

THURSDAY

PRESTONSBURG, KENTUCKY

MAY 29, 1958

This Town— That World

The days get longer and the years shorter. Now guess my vintage.

I drive 300 miles for a bit of fishing, and my old fishing partner, Neil Allen, stays home and gets more of a tussle out of a fish than I can even dream up. In fact, this carp that weighed in, stripped for action, at 15 pounds got him down.

Still water runs deep. It also runs to high proof.

WISE-MERAMER

One of our early-morning meetings of The - Big - One - Got - Away Club was interrupted the other a.m. when somebody outlasted us with a declamation on the intelligence of the Weimeramer dog. But Vester Fraley put him to rout when he quoted from a certain man's magazine.

This story told of the fellow who had one of these dogs, and of the friend who frequently telephoned him. He could hear the phone ring at the other end, hear the connection broken, but after that came only heavy breathing. He called back, with the same result, and finally became alarmed. With considerable caution he approached his friend's house and ventured in only when he saw familiar figures in the doorway. Rushing in, he demanded to know why they persisted in merely lifting the receiver of the hook, breathing stertorously in the mouth-piece and refusing to talk.

The mystery was finally solved. The man of the house waited for the phone to ring, and watched the dog. The Weimeramer had learned to answer the telephone!

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TWO FIGHTS, TWO BLASTS

Feature Carnival Days At Wayland; Officers Arrest Four Drift Men

During the weeks' stay of a "street carnival" in Wayland, ending Saturday night, there were two dynamite blastings and at least two fights, in one of which two men were reportedly slashed by knives.

After a fight on opening night of the carnival a charge of dynamite startled Wayland residents early Tuesday morning. The blast was set off at the edge of the highway, just outside the ball park where the show was located. The

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PRESTONSBURG HIGH STUDENT GIVEN MEDICAL SCHOLARSHIP

Thomas Maitland Harmon, Prestonsburg high school senior, was the recipient last week of an unsought scholarship given by the Kentucky Foundation for Medical Research to the University of Kentucky's pre-medical school in Lexington.

Court House Happenings

SUITS FILED

Mabel Stanley vs. George C. Stanley; C. P. Stephens, atty. Leonard Hall vs. Ernest Moore; C. P. Stephens, atty. Goff Furniture Co. vs. Edwin C. Tipton, et al; Baird & Hayes, atty. The First National Bank vs. Harry V. Horn, et al; Combs & Combs, attys. Arthur J. Mandt vs. Mutual Benefit Health & Accident Association; Combs & Combs, attys. Southeastern Gas Co. vs. Troy Webb, etc.; J. K. Wells, atty. Betty Manns vs. Johnny Manns; R. S. Wellman, atty. Elizabeth Watson vs. Willie Watson; R. S. Wellman, atty. The First National Bank vs. Grover England, et al; C. Kilmer Combs, atty. Leona Prater, gdn. vs. The Chesapeake & Ohio Railway Co.; Paul E. Hayes, Baird & Hayes, attys. Gracie Horn, Ind., etc. vs. Anna Elizabeth Horn; Paul E. Hayes and Barkley J. Sturdivant, attys. Phyllis Ann Cole vs. Woodrow Cole; W. W. Burchett, atty. Dorothy Gearheart vs. Walter Gearheart; W. W. Burchett, atty. The First National Bank vs. Wesley Little, et al; Joe Hobson, atty. Jesse Holbrook vs. Gerald R. Holbrook; J. B. Clarke, atty.

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BUS TRAGEDY INQUIRY END IS NEAR, SAID

Lexington Man Sworn As To Collision Event; Reenactment Unrevealing

Although the court of inquiry which for two weeks has been probing into circumstances surrounding the Feb. 28 school bus tragedy near here has not been officially closed, Tuesday's morning and afternoon sessions may have heard the last testimony of consequence.

Principal witness heard Tuesday was Jerome Hoffman, Lexington insurance man, who said he was about 30 feet behind the school bus when it collided with the wrecker-truck of Donald L. "Dootney" Horn. Hoffman said the opposite lane of the highway was unimpeded by any vehicle, and that he saw no other vehicle approaching in that lane. He also said he did not see the auto of Joe Crum, which others had claimed the bus hit as it careened toward the edge of the bank.

The insurance man said Horn's wrecker was moving but had slowed down when the collision came. He said he saw Horn's brake light but that he did not see him hand-signal a stop.

Re-enactment of the disaster was staged last Thursday morning in an effort to clarify the massive volume of testimony previously heard. A bus which was almost an exact duplicate of ill-fated No. 27 was pulled into the Knotley Hollow school bus stop, its outside wheels slightly on the highway as usual.

Its passengers there became not school children but court officials, attorneys, members of the family of the bus driver who lost his life and two or three parents of children who died in the wreck.

Two points were established by the re-enactment, it was said. 1. That Horn could have turned his wrecker at Knotley Hollow and pulled out around the parked bus as he said he did, but only at some risk because he could not see traffic that might be approaching from both directions.

2. That the school bus used in the demonstration, though carrying a lighter load than the bus that was lost, was able to make only 30 miles an hour between the Knotley Hollow stop and the scene of the wreck. Witnesses had claimed Bus No. 27 traveled at a speed of 35 to 40 miles.

Some of the testimony heard during the inquiry has attacked the versions of the tragedy told by Horn, Joe Crum and Bennie Blackburn. They contend they have told all they know of the wreck.

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Attempted Burglary Of High School Here Made Friday Evening

Vandalism and attempted burglary were responsible for one break-in of school property last week-end and the destruction of several windows of another here, it was said by school authorities. The buildings were the Prestonsburg high and grade schools.

An attempted burglary of Principal James V. Bolen's office in the high school building Friday night resulted in a smashed door and an unsuccessful effort to "jimmy" the safe with a bar. Horn entrance to the main building was effected was not disclosed. Purpose of the visit, it was surmised, was to take a large sum of money collected by the senior class and put in the safe that day. However, the prowlers did not know that Bolen had made a night deposit a few hours before.

State Police took finger prints at the scene but as of Wednesday no arrests had been made.

Saturday night carousing drunks kicked out several basement windows of the grade school building, Principal Woodrow Allen said he was told by nearby residents. No arrests have been made, it was said.

COMBS' FRIENDS VIEW RESULTS AS GOOD OMEN

Two things happened in Tuesday's primary election that were most unusual.

1. A Floyd county had no election. 2. A Congressman lost to a primary opponent.

Although this county had no local election interest, results in the First Congressional district where Noble Gregory, incumbent Congressman, was defeated for the Democratic nomination by Frank A. Stubblefield, were of high interest here, especially to supporters of Judge Bert Combs in his candidacy for the Democratic gubernatorial nomination.

They, as well as many others, saw in the defeat of Gregory, who had been in Congress 22 years, definite indication that anti-Chandler sentiment in the First cost the veteran the primary. The First, incidentally, is the home of Lieut. Gov. Harry

AUTO MISHAP KILLS MOORE

Former Wayland Man Victim Near Ohio City; Burial, Turner Cemetery

George L. Moore, 34 years old, of Marion, O., formerly of Wayland, is believed to have died instantly in the auto wreck which last Sunday morning claimed his life near Marion.

A Marion man riding with him was seriously hurt.

Moore, a son of the late Hawk Moore, well-known minister of the Regular Baptist Church, was a veteran of World War II. His auto left the highway in a heavy rain-storm and rammed a tree. He died of head and other injuries.

Surviving him are his mother, Mrs. Samantha Chaffins Moore, his widow, Mrs. Ruth Hall Moore, and four children, Marion Edward, Linda Gay, Mary Lou and Cora, all of Marion. He also leaves two brothers and five sisters, Curtis and Jack Moore, both of Ohio, Mrs. Dorothy Moore, of Wayland, Mrs. Buck Stumbo, of McDowell, Mrs. Ida Connors, Waynesville, O., Mrs. Freda Turner and Mrs. Mary Layne, both of Marion.

The body was returned to this county and funeral rites were conducted Wednesday from the Steele's Creek Baptist Church, the Revs. Hawley Warrens, Marion Chaffins and Troy Nickels officiating. Burial was made in the Turner cemetery at Dema under direction of the Hall Brothers Funeral Home.

Roby Hughes, 64, of Garrett, died at the McDowell Memorial hospital, at 4:45 a.m. Friday. A kidney ailment was given as the cause of death.

Mr. Hughes was a son of the late Riley and Susan Hughes and was married to Iby Hicks Hughes, who survives. Surviving sons and daughters are Buford Hughes, of Garrett, Woodford Hughes, Wilmore, Ky., Mrs. Verna McClung, Fairmont, W. Va., Mrs. Suda Willis, of Lexington, Mrs. Audrey Ousley, Wellington, O. Sisters surviving are Mrs. Mina Smith, Lebanon, Pa., Mrs. Vina Patton, San Diego, Calif., and Mrs. Creeda Turner, of Garrett.

Funeral rites were conducted Monday from the First Baptist church at Garrett, the Revs. Rush Slone and Green Allen officiating. Burial was made in the Webb cemetery under the direction of Turner-Ryan Funeral Home.

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SPECIAL DAY DRAWS 1,398

Population Sunday Ups Church Attendance Here; Bingham Gives Figures

Prestonsburg Population Sunday, which was sponsored by the Kiwanis Club here, resulted in a total church attendance on Sunday morning, May 4, of 1,398 persons, it was announced last week by the Rev. Paul M. Bingham, one of the several local pastors cooperating with the club in the move toward interesting citizens here in church attendance.

This was 245 above normal attendance. There also was a substantial increase in Sunday school attendance for the day and at the evening worship. It is estimated that as a result of the joint efforts of the club and the churches, 500 persons were brought to church who normally would have been absent.

Prestonsburg has a population officially listed by the state as 6,000. In view of that population and the attendance of only 1,398 after an intensive publicity drive

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Roberts To Head Morehead Division



Dr. Leonard Roberts, native Floyd countian, has been named head of the division of Languages and Literature at Morehead State College, Dr. Adron Doran, president of the college, announced last week.

Dr. Roberts is now head of the English department at Union College and will begin his new duties at Morehead, September 1.

"Dr. Roberts is an outstanding individual in the field of Languages and Literature and we are looking forward to having him in our staff," said Dr. Doran.

Albert Stewart and Gabriel Banks have been acting co-chairmen of the department this year.

Dr. Roberts received the A. B. degree from Berea College in 1935, the M. A. degree from the State University of Iowa in 1943 and earned the Ph. D. degree from the University of Kentucky.

He was born in Floyd county in 1912 and attended Betsy Layne

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GROUP WOULD CITE HELPER

Recovery Committee Asks Help Identifying All Who Offered Aid

An appeal was made this week by James B. Goble, of Emma, who lost all three of his children in the school bus accident near here Feb. 28, for all persons who contributed service or assistance to the Prestonsburg Schoolchildren Recovery Committee to write a card stating his or her name or address. Goble, who resides at Emma, and who is treasurer of the recovery committee, issued the appeal when it was decided to extend recognition to all persons who assisted in the finding of the bodies of the children. "There were literally thousands

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City Council Advocates New Road Construction

The Prestonsburg City Council at a meeting last week sent a telegram to Frankfort urging the construction of a road from here to Pikeville on the west side of Big Sandy River. This proposed road has been in the thinking of certain advocates of road improvement for months. The wire was sent to James W. Martin, Commissioner of Highways, and John Fred Williams, chairman of the Governor's Advisory Highway Committee.

BIG SANDY POLLUTION CAUSES ARE DISCUSSED

Origin of much pollution of Big Sandy River by coal wastes is in Virginia, and conservationists there, as have Eastern Kentuckians, been wrestling with the problem for a long time, it was noted in a recent letter by County Judge E. J. Sutherland, of Dickerson county, to the Prestonsburg School children Recovery Committee.

