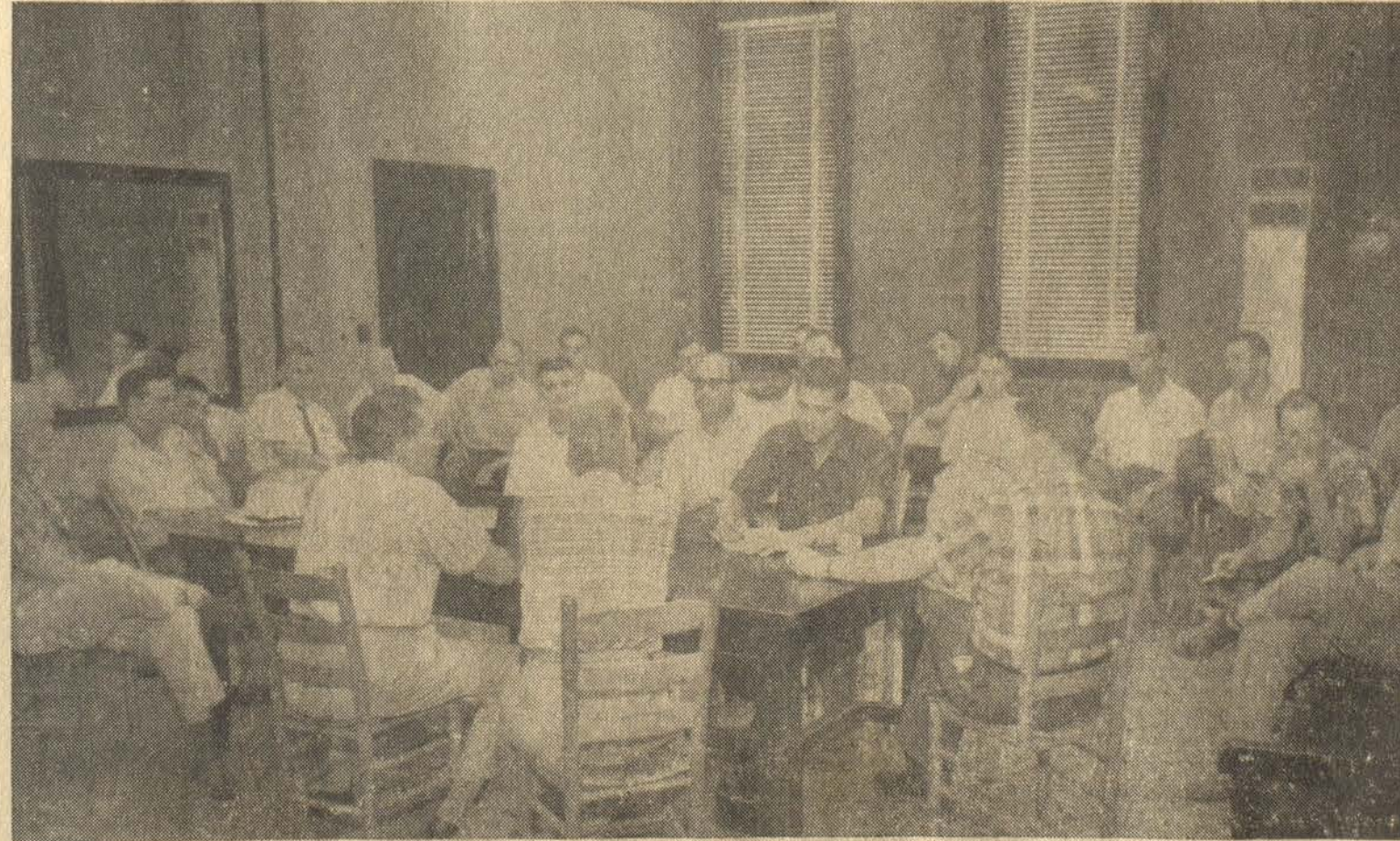
The new machine, of which a model now is being demonstrated, doesn't cut, bore or claw the coal from the face of the seam. It "peels it off," to quote Osborne. It will cost much less than conventional cutting machines and require only one man to operate. It will work efficiently in seams as low as 18 inches and to any height, Osborne claims.

The small model, powered by a one-horsepower motor, at a demonstration "peeled" of two tons of coal per hour. A full-size model now under construction will have 30 h.p. and it is thought it will produce 100 to 150 tons per hour. Osborne points out that the machine is adjustable to any size "room" in the mines, from the small ones of around 15 feet where had top exists to the bigger rooms of 30 feet with good top conditions.

Osborne says he got the idea for the invention, for which he has applied for a patent, while working in the war-time shipyards. It works on the jackhammer principal and the parts of which it will be manufactured are already on the market. He began experimentation in late 1955 and completed the actual model early this year.

Stock in the Termit Mining Machine Company was being subscribed this week and over 50 percent of the first issue of 800 shares were taken, it was said by Marshall Davidson, attorney for the company. The articles of incorporation designate the manufacture and selling of the machines to be its principal business.

## WSAZ-TV TO OFFER SALUTE TO PRESTONSBURG



Prestonsburg and David citizens shown in first planning meeting for WSAZ-TV "Salute to Prestonsburg". The meeting was held Friday night at the Municipal building. Mayor Harry Sandige and Marvin Music, chairman of the local group, are at center with backs to camera.

Huntington WSAZ-TV will present a "Salute to Prestonsburg" on "Current", a program scheduled August 7 from noon to 1 p.m., Mayor Harry Sandige said this week.

Marvin Music, leader of the group preparing information for the WSAZ group, said the hour is aimed at both bettering the public relations of the Huntington station and better informing neighboring towns about Prestonsburg.

Music commented that it gave Prestonsburg men a wonderful chance to sell Prestonsburg to other people. He said, "What other opportunity would we have to get an entire hour free on a television station? The cost would be tremendous if we were paying for it while making an effort to publicize our town. We must make the most of this program."

A tentative outline of the program, sent to the Prestonsburg group, includes: (1) short history, (2) Farmer Click interview with County Agent Bob Jones, (3) an eye-witness review of early Prestonsburg by a resident who has seen its development, (4) new residents, why they have moved to Prestonsburg, and their impressions, (5) civic clubs, their pet projects,

(6) industry, present and future (7) local news, (8) youth, what the city is doing for youth, (9) report on the city.

Music said that Ned Brooks and two assistants were in Prestonsburg Wednesday of this week to explain the program procedure.

Shooting of Prestonsburg scenes is scheduled sometime in the next two weeks, Music said.

## AREA LIBRARY CENTER ASKED

### Prestonsburg Considered Certain Choice; Second Driver-Librarian Hired

The Floyd County Library Board has filed formal application for the regional library serving a five-county area to be located in Prestonsburg, it was announced here this week.

The application is expected to be accepted, since all five counties expected to take part in the regional library program have indicated the library headquarters should be located here.

County Superintendent Virgil O. Turner said that if the application is approved the library headquarters will be established in the old high school building here. There a central library would feed out books to Bookmobiles operating in individual counties.

The counties expected to participate in the program are Morgan, Magoffin, Johnson, Martin and Floyd.

The Floyd Library Board at a recent meeting employed Homer Hall, of McDowell, as driver-librarian of the second Bookmobile acquired by this county. His work will begin August 1. Mr. Hall, who recently completed his Army service, is a college graduate and formerly taught at McDowell.

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Betty Jean Rowe, Marvin Eugene Music and Glenn Anderson will attend the Westminster Fellowship Training School at Centre College, Danville, this week. They are representing Area V at this school.

MINISTER STRICKEN

The Rev. Paul Bingham, pastor of the Presbyterian Church here, was stricken ill Wednesday noon at the B. & W. Cafe where a church group was meeting. He was taken to the Prestonsburg General hospital.

RARE VISITOR

Surrey, B. C. — A shorttailed albatross landed on the beach here, but died of exhaustion. Game Warden Ernie Taylor said it was the first of its type sighted in British Columbia since 1918. The bird apparently was blown by heavy winds from the Bering Strait area.

HOME FROM HOSPITAL

Mrs. Wm. Osborne returned last week from a Huntington hospital where she has been receiving treatment for a broken hip. Her condition is much improved.

SUFFERS STROKE

Ex-Jailer Guy Horn suffered a slight stroke at his home here Sunday morning. His condition is unimproved, it was said Wednesday. Mr. Horn has been in failing health for the last two years.

REPORTS ON CONFERENCE

The worship hour Sunday morning at the Presbyterian Church was used by Glenn Anderson, Jr., and Marvin Eugene Music, who gave interesting reports of the National Westminster Fellowship Assembly held at Grinnell College, Grinnell, Iowa, in June. Due to the influenza epidemic which hospitalized many of the delegates, the assembly was dismissed at the end of the first week.

PERSONALS

Mrs. Effie Milby and Mrs. Graham Porter were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Elliott in Huntington, W. Va.

Mrs. Carey Martin returned home last week from Columbus, O., where she visited her daughter, Mrs. Wimer, and family. Mrs. Wimer and daughter accompanied her home. They are houseguests here of Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Music.

Mr. and Mrs. Bocook, of Ashland, spent Sunday here with their daughter, Mrs. Sam Bingham, and Mr. Bingham on Court Street.

Miss Laura Douglas Branham, of Owensboro, is spending her vacation here with her mother, Mrs. Mabel Branham.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Rose and children, of Huntington, W. Va., are here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Parsley.

Mrs. Benton Ousley, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Goble and son, Donnie, and Mary Lou Miller were visiting friends and relatives in Adrian, Mich. and Toledo, Ohio last week.

R. T. Allen spent the week-end at Warsaw, Ind., guest of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Hicks. Mrs. Allen, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Daniels and daughter visited Mr. and Mrs. Edward Sizemore in Gary, Indiana.

Mrs. Ward Rees, of Millersburg, stopped here overnight last Thursday with her uncle, Dr. A. J. Davidson, and Mrs. Davidson on Highland avenue. She had been attending the summer conference of the Methodist Church at Camp Junaluska, N. C.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Stumbo were in Huntington, Monday on business.

Mrs. Chalmer Frazier is spending several days in Huntington this week at the bedside of her father, Earle A. Stumbo, at the C. & O. hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Maynard, of Williamson, W. Va., spent Sunday here with Mr. and Mrs. Mark Reed.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Worland and son, Eddie, Jr., spent Sunday in Ashland visiting her sister, Mrs. Delphia Keeton, and Mr. Keeton.

Mr. and Mrs. Milern, of Columbus, Ohio, visited Mr. and Mrs. Joe Dingus, on Little Paint last week.

Mrs. Margaret Rose Salyers and sons spent Sunday here with her cousin, Miss Margaret Elizabeth May.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Newman, who are visitors here from Holopaw, Fla., went to Ashland Sunday afternoon to visit his son, Clyde Newman, and family. Mr. and Mrs. Joe Dingus accompanied them to Huntington for a visit with their daughter, Mrs. Charles Rappold, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Ensminger spent Friday with Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Wellman in Huntington, W. Va.

Mrs. Ira McMillan is recuperating from a recent illness at her home on Arnold Avenue.

Mrs. J. R. Hurt has returned here from Gate City, Va., where she was called by the illness of a sister.

Mrs. Donald Hunt was in Lexington last week visiting friends. En route home, she visited her parents in Greenup county.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Clark, of Ashland, were here recently visiting her sister, Mrs. Ralph Davis, and family while he attended to business for the Kentucky West Virginia Gas Co.

Mrs. Jessie Housah, of Louisville, accompanied her son, Jack Davidson, here last week. She is the houseguest of her son, Marshall Davidson. Mrs. Davidson, and daughter, Deborah Louise.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank H. Layne attended to business in Huntington and Charleston, W. Va., the first of last week.

Mrs. Cora McHone returned to Wheelwright the first of the week after a visit with her mother, Mrs. Anna Stephens, on Lake Drive.

Mrs. Tot Allen Cope returned from Louisville, last week after having accompanied her son, Floyd Arnold Mann, to Ft. Knox, where he enlisted in the U. S. Army.

Mrs. Raymond Copley and daughter, Mary Sue, and Mrs. James Owens are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Tom Clark at Jamestown. Mr. Clark formerly stationed at Dewey Lake State Park near here, is now employed at Cumberland Park.

Miss Becky Wright, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Homer Wright, is visiting relatives in Wilmington, O.

COMMUNITY METHODIST CHURCH

Cliff, Kentucky  
J. Baldwin Still, Minister  
Sunday, July 21—  
9:30 a.m., Worship Service.  
Sermon Topic: "Why Make Excuses for Religion?"  
10:30 a.m., Sunday School.  
6:00 p.m., MYF.  
7:30 p.m., Informal Evening Worship.  
Sermon Topic: "Who Am I?"  
Tuesday—  
7:00 p.m., Choir Practice.  
8:00 p.m., Prayer meeting.  
Wednesday—  
7:30 p.m., Boy Scouts.  
Thursday—  
8:30 a.m., Morning Devotions over WPRT.

Peruvian trade reports show a 4.8 per cent gain in cotton exports this year.



Pictured above are the recent 1957 graduates of the Kindergarten class of The First Methodist church, Prestonsburg. The annual ceremony has been a function since the inception of the first kindergarten in the school year 1954-55. Those pictured are front row, left to right: Larry Jones, Jeannie Lemaster, Rebecca Ray, Bill Frazier, Sharon Watson, Mary Nunnery, George Preston Archer. Back row, Cochran Dorsey, Karen Evans, Carol Susan Francis, Phillip Arthur Haywood, Susan Hale, Judy Music, Sally Moore. Graduates, not present due to illness, were Kenneth Wells, Johnny Sparlock and Johnny Rippe.

Malcolm James, 77, Of Gulgare, Victim At Pikeville, Tuesday

Malcolm James, 77, of Gulgare, Pike county, died at the Methodist hospital, Pikeville, at 8:45 a.m., Tuesday, following an illness of several months. He was a retired farmer and State Highway Department employee.

Mr. James, who was a lifelong resident of Johns Creek, was a son of Thomas James and Nancy Jackson James. He was a member of the Methodist church.

Surviving are his wife, Latha Scalf James and the following children: Quentin James, Mrs. May Childers, Mrs. Mabel Runyon, Mrs. Polly Scalf, all of Gulgare, and Mrs. Emogene Boyd, of Shelbyana. Surviving brothers and sisters are Tom James and Mrs. Nora J. Scalf, both of Prestonsburg, Hawk T. James, of Pikeville, Mrs. Pearl Conn. of Justell, Elmer James and Ollie James, both of Gulgare, and Jesse James, Kopperston, W. Va. A sister, Mrs. Lucy Collins, of Gulgare, preceded him in death, June 20, of this year.

Funeral rites will be conducted Friday at 1 p.m. at the Sively Methodist chapel at Gulgare, the Revs. Everett Brown and Johnny Conley officiating. Burial will be in the James cemetery at McCombs under the direction of J. W. Call & Son Funeral Home.

Joe Whitaker, 63, Dies In North Judson, Ohio; Was Middle Creek Native

Funeral rites for Joe Whitaker, 63 years old, former Floyd man who died July 9 at North Judson, Ohio, were conducted Friday from the residence of Moss Dempsey at Blue River.

Mr. Whitaker, who was a native of the Middle Creek section, died of an illness of several months' duration. He was a son of Vinson and Rebecca Hicks Whitaker.

Surviving are his widow Mrs. Grace Arnett Whitaker, three sons, Sam Whitaker, Elizabeth-town, Ky., Jay and Joe Whitaker, Jr., both of North Judson; one brother, Henry Whitaker, of Missouri, and three sisters, Mrs. Moss Dempsey and Mrs. Susie Johnson, both of Blue River, and Mrs. Osa Stephens, of Missouri.

The funeral service was conducted by the Rev. Ashland Shepherd and the Rev. Marshall. Burial in the Hicks cemetery was under direction of the Moore Funeral Home.

Catcher Clint Courtney of the Washington Senators attempted to steal a base five times in 1956. He was caught each time.

Resolutions of Respect

In Memory Of Brother Menifee Whitaker Who Died July 3, 1957

Once again hath death summoned a Brother Odd Fellow, and the golden gateway to the Eternal City has opened to welcome him to his home. He has completed his work in ministering to the wants of the afflicted in shedding light into darkened souls and in bringing joy into the places of misery, and as his reward has received the plaudit "well done" from the Supreme Master.

Whereas, The all-wise and merciful Master of the Universe has called our beloved and respected Brother home, and he having been a true and faithful member of our beloved Order, therefore be it

Resolved, That Prestonsburg Lodge No. 293, I. O. O. F. of Prestonsburg, Ky., in testimony of its loss, drape its Charter in mourning for thirty days, that we tender to the family our sincere condolence in their deep affliction, and that a copy of these resolutions be sent to the family.

W. G. AFRICA,  
W. J. DOTSON,  
ELZIE WHITAKER,  
Committee

Charter No. 7254 Reserve District No. 4

REPORT OF CONDITION OF The First National Bank

OF PRESTONSBURG IN THE STATE OF KENTUCKY. AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS ON JUNE 6th, 1957 PUBLISHED IN RESPONSE TO CALL MADE BY COMPTROLLER OF THE CURRENCY, UNDER SECTION 3211, U. S. REVISED STATUTES.

ASSETS

1. Cash balances with other banks, including reserve balance, and cash items in process of collection	881,207.18
2. United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed	1,901,305.62
3. Obligations of States and political subdivisions	294,885.15
5. Corporate stocks (including \$ none stock of Federal Reserve bank)	13,500.00
6. Loans and discounts (including \$845.23 overdrafts)	3,215,282.69
7. Bank premises owned \$139,000.00, furniture and fixtures \$71,566.00	210,566.00
12. TOTAL ASSETS	6,516,746.64

LIABILITIES

13. Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	2,660,829.98
14. Time deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	2,559,625.56
15. Deposits of United States Government (including postal savings)	26,763.18
16. Deposits of States and political subdivisions	748,192.70
17. Deposits of banks	5,000.00
18. Other deposits (certified and cashier's checks etc.)	30,025.24
19. TOTAL DEPOSITS	\$6,030,436.66
24. TOTAL LIABILITIES	6,030,436.66
25. Capital Stock:	
c) Common stock, total par \$100	100,000.00
26. Surplus	350,000.00
27. Undivided profits	36,309.98
29. TOTAL CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	486,309.98
30. TOTAL LIABILITIES AND CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	6,516,746.64

MEMORANDA

31. Assets pledged or assigned to secure liabilities and for other purposes	1,075,000.00
33. (3) Loans insured or guaranteed by Veterans Administration—insured or guaranteed portions only	4,000.00
(5) Guaranteed portions of Regulations V loans and other loans guaranteed by the Federal Reserve banks or agencies of the United States Government SBA	307,397.91

I, Russell Hagewood, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

RUSSELL HAGEWOOD, Cashier

Correct—Attest:  
BURL SPURLOCK )  
B. M. SPURLOCK ) Directors  
A. B. MEADE )

[SEAL] State of Kentucky, County of Floyd, ss:  
Sworn to and subscribed before me this 15 day of July, 1957, and I hereby certify that I am not an officer or director of this bank.  
IRENE McINTOSH, Notary Public  
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Rib Chops	Veal	lb. 69c	Chicken Legs	lb. 65c
Loin Chops	Veal	lb. 79c	Chicken Backs	lb. 10c
Veal Stew	Lean	lb. 25c	Chicken Wings	lb. 19c

Game Hens: Rock Cornish ea. 79c, Bologna: Armour Star Piece lb. 39c

# Orange Juice 46 oz. can 25c

Kroger, rich and refreshing Made from sun-ripened oranges.

Salmon	Packers Label Chum.	No. 1 tall can	49c	Corn	Packers Label cream yellow.	4 No. 303 cans	43c
Beans	Packers Label Cut Green.	4 No. 303 cans	49c	Catsup	Packers Label.	2 12 oz. bottles	29c

## Pineapple 2 No. 303 Cans 39c

Royalty Brand Crushed or Diced golden fruit.

Rugs	Cotton Braided 22"x36" oval.	Each \$1.98	Peanut Butter	Kroger 11 oz. jingle. glass	39c
Bread	New formula Kroger White.	2 loaves 31c	French Fries	Kroger frozen.	3 9 oz. pkgs. 49c

# Watermelon 22 lb. grey's, guaranteed ripe right down to the rind! ea. 79c

Grapes	Plump bunches juice rich.	lb. 39c	Carrots	2 lb. cello pkg.	25c
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Spotlight Coffee LB. 79c



**VISITORS FROM CORBIN**

Recent week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Henry P. Scalf, Graham avenue, were Mr. and Mrs. Carl B. Livingston, Jr., and daughter, Judith, of Corbin, Ky.