The committee wrote the Virginia judge when black coal wastes began to hamper operations to recover the bodies of the seven children remaining in the river after the bus tragedy near here, Feb. 28. "No doubt some of the pollution here gets into Kentucky and I understand that in Buchanan county practically all the streams are polluted by coal dumpings," Judge Sutherland wrote. "The people over there at one time had clear, sparkling streams for fine fish but now all the fish are gone and the streams often run black and poisonous."

"I fully agree that something should be done about this wilful destruction of fish and the other damages done by selfish companies moved only by their avarice," he said.

Judge Sutherland wrote of the fishing paradise that was Southwest Virginia before the coal wastes were dumped in the headstreams of Big Sandy River and of the battle conservationist-minded individ-

uals have futilely waged against the practice.

"For years we have been fighting for protection against this vicious practice," Sutherland recalled. "Until the coal mines came into the Sandy Basin about 1915 our streams were clean and filled with fine fish. It was considered a fishermen's paradise for many years. Some of the streams, on which coal mining has not yet begun, are still good for fish but they have to be restocked each year because there are no new supplies of fish coming up the Sandy like they did in the past. For years our only fish have been those the State sends us each year. The pollution even makes the streams unfit for use of livestock, other farm or home use."

"Virginia has a State Water Control Commission in name but actually it is ham-strung with lobbyists or weak-kneed in its attempt to remedy our pollution situation," Sutherland continued. "Time and again we have complained and asked for help but the resulting activities, if any, on the part of the Water Commission, suddenly fold up and no one is prosecuted. I suppose you have the same trouble in Kentucky. The rich industrial corporations—they call themselves Improvement or Development Companies—have a strangle hold on our natural resources. It is a shameful condition to endure."

RED CROSS IN WORST CONDITION EVER, SAID

"The Red Cross in Floyd county is in the worst condition it has ever been in," said Ella Noel White, executive secretary of Floyd County Chapter, this week in reviewing the lagging drive for funds.

Because of the urgent need for a blood program, it was at first hoped that the county would subscribe funds enough to permit it to be reinstated to that phase of Red Cross service. That hope is not dead, Miss White said, but it will die if the response shows no more vigor than has been apparent to date.

As of last week only \$2,500 had been contributed by Floyd countians. It was pointed out, however, that this total has been reached without any solicitation in Prestonsburg. The school bus disaster and the recent flood have prohibited a canvass of Prestonsburg until now.

Because of slow mine run and unemployment, mining communities have not been pressed for contributions.

"If each person who received help from the Red Cross during the 1957 flood would contribute only

RIVER VICTIM FOUND SUNDAY

Reuben May, of Langley, Long Missing, Is Found; Identified by S. S. Card

Body of Reuben May, 61 years old, of Langley, was found Sunday in the Kentucky river near Boonesboro. His death, a Coroner's jury held, had resulted from accidental drowning.

The body was found about 4:30 p.m. The body had become caught on a snag in the water and was floating on the water when found, the men said.

Coroner James W. Bean said the body was identified by a social security card found on it. Bean said the body had been in the water for about five months.

May's daughter, Mrs. Cameron Williams, said her father had left Winchester last December to go to Florida. She said she had received no word from him since then. He apparently drowned shortly after announcing his intention of going to Florida.

A son of the late George and Rhoda Allen May, he was born at Langley Feb. 9, 1897. Since 1953 he had resided at Winchester where he had been employed by the Snowden & Estes Construction Company. Survivors include a daughter, Mrs. Cameron Williams, of Winchester, a son, Robert May, Detroit, Mich., a sister, Mrs. Elizabeth Baker, and his stepmother, Mrs. George May, both of Langley.

Burial was made in the May cemetery at Langley Monday afternoon under direction of the Turner-Ryan Funeral Home.

AUTO DEATH CHARGE MADE

Against Frank Spurlock In 3-Year-Old Accident; Examination Is Waived

An automobile wreck fatality of more than three years ago resulted in a warrant being issued last week charging Frank Spurlock of Printer, with manslaughter.

The charge was made against Frank Spurlock, although his son, Woodrow, who was 14 years old at the time, was said to have been the driver of the car. Spurlock waived examining trial before County Judge Henry Stumbo Saturday and executed \$1,000 bond to answer to whatever action the grand jury may take.

The affidavit made to procure the manslaughter warrant was signed by James Conn, of Printer, son of Tom Conn, the man who died as a result of the wreck. Conn said his father was a passenger in Frank Spurlock's car and that Spurlock permitted his son to drive the vehicle. The affidavit also claimed young Spurlock had never before driven a car.

In quarterly court sessions beginning last Saturday five men were convicted. Defendants in the cases, charges against them and penalties assessed follow:

Muncy Prater, transporting wine, whiskey and beer, \$20 fine and 30 days in jail; Jack Compton, Mark Henry, Clell Blackburn and Joe

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\$1, the drive would be in good shape, with the larger contributions we can normally expect from others," Miss White said.

Funds of Floyd Chapter are exhausted. "We have to start from scratch," the chapter secretary said.

Volunteer workers are located in each community, and persons who wish to help the fund to reinstate the county in the blood program should contact these if they have not been asked to give, Miss White said.

BILL TO HELP 35 COUNTIES

Floyd Is Listed Among Counties Needing Help Of Federal Government

A bill passed by the U. S. Senate last week would benefit Floyd and 34 other counties listed as among the state's poorer.

The so-called "depressed-areas" legislation calls for \$375,000,000 in federal grants and loans. It would go to sections which have been under the economic weather for the past several years.

Kentucky's Republican Senator John Sherman Cooper was a sponsor of the bill, known as the Douglas-Payne Area Redevelopment Bill. It passed the Senate, 46 to 36. Kentucky Republican Thurston B. Morton joined in voting for it.

Brent Spence, of Fort Thomas and Carl D. Perkins, of Hindman, Kentucky Democrats in Congress, have introduced similar measures in the House.

The House Banking and Currency Committee, headed by Spence, will begin closed-door discussions of this and other "recession" bills May 20.

Kentucky's nine industrial areas eligible for aid under the Senate-passed measure have all had at least 6 per cent unemployment for the past four years.

They are Corbin, Frankfort, Hazard, Madisonville, Middlesboro-Harlan, Morehead-Grayson, Owensboro, Paintsville-Prestonsburg, and Pikeville, Ky.-Williamson, W. Va.

Figures from last fall showed the unemployment figures ranged from 6 per cent in Owens-

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P'BURG FLOOD PROJECT JOB START, SLOW

Contractor Is Detained At Other Jobs; Activity Pickup Seen Next Week

Work on the Prestonsburg flood protection project is expected to pick up next week but by Wednesday of this week the work, largely confined to cleanup operations, had almost "worked out" temporarily.

Only three men were working Tuesday, and by Wednesday less activity was expected. The S. T. Kenyon Company, contractors on the job, has been detained at other projects on which it has contracts and that has delayed full-scale work here.

Besides cleaning up the area around the Second avenue fill where the installations will be made, the 30-inch diversion sewer construction from uptown Prestonsburg, north along U. S. 23, will claim first attention.

In time of flood, when the diversion sewer would be put into use, thus closing egress of the river to the town via the several small sewers opening into the river at various uptown points, accumulations in the diversion line would go into a 96-inch sewer extending under the fill and cutting across a point toward the river.

Another construction job, in addition to pumping installations and fills, will be a levee extending from the north end of the fill south along the present natural drain to about three-fourths the distance of the fill where it will angle back toward the fill itself.

Gaylord Robinette, resident inspector stationed here by the U. S. Army Corps of Engineers, said all the present ravine existing on the river side of the fill will be eliminated during the construction job. He also predicted that much of the odor resulting from sewage spilling down the present course of Trimble Branch to the river will be eliminated.

Rescue Squad To Pick Officers at Meeting

County Judge Henry Stumbo announced this week that the Prestonsburg Rescue and Emergency Squad will meet at 7:30 p.m. Monday, June 2, for an election of officers. Plans for an advanced course in first-aid will also be discussed. Judge Stumbo said.

FLOYD COUNTIAN HONORED AS 100th YEAR REACHED



Century-old Jason Brown, photographed with a granddaughter, Mrs. Raymond Howell, during a lull in the observance of his birthday.

Jason Brown, who was 100 years old May 20, waited until Sunday for the party marking his entry into the Century Club, but the wait was worthwhile.

For the day was made memorable by visits from a hundred or more of his relatives and friends, plus a birthday dinner which he greatly enjoyed at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Henry Spradlin, on Abbott Mountain, near Cliff.

Mr. Brown, a veritable mountain patriarch,—he has 140 living descendants,—is not as active

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Group Nine, Kentucky Bankers' Association met May 24 at the Henry Clay hotel in Ashland. Guests of honor included Spears Turly, Richmond, association president; Earle Combs, Richmond, newly appointed State Banking Commission and former New York Yankees star; Adolph Rupp, coach of the University of Kentucky basketball team and Dr. O. F. Taylor, Frankfort, executive assistant, Kentucky Legislative Research Commission. Mr. Rupp was guest speaker at the dinner meeting.

New officers elected at the business session were: J. W. Carpenter, Salyersville, President; Charles Beach, Beattyville, vice-president; J. L. Burton, Blaine, secretary. This was the largest group meeting ever to assemble in Eastern Kentucky. Retiring president, Leslie H. Moore, executive vice-president and manager of the First and Peoples Bank of Greenup, presided at the meeting. Representing the Bank Josephine were Mr. and Mrs. Iley B. Browning, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. May, W. J. May, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Henry D. Fitzpatrick, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hobson, Miss Burieta Gearheart. Guests were Mrs. Margaret C. Westfall and Mr. and Mrs. James Camacia.

**P.-T.A. Honors Teachers At Dinner Here, Friday**

The Prestonsburg grade school Parent-Teacher Association honored teachers of the grade school with an Appreciation Dinner last Friday evening. Thirty-eight teachers, their husbands and wives and four other guests attended.

Mrs. Fanny Jarrell, one of the teachers, remarked that she had been teaching 35 years and that Friday's was the second dinner she had attended. The first was when the Twenty-Year Teachers' Club met. Woodrow Allen, principal of the school, said it was his first ever.

The dinner here Friday was the first such appreciation for teachers here. Guests, in addition to teachers' husbands and wives, were Mrs. Lucy Jones, Miss Linda Stephens, Mrs. Lucy Ransdell and Mrs. Rebecca Dingus.

**BANKS SPEAKS**

Harry A. Banks, superintendent of Pikeville city schools, was guest speaker at a recent meeting of the F. T. A. Club here. He spoke on "Teaching as a Career." He stressed the satisfaction and joy of service to the future citizens of the state.

**RETURN FROM PHILADELPHIA**

Mr. and Mrs. Lon C. Hill and children returned Tuesday from Philadelphia where Mrs. Hill attended her class reunion at the Westtown School.

**IN HUNTINGTON**

Mrs. Ballard Fleming and Mrs. Aaron Duff spent Friday in Huntington where Mrs. Duff received treatment for injuries suffered in an auto collision here recently.

**Mrs. Mayo Celebrates 85th Birthday, Sunday**

Mrs. Adda Mayo celebrated her 85th birthday Sunday, May 25 at her home on Third Street.

Those attending were Mrs. Susan Weems, Mrs. John Warrick, Geneva James, Mr. and Mrs. John Scalf, Mr. and Mrs. Henry P. Scalf, Mrs. Priscilla Sammons and son, Lloyd, Mrs. J. M. Porter, Mr. and Mrs. Heber Burke, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Foley, and daughter, Billie Joe, Betty and Sarah Lynn, Mr. and Mrs. George D. Layne, Mr. and Mrs. George D. Brown, Mrs. Theckley Short, Mr. and Mrs. James Allen, Mrs. Hatie Webb, Mrs. May Ford Hyden, Mrs. Bessie Arnett, Dr. and Mrs. A. J. Davidson, Mrs. Lou Harris, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Derossett, Mrs. Clyde Smith, Miss Rose Smith, Pikeville, Mrs. Mack Harmon, Mrs. Angie Gearheart, Mrs. Sylvia Purduy and son, Jimmie Nunnery, of Portsmouth, Dorothy Stratton, Mare Creek, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Crum, Mare Creek, Ruth O'Neal, Gulnare, Emogene Boyd, Pikeville, Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Layne, Pikeville, Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Hunter, Betsy Layne, Mr. and Mrs. Ollie May, Alphoretta, Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm Crum, Betsy Layne, Mr. and Mrs. Connell McCoy and Ellen McCoy, Washington Courthouse, Ohio, Mr. and Mrs. T. O. Nunnery, Endicott, Mr. and Mrs. Hiram Brock, Harlan, Mrs. Byrd Goble and Mrs. Elvin Lowe, Endicott.

**ALFRED STRUNK DIES AT WINFIELD, TENN.**

Word has been received here of the death of Alfred Strunk on May 16 at the home of his sister, Mrs. Lizzie Ryan, Route 2, Winfield, Tenn. Mr. Strunk suffered a stroke while visiting his sister. His widow, Mrs. Effie Walters Strunk, survives. Burial was made near Winfield.

**VACATIONING IN FLORIDA**

Dr. and Mrs. John G. Archer left latter part of the week for West Palm Beach, Florida to spend some time with her sister who resides in the Archer residence.

**RETURN TO FLORIDA**

Mrs. Tom Cadenhead returned Sunday via plane from Huntington airport to her home in Wabasso, Fla. She was accompanied to Huntington by Miss Penny Whitten and Mrs. Clyde Bracy, of Pikeville. During her stay here she was the houseguest of Mr. and Mrs. N. L. May.

**AT MOREHEAD**

Mrs. Byrd Goble, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Beavers and Mrs. J. Y. Goble spent the day with Mr. Goble in Morehead, Thursday. The Home Appliance Company, of which Mr. Goble is a member is contractor on the new Baptist Church at Morehead.

**BREAKS ARM**

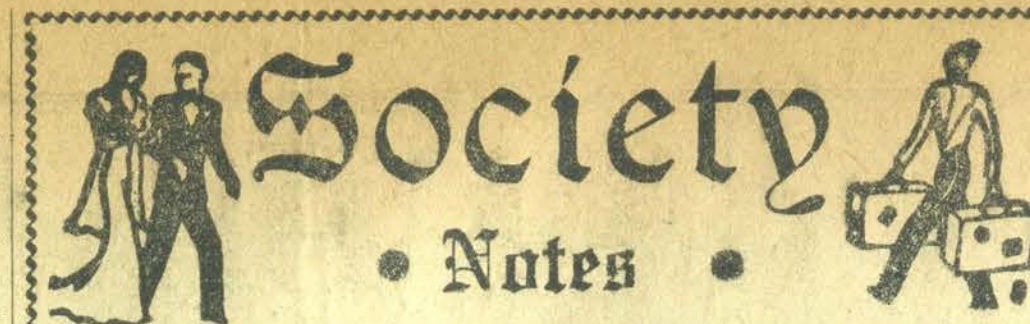
Robert Thomas, four-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert (Buster) Herald, of Central Avenue, fell from a bed Friday night while playing, breaking his arm at the elbow. He was taken to Huntington that night, received medical care and the arm was put into a cast. He is now at his home, doing nicely.

**AT DILLSBORO**

Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Francis left last week for Dillsboro, Ind., where they will spend some time at the Dillsboro Health Resort.

**ATTEND HUNTINGTON MEET**

W. R. Callihan and Coroner James Carter attended the West Virginia Funeral Directors convention held at Huntington, W. Va., May 20-21-22.



Phone 4301

**RETURN TO CHICAGO**

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Wilson Dingus returned to their home in Chicago, Ill., last week, after a short visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe S. Dingus, on Little Point. On Thursday Mrs. W. A. Dingus and Mrs. Grace D. Ford were all-day guests of Mr. and Mrs. Dingus.

**ATTEND BEREA EXERCISES**

Mrs. Grace D. Ford, Miss Mary E. Powers and Mrs. G. R. Allen spent the week-end in Berea with Mr. and Mrs. Carl G. Ford and to attend the graduation of Eddie Ford, grandson of Mrs. Ford.

**OBSEVES 85th BIRTHDAY**

L. L. Meade observed his 85th birthday anniversary, May 21, at his home at Sitka, Ky. During the day his children and their families who live in Floyd and Johnson counties visited him. The children wishing him many more happy birthdays were Mrs. Rainey White, and Guy Meade, of Prestonsburg, Robert Meade, and Mrs. Ora Schroeder, Sitka, Mrs. Jewel Yates, Point Pleasant, W. Va., Mrs. Price Moore, Mrs. Mabel Wheeler, Ray and Bill Meade, of aPintsville, Mrs. Meade's wife, who is 82, has been critically ill at her home for many months. Her condition is unchanged. Mr. and Mrs. Meade have enjoyed 63 years of married life at Sitka.

**MISCELLANEOUS SHOWER**

Miss Dorothy Herald, bride-elect of Mr. Bill Ray Thompson, was honored with miscellaneous shower Saturday at the home of Mrs. Glenn Spradlin on Arnold avenue. The home was lovely with its appointments of early spring flowers. The gift display revealed many lovely remembrances of silver, crystal, linens, appliances and miscellaneous items for gracious living. The refreshment table was covered with a lace cloth centered with a low arrangement of roses flanked by candelabra holding pink candles. Mrs. Harry Hale Ranier and Mrs. Wm. Rowe presided at the punch bowl and torte plate. Mints and nuts were served from the table. Miss Herald expressed her gratitude to her many friends for their lovely gifts and to the hostesses, Mesdames Martin Lee May, Glenn Spradlin, Mae Kendrick, Wm. J. Dingus, Roy Ramey, Arthur Johns Archer, Edward May, Heun Burke, Harry Hale, Ranier, John G. Archer, James Adams, Shannon Greer, Ray Collins, H. B. Ranier.

**DAUGHTER BORN**

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Coleman are announcing the birth of their first child, a daughter on May 21 at Gainesville, Fla. Mrs. Coleman is the former Carolyn Doss Hill, daughter of Judge and Mrs. Edward P. Hill.

**DISTRICT U. D. C. MEETS**

Mrs. Osa F. Ligon, president of Greenville Davidson Chapter, United Daughters of the Confederacy, Mrs. Lida D. Spradlin, and Mrs. Everett H. Sowards, recording secretary and organizing secretary of the Kentucky Division, U. D. C., went to Cynthia Friday to attend the Perryville district meeting of the United Daughters of the Confederacy. The luncheon was served at the home of Mrs. Anna Sue Worrell, honoring Mrs. Henry C. Weber, Division president from Louisville, Mrs. Elmer A. Deiss, national historian, Lexington, Mrs. A. V. McKenna, first vice-president, Mrs. McConnell, second vice-president and Mrs. W. C. Ellis, Division recording secretary. Chapters of the district were represented by 34 delegates from Lexington, Frankfort, Catlettsburg, Prestonsburg and Cynthia.

**STORK SHOWER**

Mrs. John H. Meadows was honored with a stork shower, May 21 at the home of Mrs. Charles Gray. She was remembered by many friends with useful gifts. Mrs. Joe P. Tackett, Jr., presided at the punch bowl. Cake, punch, mints and nuts were served. The hostesses were Mesdames Joe P. Tackett, Jr., Lewis Miller, Carl Day, Jimmy R. Hopson, Hayden Milligan and Charles Gray.

**ATTEND UK GRADUATION**

Mr. and Mrs. Victor Hale have returned home from Lexington where they attended the graduation from the University of Kentucky of their daughter, Mrs. Barbara Hale Letton, who received her Master's degree in Education. Mrs. Letton and Mr. Letton reside in Dayton, O. She accompanied her parents home for a visit of a week. Mr. and Mrs. Hale were houseguests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Hamilton, in Lexington.

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6:00 p.m., M. Y. F. will meet.  
7:00 p.m., Pre-evening prayer service.  
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Monday—  
7:30 p.m., Boy Scouts will meet in the church basement.  
Wednesday—  
7:00 p.m., Choir practice.  
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**MEMORIAL SERVICE FOR MRS. HENSLEY**

Greenville Davidson Chapter, United Daughters of the Confederacy, met May 15 at the home of Mrs. Bess S. May on Arnold avenue. Mrs. Osa F. Ligon, the president, presided. At the business session a motion was made to give \$1 per capita to the Memorial building fund. The chapter will contribute to the gift for Mrs. Henry C. Weber, the retiring state president.

The secretary read an appreciation card from the family of Mrs. Madge S. Hensley. Delegates to the Perryville district meeting in Cynthia, May 24, at the home of Mrs. Anna Sue Wornall, will be corresponding secretary, and Mrs. Everett Sowards, recording secretary and the state organizing secretary.

Following the brief business session, a beautiful memorial service was held for the chapter's devoted member, Mrs. Madge S. Hensley. Mrs. Tom Fields unveiled the portrait of Mrs. Hensley and lit the five candles placed in the candelabra near the vase of white carnations. She paid tribute to Mrs. Hensley and told of the love she had for the organization and what it stood for. Mrs. Luther Shivel read the 23rd Psalm placing a carnation in the vase. Mrs. A. J. Davidson read a beautiful obituary prepared by her. The poem, "At the End of the Road," was read by Mrs. Harry Sandige. Flowers were placed in the vase with affectionate remarks about Mrs. Hensley by Mrs. Joe Hobson, Mrs. Harry Sandige, Mrs. Bess S. May and Mrs. Mary Ford who gave the prayer of benediction. Members of the family of Mrs. Hensley present were her husband, John W. Hensley, Mr. and Mrs. Joe A. Spradlin, Mrs. G. R. Spradlin, Mrs. Lida D. Spradlin and Mrs. Jo M. Davidson.

**RETURN TO CARLISLE**

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Hopkins have returned to their home in Carlisle after a visit with their daughter, Mrs. Fred Francis and family.

**THE FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH**

Paul M. Bingham, Pastor

Sunday—  
9:45 a.m., Church School.  
11:00 a.m., Morning worship.  
"The Teaching of Our Rugged Hills."  
4:30 p.m., Junior Westminister Fellowship.  
6:00 p.m., Senior Westminister Fellowship.  
Wednesday—  
7:30 p.m., Prayertime and Bible study.  
8:30 p.m., Choir practice.

**GUESTS OF FRIENDS**

Mr. and Mrs. Garland H. Rice, of Paintsville, entertained on last Wednesday evening at their home Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hobson, Mrs. Jo M. Davidson and Mrs. Ruth D. Sowards.

**MRS. ARNETT INJURED**

Mrs. Earl T. Arnett is improving from a broken leg sustained in an auto wreck five weeks ago. She is in a cast. Her mother, Mrs. John Hale, has been with her since the accident. She returned last week with her daughter, Mrs. Thos. Thompson, who spent the week-end with her sister, Mrs. Arnett.

**SUNDAY GUESTS**

Mr. and Mrs. James Stephens, of Cliff, spent Sunday here with their niece, Mrs. Fanny Jarrell, and family.

**ATTEND HEALTH MEETING**

Mrs. Charles Wiechers and Mrs. Robert Wallace attended the statewide Maternal and Child Health Conference in Louisville, May 20-22 at the Henry Clay hotel.

**THANKS!**

We, the teachers of the Prestonsburg graded school, wish to extend to Ray Howard of the Howard Furniture Store, our sincere appreciation for his consideration to us when we purchased the furniture for our teachers' room. And many thanks for his gift of lamps and tables.

**HERE SUNDAY**

Lisabeth Homes, student at the University of Kentucky, and Judy Leete, student at Eastern State College, visited relatives here over the week-end.

**RETURN TO LOUISVILLE**

Dr. and Mrs. Julian C. Harlowe returned to their home in Louisville Sunday afternoon after a brief visit here with his mother, Mrs. A. C. Harlowe.