**ON VACATION**

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Lee May and son, Martin Douglas May, are spending a vacation at Myrtle Beach, S. C. On their return home they will visit the great Smokies.

**OVERNIGHT GUESTS**

Miss Bessie M. Ball, of Lexington, was the overnight guest of Mrs. Robert J. Wallace, Wednesday night. Miss Ball is teaching a weekly class in mental hygiene at the Floyd County Health Department.

**GUEST FROM PARKERSBURG**

Mrs. Robert Wallace had as her guest last week her sister, Mrs. Frank J. Elliott, of Parkersburg, W. Va.

**HOMEMAKERS MEET**

The Willing Worker Homemakers, of Estill, met at the home of Mrs. J. T. Spillman, Tuesday, at noon. An outdoor meal was prepared. The next meeting will be on the second Tuesday in August, the meeting place to be announced later. Present were Mesdames Tramble Turner, Carl Stewart, Buford Rollins, Orville Watkins, Noah Howard, Warren Morgan, Harry Sherman, M. V. Wicker, Ralph Blankenship, J. T. Spillman and Miss Dixie Trapp.

**ENTERTAIN RELATIVES**

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Dingus entertained to dinner at their home on Little Paint, Friday, his sisters, Mrs. W. J. Newman, of Holopaw, Fla., and Mrs. Grace D. Ford, Prestonsburg. Other guests were Mrs. Rebecca Dingus, Mrs. Jo M. Davidson, Mrs. Ruth D. Sowards, Mrs. Newman and Mrs. Ford remained as overnight guests.

**VISITING PARENTS HERE**

Mrs. Al Gross and children arrived here Saturday for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. V. Bunting, on Riverside.

**VISITS DAUGHTER**

Mrs. Fanny Jarrell spent last week in Lexington visiting her daughter, Mrs. J. Lee Hall, and Mr. Hall. While there they attended the performance of "Wilderness Road" at Berea and visited historic places in the Blue Grass section.

**IN FLORIDA**

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. O. Goebel, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Francis left last Saturday for a two-week vacation in Sarasota, Florida and other west coast Florida towns.

**RETURN FROM NEW ENGLAND**

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Gunnell and daughters, Kathy and Linda, have returned home from a visit of five weeks with her sister, Mrs. Norman Foss, in Manchester, New Hampshire and York Beach, Maine. Mr. Gunnell spent a week with them, accompanying them home.



**GUESTS IN PAINTSVILLE**

Mrs. Jo M. Davidson and Mrs. Ruth D. Sowards were supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Garland H. Rice in Paintsville, Saturday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Rice returned from Verdon, Nebraska last week after a two-month stay at their summer home there.

**WEEK-END VISITORS**

Mr. and Mrs. John Ellis Branham and baby son, Johnny, of Columbus, Ohio, spent the week-end here with his mother, Mrs. Mary E. Branham, Misses Rebecca and Katherine Ellis on Graham street.

**HERE FROM CAMP LEJEUNE**

Jack Davidson, attached to the medical staff in the Marine Corps at Camp LeJeune, N. C., arrived last week for a visit with his father, Dr. A. J. Davidson, and Mrs. Davidson on Highland avenue. He has just returned from a six-months tour of the Orient with his company.

**LEAVING SOON FOR OVERSEAS DUTY**

Paul Hager is spending his furlough with his parents at East Point. He will be leaving soon for overseas duty. Mr. Hager was band instructor in the local schools before entering the U. S. Army. His many friends here extend their good wishes to him during his foreign service.

**SUNDAY DINNER GUESTS**

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hobson entertained to dinner Sunday at the B. & W. Cafe, having as guests, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Newman, Holopaw, Fla., Mrs. Grace D. Ford and Mrs. Rebecca Dingus.

**VISIT HERE**

Mr. and Mrs. John L. Martin and children have returned to their home in Louisville after a visit with her mother, Mrs. Blanche Smith, and other relatives. Miss Rose Smith accompanied them home for a visit of a week.

**RETURNS TO LOUISVILLE**

Dr. Julian C. Harlowe returned to his home in Louisville this week after a visit of a week with his parents, Rev. and Mrs. A. C. Harlowe.

**ENTERTAIN AT DAVID**

Mr. and Mrs. John Nypaver entertained at their home at David last week some of their Prestonsburg friends. Their guests on Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. James Donahoe and sons, Jimmy, Michael and Patrick. On Wednesday evening Mrs. Jo M. Davidson and Mrs. Ruth D. Sowards were supper guests.

**BAKE SALE**

The auxiliary of the Presbyterian Church will hold a bake sale next Saturday at 10 o'clock at Ray Howard's store on First avenue in the former Kroger store location.

**FLORIDA VISITORS**

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Newman, of Holopaw, Fla., accompanied her sister, Mrs. Grace D. Ford, home last Thursday evening for a visit here and in the county. Mrs. Ford has been their houseguest since the first of June.

**ATTEND FAMILY REUNION**

Mr. and Mrs. Kermit Baldrige and children, Donald, Patsy, Judy and Kermit, Jr., were among the 300 kinsfolk who attended the Williams family reunion at Cannon Chapel on Mud Lick, Johnson county, last Sunday. John Fred Williams was the principal speaker in the afternoon. Picnic lunch was served at noon in the church basement.

**MUSIC FAMILY PICNIC**

Children of Mr. and Mrs. Sam K. Music and their families enjoyed a get-together picnic last Tuesday evening on the lawn of Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Music on North Lake Drive. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Sam K. Music, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Music and son, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hunt and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Music and children, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Baldrige, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Rice and children, Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Monroe, Medina, Ohio. Twenty-three were present.

**AT DENVER CLINIC**

Mrs. Johnny Reatherford has been at the Denver, Colorado Multiple Sclerosis Clinic for the past four weeks. She has not shown any improvement, but hopes to be benefitted in some way. Her daughter, Miss Angeline Reatherford, is with her.

**ENTERTAINS FOR VISITOR**

Miss Laura Virginia Roberts was hostess to Mrs. Tom James and guest, Mrs. Franceska Lawson, Washington, D. C., and Mrs. Claude P. Stephens at her home on Arnold avenue, Saturday afternoon. Following a salad course, a music program was presented by Miss Roberts. The flower arrangements throughout the reception rooms were of gladioli and lilies.

**SHOWER FOR MISS HUGHES**

Miss Dolores Hughes, bride-elect of Mr. Donald Harrington, was complimented with a personal shower by Misses Rebecca Conley, Sue Bingham, Betty Jewel Sizemore and Sonja Johnson at the home of Miss Conley on North Lake Drive last Tuesday evening. Gladioli were used throughout the house for decoration. Miss Hughes was presented with personal gifts for her trousseau. The hostesses served refreshments of punch, decorated cakes, mints and nuts to a group of 25 guests.

**SON IS BORN**

Mr. and Mrs. Charles "Eck" Branham are announcing the birth of their first child, a son, born at the Paintsville hospital, July 15. He has been named Joe Davidson Branham for his paternal great-uncle. Mr. Branham is the son of Mr. and Mrs. George Branham, of Paintsville, who are well known here.

**VISIT HERE**

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Mullins and son, Kenny Ray, of Detroit, Mich., spent last week here with her mother, Mrs. Russell Sizemore, and Mr. Sizemore on Highland avenue. Dexter Dean McCarty accompanied them to Detroit this week for a visit. En route home, he will visit relatives in Columbus, Ohio.

**BARBECUE SUPPER**

Dr. and Mrs. Ralph Salisbury and children were hosts to a barbecue steak supper on their patio last Tuesday evening. Their guests were Mr. and Mrs. Tom James and guest, Mrs. Franceska Lawson, Washington, D. C.

**RETURN TO NEWPORT NEWS**

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Torrsch and son, Michael, returned to their home in Newport News, Va., Sunday, after a visit here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robie Marcum.

**HOME FROM VACATION**

Miss Mary Belle Layne is home from Russell Springs, where she visited Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Mayo during her vacation.

**Hughes-Harrington Vows Are Solemnized July 13**

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Hughes, Westminster street, announce the marriage of their daughter, Dolores, to Mr. Donald Harrington, son of Mr. and Mrs. Hoover Harrington, at 10 a.m., Saturday, July 13, at their home on Westminster street.

The double-ring ceremony was performed by the Rev. Birch, of Ashland, assisted by the Rev. Ira McMillan, pastor of Irene Cole Memorial Baptist Church. Miss Hughes was given in marriage by her father. The bride wore a pink linen sheath dress, trimmed with a collar studded with pearls and rhinestones. The fitted bodice was buttoned down the back. She wore white accessories and a shoulder corsage of white carnations. Her travel hat was white with crushed veil.

Miss Rebecca Conley, her maid of honor, wore a blue sheath dress and pink corsage of carnations. Mr. Harrington served his son as best man.

Following the ceremony, a reception was enjoyed by the immediate family and closest friends.

Both Mr. and Mrs. Harrington were graduated from Prestonsburg high school. Mr. Harrington attended Pikeville College. They left for a honeymoon in Columbus, Ohio, where he is employed and where they will reside.

**SUNDAY GUESTS**

Mrs. Edward M. Points, of Ashland, was the Sunday guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Allen, on Arnold Avenue.

**HOME FROM KOREA**

Lt. Ronald H. Smiley arrived Monday after flying to the United States from Korea where he had spent the last 16 months. After he, Mrs. Smiley and baby son spend his furlough here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. V. A. Smiley, and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Lang, Newport, Ky., they will go to Ft. Sill, Okla. At Ft. Sill Lt. Smiley will attend the U. S. Army guided missile school.

**GEO. GLENN HATCHER ILL**

George Glenn Hatcher, former Secretary of State, was stricken suddenly here Sunday while preparing to take his wife and children to their Frankfort home. Mr. Hatcher, suffering from a critical abdominal ailment, was rushed to St. Joseph's hospital, Lexington. He remains unimproved as of Wednesday.

**VACATION IN CAROLINA**

Mr. and Mrs. Mark Reed and son, Kenny, returned home last week from a ten-day stay at Nag's Head, N. C.

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**CIRCLES MEET MONDAY**

Circles 1 and 2 of the Presbyterian Church met Monday evening at the Manse on Westminster street, with Mrs. Paul Bingham as hostess. Miss Daisy Miller presided. The opening devotional was led by Mrs. Frank H. Layne. Miss Mary E. Powers, the leader, led the Bible study on the topic, "Jesus, Teaching Citizenship." Plans were completed for the bake sale to be held July 20 at Ray Howard's store on First Avenue. Mrs. Bingham served a dessert course to Mesdames Harold Ensminger, Glenn Anderson, Ralph Davis, Marvin Music, Frank Layne, Earle Castle, W. C. Rimmer, Fred James, Misses Daisy Miller, Mary E. Powers, Alma Collins.

**RETURNS HOME**

Mrs. Mabel Branham has returned to her home here from a visit with her daughter, Mrs. E. B. Webber, and Dr. Webber and young son at Wheaton, Ill. She also visited Mrs. A. L. Peters and Mrs. David Olinger in Dayton, Ohio. Mrs. Peters accompanied her home for a visit of a week.

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**HOMEMAKERS MEET**

First meeting of North Prestonsburg Homemakers group was held Thursday evening, July 11, at the home of Mrs. Lucy Ransdel. The group decided to hold their meeting the fourth Thursday of each month. The August meeting will study the making of aluminum trays. Mrs. Shirley Hughes will take the orders until August 1.

Those attending were Mrs. Grace Burke, Mrs. Shirley Hughes, Mrs. Rex Osborne, Mrs. Estill Hyden and Mrs. Lucy Ransdel. Officers will be elected when there is an attendance of ten or more.

**SPEND SUNDAY HERE**

Mr. and Mrs. Worden, of Pikeville, spent Sunday here with their son, Richard Worden, who is supplying the pulpit of the Methodist Church during the absence of the Rev. Harold Dorsey, who is in Japan with the Methodist Missionary Board until August.

**SUFFERS HEART ATTACK**

E. B. May suffered a heart attack at the Bank Josephine here, Tuesday. He was taken to the Prestonsburg General hospital, and his condition is reported improved.

**ON EXTENDED UNIT**

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Howell spent a week in Indiana and Ohio visiting relatives returning home to Auxier road Saturday.

**VISITING HERE**

Mr. and Mrs. Fred T. May, Lexington are spending the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Martin Lee May.

**PATIENT AT C. & O. HOSPITAL**

Earl A. Stumbo is a patient at the C. & O. hospital in Huntington, where he is taking treatment for a coronary ailment. He was accompanied there Saturday by his daughter, Mrs. Chalmers Frazier, and Mr. Frazier. On Sunday Mrs. Stumbo and the Frazier family visited him.

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Varsity Town and Northcool <b>SUITS</b> <b>1/4 off</b>	Group Nunn Bush All Weather <b>OXFORDS</b> <b>1/4 off</b>	McGregor and Catalina Swim Suits & Bermudas <b>1/3 off</b>
	Knit Shirts ..... 1/3 off Summer Pajamas ... 1/3 off <b>BOYS' DEPARTMENT</b> <b>1/3 off</b>	

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LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

DEMANDS INVESTIGATION Our Election Commissioners have made one demand on the powers-that-be for a grand jury investigation of the farce and fraud that was called an election and held on May 28, 1957. That was the day of the three-ring circus when the main act consisted of the "TWO-STEP" which was a fast shuffle of the election officers in certain precincts that the vote sellers might waltz through the doors of the polling places to the tune of the auctioneers chant played upon the instrument of greed, graft, and corruption and by that great musician, the professional striker, and accompanied by the rustling of two dollar bills. The music was written by that great composer, the professional politician.

Will we, or will we not have a grand jury investigation? Will we empanel a special grand jury of good citizens, will we change the theme song of the politicians, the vote buyers, and the people who wish to sell our democratic ideas? Will we again, in Floyd county be able to sing, the Star Spangled Banner, the home of the Brave and the Land of the Free. Will you the people stand up and be counted, will you demand that your county officials do their sworn duty? Will you, in this hour help pressure our way of life; restore honesty, integrity and justice to the citadel of government; make our ballot once again sacred and restore faith in our elections and in our elected officials? Only you, the people can do this.

ISADORE HORN

Bit Manufacturer Has Faith In Area Served By Firm

BY KYLE VANCE (Associated Press Staff Writer) A man with faith in the future of economic-stepschild Eastern Kentucky is Wilbur R. Joy, who knows firsthand that industry can thrive in the mountain country.

Joy, on a business trip to Frankfort, told in an interview how his own Coal Bit Company, Inc., at Prestonsburg grew out of a basement into a factory with ambitious expansion plans. What Joy wanted to debunk was outside-industry's fear of competition for labor with highly unionized coal mines.

He said his own experience had proved that many Eastern Kentuckians would prefer safer work at less money. "The danger element of working in coal mines is the reason they (miners) can demand more pay," he said. "Any industry willing to pay a reasonable rate can get along with labor."

He said he paid his workers more than mine rates at one time and that their wages compare favorably with mine pay now. At the same time, he added, he has encountered no serious demands to "keep up with the miners."

Before Eastern Kentucky can anticipate a genuine prosperous growth, he said, the Big Sandy River must be canalized for cheaper transportation. In the meantime, however, it offers adequate rail and highway outlets.

Joy started his coal-bit-manufacturing venture with "an idea and a prayer" back in 1949. It has grown from a one-man operation to a 19-man industry and is ready to double production and employment on short notice—"when the coal slack ends."

Bits for coal-drilling machinery are made at the rate of 14,000 a day for customers in Eastern Kentucky and West Virginia.

He is the only bit manufacturer in Kentucky, but one operates in West Virginia and several in Ohio and Pennsylvania.

"What I want," Joy said, "is to become the largest bit manufacturer in the United States. I am planning now another plant in West Virginia and I would like to see the way clear for one in West Kentucky."

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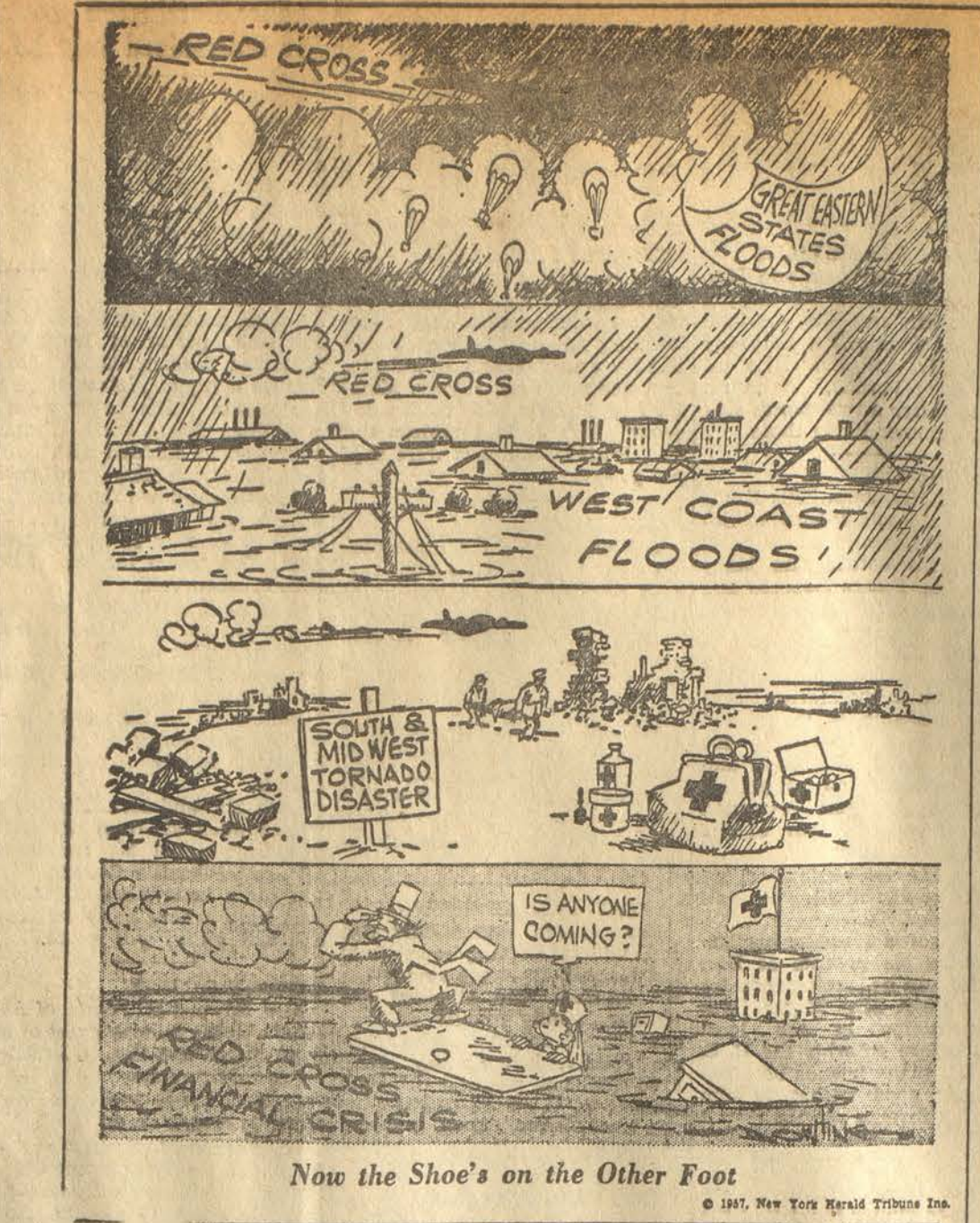
followed the national trend, according to C. W. Davis, executive-secretary of the Big Sandy-Elkhorn Coal Operators Association, but for heavy export trade. There still is a strong export trade, he said, which takes considerable fuel from the Big Sandy field.

There has been a decrease in demand for metallurgical coal, Davis said, because of lagging steel production. The demand for metallurgical coal rises and falls with steel production.

"On the other hand, he pointed out, there has been an increased consumption of utilities fuel, which is reflected in the Hazard field's increased production.

Coal mines throughout Eastern Kentucky, except in the non-union areas of Clay and Leslie counties, resumed operations July 9 after the annual miners' vacation, which began June 28.

Under terms of an agreement with the United Mine Workers of America, each miner who had worked the preceding 12 calendar months, drew \$180 in vacation pay from the coal operators.



Now the Shoe's on the Other Foot

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Katy Friend school, Anna Mae Shepherd; Langley, Thelma Katherine Hale; Pitts, Katherine Miller; Sam Hale, Pauline Hicks; Open Fork, Goldia Stephens; Needmore, Polly Harmon; Myrtle, Pearl Lafferty; George, Clarence Lafferty; Home Branch, Cynthia Martin and Johnnie Crider; Spears, Mable Blackburn; Clark, Thurman Sellars; Tram, Helen Whitt; Mare Creek, Marielth Furman; Lancer, Lava Terry; Emma, Ramona Auxler; Ivy Creek, Frank Gordon Grey; Spruce Pine, Hillard Newman, Sylvania Newman and Sally Bush.