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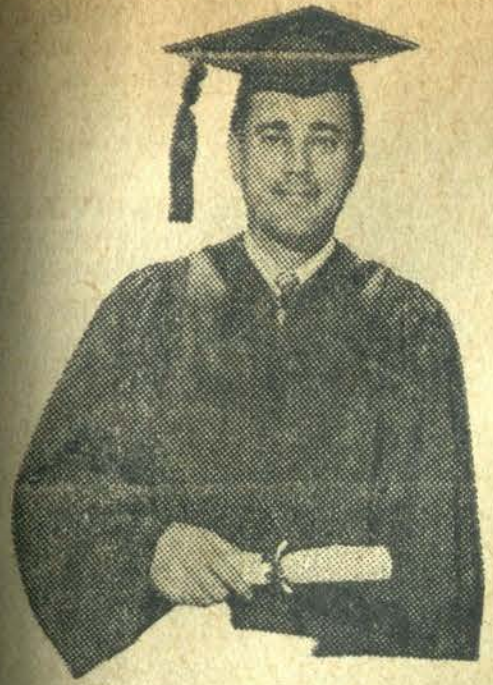
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### PERSONALS

Mrs. Chalmer Frazier and children and Earle A. Stumbo were in Lexington, Saturday on business.

Charles Burke spent Sunday with his family in Huntington, W. Va. Mr. Burke is moving his family here this week into the J. Lee Hall house on Patton street.

Miss Dorothy Herald returned to Lexington Sunday, having spent the weekend here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Herald.

Miss Sharon Bradley, student at Marshall College, Huntington, spent the weekend here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Smith Bradley, on Court Street.

Mrs. Louis Bowers and children are visiting her mother, Mrs. Janie Harris, who is ill at the Prestonsburg General hospital.

Mrs. Earle A. Stumbo entertained to lunch last week, Mrs. Tom Cadenhead, of Wabasso, Florida.

Mrs. Alice Mabel Rayburn and children of Olive Hill, spent the week-end here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Howard.

Mrs. Mae Ford Hyden, Mrs. Kenneth Allen, Miss Virginia Ann Allen and Miss Judy Howard were in Huntington last Tuesday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Rible, Jr., arrived here Tuesday from Arlington, Va., for a short visit with his sister, Mrs. C. L. Hutsinpillar, and family.

Dr. and Mrs. Edward B. Leslie were in Huntington Tuesday on business.

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### Miss May To Graduate



Miss Julia May, 24 Second avenue, Prestonsburg, is among the 384 candidates for the Bachelor of Arts degree at Wellesley College, Wellesley, Mass.

Wellesley will hold its 80th annual commencement exercises Monday morning, June 9. Miss Margaret Clapp, President of the College, will confer the degree. Speaker will be James Reston, Pulitzer Prize-winning chief of the Washington bureau of the NEW YORK TIMES.

Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert May, Miss May is majoring in political science. She is a member of Alpha Kappa Chi, an extra-curricular society for juniors and seniors which is concerned with classical literature. Last summer she took part in the Wellesley-Vassar Summer Internship Program by working in a federal government office in Washington, D. C. Her other activities include the Wellesley College Choir, Swim Club, and Junior Show, a musical comedy written and produced annually by members of the junior class.

Miss May graduated from St. Catherine's School, Richmond, Virginia.

### MR. RAYBOURN HERE

E. L. "Bud" Raybourn, of Olive Hill, Republican candidate for Congress, was the guest here this week of Mrs. Raybourn's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Howard, while on a tour of the Seventh District.

### IS DINNER GUEST

Mrs. Dewey Johnson, of Shelbiana, director of Seventh district Democratic Women's Clubs, was dinner guest this week of Mrs. Duran Moore, president of the Floyd County Democratic Women's Club.

### Wheeler-Leslie Wedding Is Solemnized May 24th At Paintsville Church

Miss Lenora Wheeler, daughter of Mrs. John E. Wheeler, of Paintsville, and Mr. Ronald Hall Leslie, son of Dr. and Mrs. Edward B. Leslie, of Prestonsburg, were united in marriage in a candlelight service at 5:30 p.m., Saturday, May 24, in the North Methodist Church, Paintsville. The Rev. Orin Simmerman read the marriage vows before an altar banked with altar baskets of white gladioli and branch ed candelabra.

Larry Leslie, brother of the groom and Johnny Wheeler, brother of the bride, lit the cathedral candles. Mrs. Hubert Paek played nuptial music on the organ preceding the ceremony.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a street-length blue nylon dress with full skirt and tight-fitted bodice, boat neckline with a rhinestone clip. Her only jewelry was sweetheart pearls. She carried a white Bible topped by a white orchid with white satin ribbons.

Miss Katy Wheeler, sister of the bride, was maid of honor. She wore a yellow dress, street-length, and a tiny satin hat, and carried a nosegay of white carnations. Mr. Eddie Leslie served his brother as best man. Mrs. Wheeler, mother of the bride, wore a print silk dress and white corsage. Mrs. Leslie, mother of the groom, wore a light blue shantung dress and white corsage.

A reception following the ceremony was held at the home of the bride. Mrs. Leslie is a graduate of Paintsville high school and is now attending Morehead College. Mr. Leslie was graduated from Prestonsburg high school and is a pre-medical student at the University of Louisville. They will live in Louisville where he will continue his studies during the summer months.

### ATTEND GRADUATION

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Lee May attended the University of Kentucky graduation exercises Monday when their son, Frederick, was graduated, cum laude, from the College of Engineering. He will later go to Oak Ridge, Tenn., where he has been employed.

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### P.-T.A. Installs New Officers At High School

New officers were installed for the Prestonsburg high school Parent-Teacher Association during a short service of dedication at a regular meeting May 15 in the high school cafeteria. Included in the program was an address to parents and teachers by the Rev. Harold Dorsey, Rev. Dorsey urged that the home, church and school train young people to be forthright in their convictions and dedicated to service in their home communities.

The outgoing president Mrs. W. W. Burchett, presided. A report was heard from the chairman of the Building and Grounds committee, Claude C. Allen, to the effect that the Floyd County Board of Education had taken none of the necessary steps toward purchase of a curtain for the Prestonsburg gym out of funds raised by Prestonsburg taxpayers. He recalled that assistant superintendent Wayne Ratliff had assured P.-T.A. members last month that the curtain could be installed before Commencement if the amount in the fund was sufficient for the \$2,500 cost of the curtain. Mr. Allen noted that the amount in the fund at present is \$14,000 and that it is a simple matter of bookkeeping to determine the surplus. He expressed uncertainty as to the Board's intention to furnish the curtain by the next school year, based on repeated efforts to get commitments from school officials.

Chairman Allen also reported that an overall landscaping plan can be procured without charge and that the grounds can be improved gradually according to that plan from year to year. A letter was read by H. D. Fitzpatrick, Jr., regent of Eastern State Teachers College, from Mrs. Peyton Ray, president of the Jefferson County Council of P.-T.A.'s expressing sympathy, and enclosing a gift of \$122 from the local unit of the Jefferson County Council, to be used for a memorial to the children who lost their lives in the school bus accident, Feb. 28.

The new president, Homer Wright, made a short talk complimenting Mrs. Burchett on the work of P.-T.A. during the year, and notifying members to come back next year "with your sleeves rolled up and your shoes off, ready for work." Other new officers are Mrs. Tom Cole, vice-president, Mrs. H. E. Midkiff, secretary, Mrs. Francis Harmon, treasurer, Mrs. John Sutherland, historian and W. W. Burchett, parliamentarian.

### HEALTH NOTES

By Floyd County Health Department

The use of insecticides saves millions of dollars worth of crop damage by insects each year. Without them it is doubtful that enough food could be raised for our needs. However, powerful insecticides call for careful handling, warns Mrs. Sarah Vance Dugan, Director of the Division of Foods and Drugs, Kentucky State Department of Health.

Among the most toxic of insecticides are parathion and pyrophosphate. Parathion, used as a wettable powder and a dust is very poisonous to humans when breathed as dust or by rapid absorption through the skin. The use of rubber gloves and a respirator are recommended and any spilled on the skin should be removed immediately by washing the skin thoroughly with soap and water. Clothing contaminated with parathion must be removed and laundered before reuse. Persons without technical know-how are urged by Mrs. Dugan to steer clear of these insecticides.

Persons who used insecticides of any kind are urged to see their physician immediately if they notice symptoms of poisoning such as headache, excessive sweating, giddiness, blurred vision, weakness, nausea, cramps or diarrhea. Home gardeners will be wise to rely on one of the effective but less toxic insecticides, Mrs. Dugan said. She also urged that all insecticides be kept away from children.

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Bolt, drunkenness, \$10 and costs each. Bolt was given trial in absentia; the others entered pleas of guilty.

Armon Earl Dawson, who is accused of child desertion, was admitted to \$1,000 bond. The \$300 bond of Virgil Carroll, charged with possessing moonshine liquor, was forfeited.

Cases dismissed on motion of the County Attorney:

Frank Simpson, cold check; Jake Smallwood, possessing and transporting whiskey and beer for sale; Doll Gibson, contributing to juvenile delinquency and selling whiskey; James Postman, contributing to juvenile delinquency; J. R. Hall, drunkenness.

The charge of reckless driving against Sherman Cook was filed away after the trial jury had failed to agree. The reckless driving charge against Ed Wright, Jr., was filed away, subject to being redocketed.

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### \$160,000 Suit Filed In Circuit Court Here Against C. & O. Railway

Mrs. Leona Prater, of Garrett, is plaintiff in a \$160,000 suit filed in circuit court Tuesday against the Chesapeake & Ohio Railway Company as guardian of her son, Richard Bee Prater.

The youth suffered the loss of his right leg at the knee and part of his left foot as the result of injuries sustained when run over by the company's train at West Garrett, last June 4.

The petition, prepared by Paul E. Hayes, Prestonsburg attorney, and the Pikeville law firm of Hayes & Baird, alleges negligence on the part of the C. & O. employees. It claims the company's agents caused trains to be stopped in Garrett and in the vicinity adjacent to the town on the east for long periods of time loading and unloading.

The suit asks \$150,000 for physical and mental pain and suffering, for embarrassment and loss of earning power. An additional \$10,000 is asked for medical, hospital and nursing expenses.

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### IRENE COLE MEMORIAL BAPTIST CHURCH

Ira McMillen, Jr., Pastor

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11:00 a.m., Worship (Broadcast over WPRT.)

6:30 p.m., Training Union.

7:30 p.m., Evangelistic Service. Sermon: Evangelistic Message.

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## Christian America? Christian Prestonsburg?

The first Sunday in this month, the Prestonsburg Kiwanis Club, in cooperation with ministers of the several churches here, conducted an interesting experiment. It designated the day Population Sunday and sought to interest the population of the town in going to church that Sunday morning.

The result was—1,398 women, men and children in church here that Sunday morning. That was 245 above the normal attendance.

Despite newspaper and radio publicity, announcements from pulpits and the work of church people, only 23 per cent of the people in this community of 6,000—if we are to believe the population figures listed at either approach to Prestonsburg—were in church.

These figures pertaining to Prestonsburg and others pertaining to towns and cities over the country lead one to wonder if indeed this is Christian America. We may as a nation be Christian in a negative way, since we aren't Buddhist or Mohammedan, but as for positive Christianity we do an excellent job of concealing it if indeed we have it.

It is true that one can worship God wherever one is—at home, in forest or field or on stream or lake—and that we should do just that. But it also is true that Jesus himself frequented the synagogue and the temple, that He did not excuse himself from those places of worship; and that St. Paul, one of the greatest of all Christians, enjoined early followers of Christ not to forsake "the assembling of yourselves together."

Is "Christian America" a rank misnomer?

Commenting on Population Sunday here, the Rev. Paul M. Bingham, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church, to whom was delegated the work of assembling results data, wrote The Times something that, it strikes us, belongs in this editorial.