Beaver school, Mavis Newsome; Tackett Fork, Nadine Hamilton; Neck Branch, Mazis Hamilton; Forks of Toler, Leo Roberts and Triba Wilburn; Left Toler, Opal Conn; Right Toler, Soleda Spears and Carl Hall; Arkansas, Delano Stumbo; Spurlock, Peggy Bowling; Hunter, Anna Mary Friend; Martingades, Juda Salisbury; G. B. Hall school, Clell Hall; Ned's Fork, Franklin Pack; Head Frazier's Creek, Paul D. Hall and Johnnie Pack; Gearheart, Dorcas Hall; Clear Creek, Alma J. Slone Wells and Glenda Newman; Bryant Branch, Esta Stegall; Ligon, Jonah Isaac, Maybeth Keathley and Creighton Owens; Buckingham, Ralph Little, and Zella Ready; Upper Jack's Creek, Ishmon Johnson and Virgil Triplett.

Lower Jack's Creek, Ollie Belcher and Charles Ray Campbell; Dinwood, Earlene May; Lower Bull Creek, Gladys Stepp transferred from Warrick school; Warrick, William T. Hammond, transferred from Lower Bull; DeRossett, Josephine Robinson, Will Hamilton, Rosella Lewis; Harold, Hershell Conn, head teacher; Dwale, Norah J. Sealf; Melvin (Abner), Fannie Bryant; McDowell, Emma G. Billips, Shelby Jean Slone, Nesba Moore and Girdlea Thornsburg; Wheelwright, Kenneth Ray Eads, Weeksburg, Aileen Fraley; Wheelwright high school, Zelvello Slone, transferred from grades; Wheelwright grades, Robert Hall; Martin high school, Doris Turner; Maytown high school, Eloise Allen; Prestonsburg high school, Harold Stumbo; Prestonsburg grades, Pauline Burchett; Lackey, Tilden Howard.

the day following the lower court decision, the statutes provide. The appeal from Special Judge Johnson's contest dismissal will simply await the Appellate Court's decision on the injunction.

The injunction action was filed against the County Election Commission in an attempt to prevent it from counting absentee ballots. The contest suit named his Democratic opponent for County Clerk DuRan Moore, incumbent, as contestee, and also listed the election commissioners as defendants.

Dismissal of the contest suit was made last Wednesday after Special Judge Johnson had heard arguments of counsel for Mr. Moore that the action should be dismissed on the grounds that the judgment rendered in the earlier injunction suit is a bar to the contest.

Judge Johnson's order expressed the opinion that res adjudicata (a case or suit already settled) applied. The case was dismissed at contestant's cost.

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Floyd Countians Drew \$100,222 Monthly in Social Security Pay, Data From Pikeville Office Says

More than 10,000 people in the six-county area served by the Pikeville Social Security office were getting monthly social security insurance payments totaling \$379,038 at the end of 1956. This compares with 9,243 beneficiaries receiving \$33,630 in the same area a year earlier, Thomas B. Thompson, Social Security administration district manager in Pikeville declared recently.

Here in Floyd county, 2,672 persons were receiving \$100,222 in monthly benefits.

The other five counties making up the Pikeville District are Pike, Johnson, Martin, Magoffin in Kentucky and Buchanan county, Virginia.

The 12-month increase in aged beneficiaries is due partly to the lowering from 65 to 62 of the age at which a woman without an entitled child in her care may qualify for benefits, Thompson said.

The lowering of the retirement age for women was one of the provisions of the 1956 Amendments to the Social Security Act and became effective last November. It applies to retired women workers, wives of old-age beneficiaries, and widows or dependent mothers of deceased insured workers. Many women who would have had to wait up to three years longer before starting to get benefits under the old law became entitled to benefits in the last two months of 1956.

Noting that OASI coverage has taken hold rapidly in recent years, Thompson pointed out that three-fourths of the men becoming 65 this year will be eligible for social security benefits. Of all people over 65 years of age, 62 per cent are now drawing benefits or will be entitled to draw them when their income from work stops.

In December 1956, 4,104 children in the Pikeville district were being paid a total of \$114,223 monthly. These were largely minor children of a deceased insured parent; a smaller number were children under 18 whose insured father or mother had retired. All of these were unmarried children under 18. While child's benefits ordinarily stop at age 18, Thompson called attention to a recent change in the law which makes payments possible

Adam Sizemore, 73, Heart Attack Victim At Martin Hospital

A well-known Floyd countian, Adam Sizemore, 73, among the first to come into this area, died of a heart attack at the Beaver Valley hospital at 3:30 p.m., Monday.

His wife, Jenny Sizemore, preceded him in death. He is survived by three sons, Herbert, of McDowell, Hubert, Detroit, and one step-son, Henry Spurlock, Marion, Ohio; two daughters, Mrs. Artie S. Moore, Ypsilanti, Mich., and Nora Spurlock, McDowell, and three step-daughters, Mrs. Servie Akers, Vienna, Ohio, Mrs. Ann Tackett and Mrs. Lottie Stumbo, both of McDowell.

The funeral service was held at 10 a.m. today (Thursday) at McDowell high school. Burial was made in the family cemetery at McDowell under the direction of the Hall Bros. Funeral Home.

WHAT OF FLOYD COUNTY?

The Times is interested in what Floyd countians think of Floyd county and their suggestions to improve it. So, in weeks to follow, if you have any ideas which, in your opinion, would better our county, then send them to us. In this way you will reflect the variety of public opinion within Floyd county and help state and national legislators measure the wants of Floyd county and Eastern Kentucky.

Send, too, if you have the entirety of Eastern Kentucky in mind, your idea of the steps needed to help the whole region. If you think Floyd county and Eastern Kentucky have reached their peak of development, we would appreciate a letter to that effect. We would like to know what you, the public, think of our area.

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for non-Scouts. The girls at Camp for non-Scouts. The girls at Camp Chatterawha during the first period represent the communities of Pikeville, Paintsville, Prestonsburg, Martin, David, Wheelwright, West Van Lear, and Hazard in Kentucky; and Williamson, Mallory and Morgantown, W. Va. Miss Martin Joyce May, of Prestonsburg, is water front director. She is a graduate of the Red Cross National Aquatic School held annually at Purdue University. Besides Miss May there are 16 other adults to insure good program and good food for the girls. Any girl who wishes to enroll for the last period may do so by calling 2806 in Prestonsburg or Mrs. B. P. Bogardus in Pikeville.

Michigan State's 1956-57 basketball team played before 216,016 fans in 26 games.

Widow Of Floyd County Airman Scores With Business Venture; NEWSWEEK Magazine Tells Story

Peggy Wallen, daughter-in-law of Mrs. W. S. Wallen, of Banner, struck it rich in London, England recently, and, as a result, received attention from the nationally circulated magazine, Newsweek.

Mrs. Wallen, wife of the late Capt. Nick Wallen, of Prestonsburg, found the idea for her present prosperous business when a tourist agency sold her a membership in something called the Personal Discount Scheme.

This gave her the privilege of trading at 130 British firms who would give her a 5% to 10% discount on the presentation of her \$2.80 costing membership.

She tested the membership at a British beauty parlor and found that 10% was knocked off her bill. When other Americans became interested in her membership and wanted one, Mrs. Wallen was quoted in Newsweek as saying to herself, "If I can sell half a dozen, why not 200,000?"

Last week Mrs. Wallen was well on her way to her goal. She had changed the name of the firm (she thought scheme sounded furtive) to Personal Discounts Service. She has over 50,000 clients now, listing United States firms such as Kraft Foods and Hercules Powder Co., which give memberships to vacationing employees.

She has now made other commodities available to membership purchasers. Not only millinery and jewels, leather goods and trinkets are available but also discounts for night club entertainments, paintings, furs, furniture, car rentals, and even transportation on horse flesh to the United States.

Mrs. Sylvia Hall, of Banner, sister-in-law of this enterprising business-woman, said that Mrs. Wallen "... was quite a salesman." She added that Mrs. Wallen had sent clippings from various places about her business enterprise.

Mrs. Hall also commented that she didn't think that Peggy's business was that big.

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MARRIAGE LICENSES

Dennis Ray Johnson, 20, Halo, and Oma Lee Griffith, 15, Bevinville; married at Bevinville, July 11 by the Rev. Johnnie Jones. Charles Ray Porter, 18, Allen, and Doris Elaine Flannery, 17, Martin. John Martin, 20, and Johnna Lynn Smith, 15, both of Estill. Charles Edward Chafin, 20, Garrett, and Delores Castie, 17, Eastern. Donald Meadows Harrington, 21, and Dolores Ann Hughes, 19, both of Prestonsburg. James F. Hyden, 23, Langley, and Carolyn Pitts, 18, Lancer. John Hyden, 66, and Dollie Pitts, 63, both of West Prestonsburg. Billie Joe Prater, 22, West Prestonsburg, and Thelma Ruth Shepherd, 18, David. John W. Estep, Jr., 32, Allen, and Ida Maxine Oliver, 23, Dwale.

PARKER ENLISTS

Alvin Parker, 17, son of Mr. and Mrs. Owen Parker, of Wheelwright, has enlisted for a three-year period in the United States Marine Corps at Louisville and is now undergoing his recruit training at the Marine Corps Recruit Depot, Parris Island, South Carolina.

Parker applied for enlistment at the Marine Recruiting Sub-Station at Pikeville. During his 12 weeks of training, Parker will receive instruction on basic infantry weapons, close order drill, physical conditioning and other subjects relative to the making of a "Leatherneck."

WHY I LOVE AMERICA

By Hyman Applemon (Noted Jewish-born evangelist)

Born in Russia, I came to the United States when I was 12 years old. I cannot tell you in detail why I love America, but every crimson drop of blood in my body carries that affection.

I love America because of its greatness. It is great in territory, great in resources, great in strength, great in beauty, great in sweetness. It is great in achievements, in activities that have led the world in every line and sphere of human ventures and adventures. It is great in its history. Washington, Jefferson, Lincoln, Wilson, giants who stand out above the run of even the mighty. America has never lost a war, never dipped its flag in any sort of defeat. From Bunker Hill to the Argonne, Old Glory has been covered with honor and praise.

I love America because of its graciousness. America has shared its wealth, its scientific discoveries, its medical accomplishments, with all mankind. Pleas for help from many corners of the world have been heeded. Belgian children lived because American food ships landed on their shores. German babies have grown into manhood (God forgive them their ingratitude) because with the signing of the armistice in 1918 American relief lifted the hunger bans of that luckless land. Starving Russians and emaciated Chinese knew hope when American soup kitchens lined them up for charity; Japanese cities were rebuilt; Japanese homes were reestablished; Japanese women, men and children were given a new lease on life when the American Red Cross crossed the wide Pacific to bring help and hope. I love America because at terrific sacrifice, it has been the world's big brother.

I love America because of its gifts to me and countless others. It gave me an education that I would never have had

in Russia. It gave me a chance at freedom denied me as a Jew almost everywhere else in the world.

I love America most of all because it gave me Christ and Salvation. Here the Gospel was preached to me. Here the cross of the Lord Jesus Christ was lifted up before me. Here salvation was proffered me as the gift of God's grace backed up by the yearning, loving anxiety of Christian hearts. Here waters of Baptism loved me. Here that church welcomed me. Here the theological seminary opened its doors to me. Here I was and am, praise God, forever, given the right to preach the burning conviction of my soul that Jesus Christ, the son of God, came into the world to save sinners.

You ask me why I love America? The blood-marked sentry of George Washington's ragged Continentals hallowing Valley Forge is my answer. The laconic report of Commodore Perry on Lake Erie, "We have met the enemy and they are ours . . . is my answer. The Texans' cry, "Remember the Alamo," is my answer. Abe Lincoln's "with malice toward none, with charity for all, with justice in the right as God gives us to see the right. . . is my answer. The bloody Meuse, Chateau Thierry, the Argonne, the tomb of the Unknown Soldier is my answer. The handful of Marines on Wake Island holding back the yellow horde is my answer. Douglas McArthur and his sweat-stained, blood-soaked heroes in the foxholes of the Philippines is my answer.

You ask me why I love America? I am a Jew! I am a Christian! Let the deep fathomless depths of gratitude out of every innermost being of my life, on my knees, on my face, thanking God for Christ, for the Constitution, for the Declaration of Independence, answer you, shout to you, rejoice with you—I love America!

Let's Deal in Intangibles

Mrs. Catherine Conners, who was recently designated by Governor Chandler to promote the Kentucky Department of Conservation, has said she plans to sell Kentucky on the basis of its folklore, legends, rolling plains, majestic mountains and colorful people. "Kentucky intangibles" are the "commodities" Mrs. Conners proposes to sell. She would present a showcase of Kentuckiana for the traveler, getting away from the staid vacation resorts for prosaic tourism.

An existing example of what the lady has in mind is Berea's "Wilderness Road." Along this line she has proposed the building of a theatre at Pineville where a dramatization of John Fox, Jr.'s mountain fiction of a generation or so ago would be enacted.

Why could not such a theatre be built, some such drama presented in the "heart of the hills," at Dewey Lake? We are asked. We are reminded that one or more natural amphitheatres are there, ready and waiting, that these are in a setting of rich natural beauty, and that the area has enough talent and interest to make such a venture successful.

Besides, the region is rich in history and legendary lore. Its own Jenny Wiley, the pioneer heroine, already has been the subject of a pageant staged locally, and this presents the basis for a drama of appeal wide enough to interest not only the Eastern Kentuckian but also whoever might visit the area.

It is well that Kentucky is beginning to take stock of these intangibles which Mrs. Conners mentions. Good roads and fine buildings and great industries are fine, but there are other assets, too. There are those intangibles such as roadside beautification and the preservation of natural scenic beauty such as one finds in the Smokies of North Carolina, for instance.

A tired, jaded America looks for eye-arresting and soul-resting beauty along the roads it travels; it looks for the intangibles that we too long have overlooked.

Any interest on the part of Floyd countians and Eastern Kentuckians in a development such as this suggested here should be expressed in letters addressed to Mrs. Catherine Conners, Department of Conservation, Frankfort.

FOOD NOTES

By Dixie Trapp Home Demonstration Agent

July has been proclaimed Lamb Month by the governor. This is a part of a state-wide effort to increase our own consumption. The national average is 4 1/2 pounds.

Sheep has become a livestock enterprise of Floyd county. If we increased our own use of lamb to the national average, there would be an additional need of 305,000 lambs in Kentucky.

Though many persons think of lamb chiefly as a summer meat, a good supply is on the market the entire year. It is true that lamb chops, steaks, and roasts are expensive. But delightful dishes may be prepared from the cheaper cuts of shoulder, neck, breast, and shank.

Vegetables that combine well with the flavor of lamb are peas, string beans, onions, asparagus, carrots, cauliflower, broccoli and potatoes. Salads which go well are mixed vegetable salad, tomato and cucumber, jelly, grapefruit or endive. Mint jelly or sauce is a traditional favorite.

Recipes for lamb are in the Extension Leaflet 193, LAMB OF KENTUCKY TABLES. This leaflet is available in your Floyd County Extension Office.

Jim Piersall of the Boston Red Sox and Nellie Fox of the Chicago White Sox played in all their teams' American League games in 1956.

Resolutions of Respect

In Memory Of Brother Willis Thompson, Who died May 24th, 1957.

Once again hath death summoned a Brother Odd Fellow, and the golden gateway to the Eternal City has opened to welcome him to his home. He has completed his work in ministering to the wants of the afflicted, in shedding light into darkened souls, and in bringing joy into the places of misery, and as his reward has received the plaudit "well done" from the Supreme Master.

Whereas, The all-wise and merciful Master of the Universe has called our beloved and respected Brother home, and he having been a true and faithful member of our beloved Order, therefore be it

Resolved, that Prestonsburg Lodge No. 293, I. O. O. F. of Prestonsburg, Ky., in testimony of its loss, drape its Charter in mourning for thirty days, that we tender to the family our sincere condolence in their deep affliction, and that a copy of these resolutions be sent to the family.

W. C. AFRICA, ELZIE WHITAKER, W. J. DOTSON, Committee

Luis Aparicio, American League base stealing champion with 21 in 1956, was caught stealing only four times. It was his rookie year with the Chicago White Sox.



# WANT ADS

**FOR SALE**—New Gulbransen and Cable Spinnet Pianos. Immediate delivery. **BROWN'S PIANO STORE**, Prestonsburg, Ky. E. B. BROWN, Phone 2148.

**FOR FLOOR SANDING**, see or call V. A. SMILEY, Phone 5653, Prestonsburg. 9-3-tf.

**PIANO BARGAINS**—All styles and finishes. For the best piano buy in the Tri-State see **ZWICK'S**, Ashland, Ky. 10-7-tf.

**NEED FULLER BRUSHES?**—Call 3642, Prestonsburg, or 3166, Martin. 1-19-tf.

**FOR SALE**—5-room house with bath. Above recent flood level. Call 2670, Prestonsburg. 4-18-tf.

**PORTABLE TYPEWRITERS**—No down payment. \$1 a week. Adding machines, folding chairs and tables, general office supplies. Terry Office Supply, Town Center Bldg., Tel. 2262, Prestonsburg. 6-27-tf.

**FOR RENT**—Lot for trailer court. Phone 7802. 6-27-4t.

**TUTORING** in English and related subjects. **CORA COOK**, Phone 2783, Prestonsburg. 6-24-tf.

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**FOR SALE**—House and lot. Five rooms and bath. North Arnold avenue. Phone 4971, Prestonsburg. 7-4-tf.

**FOR SALE**—House and lot. Six rooms and bath. South Lake Drive. Phone 4971, Prestonsburg. 7-4-tf.

House and lots for sale. Lee Roberts addition. Running water with bath. Small down payment. Take over loan. Phone 4971, Prestonsburg. 7-4-tf.

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**UNEXPECTED CHANGE** makes available good Rawleigh business in Pt. Knott & Pt. Floyd counties. Exceptional opportunity for right man. Many families waiting for Rawleigh service. See or write Shelby Newsum, McDowell; or write Rawleigh's Dept. KYG-680-201, Freeport, Ill. 7-4-4-tpd.

**WANTED**—Experienced bulldozer operator. Good pay. Must be able to operate equipment in mountains. Call collect, Hoosier Engineering Company, 2256 McDowell, Ky. 7-11-2t.

**FOR RENT**—House, 3 rooms and bath. Phone 7802, Prestonsburg. 7-4-tf.

**LOST**—In Prestonsburg on night of July 4. White and reddish-brown female dog. Answers to name of "Pinkie". Information concerning or recovery of dog will be appreciated. Contact **JAMES E. GOBLE** at The Floyd County Times, phone 2510.

**FOR SALE**—5-room house, bath. Gas furnace, large garden. Close to school and Inland Steel mines. Bryant Branch, Hi Hat, Ky. for only \$3,500. See Ernal (Bob) Scotchfield. 7-11-2t-pd.

**FOR SALE**—Nice residential lots. 75x200 feet. South Lake Drive, Warrick addition. Virgil Warrick, Phone 2656, Prestonsburg. 7-11-tf.

**FOR SALE**—Farm on Little Paint Creek. 75 acres with mineral. Good orchard. 3 acres of good truck land. Balance is good cove, swag land. Timber consists of locust, poplar and whiteoak and other. See Henry Harmon at residence or Tom Harmon, West Prestonsburg. 7-11-2t-pd.

**FOR RENT**—5-room house, 4-room furnished apartment and 4-room unfurnished apartment. Ground floor. T. E. Neeley, Phone 2057, Prestonsburg. 7-11-tf.

**FOR RENT**—Three-room unfurnished apartment and a two-room furnished apartment. Call Mrs. J. H. Nunnery, 4661, Prestonsburg. 7-11-2t.

**FOR SALE**—35-acre farm, 4-room house, good garden, water well, electricity. 1/4 mile up Brandy Keg near Dewey Lake. Only \$1,850. Effie and Albert Roberts, Lancer, Ky. 7-11-2t-pd.

**LOST**—Black beagle with brown head, speckled legs and white spot under neck. About 10 months old, 14 inches high. Answers to name of "Ring" or "Boogerman". Write; Velt Foster, Garrett or call Wayland 5701. \$10 reward.