He wrote:  
"No church, no citizen in our city should have trouble now wondering about our problems in crime and broken homes. It is evident here that renewed interest in the things that show a man's stature are lacking. It has been said that you can tell the measure of a man by the thing to which he devotes the greatest part of his life. The same might be said of a community. When a community shows its interest in the things which stretch out into eternity, it is a community of tremendous height and depth. When a community does not, then its size is small and shallow and the life of the community reflects this in its problems of law violation and the endless number of children becoming just like the adults that show this small interest in the things of God. What our adults are to do, our children will be tomorrow. May God grant us the strength as adults to put first things first."

## Figures That Brook No Argument

Many fine and telling arguments for control of Big Sandy river floods were made at the recent hearings held in Washington, but none bore the authority and presented the argument for flood control reservoirs so graphically as did that of Col. Smithers, chief of the Cincinnati office, U. S. Corps of Army Engineers.

Colonel Smithers was in position to know the answers, and his was one with which none could argue. He had the figures to support his statement.

He flatly told sub-committee members that, had the Fishtrap and Pound dams been constructed, the Big Sandy in January, 1957 would have crested at Prestonsburg 14 feet below the awesome level that it did reach.

Fourteen feet would have left the Big Sandy far down within the protecting banks. Every town from the head of the river to the mouth would have escaped damage of any kind. Homes, businesses, roads, bridges, lives—all would have been spared.

Those two dams, Congressman Carl D. Perkins recently reminded President Eisenhower, would cost an estimated \$37,600,000.

The destruction wrought by flood on the Big Sandy—without those two dams—cost an estimated \$40,000,000.

That means a saving to this valley of \$3,000,000 would have been effected, had the two dams been in operation. It also means that all future losses would be forestalled; that the federal and state governments would have saved upwards of \$15,000,000 in taxes which were lost as a consequence of that one 1957 flood; that industry could move with confidence into this valley and into the midst of its rich natural resources.

There is an expression engineers and economists use in connection with such public improvements as this that intrigues our interest. It is, "economic feasibility." In view of the figures presented at that hearing alone, those words should be obsolete insofar as they pertain to flood control work on the Big Sandy.

## LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Editor, The Times:  
One of our friends in your city sends us a copy of your paper each week since the bus tragedy and it was thru your up-to-the minute reports that kept us in close touch with the many bereaved ones. Each week as we read the heartrending accounts it brought tears and sorrow.

Now that we have been sharing the grief with the known and unknown of your county, we would like to keep your paper coming. Please send it to the above address. I am enclosing my check to cover same.

A. L. HENRY  
Swainsboro, Ga.

### HE THANKS US!

Editor, The Times:  
I wish to thank you and the people of the Prestonsburg community for the many kindly gestures extended to me during my stay there while searching for the victims of the school bus accident. Words seem inadequate when I try to express my feelings for the men with whom I have worked almost constantly. I'll always consider these people my friends and will never forget your community and the way the people opened their homes and their hearts to me.

JONES KERR,  
Paris, Ky.

## President's Aide Answers Letter

President Eisenhower directed an assistant last week to write a letter of consolation to a Prestonsburg girl. Recipient of the letter was Judith Gale Leslie, 12-year-old daughter of Mrs. A. B. Hines, who wrote the President about the bus tragedy here Feb. 28 and sent him pictures of the children lost.

The letter follows:  
The White House,  
May 10, 1958

Dear Judith:  
The President asked me to thank you for your recent letter, and to express his sympathy to you over the terrible loss to your family caused by the school bus accident in the Big Sandy River.

No one can ever predict what your cousins might have accomplished with their lives—what buildings they might have built, what music they might have written, what help and happiness they might have brought to their relatives and neighbors. I suppose it is useless to try to imagine what might have been. The important thing is to remember the goodness which they brought into this world. This will always remain in your heart.

Please give the President's greetings to your two sisters, Rosemary and Nell Ruth.

With best wishes,  
Sincerely,  
FREDERIC FOX,  
Special Assistant to  
The White House

## Tidbits Of Kentucky Folklore

By GORDON WILSON, Ph. D.  
Western Kentucky Teachers' College Bowling Green, Ky.

### The Romance of the River

Last Sunday I spent a short time at a very small place that used to be famous, for it was a boatlanding on Green River that once supplied the whole back country with trade. Now a single little store is all that is left of what was once a prominent place. A few fishermen were arranging their lines for use in Green River, a few neighbors were sitting on the porch of the store, and my companion and I were on a snake-hunting expedition, probably looked upon as rather suspicious characters except by the few who knew us. In front of the store stretched Green River, as inviting as it had been on the several occasions when I had gone down or up on steamboats when such things were around. But no boat larger than a dugout was around in sight; only ghost boats plied the still waters of the green-watered stream. I could feel myself, in bright daylight, shivering with memories of other days when the river had a romance that could not be put into words; I shivered because I always do so when I contemplate ghosts of any kind.

When I lived near Fidelity, I could hear the whistles of many a steamboat as it went up or down Tennessee River; not to have heard my favorite boat's whistle would have meant that the CLYDE was unable to leave Paducah for its upstream trip late in the week and Muscle Shoals for its return trip later. Sunday mornings were always associated with the boat whistle, even though it was full six miles, rough, rock miles away. Other whistles did not make such an impression on my mind, but I always recognized this one, a sign that things were running as usual, that folks up the river would get their shipment of groceries from wholesale houses at Paducah, that many a load of freight would find its way to inland stores by way of returning wagons that had come to the river to bring a load of crosses. And for many a year after I came to live at Bowling Green, the boat whistles were as much a part

## "JOE BEAVER"

By Ed Nofziger



Forest Service, U. S. Department of Agriculture

"Old Chinese proverb say—"to rule the mountain is to rule the river."

## ADVANCING EDUCATION IN KENTUCKY

By ROBERT R. MARTIN  
Superintendent of Public Instruction

Recently it has been reported in the daily press that I have requested the Attorney General to initiate steps to determine why prices bid on school bus bodies in Kentucky are exorbitant when compared to those submitted under price contract agreements in North and South Carolina. I think it is important to people interested in better schools and in better school transportation that I explain the reason for that request.

School transportation is one of the more expensive aspects of today's overall school program in Kentucky. As boards of education—always aiming toward providing better educational opportunities—established school centers, these transportation costs increased, especially the cost of new buses.

We are presently operating 3,763 school buses in Kentucky. The life of one of these buses is about eight years depending on road conditions and other factors. Each year a number of these must be replaced by new units. This year approximately 300 buses will be purchased.

When we examined our cost in Kentucky for new buses compared to that of North and South Car-

olina which have price contract agreements, we were amazed at how much more Kentucky was paying. In a state and at a time when education is becoming an ever increasing financial responsibility to taxpayers, we saw an opportunity to save as much as half a million dollars on the purchase of school buses provided we could secure price contract agreements and thereby purchase buses in quantities on a cooperative basis.

In an effort to achieve this saving of taxpayer's money—as much as \$500,000.00 potentially each year—a law was enacted in the 1956 General Assembly providing for price contract agreements through competitive bids. Not only was such a plan advantageous to school districts but it also was advantageous to bus manufacturers. By providing quantity orders under a firm commitment, these manufacturers could sell many buses to one agency rather than a few buses to many different agencies and profit from volume sales—or so we thought!

Acting under authority of this law, the Superintendent of Public Instruction requested the Division of Purchases in the Department of Finance in 1956, to secure price contract agreements, but the prices secured were much greater than prices bid to local boards of education. We assumed that this resulted from the fact that there was no firm commitment on our part to purchase a stated number of units.

Early this year, we decided to approach this problem in a different manner. Meeting in Frankfort, representatives of fifty-two school districts made a firm commitment to purchase 139 school buses under a cooperative arrangement. To assure that buses purchased would be of high standard, a committee of superintendents and supervisors of transportation from various sections of the State met on several occasions with the Director of Pupil Transportation in the Department of Education to develop new specifications on school bus bodies and chassis. These specifications called for much more durable and also, much safer equipment than had ever been required before. They dealt with everything from brake drums to cubic-inch engine displacement.

Following the commitment from the local districts and based on the new specifications, bids were called for first on March 24, 1958. Chassis bids were excellent but body bids were ridiculously high. They were rejected and called for again. The second time, bids were taken on April 15, and again were rejected as being unreasonable. It was decided that one more effort would be made to secure good faith bids. These were rejected May 1.

Because chassis bids were good and represent some savings to local school districts, it is our hope that we will be able to accept these, pending negotiation. But we are at a loss to explain the reason for the excessive body bids.

The improvement in specifications could be expected to add as much as \$300 to the cost of bus bodies, but bids were from \$800 to \$1,000 higher than prices of individual school districts last year. We can see no logical explanation for this, nor can we see any reason for the fact that similar bus bodies were bid in North and South Carolina at from \$1,200 to \$1,300 per unit less than prices quoted in Kentucky.

I believe that if education is to continue to advance, the people of Kentucky deserve to know the answers to these questions. In our program, a half million dollars can mean a great deal to the boys and girls in Kentucky public schools.

## Industry Wars On Absenteeism Caused By Drink

Absenteeism is today a major problem facing industry in the United States. Absence from work of a key individual, be it executive, secretary or production foreman, affects production, sale and delivery of goods needed to keep our economy healthy.

In a survey made by one of our large industries it was found that absenteeism was more prevalent Monday than any other day in the week, by a wide margin. Delving into the reason for this, it was found that the usual excuse of bad colds was a cover up for hangovers from excessive week-end drinking. Hangovers of drinkers with true alcoholic tendencies completely incapacitate such individuals to do an honest day's work.

Carrying this study further, this particular industry found that over a period of years a number of valuable and key employees has been lost from the organization through alcoholism, that the aggregate cost of training and experience, in efficient duty performance of this lost personnel amounted to millions of dollars.

As a corrective measure this industry now has a simple program on alcoholism in operation. All supervisory personnel are required to familiarize themselves with the "Profile of an Alcoholic," developed by the Yale Center of Alcohol Studies, which enables them to recognize the symptoms in early, or pre-alcoholic stages. A program has been developed to help employees who need it. Through this program they have been able to achieve 65 percent recovery of affected personnel with great savings in man power and money.

The Kentucky Commission on Alcoholism is prepared to present this "Profile" to any industry, large or small, and to advise them of the successful approaches many industries have inaugurated. There is no charge for this service. It is available to any business in the Commonwealth upon request.

## HEALTH NOTES

(By Floyd County Health Dept.)

**"BORED TO DEATH"**  
How many times have you said it? "I'm bored to death." Stop a minute. It could come true.

A medical expert on aging recently said that by conquering two problems—boredom and overeating—we could live to a hundred.

As a matter of fact, these two villains that are shortening man's life may be more closely related than they seem. What do you do when you're bored? Raid the refrigerator? Drop into the drugstore for a sundae? Rich, sweet food is emotionally satisfying. And in our prosperous society most of us can afford too much of it. As we get older, vanity—keeping a slim figure—doesn't stop us. We feel we can eat as we please, and we usually "please" to eat fattening foods. It's rather sad to think of a piece of devil's food cake becoming the high point of anyone's day. It couldn't happen to you. Or could it?

Retirement is the beginning of boredom for many men. Their lives have centered on their jobs for so long that they are lost without them. They feel no motive for living.

So-called retirement comes more slowly to women, and affects them less drastically. They change their pattern on living gradually as the children grow up and leave home. They take on interesting hobbies, clubs, activities in the community as free time increases. And, of course, a woman is never without a "job" as long as she has her home and husband to care for and grandchildren to fuss over. Incidentally, the death rate of women aged 65 to 69 is only 2.5, while that of men in the same age group is 4.2.

## SENIORS PLAN EDUCATION USES

Prestonsburg high school seniors have submitted themes entitled "What I've Learned in High School and How I Expect To Use My Education in the Future."

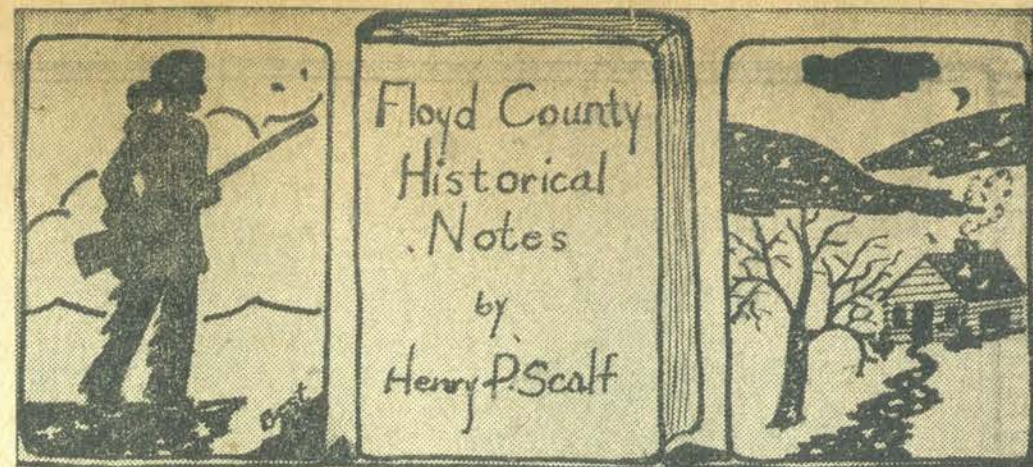
Mrs. Cora Cook selected the more profic themes authorized by students in her classes. She commented that it was unique that all the themes had been written by boys.

The subject was a difficult one, that of telling what you have learned and how you will apply that knowledge in the future.

We would like to print all of the essays, but due to space limitations, only two can be reproduced.

By Tom Harman

If one were to try to define learning in terms of past particles, chemical equations, or geometric theorems the results would be nil. Although learning in itself is always immaterial, the results are quite tangible. No person could enumerate, piece by piece, the extent of his education. The one and only true meter of education is the results, results for which it is directly responsible. The success of learning is not a luxury limited to an elite group. If the slowest pupil can some-



JOHN T. ALLEY

Two interesting personality sketches of ministers showed up in regional papers recently and each of them contributed a bit to the history of our section. One was in the Wayne (W. Va.) County News, April 18, and was titled, "John T. Alley Served in Many Ways During Interesting 93-Year Career."

Alley, also several months ago, was the subject of an article in the Christian Standard, by Dr. S. S. Lappin, who wrote:  
"For more than 50 years he went at call or wherever an opening bade him come, to tell in the simple words of an unschooled man, the story of God's love for sinful man. He would never accept any pay for his services. His little hillside farm yielded a living in response to hard labor and wise management and that was all he asked of life."

He was born, August 25, 1864, on a farm on Rockcastle Creek, Martin county, a few miles from Inez. He now resides at White's Creek, Wayne county. In his lifetime he has been farmer, preacher, carpenter, blacksmith, shoe cobbler, surveyor, weaver, and miller. He was an advocate of "do-it-yourself" all his life and set the examples.

His grandfather Alley, whose wife was a Williamson, came from Virginia. His grandmother was a cousin of Ben Williamson, owner and operator of an Ashland hardware business.

When John T. Alley was four years old his parents moved to Mingo county, West Virginia, near Williamson. Following his marriage he moved across the river into Pike county, Kentucky. There he farmed, preached and engaged in many vocations, earning a living from his rough acres but in the main consecrating himself to the Lord's work.

He became an advocate of scientific farming, brought the first Berkshire hogs to his neighborhood in order to improve the native stock. He introduced alfalfa, built a silo, lined and fertilized the soil, sprayed his crops and trees and built a barn with the unheard of innovation of stanchions for cows. With little education himself, he sought to give his own children that which he was denied. At one time he was chairman of a local school board.

The Wayne County News concludes its feature on Rev. Alley with how he met unexpected fortune. "In later years, after tolls and labor of a long life, there came to John Alley an unexpected stroke of good fortune. Rich veins of coal were found to underlie his hilly acreage. In 1904 he leased the coal on 250 acres of his land and with the returns he began to look for a better farm. He traveled in several nearby counties and finally in 1909 made his choice by buying a farm on White's Creek in Wayne county . . . ."

The Christian Standard, in its article, calls Rev. Alley, "a hero of the hinterland." The Wayne County News concludes "Mr. Alley is the last of a vanishing tribe of pioneers who combined the best of the past with the most promising of the future."

REV. HARLEN MURPHY

"West Liberty Man Is Eastern Kentucky's Grand Old Minister," is the title of a feature by Helen Price Stacy in the Herald-Advertiser (Huntington, W. Va.), Sunday, April 20. Mrs. Stacy, associate editor of the Licking Valley Courier at West Liberty, Ky., writes with fondness and insight about the aged veteran of the pupil.

Rev. Murphy was born June 7, 1870, and began to preach when

28. His ministerial career in the Christian Church began at Upper Long Branch when two ministers who were to preach failed to show up. At the insistence of several women he filled the appointment. He has filled thousands since for himself.

He has never been called "the marrying parson" but he could be. Today he is requested to officiate at nuptial vows by scores. His most unusual wedding ceremony was in Rowan county where he married three sisters. People say to him, "You baptized me, you married me and I want you to preach my funeral."

His most unusual funeral service was when he was called to Logan county, West Virginia. A man insisted that Rev. Murphy must preach the funeral of his mother, Murphy pled a prior engagement. The son said that if the West Liberty minister would go to Logan county for the last rites that he would have the funeral at night. Murphy went. Word of the unusual service got around and a large group of people attended.

Mrs. Stacy says that Murphy preached his most successful revival near Olive Hill, in Carter county, about 45 years ago. Eighty-seven were converted and baptized in two weeks.

Rev. Murphy served as pastor of the Old Grassy Christian Church for 25 years and on alternate Sundays preached at White Oak Christian Church. While a firm believer in his own church creed he has often filled the pulpits of others in different denominations.

Miss Stacy notes that a man of God can be an asset in community affairs. She points out that the subject of her sketch has been a Justice of the Peace, U. S. Commissioner of Morgan county, member of the Morgan county Board of Education, and member of West Liberty City Council.

Murphy has retired now after 62 years of dedication to his Master. "Younger hands," as he puts it, carry on his work. His successor will have a proud tradition behind to motivate his life and work.

## Landscape Notes

By DIXIE T. HIGGINS  
Home Demonstration Agent

Are you proud of your front yard? Are your home grounds and those of your neighbors well planned and planted for convenience, use, and attractiveness?

Homes are built according to well thought-out plans. Beautiful and useful yards are carefully planned, too. They don't just happen.

Beautiful surroundings transform a house and lot into an attractive home and an enjoyable, useful yard. The resale value of your property is increased when you have a well-kept lawn, plants and surroundings for your home. More comfortable living is provided for the family with a useful, attractive yard.

By closely observing other well-landscaped properties and by reading and studying you can get ideas of what and where to plant, what types of buildings add to the attractiveness of the home, and colors to use on buildings.

Well-balanced homes mean better communities. The neighborhoods are more inviting; a greater civic pride results. There is a greater attractiveness for visitors and tourists.

Those who make a lot of on-the-spot opinions usually have to correct a lot of them.

By Bert Whitaker

My high school education has been a companion to my physical form. As my body develops into that of a man, my mentality also



# WANT ADS

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

**NEED FULLER BRUSHES?** — Call 2642, Prestonsburg, between 8 p.m. and 7 a.m. 8-1-tf.

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

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

**WANTED TO BUY**—500 junk cars and trucks in next 60 days. Must be whole. \$25 and up. HORN BROS. JUNK CO., 4 1/2 miles south of Prestonsburg. After 6 p.m. phone 7651. 5-22-2t.

**NEW AND USED Furniture.** Cash Furniture Store, Opposite Floyd County Times. 4-10-tf.

**SPECIAL PAINT PRICES** — Flat wall paint, \$2.95 gallon. Vinyl Latex paint, \$3.95 gallon. All colors. May Paint and Wallpaper Store, Lake Drive, Prestonsburg, Ky.

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**FOR SALE**—House and lot in Martin. See HENRY BOTO, Martin, Ky. 5-8-4t-pd.

**FOR RENT**—Four room furnished apartment on North Lake Drive. Phone 4292. Mrs. B. L. Sturgill, Prestonsburg. 4-30-tf.

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**NEW HOME FOR SALE**—New home in Mayo Subdivision ready for lots of happy living. Three bedrooms, built-in Electric Kitchen complete with cabinets, sink, Electric Table top range and oven, large living room and dining area. Central heating system, copper plumbing located on 62 1/2 by 90 ft. lot. Must be seen to be appreciated. Reasonably priced. Terms can be arranged. Call Jack Hodge 2251 or Homer Wright 7721, Prestonsburg Ky. 5-8-tf.

**EVERETT'S REFRIGERATOR SERVICE.** All household and commercial refrigerators. Phone 2201. 5-8-10t-pd.

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**FOR SALE**—Farm, approx. 25 acres, 4-room house with bath, good garden and pasture. Timber Allen Stone, Lancer, Ky. 5-8-5t. pd.

**FOR RENT**—5-room house and bath on Graham St. Mrs. Astor Meade, Phone 2483. 5-15-3t.

**FOR SALE**—Two-bedroom home, large lot in Goble & Roberts Addition. Home almost new, completely modern. Only \$5,500. BERNICE ARNETT, Phone 6261, Prestonsburg. 5-15-3t.

**FOR SALE** — Dressed or rough lumber, size to desired width. General planing, millwork. We deliver. Preston Sawmill, Phone 617W3, Paintsville (located at Thelma, Ky.). 5-15-12t.

**FOR SALE** — McCaskey Cash Register for service station. One used adding machine. Call 4621 Allen. 5-15-4t-pd.

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**FOR SALE**—Flock of Hampshire ewes with U. K. and Sausley breeding. Eight registered Hampshire ram lambs with Green Meadow breeding. Ward Allen & Son, Midas, Ky. 5-22-2tpd.

**GRADUATION TYPEWRITER SALE**—Smith-Corona and Royal portables. Special price for graduation time. \$5.00 down and \$5.85 per month. Terry Office Supply Co., Town Center, Phone 2262, Prestonsburg, Ky. 5-15-3t.

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**FOR RENT:** 3 room house and bath. Contact Henry Stumbo, phone Res. 4073 or office 4211. 5-22-2tpd

**HOUSES FOR SALE:** Call Floyd Robinson, Phone 2426, Lancer. 5-22-2tpd.

**FOR SALE:** House Boat at Dewey Lake. Dimensions 30x10 ft., 10 horsepower Martin motor with controls included. Call McDowell 2273. 5-22-3t

**FOR SALE**—Boy's suit, tan, size 17, like new. Reasonable. Call 4921, Prestonsburg. 5-22-2t.

**FOR SALE:** 2 houses, 2 acres land on Bull Creek. Good road. One home new, full basement, all modern. CURTIE PRATER, Water Gap, or see Wesley Campbell at First National Bank, Prestonsburg. 5-22-2t-pd.

**MATURE WOMEN.** Your age is an asset. Service Avon customers in your neighborhood. Write District Manager, P. O. Box 985, Pikeville, Ky.

**FOR SALE**—One 16-foot Back Stand, 20 foot Counter, 10 Stools, 4 Booths, 2 Steam Tables, 1 Magic Chef 6-burner Stove with grill. Call Martin 3144, or see G. W. SPENCER, Martin, Ky. 5-22-3t-pd.

**FOR SALE**—Caloric gas stove in perfect condition. Clock timer, fluorescent light. Call 4531. 2tpd.

**SMALL PIANO**—Can now be yours. Just assume small monthly payments. Good credit required. JACK GALL PIANO CO., phone 1317, Pikeville, Ky. 1t.

**WASHING MACHINE** and Gasoline Motor Repair. BENNIE MEADOWS, Phone 2049, at Katy Friend, 1 1/2 miles on Middle Creek Road. 5-22-5tpd

**WANT TO MAKE \$15 to \$25 in a day** Many are doing it. Pleasant work for man or woman. No experience needed. Spare or full time. Will teach and finance you. Write McNESS CO., Dept. B. Freeport, Ill.