**HERE'S YOUR CHANCE**—To make as much money as you have time for. Unusual opportunity to take over established Avon business in Floyd county. Write to Box 203, Harlan, Ky., for interview. (11)

**NEW CONSTRUCTION**—This is a new home which will be ready for occupancy August 1. This is a nice three bedroom home located on a corner lot. Home has all number one materials including copper plumbing, hardwood floors, Forced Air Central Heating, Built-in Kitchen Cabinets, Snack Bar, Tile Kitchen and Bath, Utility room, and all features you would want in this nice brick home. Located in Mayo Subdivision at Lancer. Nice neighborhood in midst of other new home construction. Must be seen to be appreciated. Call Homer Wright at 7721 Prestonsburg.

## Incentive Pay Rates For Shorn Wool, 40%, ASC Chairman States

Incentive payment rates for shorn wool under the 1956 program will amount to 40 per cent of the dollar returns each producer received for his wool according to Roy C. Gray, chairman of the state Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Committee. This means that for every \$100 received by the producer from the sale of shorn wool, a payment of \$40 will be made. The method of payment calculation results in the grower who receives the higher price for his wool being eligible for a larger incentive payment than the grower who gets a lower price for the same quality and quantity of wool.

Mr. Gray also explained that the payment rate on sales of unshorn lambs—to compensate for the wool on them—will be 71 cents per hundredweight of live animals sold. No payments will be made on mohair sold during the 1956 marketing year because the mohair price received by producers averaged 84.4 cents per pound, which is well above the 70 cents per pound incentive payment set by the U. S. Department of Agriculture.

The shorn wool payment rate was determined on the basis of the average price producers received for shorn wool during 1956, according to prices reported by farmers in their applications for payment.

County ASC offices have begun making payments. It will not be necessary for the producers to contact the county offices as all payments will be mailed to the producers who filed applications. The applications for the payments must have been filed with the ASC offices by April 30. The payments will be made on shorn wool and lambs marketed only between April 1, 1956 and March 31, 1956. To be eligible for payments, the wool must have been shorn after January 1, 1955 and lambs must never have been shorn.

The wool programs for 1956 and 1957 are substantially the same, the chairman said, but there is a change from the 1955 program in the lamb payment method. Under the 1956 program, each producer who owned lambs for 30 days or longer and sold them unshorn is eligible for a payment. Under the 1955 program, the entire payment was made to the last owner who sold the lambs for slaughter. The 1956 and 1957 lamb payments will be shared by the producers or feeder owners who held the lambs over 30 days on the basis of the weight during each ownership.

Mr. Gray points out that the incentive price for the 1957 marketing year is being continued at 62 cents per pound grease basis. The payment rates for the 1957 program will be determined in mid-1957 when the average wool price on 1957 marketings becomes known.

Deductions of 1 cent per pound from shorn wool payments and 5 cents per hundred pounds of live-weight from unshorn lamb payments will be made for the advertising, promotion, and related market development activities on wool and lambs. The deductions were approved in 1955 in a producers referendum.

**Crops Lag Behind Population**  
United Nations, N. Y. — According to a recent United Nations survey, food output throughout the world increased only 8 per cent in the decade ended in 1955 while population increased 11 per cent.

**More On Sparing The Switch**  
Logan, W. Va. — Circuit Judge C. C. Chambers, expressed approval of a proposed legislative measure that would switch responsibility to parents for the action of their children, said: "Everything in the home today is run by switches, except the children."

# SCHOOL TRUANCY COST \$869 A DAY LAST YEAR

Floyd county lost an average of \$869.38 a day last year due to low or irregular pupil attendance, according to the office of the county superintendent. Total loss for the year was set at \$148,664.66.

This loss had to be made up from local funds, it was pointed out, because the state under the Minimum Foundation Law pays for the average daily attendance of pupils and not on a per capita basis as was done two years ago.

Efforts of the school system to close the gap between the number of pupils enrolled and the average daily attendance (or A. D. A., as educators call it) have resulted in an increased enrollment and attendance. But much still remains to be accomplished if this huge bite from local school funds is prevented in the future.

Illustrative of the closing of the gap between the pupil census, membership and A. D. A. are the figures on each since the school year 1945-46. The census that year was 15,299, enrollment was 12,793 and the A. D. A. was 9,704, which was a huge discrepancy. It didn't matter much then because the state paid a per capita on the census.

Two years ago the census was down slightly to 14,989 pupils, the enrollment was up to 14,023 and the A. D. A. had increased to 11,868. Thus the gap narrowed. Last year the census dropped again to 14,679, the enrollment increased to 14,093 and the A. D. A. rose to 11,947. Still the gap remained un-closed but the effort to do so was having results, it was pointed out.

A pointed example of how low A. D. A. will cost a county school system under the Minimum Foundation Law is the Hunter school on Left Beaver Creek.

This school is normally a two-teacher school with a census of 97 pupils. To have two teachers with salaries paid by the state there should have been an A. D. A. last year of 54 pupils, since the Minimum Foundation Law pays salaries on the basis of classrooms set at 27 pupils each. But the A. D. A. for Hunter was only 39, far short of the law's requirement for two classrooms.

If the attendance had been more regular the A. D. A. would have exceeded 39 to the extent that the state would probably have been able to pay two teachers' salaries this year, but since it wasn't the Board of Education has just two alternatives—first employ only one teacher and overload her with too many pupils or employ two teachers and lose half of one salary from the state, roughly set at \$1,200, as there would be only enough pupils for one and one-half teachers.

**'OLD HOME WEEK'**  
Fifty-six Floyd countians were vacationing at Myrtle Beach, S. C., at one time last week. These included Misses Martha and Sally Burchett, Miss Peggy Parker, Roger Colvin, Gary Thompson and the following couples and their children: Mr. and Mrs. George Evans, of Estill; and from Prestonsburg, Mr. and Mrs. John Allen, Mr. and Mrs. Burl Spurlock, Mr. and Mrs. R. V. May, Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Latta, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. John Hardin, Mr. and Mrs. Paul C. Combs, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Hereford, Mr. and Mrs. Martin Lee May, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Allen, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Music, Mr. and Mrs. Blaine Hall.

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Superintendent V. O. Turner points out that the law penalizes a school system for a situation like this but doesn't offer any premium payment for overloaded teachers with an excess above the arbitrary figure of 27.

A further analysis of the Hunter situation, which was picked at random as illustrative of a very knotty problem, shows that in the six grades taught there were actually 54 pupils in the census. The other two grades and high school, the pupils attending elsewhere, had 35 pupils pupils with which of course the school system could not be credited. In addition, there were eight pupils not entering at all.

How to solve a vexatious situation like this taxes the ingenuity of any administrator; it was commented it could be resolved, probably, by a better attendance record of the pupils and it might not, depending if the A. D. A. was raised. It might help to get the eight not entering to attend but an analysis of why they didn't enter showed only one who could have attended and didn't. It would have helped to require seven pupils from Hunter attending the Martin grades and one attending the Drift school to return to Hunter but the Board of Education feels that the exercise of such discretion would be arbitrary.

The Division of Pupil Personnel of the Floyd Board of Education in a table prepared recently reveals the huge drop-out of pupils from entrance in first grade to high school graduation. Only 435 graduated from high school this year from the 3,337 who entered elementary school in 1945. The figures for those continuing in school dropped to 1,708 in the second grade; 1,548 in third; 1,525, fourth; 1,164, fifth; 1,086, sixth; 975, seventh; 775, eighth; 507, ninth; 414 tenth; 469, eleventh grade.

General causes of non-attendance in this county are listed in six categories by attendance officers. They are the financial status of the family, indifference of parents, sickness, distance to walk to bus or school, marital status of parents and plain "hookey."

County Superintendent Turner commented this week that the teachers and many parents were doing an excellent job in helping to increase the average daily attendance.

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## Mobile Chest X-Ray To Visit Floyd County, M. V. Clark Announces

M. V. Clark, administrator of the Floyd County Health Department, announced this week that in cooperation with the Floyd County Medical Society, Floyd County Tuberculosis Association and the Floyd County Health Department, the mobile chest X-ray unit will visit Floyd county, August 13 through August 23.

Clark said, "Due to the wonderful accomplishments we have made so far in the eradication of tuberculosis in our county, I urge that everyone get a chest X-ray while the unit is in the county at this time. Early discovery of t.b. can be cured, and the mobile unit services are free." The schedule of locations and dates of the unit will be announced later.

## SHATTERING EXPERIENCE

Huntington, W. Va. — The honesty of a cub scout turned out to be the best policy of his parents.

Harry Martin of Huntington found this note on his front door: "My name is Rocky Harris. I live at 2926 Chase Street. My phone is 2-2281. I broke your window with a ball. I will pay for it."

Martin refused an offer from the Harrises to replace the glass, saying, "This note is worth more to me than the window."

The DEW (Distant Early Warning) line is composed of radar bases from Alaska to Baffin Island (just short of the coast of Greenland on the west side). The line follows the 70th Parallel. These electronic signals will give Canada and the United States from four-to-six-hour warning in case of attack over the North Pole.

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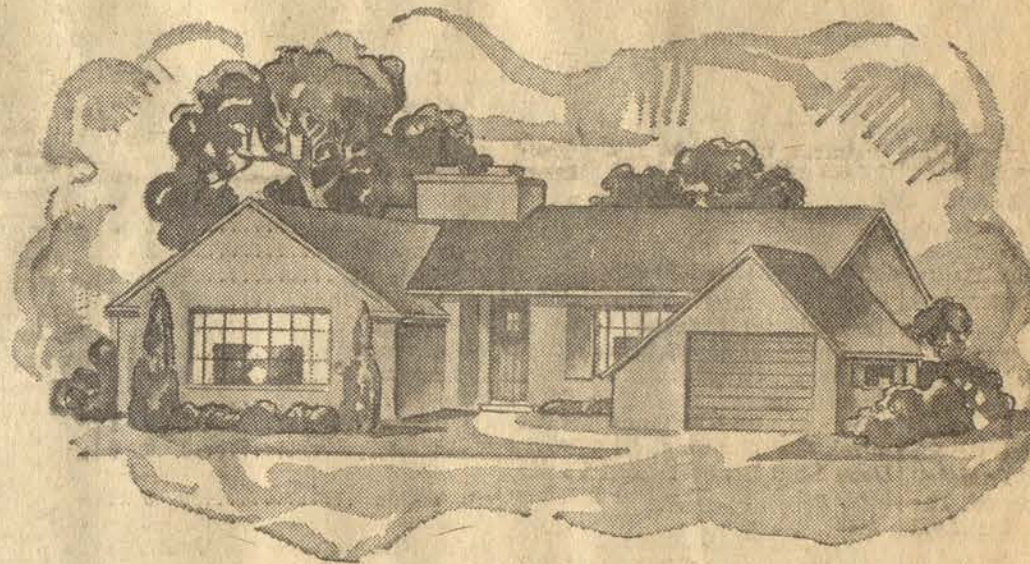
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The Officers and Directors of **FLOYD FEDERAL** take this opportunity to thank you, the people of Floyd County, for the splendid reception you have already given to **FLOYD FEDERAL**.

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# FLOYD COUNTY FEDERAL SAVINGS AND LOAN ASSOCIATION

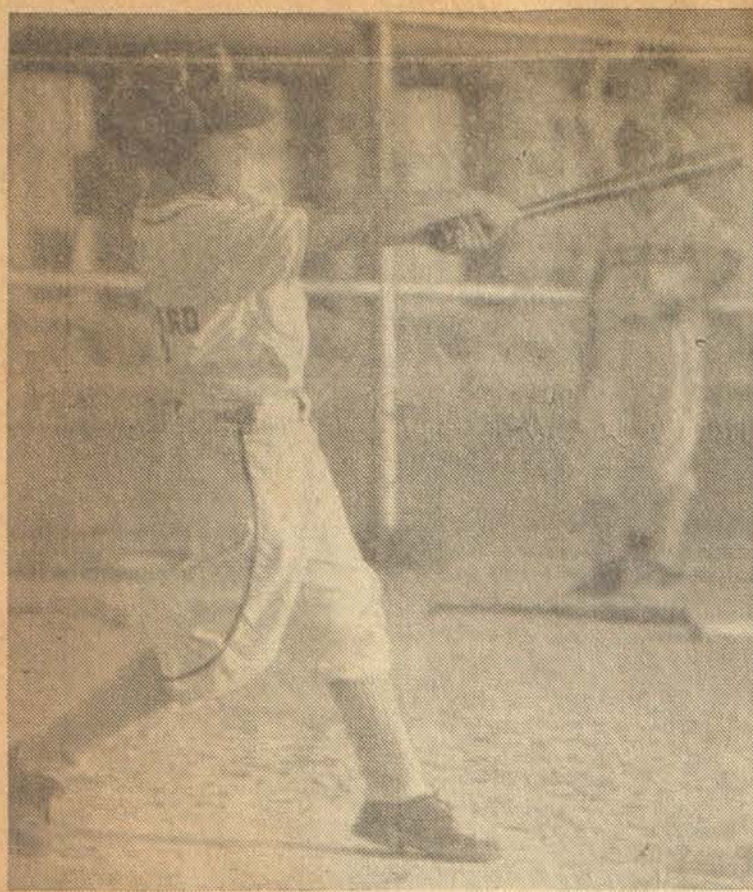
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Donnie Nunnery, son of Mr. and Mrs. Byron Nunnery, takes a mighty cut at the ball and stirs nothing but the breeze. Causing Donnie's strained and contorted face was the pitching of Indians ace Bobby Mills. The Indians edged the Cards, 5-4, by a last-inning rally.

## P'BURG BEATS GRASSY CREEK

**Veteran Returns to Game To Van Merchants; Sport Faces Stiff Competition**

The Prestonsburg independent baseball team bunched five hits and a hit batsman for five runs Sunday to snow under Grassy Creek, 9 to 5, while playing at Inez.

Junior May, a baseball veteran who campaigned with the state champions of 1946, returned to action this year and hung out four hits in five tries in pacing the Prestonsburg attack.

### TEAM ON SLIGHT BUDGET

The slim-budgeted Prestonsburg team has been operating mainly on the pocketbooks of the players and manager Amon Childers. It was said this week. Since baseball faded to near oblivion in 1948 the current Prestonsburg nine brought baseball back to Prestonsburg in 1953.

The financial woes of the team has been the inevitable result of competing with the lake, television, and swimming pools which have provided the recreational outlets for Prestonsburg. While the team sports a comfortable seating arrangement (a tall shade tree towers over the grandstand), and an acceptable grade of baseball, the lure of the lake, swimming pools, and the living-room television set have almost proved too much for the local nine.

West Liberty, a smaller town but not having access to swimming pools and Dewey Lake, has a thriving baseball team in the Blue Grass League. Fans flock to the ball park for an evening's entertainment and the West Liberty team returns the attendance with winning baseball.

Manager Amon Childers said the non-support given the team is discouraging but the team would continue to play as long as the players enjoy the game. He said that the team is presently attempting to raise a few dollars for bats and balls in selling chances on a deep-fryer.

The team has not been playing just to be playing, its record indicates. In the last four years they have been contenders in the state amateur tournament and, last year, was runner-up in the state finals.

A double-header with Blaine will be played at the field located beside the Floyd County High school this Sunday.

Prestonsburg	AB	R	H
Petrovich, 2b	5	1	2
G. Dixon, ss	4	2	2
Sullivan, 3b	4	1	1
Blackburn, 1b	5	2	2
Wilcox, cf	5	1	2
W. Dixon, rf	5	1	3
J. Harris, lf	3	1	0
Ellis, c	4	0	1
C. Harris, ph	1	0	1
C. Patton, p	3	0	0
<b>Totals</b>	<b>39</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>14</b>

Paintsville	AB	R	H
Bailey, 2b	1	0	0
D. Patton, 2b	4	1	2
J. Colvin, cf	4	0	0
Belvion, cf	1	0	0
Gilliam, 3b	5	1	0
Deckey, 1b	4	1	3
Pelphrey, lf	4	0	1
Conley, lf	1	0	0
Mollett, rf	5	1	2
F. Patton, c	4	1	0
T. Daniels, ss	3	0	0
B. Patton, p	3	0	0
<b>Totals</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>9</b>

Prestonsburg	AB	R	H
Hughes, ss	5	1	1
Petrovich, 2b	5	0	2
Wilcox, cf	5	2	2
Ellis, c	5	3	1
Dotson, rf	3	1	1
Childers, 3b	5	0	0
May, lf	5	1	4
T. Harris, lf	5	1	2
A. Blackburn, p	6	1	0
<b>Totals</b>	<b>43</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>13</b>

Grassy Creek	AB	R	H
Harman, ss	5	1	2
D. Marcum, lf	5	2	3
Meade, 3b	4	0	2
F. Meade, 2b	4	0	2
Webb, rf	3	0	0
S. Marcum, cf	4	0	2
F. Branham, 1b	3	1	0
B. Kirk, p	4	0	0
T. Marcum, c	4	0	0
<b>Totals</b>	<b>36</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>11</b>

PRESTONSBURG MERCHANTS	Team Batting Average
A. Blackburn, p-1b	.556
W. Dixon, cf	.426
P. Hughes, ss-2b	.393
G. Dixon, ss	.349
J. Ellis, c	.404
D. Sullivan, inf	.333
J. Harris, cf	.318
Dotson, cf	.313
Petrovich, inf-cf	.280
A. Childers, inf	.142
W. Childers, 3b	.308

**BIG THIRST**  
Sayre, Okla. — Jewel Burden loved the giant cottonwood trees on his farm until he got to talking to a soil conservationist. He learned that each tree removes 600 gallons of water a day from his drought stricken soil.

## SPORTS CHATTER

By GORDON MOORE

### STATE SEMI-PRO TOURNAMENT

The Kentucky state semi-professional baseball tournament will be held at the Paintsville Play-ground this week-end with play to begin Friday morning in the double-elimination event.

Length of the tournament will depend on the number of teams competing for the championship, but tournament manager Ford Ferguson said that in all probability four days will be required if all prospective entrants showed up.

Teams from Prestonsburg, Paintsville, Louisa, Ashland, West Liberty, and Wheelwright, along with five members of the Blue Grass League, have expressed their intention to enter.

Deadline for entering is 2 p.m. Thursday afternoon, and all applications must be in Mr. Ferguson's office before that time.

### REDLEGS' TRY-OUT CAMP

The Cincinnati Redlegs will conduct a tryout camp in Ashland's Central Park at 10:00 a.m., July 26 and 27. Participants are expected to be in uniform, need only their gloves.

### REPRESENTS LOCAL JAYCES

Harold VanHoose, Paintsville high school junior, represented the Prestonsburg Junior Chamber of Commerce in the state Junior Chamber of Commerce Golf tournament in Greenville during the early part of the week.

### WRAPPING UP THE KENTUCKY OPEN

Paintsville was the scene of the Open in 1948 and the State amateur in 1955, and the Invitational tournament, which is set for July 26, 27 and 28, has always attracted more than 200 golfers. Last year, 241 golfers from the tri-state area took part in the Paintsville affair.

Al Atkins, Ashland pro who won this year's Open over Louisville's Fithian Show in a sudden-death play-off, has played in eight Kentucky Open Tournaments and has never finished worse than 10th. He won the Paintsville Pro-Am six times and won the First Paintsville Invitational in 1942.

Bryan Hall, Paintsville high's crack baseball and golfing ace, finished play with a 225-total, 13 strokes back of champion Atkins' 212 for 54 holes.

### UK COACHING CLINIC

Final plans for the University of Kentucky coaching clinic have been completed with several of the leading coaches in the United States on the agenda, for the four day affair, beginning August 7 and running through the 10th.

The free clinic will be climaxed by the traditional high school coaches all-star basketball and football games. On Saturday the 10th, the cage game will be played in the Memorial Coliseum at 7:00 p.m., and immediately thereafter the scene will shift to Stoll field for the football contest.

Prestonsburg's star lineman Bruce Howard and fullback Buford Crager will play with the East grid team in the East-West game.

Highlighting the football program will be Ara Parseghian, formerly of Miami, Ohio, and now head football master at Northwestern University, and Kentucky's own Blanton Collier. Johnny Jordan, Notre Dame's baseball mentor, and Kentucky's Adolph Rupp will head the basketball program. Baseball and track coaches are also on the card.

### Drugs Linked to Japan Crime

Tokyo — Dr. Hiroshi Takamine, a leading Japanese psychiatrist reports 42 per cent of the criminals arrested in Tokyo have "character abnormalities" from habitual use of a stimulant drug.

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## State Requests Bids On Superhighway Job

The state is seeking bids on a contract to start construction on the first stretch of four-lane superhighway to be built in Kentucky's expanding road program with 9-to-1 federal matching money.

The project is for grade and drain work on 6.26 miles of the Louisville-Tennessee state line interstate superhighway in Har-din county.

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## LITTLE LEAGUE MANAGERS IN FLOYD COUNTY!

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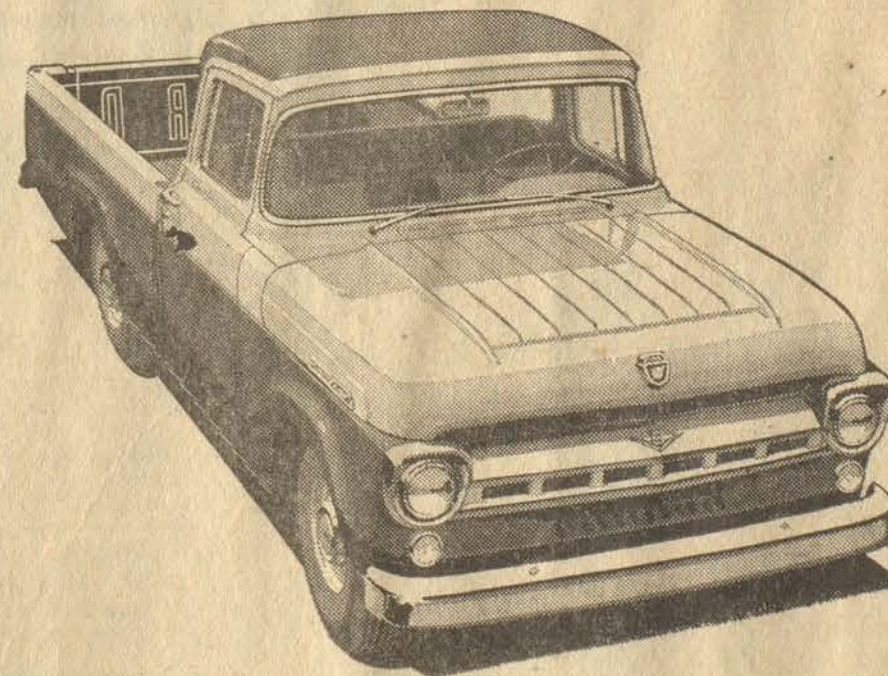
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## Tourney Schedule Drawn For Little League Tilts; Ashland Picked For Final

Representatives of District Three of Kentucky Little League baseball have drawn up their tournament schedules for the 1957 eliminations.

At a meeting in Hazard yesterday afternoon, the group designated Ashland, Prestonsburg, Hyden, and Benham as sites for local tournaments and Ashland as the district finals.

In the Prestonsburg Sectional, play will commence Monday afternoon, July 22, at 3:00 p.m., with Pikeville meeting Martin and in the second game at 5:00 p.m. on the same day. Prestonsburg will tangle with Paintsville.

Winners of Monday's game will vie for the championship, Tuesday, July 23, at 5:00 p.m.

The victor of the Prestonsburg sectional will move onto Ashland for the regional tournament July 30 and 31, along with winners from the Hyden, Benham and Ashland tournaments.

Ashland's winner (District Three) will move onto Fort Knox for the State Tournament which will be held August 2nd and 3rd, with three other state-wide district winners.

### OUTSTANDING FARM

One of the best appointed thoroughbred breeding farms in the Bluegrass of Kentucky is Mrs. Elizabeth N. Graham's Maine Chance Farm, Lexington, Ky., where stand the stallions Ace Admiral, Gun Shot, Jet Jewel, Jet's Date, Lord Boswell, Lord Vanity, Mr. Busher, Royal Blood and War Jeep.

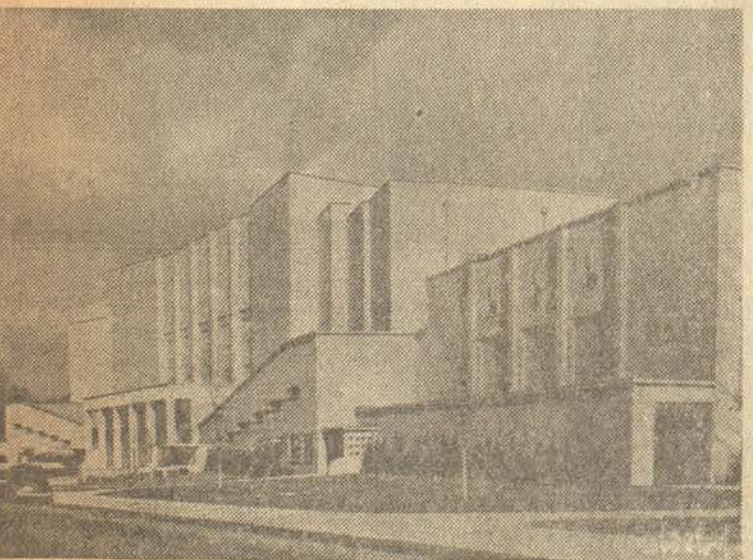
### POPULAR IN STUD

Rejected, outstanding race horse which won \$549,500 in five seasons of racing, entered the stud in 1957 at King Ranch in Lexington, Ky., and proved so popular that his breeding book was filled to capacity within one week after it was opened.

Eight of the 11 baseball games Brooklyn will play in St. Louis this season are listed under lights.

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**PFC. LITTLE ASSIGNED**  
Fort Benning, Ga. — Pfc. David Little, 22, whose wife, Betty, and parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ballard Little, live in Weeksbury, Ky., recently was assigned to the 539th Ordnance Company at Fort Benning Ga.

Little, a body and fender repairman, entered the Army last October and completed basic training at Fort Carson, Colo.

**Kanawha Johnson Dies At Age of 36, July 7**

Kanawha Johnson, 36, of Kite, died at the Beaver Valley hospital July 7 at 12:45 a.m.

Johnson, the son of Caleb and Angeline Hall Johnson, is survived by his wife, Minda Johnson; four brothers, Wid Johnson, Topmost, Estill Johnson, Kite, George Johnson, Topmost, and Calvin Johnson, Topmost; three sisters, Mrs. Zetta Bates, Roxanna, Mrs. Leta Bates, Whitesburg, and Mrs. Rosanna Thornsbury, Kite.

Funeral services were held at the Johnson home July 11 and burial services, under the direction of Turner and Ryan Funeral Home, were held in the family cemetery.

**James McClellan Bevins, Age 75, Accident Victim Near Home In Pike County**

James McClellan Bevins, 75 years old, father of Fariest "Trooper" Bevins, of Prestonsburg, was fatally injured late Saturday afternoon when he was struck by an auto as he crossed U. S. 119 near his farm-home at Meta, Pike county. He died at the Methodist hospital, Pikeville, at 11 o'clock that night.

Twenty-year-old Ralph Winchester, of Belfry, driver of the car which struck him, was not booked on any charge when state police arrived at the decision the accident was unavoidable and that he was driving at reasonable speed.

His son who resides here is a service man for the Kentucky Power Company. Other survivors are his widow, Mrs. Bertha Bevins, and the following sons and daughters: Elmer, Forrest and Ray Bevins, Jr., Ironton, O., Mrs. Mamie Blackburn, Williamson, W. Va., Mrs. Myrtle Stratton, South Williamson, Mrs. Imel Bevins, Turkey Creek, Ky., Mrs. Irene Bevins, of Indiana, and Mrs. Ruby Jean Scott, of Meta. He also leaves 40 grandchildren, 19 great-grandchildren, two brothers and a sister.

Burial was made Tuesday in the Bent Ridge cemetery at Meta.

**PHONE CHANGE IN PIKEVILLE**

**Awaits Building Work, Manager Strauss Says; Cost Set at \$1,000,000**

Plans to convert Pikeville's telephone system to dial operation were announced last week by Carl Stauss, group manager of the Southern Bell Telephone & Telegraph Company.

Stauss said construction of a modern \$1,000,000 telephone building, to be located on Second street, will be started about July 15, and is scheduled for completion December. After the building is completed installation of new dial plans call for the entire project to be completed by June, 1958.


A new telephone numbering plan will be introduced at the same time the change over to dial is made. Stauss said the new system will make possible faster and more accurate long distance service. Adoption of the plan enables long distance operators to dial telephone numbers in participating exchanges much the same as a local number is dialed. It will also eventually provide for customer direct distance dialing.

Under the new plan, Stauss explained, all exchange telephone numbers will consist of an office name followed by five numbers. All Pikeville telephone numbers will be composed of the name General and five numbers. As an example after the change—General 7-1234.

"Construction of the new dial office at Pikeville", Stauss said, "is another step in the Telephone Company's \$10,000,000 expansion program in Kentucky.

Two houses and lots joining the present exchange on Main Street have been purchased by the telephone company to provide for the new building.

**ALLEN RETIRES**



Troy P. Allen, of Martin, retired July 1 from service with the Production Department of United Fuel Gas Company. He was employed in the Southern Division of the production department.

Mr. Allen, who was first employed with the company in 1928, retired about three and a half years before the usual retirement of 65.

Previous to his employment with United Fuel, Mr. Allen was a tippie foreman for Wakenva Coal Company at Garth. He and his wife are the parents of two children.

**"THE JOKER" DISAPPOINTED**

**Apparatus Fails Burglar In David Break; Martin Building Also Entered**

Two Floyd county buildings were entered this week but attempts at looting failed, Sheriff Collins said.

One of the burglars called himself "The Joker" in leaving a note after attempting to open a safe in the Princess Elkhorn Coal Company office building at David, Wednesday night.

Collins said whoever entered the building "certainly knew the lay of the land." He said entrance was gained by crawling under the floor of the building and knocking three concrete blocks out of the basement.

The combination lock was then knocked off the office safe in an unsuccessful attempt to open it. The disgruntled thief, according to Collins, then left a crudely scrawled note which read: "My drill wouldn't work, You're lucky this time. Signed 'The Joker'."

Collins said that an unsuccessful attempt was also made to enter another office. When the burglar attempted to gain entrance to Mallory Store, also in the same building, a burglar alarm was set off. Several fingerprints were found, he said, along with a screwdriver.

The People's Finance Company, in the Keathley Building at Martin, was entered Tuesday, and efforts there to open the office safe also failed.

The combination lock was knocked off but entry to the safe was not effected. Collins said he and Deputy Sheriff Don Sullivan made a search for fingerprints but found everything had been wiped clean.

The Sheriff said Lawrence Keathley, owner of the building, attempted to call State Police to investigate the break-in but they refused to take part in the case. He said State Police told Keathley they had been ordered out of Martin and would not take any part in a police effort until given permission to come into the town.

**WATCH SALES GROW**

Paris—Sales of French watches have increased regularly in recent years and doubled from 1954 to 1956. Finished clocks and watches constituted 65 per cent of last year's exports of timepieces; parts and incomplete works made up the rest.

Boston—United States Fish and Wildlife Service scientists are investigating the home life of the sea scallop 120 feet under water off New England. One tool they are using is a submarine television camera.

**STURDY PICKER**

Hartland, N. B. — Moses Hillman is looking forward to another good potato-picking season in this district. Last year he picked 1,000 bags. Moses is 87 years old, and an active church worker.


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**Elmer M. Burchett, 85, Retired Miner, Succumbs At Home on Bayes Branch**

Elmer M. Burchett, 85 years old, retired miner, died at 1 a.m., Sunday at his home on Bayes Branch, near Auxier, after an illness of three weeks.

A son of Daniel and Frances Stewart Burchett, he was a native of this county. His wife, Lula May Horne Burchett, preceded him in death three years ago.

Surviving are three sons and four daughters, Bill and Albert Burchett, both of Auxier, Lon Burchett, of Lancer, Mrs. Bess Harmon, Grundy, Va., Mrs. Ann Baldrige, Hillsboro, O., Misses Myrtle and Goldie Burchett, both of Auxier. One brother, Daniel Burchett, Hillsboro, O., also survives.

The funeral was conducted Tuesday from the residence, the Rev. S. C. Honeycutt officiating. Burial in Bayes Branch cemetery was directed by the Carter & Callihan Funeral Home.

**Former P'burg Resident, Mrs. Fannie Thompson, 76, Dies After Long Illness**

Mrs. Fannie Thompson, 76 years old, of Wellston, O., former local resident, died Friday at the Prestonsburg General hospital following a long illness.

A daughter of the late Morgan and Nancy Brown Helton, Mrs. Thompson was a native of the Middle Creek section of this county. She is survived by her husband, Isaac Thompson, Wellston, O., and the following sons and daughters: George Thompson, Wheelwright; Mrs. James Kittle, Chicago; Bennie Thompson, Melvin; Mrs. Joe Tackett, Weeksbury; Mrs. Scott Wallen, Lancer; Mrs. Michael Oswald, Jr., and Mrs. Floyd Anderson, both of Chicago; John J. Thompson, Wheelwright; Russel Thompson, Ray, O.; Mrs. Janet Seavers, Louisville; Willard Thompson, Columbus, O.; Mrs. James D. Kincheloe, Louisville. She leaves four half-brothers and three half-sisters, Bennie Hale, of Michigan, Taylor Risner, of Risner, Sam Risner, Carey, O., Henry Risner, Adrian, O., Mrs. Dayrus Montgomery, of Blue River, Mrs. Crawford Sturgill, of Manton, and Mrs. Grant Ratliff, Fullerton, Ky. Forty-two grandchildren and nine great-grandchildren also survive.

The funeral was conducted Saturday from the home of Mrs. Scott Wallen at Lancer, the Rev. Wallace Calhoun officiating. Burial was made in the Mayo cemetery there, the Moore Funeral Home directing.

**Policeman's Move Brings a Bite**

Omaha, Neb. — While talking with a boy, policeman Carl Vacco placed his hand on the lad's arm. The boy's dog promptly sank his teeth into the patrolman's leg.

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Monday, 7:30 p.m., Commission on Education meets.  
Tuesday, 8:15 p.m., Young Adults' monthly supper.  
Wednesday, 7:00 a.m., Men's Prayer breakfast.  
7:30 p.m., Weekly prayer service.  
8:15 p.m., Chancel choir practice.  
Vacation Bible School continues this week, Monday through Friday.  
Training for officers of W.S.C.S. to be held at Paintsville Mayo Memorial Church on Thursday, July 25, from 12:30 to 3:30 p.m. All officers urged to attend.

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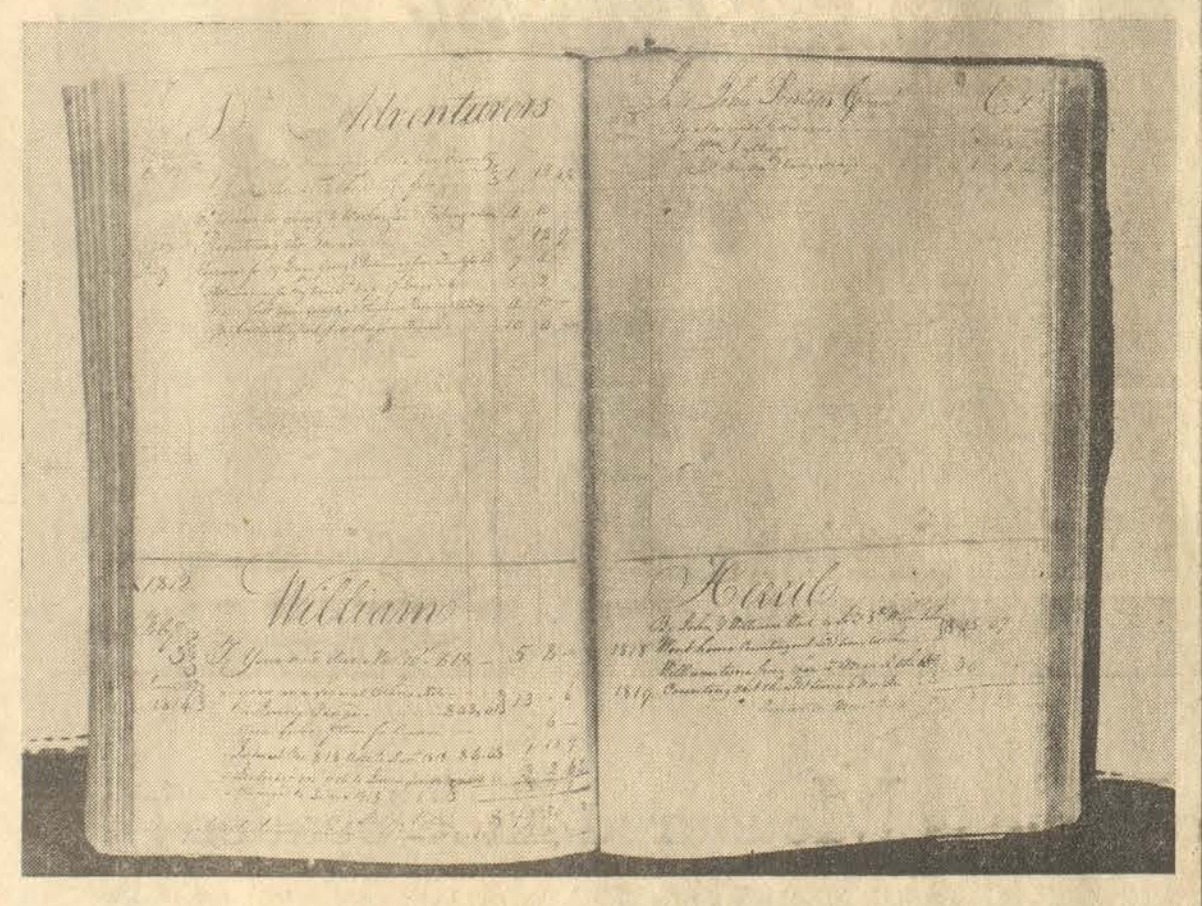
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John Graham (1765-1835), Floyd county pioneer settler, surveyed for Col. John Preston of Virginia the site of Prestonsburg in 1797. It was called Preston's Station then but became Prestonsburg when the county of Floyd was organized in 1800.

Shown here is a reproduction of the page in the Graham book listing debits and credits under the heading, "Adventurers In John Preston's Grant." The account of William Harrel is dated 1812 but there are accounts in the book dated in the year 1800 which was four years before Graham settled at the present Emma. William Harrel (Herald) emigrated to Arkansas in 1835 with the Browns Spears, Youngs and others to found Brown's Landing on the Arkansas River. William Harrel returned to Floyd county in 1848.

Judge John Graham was Floyd county's first banker as he conducted a lending business at his home. He contributed much to develop early Floyd county. The First National Bank, founded in 1904, one hundred years after the pioneer judge settled at Emma, has continued through the years to avail itself of every opportunity to promote the economic welfare of Floyd county and its people.

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**Woodcraft Organization Holds 3-Day Encampment; Leaders, Guards Assist**

The Boys of Woodcraft encampment at Camp Shawnee in the Dewey Lake area attracted 14 youngsters for the week-end outing of July 12, 13, 14, according to leaders attending. The outing was under the direction of J. B. Blalock, station manager of the Woodmen of the World, of Omaha, Nebr.

Two lifeguards, one from the University of Tennessee and the other from Virginia watched over the swimming activities of the boys. There were contests in swimming featured with diving and relay races. Other activities of the camp were hiking, handicrafts and softball. The Martin team won the ball game Saturday's activities ended with a watermelon feast at Camp Shawnee. Camp closed Sunday following Sunday School conducted by Bill Justice, of Pikeville.

Leaders attending the encampment, besides Blalock and Justice were Henry C. Bailey, of Paintsville, Ernest Turner, of Drift, Howard Hall, Pikeville, Olven Arnet, Salyersville, French Holbrook, of Jackson, and Sherman Arnett, of Morehead.

**Exports Buy Less**

Marselle—The proportion of French imports from the United States that were paid for by exports to the United States dropped from 45 per cent in 1955 to 23 per cent in 1956, or back to the prewar level.

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In Pikeville City Schools;  
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Other, School Principal

One Prestonsburg high school graduate this month became top man in the Pikeville city schools and another began his duties as No. 2 in the system.

Harry Banks, son of Ed Banks, of Bull Creek, became superintendent of Pikeville schools, and Clyde Senters, son of the Rev. Carl Senters, Betsy Layne, assumed the duties of high school principal. Banks was inducted to office, the oath being administered by Circuit Judge Jean L. Auxier.

Banks accepted a four-year contract with the city school board. He went to Pikeville after serving as supervisor of in-service teacher education with the Kentucky State Department of Education. In the past he has served as director of the Pikeville College's Training School, as high school principal in Perry county and teacher and elementary principal in Floyd county. He attended Pikeville College, and holds degrees from the University of Kentucky. He is now working on his doctorate.

Mr. Senters resigned the principalship of an Iowa high school to return to this section.