**FOR RENT:** 3 room furnished apt. with bath on N. Lake Drive. Mrs. Alice Ball, City. Phone 2113 or 6051. 5-22-2t.

## No More Books, No More Pencils —Happy Vacation

"No more pencils, no more books, no more teacher's saucy looks!" Remember when you used to chant that rhyme on the last day of school? Of course your children wouldn't be so rude, but they are rushing home these days full of happy plans for summer vacation days ahead.

And what about Mother? Will you be able to share in the fun? Or will you be looking wistfully out of the kitchen window, tired down by the old routine?

Here's our recipe for June: Take one small note book and one pencil. List the household tasks for the week. Ask yourself, "Is this job necessary?" For each "yes" answer, ask: "Can some step in this job be left out or made simpler?"

"It's easier to wash apples than make them into pie. Serve raw fruit three or four times a week. It's better for the family health, too, than cakes and pies. Commercially-prepared puddings may not be equal to your special chocolate soufflé, but with milk and eggs you add they're healthful and tasty. Why peel potatoes when they have more flavor boiled or baked in their jackets?"

Speaking of baking, the modern well-insulated oven won't heat the whole house and will save you time and effort. It's easier to roast meat than fry or broil it while dinners can be popped into the oven and the cook can go fishing.

Save washing and ironing with drip-dry clothes. Let summer breeze iron your sheets. Paper plates and napkins make any meal a picnic.

And as you simplify, think of ways the children can help with the chores. A healthier, happier Mother will mean a better vacation for them, too.

Lexington's "Westminster Abbey" on Third St. between Walnut and Dewese, is a local name for several old cemeteries dating from the years immediately after the 1833 cholera epidemic.

## LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

By JOHN L. CRAWFORD  
(In The Corbin Times-Tribune)

**LIBRARY BOARD CHAIRMAN MAKES STATEMENT**  
Editor, The Times:

The numerous visitors and the fine spirit of the many civic workers who assisted at the Open House ceremonies of the Eastern Kentucky Regional Library headquarters in Prestonsburg Saturday, May 17th, was a wonderful testimonial to the Floyd county and Kentucky Bookmobile program. It was especially encouraging to the five Floyd County Library Board members who have given so much of their time and efforts, without pay, to make this dream come true.

The establishment of the regional library here presents the greatest opportunity for good that Prestonsburg and Floyd county has had in my lifetime.

The fact that the readers of good books from the county's two Bookmobiles have grown from zero to more than 9,500 each month since the start of the program four years ago is solid proof that the Bookmobile program has the solid support and backing of all our citizens.

To supplement Floyd county's library of almost 10,000 volumes, and to serve the four Bookmobiles from the other counties of Johnson, Morgan, Magoffin, and Martin, the state Library Extension Division has provided 7,000 new, modern books. Recent federal approval of the library here has assured an additional \$32,000 worth of new books during the next two years.

The state Library Extension Division has four full-time employees here, one librarian and three assistants, to maintain the records and to service the six Bookmobiles working out of this center. Thus the personnel is sufficiently large to adequately handle an expanding program.

Miss Margaret Willis, state director, has urged the public to make full use of the facilities provided at the Library.

It is believed that the working hours of the library employees can be arranged, or staggered, to enable the library to remain open in addition to the regular open house, one or two nights a week and all day on Saturdays, in order to better serve the public and to accommodate visitors from a wider area.

A large, free-parking lot adjoining the library building. It is hoped that the various civic and service clubs throughout the county and area will hold some of their meetings in the library. One or two offerings to donate comfortable lounge chairs for use in the reading rooms have already been tendered. A movement to get a local civic organization or the city of Prestonsburg to install park benches and playground equipment on the old high school grounds where the library is situated was suggested and enthusiastically discussed by local residents here Saturday, and the hope was aroused that this could be accomplished soon.

The strategic geographical location of the regional library in Prestonsburg lends weight to the hope that other eastern Kentucky counties such as Knott, Pike, and possibly Letcher and Perry, can be incorporated into the regional setup here in the future.

I am supremely confident that if our county and local officials will continue to assist the many interested citizens in promoting this very worthy and wholesome project, by adding to its services and attractions, we can make Prestonsburg and Floyd County the cultural and educational center of all eastern Kentucky.

Lon C. Hill, Chairman,  
Floyd County Library Board

**CHILD DIES**  
Ray Akers, 12-year-old son of Woodrow and Lillian Smiley Akers, of Dana, died at St. Mary's hospital, Huntington, at 12:15 p.m. Thursday of last week. He had been ill all his life. Besides the parents, he is survived by the following brothers and sisters, Rickey, Rosalie, Gereal and Seruel Ann. Funeral rites were conducted at home Saturday at 10 a.m. and burial was made in the Akers cemetery under the direction of Hall Bros. Funeral Home.

There is usually a saving of several cents a pound on shortening when a three-pound can of it is purchased.

Work quietly and deliberately when handling stock; sudden noises or nervous movement excite them—and increase the chance of your being hurt.

Never stand directly in front or behind horses or cattle.

A dozen large eggs will weigh at least 1 1/2 pounds.

(This statement by John Crawford is one which so perfectly expresses the views of this newspaper that we pass it on to our readers. If we could avoid hurting the feelings of others, including our friends, and still be honest, this newspaper work would be pleasant. But facing up to the job and doing it, regardless, is the price we must pay as we assume the responsibility of recording the news as it occurs.—Editor.)

## On Leaving "It" Out Of The Paper

By JOHN L. CRAWFORD  
(In The Corbin Times-Tribune)

Newspaper work, for the most part, is pleasant. It offers an opportunity for service to your community, and a means of livelihood if you work hard enough. It challenges you anew each day, because each edition of the paper is a fresh chapter in the history of mankind. It is both creative and factual. It requires craftsmanship of the highest order from every member of the staff from both front office and backshop. At the end of the day you can feel a sense of satisfaction and accomplishment in the knowledge that you have been a part of the force that has created a living story from cold type and a sheet of paper.

But there is one phase of newspaper work that is a never-ending source of worry to me: The news story that somebody wants us to hold out of the paper. It may be a story about a drunken driver who may lose his job, a married man who has been caught in an unfavorable situation with somebody else's woman, a respected citizen who has let his greed trap him into dishonest action, or any one of a hundred sins that are common to frail mankind. Over and over again, we have requests to leave this or that story "out of the paper." The good Lord knows we'd rather leave these stories out than print them. We'd like to print nothing but "good news" every day of the year.

But what kind of a newspaper would that be? And how true a mirror of the life of the community would it be? Because, as you know, people are going to commit crimes as long as they let the devil influence their lives. If these crimes are not recorded fairly and accurately, their impact upon the people will be even more alarming, because they will become inflated out of proportion and rumors will run wild. Too, the mere fact that reports of crime will be published tends to discourage the act itself. Many an individual has been kept from committing a crime because he did not want to be branded as a criminal. The human heart is a mysterious thing. It harbors thoughts that could make criminals of most of us, if left without discipline.

You remember, too, that the best job of reporting that the world has ever known is to be found in the Bible. It gives facts and calls names. It has no "sacred cows" within its pages. Its great characters are praised for their good deeds and condemned for their sins. It is a perfect example of factual reporting. Any individual desiring to be a newspaperman could study with profit this angle of the Holy Writ. . . . So we come back to the problem of deciding what to publish, and what not to publish, in a newspaper. Our creed at the Times-Tribune is a simple one: If it is a court record, the people are entitled to know it. We do not publish rumors, gossip, petty items. We do not "blow up" crime stories out of proportion to their importance. We do not strive for sensationalism. We do not crusade. We merely publish the news as accurately and fairly as we can, human frailties and errors considered; and leave the judging to the courts.

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## 4-H NEWS

By JACK M. FRIAR  
Ass't County Agent

**DISTRICT SOIL JUDGING**  
The Big Sandy District 4-H Soil Judging Contest was held Saturday, May 24, on Middle Creek in Floyd county. This year only Pike and Floyd counties were represented in the contest.

The Floyd county team won the contest with a total of 794 points to Pikes' 682. Tommy Martin, Floyd county, was the individual scoring champion with 284 points, second was Dan Smith, Floyd county, with 267 points. Other members of the Floyd county team are Freer Martin and Ronnie Hays.

This team will represent the Big Sandy District in the State contest to be held during 4-H Week, June 3-7.

**NEW COUNCIL MEMBERS**  
At their last meeting, the Floyd County 4-H Council voted to add 4 new members to the group. New members of the council are Mrs. Verbal Meeks, Betsy Layne; Mr. and Mrs. Delmont Bailey, Maytown; and Mrs. Mary Lou Spradlin, Betsy Layne.

**PRE-CAMP TRAINING**  
Twenty-eight extension agents from Southeastern Kentucky attended a camp training school at Quicksand, May 22-23. Crafts and recreation for camps was studied by the group.

Attending from the Big Sandy 4-H District were Gene Ball, Martin county; Kathryn Bullen, Lawrence county; Mary Ruth Cochran, Pike county; Manuel Arnett, Pike county; David Gillespie, Floyd county and Jack Friar, Floyd county.

This training was held in preparation for the district camp which will be held at Fishtrap in Johnson county from July 14-18. Manuel Arnett will direct the camp. Other camp officers will be Gene Ball, dean of men; Mary Ruth Cochran, dean of women; Jerome Lawson, purchaser and utilities; and Jack Friar, storekeeper.

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## Waterfield Asks Adequate Level Of Vet Services

Frankfort, May 26 (Spl.)—Lt. Gov. Harry Lee Waterfield says state government should see that services to war veterans are maintained at an adequate level.

Waterfield, who also is chairman of the Kentucky Disabled Ex-Servicemen's Board, spoke at the U. S. Veterans Administration hospital at Outwood, Ky.

While administration of veterans' affairs largely is the province of the federal government, Waterfield said, "those involved with state government policy should guard against any attempts to curtail drastically the veterans' program."

"This," he declared, "would be false economy at its very worst."

The lieutenant governor pledged that "as long as I am in state government you may rest assured that I will do all within my power to impress on our Kentucky representatives in Congress that the obligations to our veterans must be met."

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Registration for the summer term in the Business Department is still open.

## Mayo Summer Term Draws 17 Applicants

Seventeen applicants have registered to enter the summer term in the business department of Mayo State Vocational School, June 2.

Most of these applicants will be graduating from high school the latter part of May, and are entering the summer term to get an advance start for the regular course.

All of the remaining applicants, except one are entering to earn a credit in order to graduate from high school. The one applicant was formerly employed in office work, and is entering for a refresher course.

Ten of the seventeen students are from Johnson county, five from Lawrence, and two from Floyd county.

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Only three states have a larger number of counties on the eligible list. These are Alabama, Mississippi, and Tennessee.

"Depressed conditions" have nudged 70,000 people out of Kentucky's Seventh Congressional District since 1950, Carl D. Perkins said Monday.

Congressman Perkins testified before the House Banking and Currency Committee.

He said every county in the district except Boyd and Greenup has lost population since the last census.

More than a seventh of the 467,000 district population in 1950 has left for greater economic opportunity elsewhere, Perkins said. This does not mean a net population loss of that amount, however.

"There's a great depression in the coal-mining areas," Perkins noted.

He urged the committee to report favorably to the House the \$375,000,000 "depressed-areas" bill passed by the Senate last week.

This measure would help nine industrial areas of Kentucky that have had severe unemployment for several years, plus 35 of the state's poorest counties.

The bill has been introduced in the House by Congressman Brent Spence, Fort Thomas Democrat, who is chairman of the Banking and Currency Committee.

It calls for \$300,000,000 in loans for industries and public facilities, and \$75,000,000 in grants for public facilities.

Perkins has put a somewhat similar bill before the House, but with broader scope. It would let the money be used also for such projects as urban renewal, city planning, and building reservoirs.

He told the committee that outright grants are important for depressed areas. They cannot afford to go into debt and repay loans, he said.

The program would not be a burden on the federal government, Perkins said, because the rejuvenated areas would pay back more in taxes.