### KIND CAPTOR

Denver Colo.—Raquel Cordova, a grocer, is certainly a man who holds on grudges. Cordova captured Alfonso Vigil attempting to burglarize his grocery store. Afterwards, he provided food for Vigil's wife and nine children to eat while Vigil is in jail.

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**"Man in the Gray Flannel Suit"**

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Jayne Mansfield, Tom Ewell

**"War Drums"**  
(Color)

Lex Barker, Joan Taylor

**"Warpath"**  
(Technicolor)

Edmond O'Brian, Arlene Dahl

SUN.-MON.—

**"The Spirit of St. Louis"**  
(CinemaScope-Color)

James Stewart, Shelia Bond

TUES.-WED.—

**"Lizzie"**

Eleanor Parker, Richard Boone

**"Lord of the Jungle"**

Johnny Sheffield, Jane Nigh

THURS.-FRI.—

**"Badlands of Montana"**

Rex Reason, Margia Dean

## SHERIFF'S SALE

Floyd Circuit Court  
Creed Martin Plaintiff

Vs: Notice of Sale under Execution  
Arthur Martin Defendant

By virtue of execution number 13240 directed to me which issued from the Clerk's Office of the Floyd Circuit Court in favor of Creed Martin against Arthur Martin, I, or one of my deputies, will, on Monday the 6th day of August, 1957, at the hour of 10 o'clock a.m. at the Courthouse door in the City of Prestonsburg, Kentucky, expose to public sale, to the highest and best bidder the following described property (or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy plaintiff's debt, interest and cost) to-wit:

"Tract No. 1  
Beginning at a stake in the southeast side of a thirty foot street; thence running with the southeast side of said thirty foot street S 26 40 W 75.47 feet to a stake; thence S 68 30 W 98.49 feet to its intersection with the northeast side of a twenty foot street; thence leaving the said thirty foot street and running with the northeast side of said twenty foot street S 35 00 E 92 feet more or less to a stake at its intersection with the North side of another twenty foot street; thence leaving the said first twenty foot street and running the North side of said second twenty foot street in an easterly direction 215 feet more or less to a stake at the end of said second twenty foot street; thence running across the end of said second twenty foot street S 63 20 E 21 feet; more or less to a stake on south side at the end of said second twenty foot street; thence leaving the end of said second twenty foot street and running N 41 45 E 51.79 feet to a stake; thence N 63 20 W. 203.23 feet back to the beginning so as to include all of lots numbers 1, 2, 3 and 4 in Block 1 as shown on map filed.

"Tract No. 2  
"All mineral rights the first party now owns in that certain tract of land purchased from Edward Howell and Maggie Howell which is located upon Branham's Creek."  
Levied upon as the property of Arthur Martin.

Said sale will be made on a credit of three (3) months, bond with approved surety required, bearing interest at the rate of 6% per annum from the day of sale and having the force and effect of a replevin bond.

This 8 day of June, 1957.  
Gormon Collins, Sheriff

7-17-3t.  
(Cost of adv. \$21.38)

### Roy Colvin, 67, Father Of Prestonsburg Man, Succumbs in Johnson

Roy Colvin, 67, well-known farmer, of Manlia, Johnson county, died at his home at 5:10 p.m., Thursday of last week following a long illness. He was the father of Bert Colvin, Prestonsburg automobile dealer.

The son of Manford and Sarena Reed Colvin, he had been a lifelong resident of Manlia. He was a member of the United Baptist Church.

Survivors include his widow, Dora Caudill Colvin; and another son, Don Colvin, of Paintsville. Also surviving are three grandsons and one granddaughter.

Funeral services were conducted at the Fish Trap Church at 10:30 a.m., last Sunday with C. C. Sparks, Vencil Pelphrey, Lonza Reed and Oscar McCarty as officiating ministers. Burial was in the family cemetery.

## MARTIN THEATRE

"WHERE THE CROWDS GO"

FRIDAY—

**"The Seventh Sin"**

(CinemaScope)  
Eleanor Parker, Bill Travers

**"A Woman's Devotion"**

Ralph Meeker, Janice Rule

SATURDAY—

**"The Virginian"**

(Technicolor)  
Gary Cooper, Lola Albright

**"Lord of the Jungle"**

Johnny Sheffield, Jane Nigh

**"Gun The Man Down"**

James Arness, Angie Dickinson

SUN.-MON.—

**"Naked Paradise"**

Richard Denning,  
Beverly Garland

**"Flesh and the Spur"**

John Agar, Mari English

TUESDAY—

**"Funny Face"**

Fred Astaire, Kay Thompson

**"Abbott and Costello Meet Frankenstein"**

Bud Abbott, Lou Costello

WED.-THURS.—

**"Kronos"**

Barbara Lawrence, John Emery

**"The She Devil"**

Mari Blanchard, Albert Dekker

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earning average of \$88.24, but Meade county was close. The Eastern Kentucky county with the highest weekly wage average was Boyd county which paid \$87.79. Average weekly wage payments in a few other Eastern Kentucky counties are Greenup, \$82.83; Harlan, \$77.97; Pike, \$72.96; Floyd, \$72.25; Magoffin, \$52.27; Johnson, \$45.41; and Martin, \$52.15.

The report urges caution in calculating comparisons in the average weekly wage payments.

"This average is valuable as an indicator of the overall wage level of a county when used in certain types of economic analyses," the report says. "However, when used in order to compare going wage rates on a county-by-county basis, caution should be exercised as the average weekly wage is heavily affected by the type of industry which is located in each county. For example a county with a heavy concentration of employment in the chemical industry, such as Marshall and Meade, can be expected to have a higher average wage than a county such as Barren which has a heavy distribution of apparel employment."

### FROM LEADING SIRE

Among the yearlings to be offered by Crown Crest Farm in the annual Keeneland Summer Sales this July are sons and daughters of such leading sires as Dante (England), Greek Ship, Oil Capitol, One Count, Requested, Roman Charger, Sea Charger, Tullar, Windy City II and Your Host.

### JUDGMENT OF VETERAN

Asked if anyone really could "beat the races" betting regularly, famed trainer, "Sunny Jim" Fitzsimmons said, "If they can, I must be a dumb guy; I've been training for 65 years and I know I wouldn't even attempt it."

The Washington Senators won only one of their 11 games played in Cleveland during 1956.



Prestonsburg, Ky.

THURS.-FRI., July 18 - 19—

Double Feature—

**"You Can't Run Away From It"**  
(CinemaScope)

June Allyson, Jack Lemmon

**"Cha-Cha-Cha Boom"**

Perez Prado, Mary Kaye Trio

SATURDAY, July 20—

Double Feature—

**"Walk A Crooked Mile"**

Louis Hayward, Dennis O'Keefe

**"Ten Tall Men"**  
(Technicolor)

Burt Lancaster, Jody Lawrence

LATE SHOW—

**"Shack Out on 101"**

Terry Moore, Frank Lovejoy

SUN.-MON., July 21-22—

**"Fire Down Below"**

Rita Hayworth, Robert Mitchum,  
Jack Lemmon

TUES.-WED., July 23-24—

Double Feature—

**"The True Story of Jesse James"**

Robert Wagner, Jeffrey Hunter

**"The Search for Bridey Murphy"**

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The Bookmobile work in the county hitherto has been carried out by one driver-librarian, Robert Wallace, of Prestonsburg. Effectiveness of the program and the public interest created in it throughout the county has drawn high praise from state library officials.

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a fish-hook out of his thumb, and can keep from wincing, you're a better man than I am, Mr. Din, and you probably missed your calling if you aren't a surgeon.

Thomas K. Swayze has been the University of Mississippi's baseball coach since 1953.

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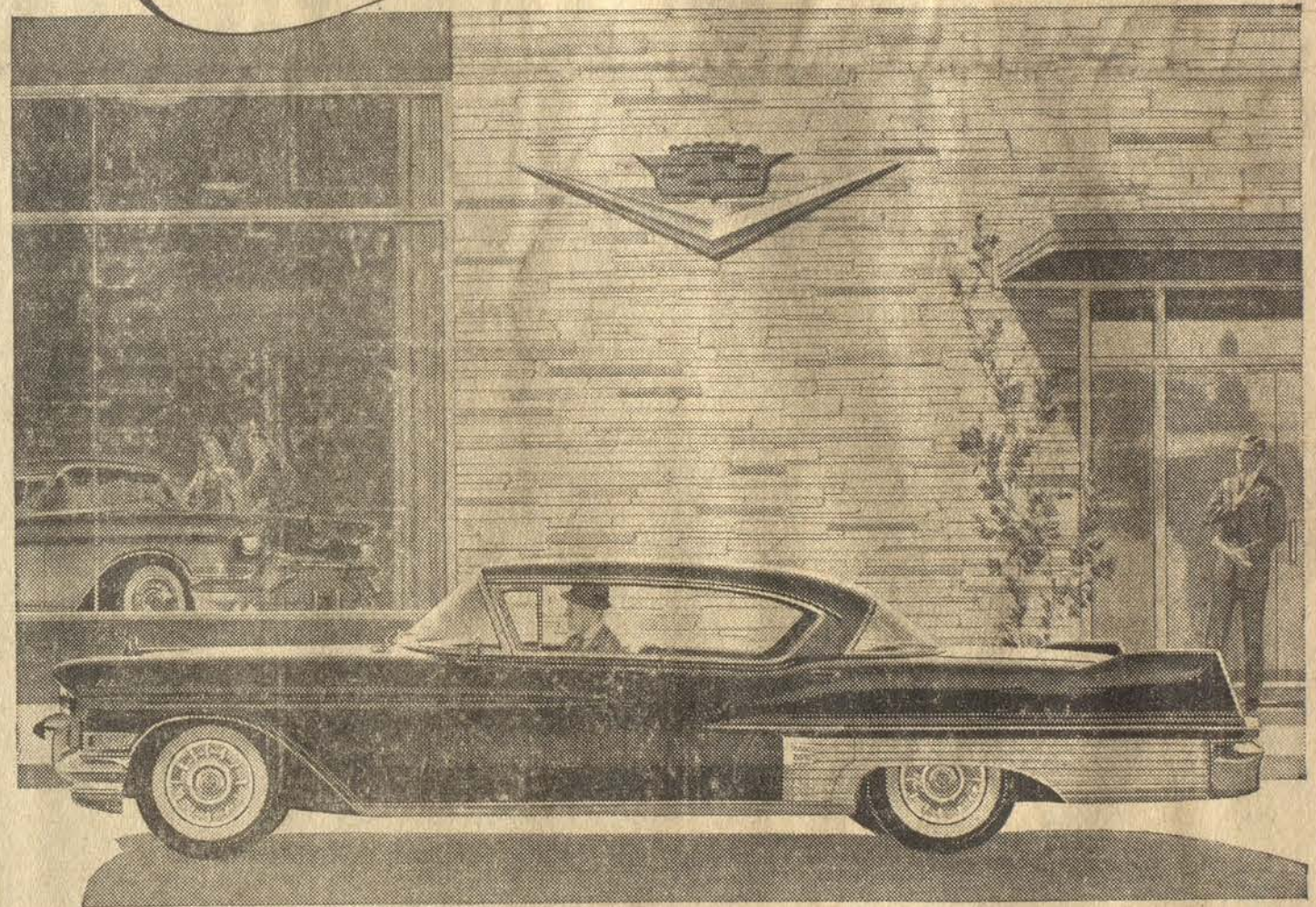
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- 1956 PLYMOUTH, 4 door, push button drive and all accessories.
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- 1955 CHEVROLET, 2 door, Station Wagon.
- 1953 PONTIAC, 2 door, with Hydramatic Transmission, heater and radio.
- 1952 CHEVROLET, 4 door sedan.
- 1950 CHRYSLER, 4 door sedan.
- 1950 PONTIAC, 2 door sedan.

- USED TRUCKS
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It testifies, for instance, to his Cadillac's great quality . . . to its enduring and timeless styling . . . and to its extraordinary dependability.

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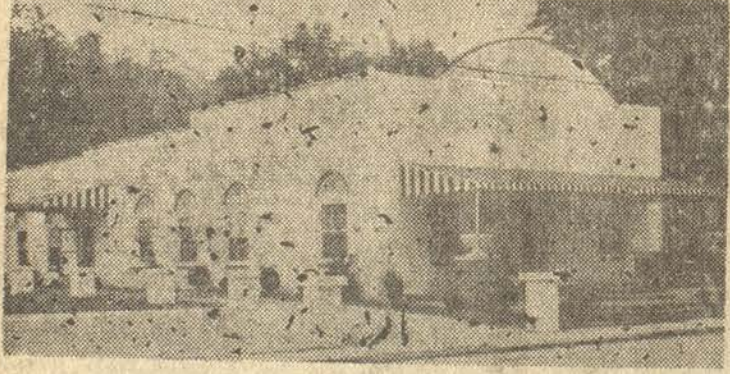
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**Laurel 4-H Youngsters Raise Money For Camp**

London, Ky., June 18—(Special)—When Laurel county's 4-H youngsters were told to help raise money for their new district 4-H Camp in their area, they turned to the soil.

In lightning-fast time they had 9½ acres of green beans planted. They put the highly salable vegetable crop on land donated by county farmers; the county 4-H Council is paying for seed, fertilizer and insecticides; and the kids themselves—from 11 clubs—are doing the labor.

Their project has attracted considerable attention from other counties as well as state and national 4-H officials. If it proves successful—and there's every indication it will—the project doubtless will be copied by many other groups.

Already the beans are approaching harvest time; wet weather hampered the operations some but at least, say the youngsters, there will be no crop failure from drought.

Harvested beans will be sold through the Cumberland Strawberry Growers Association at Somerset.

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**Money To Buy Boone's Rifle Hard To Raise**

By Charles F. Hinds  
Secretary-Treasurer of Kentucky Historical Society

In the archives of the Kentucky Historical Society is an interesting account of the purchase of Daniel Boone's "favorite rifle" in 1910.

This story well illustrates the general public apathy toward history.

Gilbert Walden, an American humorist and showman, offered Boone's rifle to the Commonwealth of Kentucky for \$50. His letter was turned over to the Kentucky Historical Society by the governor, Mrs. Jennie C. Morton, secretary-treasurer of the society from 1896 to 1920, thereupon made an appeal for the money. On Oct. 19, 1900, she addressed the State Legislature and asked for individual contributions from representatives and senators.

The responses came in slowly in the form of quarters, half dollars, and a few dollars, from 52 contributors, headed by the lieutenant governor, speaker of the house, three judges on the Court of Appeals, public auditor, superintendent of public instruction, and other officials. The Kentucky Historical Society donated \$5.00 out of its savings. But to the dismay of Mrs. Morton, all contributions up to January 1, 1901, the date set for the final payment for the rifle, totaled only \$26.

Mrs. Morton wrote a very sad letter to Gilbert Walden advising the humorist of the seemingly impossible task of raising the balance of the money and suggesting that he attempt to sell it elsewhere. In the meantime, he could keep the \$26. "Professor" Walden, as he was addressed by Mrs. Morton, agreed to this arrangement.

The secretary, then, despairing of further assistance from members of the State government, made a last ditch "house to house" canvass among her personal friends and neighbors. This brought in \$14. The society ultimately contributed the final \$10 and the rifle was paid in full.

Boone's rifle, in excellent firing order and condition, is today one of Kentucky's prized historic relics. But it always will be just a little more for those who know the "sweat and tears" attached to its acquisition by that wonderful little lady and confidant of governors of Kentucky—Mrs. Jennie Chinn Morton.

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**Forrest E. Albert, 57, Pikeville Music Head Takes Life In Indiana**



Forrest E. Gilbert, 57, head of Pikeville College's music department, was found dead at 7 a.m., July 4 at the home of his sister, Mrs. A. R. McKesson, in Culver, Ind.

A Culver funeral home said Albert, who had been in poor health, died after cutting his wrists with a razor. His body was found in his room by his sister, it added.

Albert, a bachelor, had been vacationing at his sister's home since the end of the college's spring semester early last month. He was scheduled to resume classwork at the college the following Monday.

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**Pikeville College Summer Term Enrollment Reaches New High**

Pikeville, Ky., July 18—Another enrollment record at Pikeville College fell with the registration of 375 students for the second term of summer school there, it was announced today.

Included are 60 Floyd countians. The largest previous second-term enrollment in the college was 243, recorded last year. The present five-week term, which began July 8, will complete Pikeville's first full year as a four-year college when it closes August 10, Dr. A. A. Page, college president, said.

Nearly all the summer students, who represent a dozen Kentucky counties and the states of Ohio, Virginia, and West Virginia, are schoolteachers or plan to become teachers. Their work toward the degree of Bachelor of Science in Education at Pikeville includes the requirements for Kentucky's provisional elementary or high-school teaching certificate.

Other Kentucky counties represented are Elliott, Greenup, Johnson, Knott, Lawrence, Leslie, Letcher, Magoffin, Martin, Perry, and Pike.

Floyd countians enrolled at Pikeville for the second summer term are Helen Akers, Grethel; W. L. Baldrige, Jr., East Point; Adrian E. Bentley, Hueysville; Marjorie Blair, Weeksbury; Billy Joe Bradley, Langley; Clara Bradley, Langley; Maxie Burke, Wheelwright; Jeannella Campbell, Weeksbury; Marybelle (Griffie) Caudill, Orkney; Hazel P. Clifton, Prestonsburg;

Margaret Compton, Harold; Lillian G. Conley, Prestonsburg; Hershel Conn, Dana; Bess Damron, Weeksbury; Alva A. Davis, Martin; Kelsa G. Elliot, Betsy Layne; Aileen Dale Fraley, Weeksbury; Delmer Frasure, Grethel; Edna Frazier, Weeksbury; Anna Mary Friend, Hunter; Marjorie Joy Furman, Harold; Darcus Hall, Orkney; Jerry L. Hall, Banerter; Phyllistene Hall, Orkney; Robert E. Hall, Wheelwright; Eva Nadine Hamilton, Ligon; Myrtle Hardwick, Justell;

Elizabeth J. Hopson, Auxier; Jonah Isaacs, Jr., Teaberry; Jackie Lee Jarrell, Dana; Ethel E. Johnson, Allen; Sonia Johnson, Allen; Roszella H. Lewis, Teaberry; Charlotte A. Maggard, Langley; Anna Martin, Prestonsburg; Minnie Sue Martin, Allen; Anna Laura May, Prestonsburg; Opal Spears May, Prestonsburg; Judy Newman, Grethel; Earl D. Ousley, Dock; Ronnie L. Patton, Hueysville; Herbert Prater, Prestonsburg; Ruth Rainey, Wheelwright; Sydney Ratliff, Langley; Hattie Reedy, Bevinsville; Josephine Robinson, Martin; Chady Lou Salisbury, Martin; Judy Salisbury, Martin; Pet Salisbury, Hunter; Frank M. Sloan, Harold; William R. Smith, Weeksbury; Mary M. Spradlin, Tram.

Roy P. Stratton, Betsy Layne; Marie D. Stumbo, McDowell; Tenyson Turner, Eastern; Ronald A. Turner, Price; Harry J. Wallace, Garrett; Paul Dean Wells, Auxier; Glenn Williamson, Betsy Layne, and William J. Workman, Prestonsburg.

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**WHALE CAME FROM LAND**  
 Boston—The whale, although a descendant of land animals that were hairy and four-legged, has a naked skin except for a few scattered hairs on the head. The only trace of hind limbs is a few tiny bones hidden at the base of its powerful tail.

**Prison Labor Discontinued At Hospitals**

Frankfort, July 18 — According to an agreement by Dr. H. L. McPheeters, commissioner of mental health, Commissioner Charles Allphin of the Welfare Department and the Department of Finance, prison laborers will no longer be used at the State mental institutions.

Kentucky State Hospital, Danville, and Central State Hospital, Lakeland, have used prison labor for a number of years.

Fifty of the eighty men in the prison compound at Kentucky State have left the hospital. The remaining 30 will leave as soon as replacements are obtained. Dr. McPheeters said. He added that 22 employees will be hired at the hospital for the jobs the prisoners have been doing.

A detail of 12 prisoners has been working at Central State the past few months, and during the harvest season, as many as 20 men have been used. When the prisoners leave, four new employees will be hired at the Lakeland hospital, the commissioner said.

The decision to remove the prisoners was based partially on the fact that the hospitals would benefit when many of the problems connected with using this type of labor were eliminated. Dr. McPheeters said.

The Centre College football team of Danville, known as the "Praying Colonels," astonished the sports world in 1920 when it defeated some of the strongest teams in the country.

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**SHERIFF'S SALE**

Kentucky Wholesale Company . . . . . Plaintiff  
 Vs: NOTICE OF SALE  
 Effert Hall, et al . . . . . Defendant

By virtue of an execution, No. 13239, issued herein, in the above styled case and levied on the properties hereinafter described, I shall offer for sale a part or all the lands described below at the court house door, in Prestonsburg, Kentucky, to the highest and best bidder, at public auction on July 22, 1957, at 10:00 a. m. upon credit of six (6) months, the following described properties; being the undivided interest owned by Effert Hall:

1. A certain tract of land lying on Shop Fork of Otter Creek, of Left Beaver Creek, Floyd County, Kentucky, described as follows:

Beginning at a maple tree at Effert Hall's line at the Creek; thence up the hill with said line to top of point to Lee Hall, Jr. line; thence up the point with line to an iron stake; thence a straight line down the hill to a willow tree at the center of the branch; thence down the branch to the beginning. Being the same land conveyed to Effert Hall by Sill Hall, by deed date August 26, 1942, recorded in Deed Book 121, Page 520, Floyd County Records.

2. A certain tract of land lying on Otter Creek, of Left Beaver Creek, Floyd County, Kentucky, and described as follows:

Beginning on a stake at Wheelwright Consolidated High School line and Dr. Yale Rogers' line; thence down the creek with said Dr. Yale Rogers' and F. A. Hopkins' line to a stake; thence around the hill with Lee Hall's line 46 feet to the Wheelwright consolidated High School line; thence down the hill with said school line 124 feet to the beginning, containing 1/2 acre, more or less. Being the same land conveyed to Effert Hall and Della Hall by Lee Hall, Jr. and Cora Hall, by deed dated October 24, 1944, recorded in Deed Book 126, page 23, Floyd County Records.

Said property will be sold to satisfy a judgment in favor of plaintiff against the defendant for the sum of \$2,846.81, with interest from June 1, 1956 until paid and cost of this action.

Purchaser will be required to execute bond with good surety bearing interest from date of sale until paid and a lien shall be retained for further security.

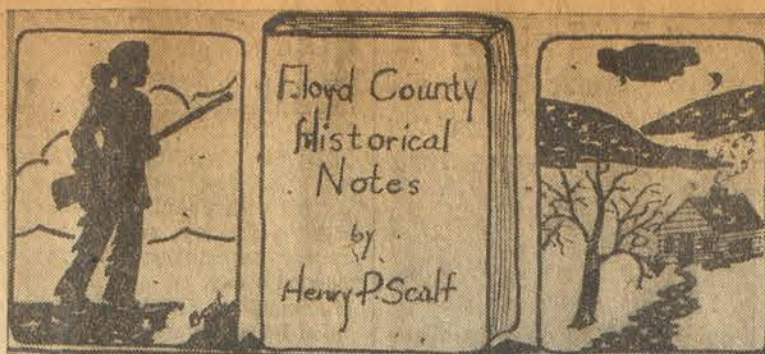
Given under my hand this 1st day of July, 1957.

Gorman Collins  
 Sheriff, Floyd County Kentucky  
 Cost of adv. \$19.12

**CARD OF THANKS**

We want to extend our sincere thanks to everyone who in any way assisted us upon the death of our loved one, Robert Charles Anderson. To the ministers, Mitchell Chaffins, Ross Hopkins, and Bob Martin for their consoling words and to those who sent flowers we are thankful. To the Hall Bros. Funeral Home we extend our thanks for its fine and efficient services.

Mrs. Clova Hall and Family



**RATLIFF FAMILY**

At hand is a book, "Peter Stephens and Some of His Descendants," by Dan V. Stephens, of Nebraska. It does not connect any with the Floyd county Stephens family but that there is a connection between the family here and the Virginia family genealogists are fairly certain.

The reference to Rachel Stephens, daughter of Jordan Stephens and Margaret McHenry, of Bloomington, Ind., is of interest to families here. Rachel Stephens was a descendant through Lewis Stephens who left Virginia, lived for awhile in Knox county, Kentucky, but died in 1835 in Monroe county, Indiana.

The reference to Rachel Stephens follows:

"Married John Ratliff who was a veteran of the Civil War, born in Pike county, Kentucky. He moved to Monroe county before the war and died there. He and his two oldest sons enlisted in the Civil War together and at the Battle of Stone River or Perryville in Tennessee (sic) one son was killed when the Union troops charged the Confederates behind a stone fence. The son fell mortally wounded at the side of his father. The father paused long enough to give him water. After the battle during the night the father went back and buried him where he fell. Later on the other son died from disease in the service."

Issue of Rachel Stephens Ratliff and John Ratliff were Mack, Jordan, Richard, Joseph, Tilton, Vina, Belle, and Elizabeth.

Mack never married, died in Missouri in 1905; Jordan lived in Ohio at the time the Stephens genealogy was published in 1936; Richard, little known; Joseph, born 1870, served two terms as sheriff of Monroe county, Indiana; Vina lives near Unionville, Indiana; Belle, little known.

**JAMES, VAUGHAN, BROWNS**

A letter from Brig. Gen. Robert W. Brown, retired, Round Hill, Va., details much of interest on several families. He has been writing this column now and then and the present letter is in reply to the receipt of a copy of the article published several months ago in The Times on the James family.

"I was particularly interested in the James feature story because one of my great-great uncles, Roberson Brown, married a Celia James, daughter of Samuel James, on Jan. 1, 1829. His real name was George Robinson

**HEALTH NOTES**

**Could You Help?**

A child screamed, "Janie fell in the water!" Janie's mother ran to the river, jumped in, and pulled the drowning child from the water. She'd never practiced artificial respiration but she'd read about it and seen pictures. She worked on the child as best she could until help came. The doctor said she saved her life.

Could you help in such an emergency? What do you know about artificial respiration? Safety experts say about 7,000 Americans will die by accidental drowning this summer, but many could be saved by proper resuscitation and after-care.

Resuscitation must begin immediately after a drowning person is brought out of the water. Start by draining as much water as possible out of the respiratory system. Place the patient face down and lift him at the waist. Remove any debris, mucus, dentures, and other material from mouth and throat. Now begin artificial respiration. The "push-pull or armlift-back pressure" methods are recommended for everyone except babies and very small children. For them, the "prone tilting-visceral shift" method is advised to avoid rib fracture or lung puncture. None of these methods is difficult to learn. You will find diagrams in first aid text books, Scout handbooks, even in your encyclopedia. Practice on your family to get the feel of it.

Of course, you'll send someone for help immediately—police, fire department, a doctor—but you can't wait. Resuscitation must not be interrupted for at least fifteen minutes. Even after the patient's breathing is established, you should continue for some time. Now place the patient on his side. Keep him as warm as possible.

A whiff of spirits of ammonia will temporarily help him breathe more deeply. Get him to a hospital as soon as possible, but handle him with care to prevent the development of secondary shock.

Cheyenne, Wyo. — Pits in the sides of the head of a Western diamondback rattlesnake act as a sort of thermometer for detecting warm-blooded creatures—even in the dark.

**East Kentucky Hearings Set By Waterfield**

Frankfort, July 18 — A proclamation by acting Gov. Harry Lee Waterfield set dates for three public hearings to discuss establishment of a regional planning commission for 32 Eastern Kentucky counties.

Hearings are scheduled July 24, Boyd county courthouse, Catlettsburg; July 25, Perry county courthouse, Hazard; and July 26 at the City Hall, Corbin. All hearings are planned from 3 to 5 p.m.

Application for a regional planning commission was submitted to Gov. A. B. Chandler at a meeting in Pikeville in June. The creation of a commission was made possible by a 1938 law which gives the governor power to establish a commission following a petition from 10 citizens and a public hearing.

The law empowers a regional planning commission to "make, adopt, amend and extend a master regional plan for the physical development of its region."

The announcement by Waterfield is an outgrowth of the recent Eastern Kentucky flood rehabilitation study report, presented to Chandler after the January floods in East Kentucky.

Chicago — America's 46,000 motels, with more than 1,000,000 rooms, could play host to 1,500,000 guests every night. The first motel began operations 44 years ago in Douglas, Ariz., in what had been miners' cabins.

Salyersville in Magoffin county was first called Adamsville for Uncle Billy Adams, a pioneer noted for his shrewdness, who operated a gristmill, a flour mill, a carding factory, a tannery and a blacksmith shop.

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**State Records 340 Deaths From Accidents in 4 Years**

Safety statistics on Kentucky, compiled for the years 1949-53 show that 340 persons died in that four-year period from farm accidents, says the Kentucky Agricultural Extension Service.

Of the total, 329 were males and 11 were females.

Machinery accidents claimed the highest toll, just as it does in national accidents, the report says; 98 Kentuckians died as a result of such mishaps.

Other categories, the report shows, were as follows: Animal-caused deaths, 20; burns, 16; drownings, 40; firearms, 58; lightning, 13; electric current, 10; falls, 51; blows from falling objects, 19; and miscellaneous causes, 25.

The U. S. total for the same period was 11,463 male deaths and 1,152 female deaths.

Of the 48 states checked, 31 had lower machinery-caused death rates than Kentucky, the report showed.

**WILL ADDRESS LEGION**

Frankfort, July 18 — Acting Gov. Harry Lee Waterfield will address the opening session of the 39th annual state American Legion convention at Ashland, July 19-21.

About 1,500 delegates to the meeting of the Kentucky Department of the Legion are expected to hear Waterfield talk at 9:30 a.m., July 19.

After his address, Waterfield will fly to Camp Breckinridge to review maneuvers of the Kentucky National Guard.

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**ODD ASSORTMENT**

The Hotel James Hatcher, Pikeville, has an odd assortment of relics on display in its lobby—ox-yokes, hoop skirts, cannon balls, ox-shoes, chain dogs, cant hooks, boot-jacks, spinning wheels, looms and flintlock rifles.

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**Announce Engagement**

Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Mead, Birdwell, Ohio, formerly of Printer, this county, are announcing the engagement of their daughter, Betty, to Sgt. W. H. Porter, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Porter, Sr., Gallipolis, Ohio. No definite wedding date has been set by the couple.

Miss Mead is presently employed as bookkeeper and credit manager at Moores' Auto Store, Gallipolis, and is a graduate of Rio-Grande high school with the class of 1955. Sgt. Porter is a graduate of Mt. Vernon, Ohio high school, with the class of 1953 and is presently stationed at the Marine Base at Washington, D. C.

**DRINKING WATER**

Keep drinking water available in the shade for growing pullets.

**MIDDLE CREEK BATTLE VICTOR  
FATALLY SHOT, 76 YEARS AGO**

The Battle of Middle Creek, near Prestonsburg, won Col. James A. Garfield a general's star and started him on the path to the presidency of the United States. The battle, fought Jan. 10, 1862, determined the control of Eastern Kentucky and drove a Union salient into the Confederate line across Southern Kentucky. The battle was the Union's first substantial victory.

While at Prestonsburg Garfield made headquarters in the John M. Burns house on North Arnold Avenue, now the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Claude P. Stephens. It is known as the Garfield Place.

The President of the United States strode jauntily through the old Baltimore & Potomac station 76 years ago Tuesday of last week, cheerfully on his way to a summer vacation on the New Jersey shore.

He was accompanied only by his Secretary of State, the Secret Service not having then been installed as chief guardian of the presidential person.

Charles J. Guiteau sat nonchalantly on a waiting room bench, watching the two officials walk past on their way to the train. When they were a few paces past, Guiteau calmly drew a pistol from his pocket and fired. A moment later he fired again.

The first shot grazed the President's arm, and James Abram Garfield turned sternly to see who had done this mischief. But at that moment the second shot caught him in the back and he crumpled to the station floor.

Washington tourists might not have been aware of the anniversary, but at least a few scores of them stopped in their meandering through the Medical Museum of the Armed Forces Institute of Pathology to inspect the somewhat chilling Garfield assassination exhibit.

The exhibit notes that a Medical Museum man was one of the first to reach the scene in the railroad station.

Garfield was lying in a pool of blood, apparently dying of an internal hemorrhage. Half a dozen doctors had swarmed into the station, and one of them was probing the wound to find the bullet. Soft tissues blocked the

metal probe from going more than 2 or 3 inches.

The President was conscious and asked to be taken to the White House. The doctors loaded him into a police ambulance and the horses started toward the mansion at a gallop.

Mrs. Garfield, who had already gone to New Jersey, returned to Washington that evening to find her husband rallying from his attack. But the doctors could do little but make him comfortable. X-rays had not been discovered at that time and the location of the bullet remained hidden from the probes.

Dr. Alexander Graham Bell, who some time earlier had invented the telephone, was calling in to see what he could do about finding the slug.

Bell tried twice with a device he called an "induction balance." It consisted of several induction coils so arranged that, on being placed near a metal object, the electrical balance was disturbed and the device made a sound.

Attending physicians noted a bit sourly that Bell's machine made a sound, but obviously not at the right place. So the bullet remained hidden.

**Books and Such**

By Laura Virginia Roberts

Wilderness Road, the outdoor folk drama which Pulitzer Prize-winner Paul Greene wrote to celebrate the 100 anniversary of the founding of Berea College, has just begun its third season.

It is difficult to tell anyone just how good the play really is. Its setting is Kentucky; its time the period just before the Civil War; and its theme the prejudice, ignorance, intolerance, and divided loyalties which beset the people of the time, and in particular, John Freeman, a young schoolteacher.

Although the theme is serious enough, the play has charm and gaiety conveyed by genuine folk dancing and singing; and in the form of two lovable comic relief characters, Uncle Eph and Chris Slocum, who philosophize and amuse while resorting to the jug for wisdom and comfort.

There is considerable action—a battle, the blowing up of a bridge, mob scenes.

The play is called by its author "a parable for modern times." The wilderness road of the title does not refer to the trail followed by Boone as he explored Kentucky, but to the wilderness road of ignorance and bigotry traveled by John Freeman as he tried to bring truth to the people of his backward community. Many parallels to our own time are seen in the refusal of some of Freeman's neighbors to allow their children to be taught that all men, regardless of color, are children of God, and that tolerance of another man's beliefs is good although we may not agree with these beliefs. The book-burning scene is WILDERNESS ROAD, will recall to us that this very thing has happened in our own time, and will happen again; and is probably the most frightening reminder of how little the world has learned of human understanding in these hundred years since our country and its families were reduced by divided loyalties to a tragedy from which even yet it has not recovered.

Nearly all of the cast members have changed since I saw the play, and I feel sure this will be an improvement in at least one role. The leading feminine role was artificially done by a young actress from the Barter Theatre of Virginia, and I was very glad to read that she has been replaced. Practically the only member of the original cast who remain are Jim Hurt who is superb as Uncle Eph, and basketball coach C.M. Wyatt who is an able Chris Slocum. Our own Johnny Cook, a sophomore at Berea, is a member of the chorus.

Indian Fort Theatre is in the Berea forest. It is easily accessible, and there is ample parking space. Lunches are for sale there, or many people prefer to have dinner at Boone Tavern in Berea before going out to the theatre. The play is enacted on three remarkable revolving stages, where the scenery is moved and changed before your very eyes; but the action is so absorbing that one generally finds, I think, that this has been done without his even knowing. You will see the play in unusual comfort, because the theatre is equipped with outdoor aluminum chairs, but I advise wearing a coat, and even taking a blanket because it gets chilly out there, and people who have been warned really go prepared.

According to the Sunday COURIER-JOURNAL a new central ticket office and reservation-clearing house has been built this year on the college campus opposite Boone Tavern. Tickets for the play as well as overnight accommodations will be handled through that office. It is best to write in advance for these.

The play will be performed every night (except Sundays) at 8:15, through August 31. Their time is the same as ours through the summer.

**Farmer's Gas Tax Refund Guide Booklet Available; Claims Deadline Sept. 30**

Mr. Wm. M. Gray, Director of Internal Revenue for this district, today announced that a revised Farmer's Gas Tax Refund guide booklet is now available to assist farmers in submitting Federal gas tax refund claims for the year ending June 30, 1957.

The publication, No. 308, together with claim Form 2240 and instructions for submission of claims are available on request at the District Revenue Office, Louisville, Kentucky. Forms and instructions also may be obtained at county agricultural agents' offices.

Claims should be filed on Form 2240 on or after July 1, but no later than September 30, 1957.

Last year a million and a quarter farmers filed claims for refund of the Federal tax on gasoline used for farming purposes, and refunds averaged \$20.

It is estimated that the number of claims for refund filed this year will be close to 2,500,000, and the total refund is expected to increase correspondingly. These expected increases are due to an increase in the Federal gas tax rate from two to three cents a gallon plus the fact that an entire year will be covered by these claims whereas only taxes paid on gas used during the first six months of 1956 were subject to the claims filed last year.

The Farmer's Tax Refund guide explains in plain language the rules and procedures to be followed in filing a claim for refund of the Federal gasoline tax. It also explains conditions under which the farmers may purchase diesel fuel and other special motor fuels, to be used for farm purposes, without payment of the Federal tax thereon.

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**MUSIC IN TEXAS**

Fort Hood, Tex. — Pvt. Bruce A. Music, 22, son of Mr. and Mrs. Russell Music, of East Point, Ky., is scheduled to complete eight weeks of basic combat training with the 4th Armored Division at Fort Hood, Tex., in mid-July.

A 1955 graduate of Meade Memorial high school, Music was a farmer before entering the army.

Chicago — United States water consumption has been doubling every 25 years since 1900. Total use by 1975 will be about one third of the daily supply, water-use experts calculate.

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**ENLISTS IN ARMY**

Eddie Sweeney, of Prestonsburg, recently was enlisted into the army, according to an announcement by Sgt. Ernest Morris, Prestonsburg Army recruiter.

Sweeney, who is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Stralin Sweeney, was enlisted under a special Army program which permits qualified volunteers to enlist into the Army Reserve for a six year period, two of which must be spent on active duty.

The young soldier reported to Fort Knox for initial processing and for further assignment.

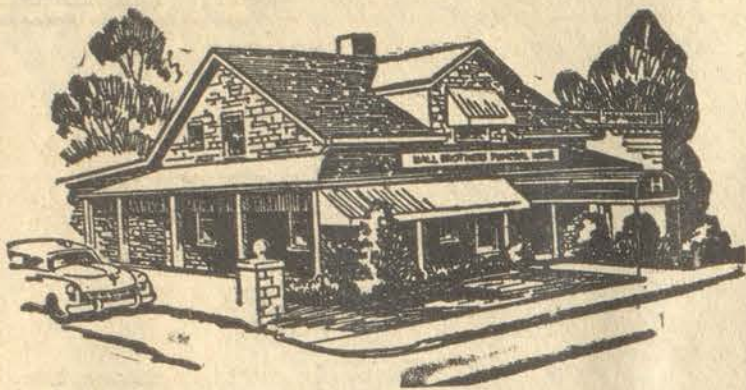
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Big Bone Lick in Boone County is named for the leg bones of mammoth and mastodon that mined at this place. It is believed that cave dwellers lived and hunted at the edge of the slowing retreating ice cap.

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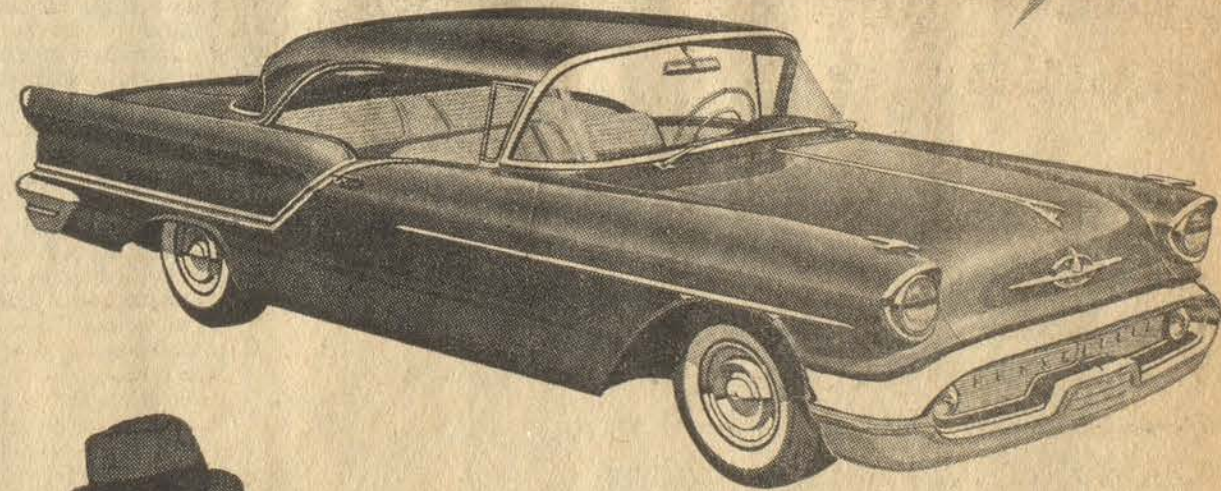
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**FOOD NOTES**

By Dixie Trapp  
Home Demonstration Agent

Barbecuing is again becoming a way of life. Yes, our great-grandmothers used this type cooking as an everyday, every meal sort of thing. The colonial forebearers used to turn barbecues into all day shingdigs.

Actually barbecuing is cooking meat in a specially seasoned sauce. You may barbecue over an open fire, in an oven or boiler, indoors, outdoors, a whole animal or small cuts of meat.

Barbecue sauces are as varied as the ways and meats of barbecuing. You may like a fiery, highly seasoned sauce or your taste may run to a milk type of sauce.

Choose a sauce that is rich in oil for beef, poultry, and lamb. Barbecue sauces for pork should go easy on the oil and heavy on the catsup, tomato paste, or chili sauce.

Meats of all kinds can be barbecued. Less Tender cuts require less tenderizing. This is done by marinating the meat. The marinating preparation should contain a food acid such as lemon juice, vinegar, or tomato juice to break down meat fibers as well as give flavor.

Grease the grill before cooking meats to prevent sticking. The Kiwanis Club held a chicken barbecue recently at Virgil Smith's farm, at Allen. They used the following barbecue sauce:

- 2 1/2 cups water.
- 1 cup vinegar.
- 1 t. mustard (powdered).
- 1 t. sugar.
- 2 t. worcestershire.
- 4 t. salt.
- 2 t. black pepper.
- 1 t. chili powder.
- 1 t. paprika.
- 1/2 t. powdered garlic.
- 1/4 t. Red Pepper.
- 1/4 t. tabasco.
- 1 small onion.
- 1 stick butter.

Mix ingredients and heat to boiling point. Simmer 30 min. Flavors will blend more if allowed to stand overnight.

This is enough sauce for four or five chickens. A dish mop is a good tool for basting the chicken. Baste and turn the chickens about every ten minutes during the cooking period. Cook the chicken 1 1/2 to 2 hours or longer depending on the size of the chickens. When the thigh leg joint or the wing joint is broken open, any sign of red meat means the chicken is under-cooked.

**EDISON LIKED DIAMOND POINT**

Jersey City — Thomas E. Edison, inventor of the phonograph spent a great deal of time trying to find a permanent needle or stylus. He eventually concluded that a diamond point was most satisfactory.

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**ALLEN**

**W.S.C.S. MEETS**

The Woman's Society of Christian Service of the Methodist Church met Thursday night in the home of Mrs. John P. Carr at Martin. The vice president, Mrs. Euna Laven, presided.

Mrs. Loretta Osbourn was in charge of the worship program, "The Heart of a Stranger." Taking part were Mrs. J. P. Carr, Virginia Lushbaugh, Jewell Allen, Nancy Louder, Maude Snodgrass, Tincy Crisp, Euna Laven, Peggy Sexton, Flora Gray and Lucy Kinzer. Refreshments were served by Mrs. Carr to Mesdames Loretta Osbourn, Virginia Lushbaugh, Flora Gray, Lucy Kinzer, Peggy Sexton, Tincy Crisp, Pearly Kinzer, Mrs. Tom Allen. The August meeting will be in the church with Mrs. Peggy Sexton hostess and Flora Gray in charge of the worship program.

Mrs. Charles Callison and daughter Dolores, spent last week with Mr. and Mrs. Guy Childers in Ashland.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Laferty spent the week-end at Hi Hat.

Mrs. Fanny Kane has been a patient at the C. & O. hospital in Clifton Forge, Va. the past week. Her husband accompanied her there but returned home Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. David Louder spent part of last week visiting his mother in Augusta, Ky. Mr. Louder's brother, whom he had not seen the past seven years, was also visiting there. His home is in Texas.

A/2c Charles Ray Porter, of the Air Force, is spending a leave here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Porter, and his wife at Martin. He had been stationed in Wyoming the past nine months. Upon completion of his leave he will leave for Germany.

The Allen Homemakers group met Friday at 6:30 p.m., on the lawn of Mrs. Sarah Laven for its July meeting. Miss Dixie Trapp, home demonstration agent for Floyd county, presided over the meeting. Mrs. C. Smith, home economist with the Kentucky Power Co., Pikeville, gave an interesting lesson on outdoor cooking. An outdoor-cooked supper was served to the following: Mesdames Euna Laven, Eula Williams, Flora Gray, Maude Snodgrass, Clinton Porter, Raymond Zemo, Elizabeth Burkett, Wayne Ratliff, Lottie Hall, Allie Howard, and Miss Nelle Music, with Miss Trapp, Mrs. Laven and Mrs. Smith presiding at the tables.

Mr. and Mrs. Thurmond Ratliff and son, Donald, spent last week-end with Doug Ratliff, in Ypsilanti, Mich.

Miss Tommy Carole Laven spent last week with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Stephens, at Cliff.

Miss Joy Crider returned to school in Louisville Sunday after a month's visit here with her mother, Mrs. Norman E. Conn, and Mr. Conn.

Rev. and Mrs. John P. Carr and Jim Flannery attended the homecoming at the Cannon's Chapel Church Sunday afternoon. Rev. Carr was guest-speaker. All-day services were held, and lunch was served in the basement.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank LeMaster and children, of Ashland, spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Everett LeMaster and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lushbaugh, of Dwale.

Mrs. Mollie Ison and children, of Martin, were the Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Allen.

**FIRST SON**

Born Friday to Mr. and Mrs. Walter Frasure at the Paintsville hospital a son. This is the second child of the family and the first son. Mother and son are fine.

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The Floyd County Board of Education will accept bids for contract drivers for the ensuing school year, all high school contract drivers to begin work August 30 and all rural school contract drivers to begin work Aug. 7. The board reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

Bids are requested upon the following:

Spurlock (Left Beaver) to school bus line at Printer, Kentucky.

Head of Sugar Loaf to Highway U. S. 23.

Spurlock (Middle Creek) to Prestonsburg Grade and High School.

Stratton Branch to Brandy Keg School.

Head of Frasure Creek to McDowell school, then to old school house of Spewing Camp, return to McDowell school; then to head of Doty Creek and return to McDowell school.

Head of Slick Rock to Mouth Cow Creek then to Head Calf Creek and return to Mouth of Cow Creek School.

Head Branham's Creek to main highway on Mud Creek.

Little Abbott to highway.

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Floyd County Board of Education  
By Supt. V. O. Turner  
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WEST PRESTONSBURG

Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Smith and children, of Toledo, Ohio, visited her mother, Mrs. Sadie Price, over the week-end. They were accompanied by Miss Barbara Smith and Dianne Bussey.

Miss Jean Carol Hale has returned home after spending several days in St. Mary's hospital in Huntington. She is still in serious condition.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Harold Wright, of Alabama, are spending their vacation here.

Miss Sharon Preston has returned home from Louisville, where she spent her vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Wright are home after spending their vacation in Grayson visiting Rev. and Mrs. Vernon Wright.

Mrs. Rhoda Alice Schroeder visited her family over the holidays.

MAYTOWN

The Maytown W.S.C.S. held its regular monthly meeting in the church basement, last Tuesday evening. Hostesses were Mrs. Arnold Maggard and daughters. Program leader was Miss Linda Maggard.

Mrs. Hayes Muncie and Mrs. Ruth Mary Sandore and daughter, of Wooster, Ohio, have been visiting Mrs. Muncie's sister, Mrs. Arnold Cassady and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Borders spent last week-end with relatives in Richmond, Kentucky.

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Halbert and son, Virgil, Jr., of Marshall, Mich., are spending a two-week vacation with Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Robinson. Mrs. Halbert is the former Reba Robinson.

Mrs. L. E. Roberts is visiting her mother, Mrs. W. W. Coger, who is in ill health, in Weston, W. Va. She was accompanied there by her daughters, Linda and Becky.

Mrs. Ivan Bouch has returned home after spending several weeks with relatives in Pennsylvania.

Mrs. Loren O. Brewer and children, of Wellston, Ohio, spent the week-end with her sister, Mrs. Ralph Spencer, and family.

Mrs. Viola Stewart, Mrs. Frank Stewart and children and Mrs. Jim Dixon and Susan were visitors in Huntington, Thursday.

Miss Elizabeth Boughton, of Harriman, Tenn., spent the week-end here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Patrick. She was accompanied home by Mrs. Patrick who will remain for a two-week visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy May enjoyed a few days' vacation in the Smoky Mountains area last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Carol Landis and daughter, Patty, of Piqua, Ohio, are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Robinson.

Miss Judy Hayes, of Zionsville, Ind., is visiting her sister, Mrs. Dewey Hicks, Jr., and family.

Bes Ratliff spent last week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Joe T. Begley at Boldman.

After George Washington was inaugurated President of the United States he went to the theater to see a performance of "The School for Scandal." He insisted on paying for his own tickets.

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Capitol Notebook

Frankfort, July 18 — "Our defense planners list three industrial areas of Kentucky as probable target areas."

So says Kentucky's civil defense administrator, Major General J. S. Lindsay. He adds:

"Our best security against enemy attack is to have a potent, well organized civil defense that will enable us to fight back in case of attack. If we are not able to pick ourselves up and go on afterward, the knockdown becomes a knock-out."

Remember, say Kentucky CD officials, "it wasn't raining when Noah built the ark."

KENTUCKIETTE

Douglas Wheeler of the Paintsville Herald writes in a letter to this column:

The first settlement in Eastern Kentucky was in Johnson county in the old Block House Bottom near the mouth of Johns Creek. The site is five miles below Dewey Dam and Dewey Lake State Park.

The old fort, or block house, was established by Matthias Harman and others in 1787. Jenney Wiley, noted heroine of Eastern Kentucky, found refuge at the fort from Indians after she had been held captive several months at Mud Lick Falls, near Paintsville.

NOT SO WISE

That fellow, Noah, was pretty foresighted. And it's fine for the civil defense to pattern its activity along that line. But we'll bet Agriculture Commissioner Ben Butler, whose State agency has been waging an intensive aerial war against mosquitoes, doesn't think Noah was so darned provident. Else, why would Noah have taken aboard the two mosquitoes?

WELCOME GOSPEL SINGERS

Secretary of State Thelma Stovall will welcome to the Commonwealth Aug. 5 the Negro, all-denominational National Convention of Gospel Choirs. She also will deliver a message of welcome from Acting Gov. Harry Lee Waterfield to the 12,000 persons expected to attend the meeting at the Kentucky Fairgrounds and Exposition Center, Louisville. All those gospel choristers in the State at one time should gain Kentucky some divine recognition.

SICK REPORT

Josephine Lewis, registered nurse and chief aspirin roller at the Capitol Annex, says she treated 2,579 employes in the quarter-year ending June 30. Colds and influenza accounted for the greatest number of illnesses—506. Headaches and migraines were next with 338, not unusual in government work.

REAL GONE

Pat Boone drew a bigger crowd this year at Frankfort than Daniel. Daniel's day was observed June 7; Pat's exactly one month later. Pat, who says he's a great-great-grandson of the famous pioneer, and a group of movie people who are making a film in the Blue Grass, were commissioned Kentucky Colonels by Acting Governor Waterfield. The larger turnout for Pat, mostly teenage idolizers of the rock n' roll singer, was officially noted during the ceremony on the Capitol steps. Said one teenager: "That Daniel is real gone, man, but Pat's alive, ain't he?"

TAXI PERMIT HEARING SET

Frankfort, July 18 — Hearing has been scheduled for Thursday, Aug. 8, at 9 a. m., at the offices of the Department of Motor Transportation here on the application of Denver Slone, of Prestonsburg. Commissioner C. M. Blackburn announced today. Slone is asking for a common carrier certificate to operate one taxicab in Prestonsburg.

"Sufficient oral testimony to prove the necessity for the request must be introduced at the hearing," the Commissioner said.

Granting of the permit may be protested by mailing in duplicate such complaints to the WMT office not later than 10 days before the hearing date and sending a copy to the applicant, Blackburn said.

JETS REALLY EAT UP FUEL

Los Angeles—A modern jet engine, widely used in Air Force and Navy planes, can consume enough fuel in 10 minutes to operate a 1957 automobile for 12,500 miles or heat a five-room house for a whole winter.

Caution Is Urged In Insecticide Use

Use caution in applying chemicals to agricultural crops, the Kentucky Agricultural Extension Service warns.

Federal regulations regulate the amount of pesticide residue permitted on raw agricultural products entering interstate shipments. The products include fruits, vegetables, and any other crops intended for human consumption; forage crops are included, too, as pesticide residue from treated forage can be deposited in meat and milk of animals.

Remove cheese from the refrigerator at least a half hour before serving. It will have extra flavor served at room temperature.

RACING EXPANDED

Kentucky known as the home of the thoroughbred, now has six licensed race tracks—Keeneland, Churchill Downs, Ellis Park, Fairgrounds Speedway, Kentucky Raceways and New Latonia. All except the latter will hold meetings in 1957. Only the first named there were in operation two years ago.

A survey of the U. S. this year showed that horn flies, cattle gnats, and lice, stable flies, and biting flies, were the most unpopular insects last year, based on "popularity" reports from farmers. Mosquitoes and house flies were rated the most pesky from the human standpoint.

Alfalfa aphid damage has been less this year than was expected.

Reed Returns from Tour Of European Capitals

Ivan Reed, of Drift, returned recently from a European tour of capital cities, London, Paris, Rome, Madrid and Lisbon. While in Rome he was the luncheon guest of United States Ambassador Zellenback at the American embassy.

Los Angeles — The electronic equipment on a new jet airliner may weigh as much as a ton, the manufacturer estimates, and cost as much as \$140,000—more than the entire cost of a twin-engine prewar airliner built by the same firm.

Fancy-packed jars of canned vegetables indicate that the recommendation to fill jars quickly was not followed.

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Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Cahill and children are vacationing in Powhatan, Ohio.

Mrs. Helen Ankron and children, of Williamson, are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Reed.

Mr. and Mrs. Roe Turner are vacationing in Michigan and other points north.

Ivan Reed has returned from a tour of Europe which included London, Paris, and Rome.

Mrs. Charles Hoffman and sons from Baltimore, Md., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hoffman and Mrs. Ward Reed.

Mrs. Robert Snider and children from Shamokin, Pa., are visiting her children in Drift.

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**Fifty-Nine Students From Floyd Enrolled In UK Summer Term**

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Students from Floyd county include Floyd Allen, Joe Arnett, Marcella Bradley, Annis Clark, Adrian Collins, Walter Collins, Thelma Conway, Carol Cooley, William Cooley, Alton Crisp, Roy Denney, Doyle Dingus, Helen Dingus, James Dingus, Peggy Dingus, Donald Frazier, Dorothy Friend, Cora Fugate, Larry Gibson, Silas Halbert, Barbara Hale, Irvin Hall, Richard Harmon, Lassa Hatcher, Hazel Hill, Lon Hill, Garland Howard, Arlan Isaac, Fred Jarrell and Grayson Johnson.

Robert Jones, Mary Leslie, Ronald Leslie, Donald Lowe, Alice Martin, Elmer Martin, William Martin, William Martin, Frederick May, James Mayo, Freddie Miller, John Moore, Lloyd Moore, Phyllis Noble, Howard Osborne, Charles Reed, Lucy Regan, Carr Reynolds, Evelyn Salisbury, Clarence Salyer, Goldia Short, Vyrone Smiley, William Steele, William Spradlin, Virginia Sturgill, Billy Triplett, Gabriel Wallace, Robert Wallace and William Webb.

Four species of magnolia—the great-leaved, the small-leaved cucumber tree, the ear-leaved and the umbrella tree—bloom in late May or early June in Kentucky.

**FOOD, AUTOS TAKE BIG BITE**

*From Floyd-co. Income, National Service Finds; State Average Is Lower*

(Special to hTe Times)

NEW YORK July 8 — In Floyd county, in the past year, food store operators and auto dealers succeeded jointly in snaring a major part of the money spent in local retail establishments.

The two pacemakers accounted for 47 cents out of every dollar spent at retail. Elsewhere in the United States the combination attracted only 43 cents and, in the State of Kentucky, 45 cents.

The findings are by the Standard Rate and Data Service. They are contained in a comparative survey of the buying habits of consumers in every section of the country.

The breakdown shows that housewives in Floyd county spent freely for food, using 25 per cent of their available money for it. They bought better grades and bigger quantities than before.

As a result, the stores selling meat, fish, baked goods, vegetables and the like had a good year, with receipts totaling \$4,535,000. Their volume in 1955 was \$4,225,000.

The amount is only for food bought for home consumption and is exclusive of money spent in eating and drinking places.

Big spending was in evidence, also, in the automotive field, in purchases of new and used cars, boats and farm machinery. Local outlays in this direction totaled \$4,135,000 in the year. They represented 22 per cent of all retail buying.

Most other outlets for consumer goods profited, also, as consumers, bolstered by larger incomes and in a buying mood, spent more money than ever before.

Local stores selling general merchandise had sales totaling \$3,562,000, equal to 19 cents of the retail dollar.

Home furnishings stores accounted for \$974,000, another 5 cents for the dollar.

Apparel shops did \$874,000 in the year, amounting to 4 cents.

The consumer, and what he feels and will do, have become the most important key to continued economic well-being. His buying whims can mean the difference between a good year and a bad one. Today he is confident. He feels his job and his income are secure. As a result, he is going right ahead with his spending, which is keeping the wheels of industry humming at a prosperous clip.

**Federal Polio Program Expired on June 30th**

The Federal polio program which has provided funds for the purchase of polio vaccine, medical supplies and payment of part-time polio employees expired June 30. Dr. William F. Lamb, director of the Division of Local Health Services of the United States Public Health Service noted recently in a memorandum to M. V. Clarke, Floyd County Health Department administrator.

"First injections of polio vaccine are not to be started after June 30; however, continue to use polio vaccine that is on hand in the local health department for the eligible age group (6-19 years of age and pregnant women) but limit the vaccine to the second and third injections," the memorandum said.

"A small quantity of vaccine will be available to health departments to complete the series in those individuals who have received the first dose of polio vaccine prior to June 30, 1957, so long as vaccine is available," Lamb continued. "Available polio vaccine will be equally distributed among the counties according to needs.

"Local physicians who have received polio vaccine from the health department may use up the vaccine which is on hand in their office for the eligible age group; however, additional vaccine must be purchased by the physician through normal drug channels for private use," Dr. Lamb added.

**A TREND?**

Freeburg, Ill. — Mayor Harry Savre, recently re-elected, wonders which friend he lost since the last election.

This year, Savre received 352 votes against 317 for his opponent. Four years ago he won 353 to 316.

**COMPLETES BASIC**



Pvt. James E. Gunnels, 20, who is stationed at Fort Ord, Calif., has completed basic training at Fort Carson, Colo. He enlisted April 9. He attended Maytown high school. Pvt. Gunnels is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Gunnels, of Langley.

**HEARING DATE SET**

Frankfort, July 13 — Commissioner C. M. Blackburn, Department of Motor Transportation announced today an hearing on Birt Nickles' application for a taxi certificate will be held in his office here, Monday, August 5, at 9 a.m.

Nickles is asking for a permit to operate a taxi in Wayland.

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**PARTY HONORS MRS. BAILEY**

A surprise birthday party was given July 10 in honor of Mrs. Cornelia Bailey at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Adam Hoover, of Garrett. A number of friends and relatives attended. Those who attended:

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Castle, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Jack Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Stumbo, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Rector, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Martin, Mr. and Mrs. Lovel C. Brown, Mrs. Julie Holbrook, Mrs. Edmon Barnett and son, Bruce Alan, Mrs. Silas Brown, Mrs. Emma Hoover, Mrs. Mildred Adkins, Mrs. Helen Stone, Miss Connie Adkins, Miss Anna Mae Stone, Miss Linda Carol Bailey, Miss Aileen Bailey, David Holbrook, Toby Singleton, Gene Blair, Shannon Adkins, Thomas Ray Bailey, Mrs. Cornelia Bailey, the Ed Gibson family. Hostesses were Mrs. Emma Hoover, Miss Aileen Bailey, Mrs. Dora Rector, Mrs. Billie Jean Martin.

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**CHAFFINS IN TRAINING**

Fort Hood, Tex. — Pvt. J. D. Chaffins, 18, son of Mrs. Nannie Chaffins, Garrett, Ky., is scheduled to complete eight weeks of basic combat training with the 4th Armored Division at Fort Hood, Tex., in mid-July.

Chaffins attended Garrett high school.

**NOTICE**

On and after this date I will not be responsible for any debts incurred by anyone other than myself.

HOWARD CLAY

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