Perkins also spoke in favor of low-interest loans for small business, and for a separate program of federal loans to cities and states for public works.

Both proposals are before the Congress.

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made by the club and the several churches, the minister noted: "This is indicative of a need in our city for increased church attendance."

(A part of Mr. Bingham's statement is included in an editorial appearing in this edition of The Times.)



—PHOTO BY QUENTIN AUCH

This view from inside the school bus used in last Thursday morning's re-enactment of the Feb. 28 disaster views the highway as it appears to the driver and those who sat near him, approaching the wreck scene. James B. Goble, father of three of the children lost in the tragedy, sits at left, and the spot at upper side of the road as the viewer looks past right side of his head is about where the truck of Banner Burchett was at the time the collision took place. At right of Goble is County Judge Henry Stumbo. Others taking part in the re-enactment were Sheriff Hershell Warrens, Commonwealth's Attorney Hollie Conley, County Attorney Robert S. Wellman, County Superintendent Virgil O. Turner, Mr. and Mrs. Alex Derossett, daughter and two sons, Bill Darby and Attorneys W. W. Burchett and Joe Hobson.

### Cooperatives Plans Membership Meeting

Members of the Prestonsburg Southern States advisory board and the local Southern States farm home advisory committee, their wives, and husbands will meet June 3 at 7:00 p.m. in Prestonsburg to make plans for their local 1958 Southern States Cooperative annual membership meeting. They will also nominate persons to fill vacancies occurring this year on the Board and Advisory Committee. Elections will take place at the membership meeting to be held later this year.

Members of the local advisory board who will retire this year are Joe Hunter, of Cliff, and Earnest Prater, of Goodloe.

Retiring this year from the farm home advisory committee are Mrs. Homer Neeley, of Prestonsburg, and Mrs. Francis Bolling, of West Prestonsburg.

Other members of the local advisory board are Bascom Harris, Jesse Wallen, Homer Neeley, all of Prestonsburg and Jess Wallen, of Water Gap.

Members of the farm home advisory committee are Mrs. Billie Merritt and Mrs. Grace Conley, both of Bonanza; Mrs. Jess Wallen, of Water Gap, and Mrs. Henry B. Wright, of West Prestonsburg.

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who gave the parents aid in their hour of deep bereavement and the Prestonsburg Schoolchildren Recovery Committee and the parents of the child victims would like to recognize all of them with a token of our appreciation," Goble said.

The recovery group, which has been meeting regularly since the finding of Paulette Cline, last of the children to be found, decided two weeks ago that among other things a certificate of Outstanding Service would be awarded to all persons and firms who assisted in the operations on the river. All contributions in cash have already been acknowledged by letter from Goble in the committee's name.

"To compile the names of all persons and firms who aided us is a stupendous task," Goble noted, "and it is only through the cooperation of the general public that we can do it. We do not want to miss recognition of a single one. If you helped, send me a card. If your neighbor helped write us about it. We want to compile the list as soon as possible."

The recovery group, in cooperation with the parents of the children, will draft a suitable expression of appreciation to be printed in The Floyd County Times.

In an effort to finally wind up its business, the recovery committee shipped 20 outboard motors last week back to the Coast Guard at St. Louis. These had been on loan by this branch of the armed services for some time. Two outboard motors, a Johnson and an Atwater, which had among ten others been on loan also to the committee, have been given to the Prestonsburg Emergency and Rescue Squad. It is expected that some of the remaining motors will be given by the manufacturers to the rescue group also.

The committee met Saturday evening at the office of Mayor Bill Napier and will meet again Tuesday evening at 6:30. It is thought that several meetings will have to be made in the future before all matters with which the committee is concerned are completed.

Moth preventatives should be placed in cheesecloth bags or other containers and fastened at the top of the storage area. The reason is that fumes from moth crystals or balls are heavier than air and will go downward as the preventatives evaporate.

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### FOR THE RECORD

Usually I am in such a state of somnolence when I watch television that they could say George Washington was the twenty-first president of the United States, and I would fail to catch the error. Still they do make some blunders. The following radio and TV bloopers were recorded by the Jay-Gee Record Company:

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Our neighbors over in Columbia, Tenn., largest outdoor mule market in the world, held a jackass parade yesterday, headed by the governor.

### STORY OF THE WEEK

I hasten to tell this one before everybody has heard it. It concerns the counterfeiter who was working with a partner who handles the passing of the bogus money. Both were doing a real good job of it, too, till the day when the guy who did the printing made a mistake and ran off a batch of \$18 bills.

His buddy was plumb distraught, if you could say a crook gets distraught. "Eighteen-dollar bills!" he moaned. "What are you gonna do with them?"

"Where? Who would be dumb enough to take such a bill?" "Well, I tell you," the counterfeiter confided. "You go up in the mountains of Kentucky, and them igerant hillbillies won't know the difference—they'll bust 'em for you and give real money for 'em."

So the handler of the "hot stuff" bee-lined it for them, thar hills, and his first stop was at a service station. "Can you give me change for hts \$18 bill?" he boldly inquired of the attendant.

The "ignorant hillbilly" said he could. Then he blandly inquired, "How will you have your change, mister—three sixes or two nines?"

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### Federal Government Collects Sum Here In Highway Program

Special to The Times

New York, May 26—In the first year of operation of the big federal-aid highway program, the government collected \$1,482 million in new excise taxes, of which passenger car operators in Floyd county contributed an estimated \$41,100.

For the country as a whole, the receipts were about 1.2 per cent less than the \$1,500 million expected.

Most of the money, turned over to a special highway trust fund, came from the one-cent-a-gallon increase in the tax on gasoline, which went into effect on July 1, 1956.

Together with the higher taxes on tires, eight cents a pound instead of five, the average motorist was nicked for nearly \$8.60 per year, according to the U. S. Chamber of Commerce estimate.

This average cost, applied to the number of cars in operation in Floyd county, gives \$41,100 as the amount of new taxes locally.

Truckers are also being assessed. In addition to the cent-a-gallon impost, they are paying higher taxes on tires and other equipment as well as a special levy on trucks weighing over 26,000 pounds.

Further tax demands may be made upon car owners later, it is pointed out, as state governments become faced with the need of paying their share of the cost.

The added expense of motoring in Floyd county during the first year of the construction program is reflected somewhat in the receipts of the local gas stations, which came to \$1,876,000 in the year, compared with \$1,727,000 in the previous year.

Originally, it was thought that the 41,000-mile highway network would be completed in 13 to 15 years. More recently, however, a much longer time was indicated because of the rising costs of construction and because of the limitation that was placed in the bill that the work be done on a pay-as-you-go basis.

The current attitude in the Administration and in Congress, has been to push ahead with the road building more rapidly, using additional federal funds. It would thus serve as an anti-recession project, they feel.

### COVERED BRIDGES

One of the few remaining covered bridges in Kentucky is on the Shawhan-Ruddles Mills Road, seven miles from Paris.

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from the Carolinas in the early 1800's, Mr. Brown is of hardy stock. He has lived the quiet life of a farmer, except for one period during which he carried the U. S. mail on horseback between Prestonsburg and Hindman. This was during the days of the section's feuds. Until his injury last year he often walked the two miles from the Spradlin home to Prestonsburg and on Sundays to the church of his choice.

His surviving descendants include two children, 29 grandchildren, 76 great-grandchildren and 33 great-great-grandchildren.

Joining Mr. Brown Sunday in observance of his 100th birth anniversary were the following out-of-town relatives:

Mr. and Mrs. Estill Brown and children, Mr. and Mrs. Amos Hackworth and children, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Brown and children, Mr. and Mrs. Warren Casper and children, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Brown and children, Mr. and Mrs. Delmer Brown and children, all of Ada, Ohio; Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Evans, and children, Middletown, Ohio; Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Prater, Jr., and children, of Flatwoods, Ky.; Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Prater, Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Spradlin, and Paul Prater, all of Ashland; Mr. and Mrs. Henry Spradlin, Jr., Blacksburg, Va.; Mr. and Mrs. Earl Edmonds, Mrs. Eugene Price, Mr. and Mrs. Scott Spradlin, all of Pikeville.

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high school. He taught at Jackson city high school in Breathitt county, Brevard Junior College in North Carolina, the University of North Carolina, the Berea Foundation School and was head of the English department at Piedmont College in Georgia before going to Union in 1954.

Dr. Roberts is considered an expert on folklore and has had a book of folktales, entitled "South From Hell-Fer-Sartin," published by the University of Kentucky Press. Two other book-length manuscripts have been completed and are in the hands of publishers. He has been Councilor of the American Folklore Society and President of the Kentucky Folklore Society and is listed in the Who's Who in American Education and the Directory of American Scholars.

His folktales and reviews have been published or accepted by the Kentucky Folklore Record, Southern Folklore Quarterly and Western Folklore.

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John Alex Derossett

Mr. and Mrs. Derossett; Please accept my most sincere condolence upon the tragic death of your son, John.

Horace Mann wrote on achieving (success) greatness: "If any man seeks for greatness, let him forget greatness and ask for the truth, and he will find both."

Perhaps this may be applied to your dead son. He in his humble toil as a bus driver sought not greatness but truth for young minds of the small ones. The unfortunate accident put an abrupt halt to his work, yet, in my mind, he is surely continuing his work. I, as many Americans, want to

take this minute to ask you to keep these enduring hours as moments on the reflection of God's will.

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### Floyd Radio Hams Given Recognition By National Body

Two Floyd amateur radio station operators, William Wade Moore, of West Prestonsburg, and Stanley Head, of Prestonsburg, have received from the American Radio Relay League, Inc., West Hartford, Conn., its Public Service Award for their meritorious work in connection with the 1957 flood.

Prestonsburg and much of Floyd county was completely isolated by the flood and communications broke down. The two radio "hams" worked, day and night, sending, receiving and delivering messages.

The award received by the two, it was explained by the Radio Relay League, is not the kind of award that is worked for, asked for or expected. "It comes as a spontaneous recognition," the ARRL noted.

Floyd county now has seven amateur radio operators. Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Hale and Mrs. Mary Lynn Francis, all of Prestonsburg, recently received their operator's licenses. When Mrs. Francis' husband, John Paul Francis, returns here from Navy service, an eighth licensed operator will be in the county. Others who already are operating "ham" stations are Jimmy Daniels, of Auxier, and Dean Lafayette, of Martin.

Nicholasville, seat of Jessamine county, was settled in 1798 and named for Col. George Nicholas, a native of Williamsburg, Virginia and member of the convention that met in Danville in 1792 to frame a State constitution.

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### FARM NOTES

By ROBERT M. JONES  
County Agricultural Agent

#### FEEDER PIG SALE

The Northeast Kentucky Feeder Pig Association held its first sale last week with excellent results. Floyd county farmers had a part in the organization of the sales cooperative, but due to local demand of feeder pigs, there were no pigs from here consigned to the sale.

There were 462 head of pigs sold averaging 57 pounds that brought an average of \$36.49 per cwt. or \$20.85 per head.

The next sale is scheduled for October. Many farmers in Floyd county could take advantage of this sale. Usually the local market is not good for fall litters. The feeder pig sale will offer an outlet for all the pigs that can be produced in the county.

#### STRAWBERRIES

This is the biggest strawberry bloom that we had for several years. The indications are that there should be a good yield per acre. If the local market holds up as it has in the past two years, all of the berries can probably be sold in the county. Everyone who will be selling berries this year should already have crates on hand, pickers lined up and buyers contacted. If all of these jobs are left until berries are ripe, many berries will be lost.

Keep plenty of captan on hand. Spray following each rain or at two week intervals, through harvesting. Any captan left over can be used on the garden to control rot and blights.

#### EMERGENCY PASTURE

Many of the farmers that I have talked to were unable to sow their pastures this spring, because of the weather. There are several crops that can still be sown to produce emergency pasture for this summer.

Sudan grass will make pasture six weeks after seeding. Use Piper variety at rate of twenty pounds per acre. Fertilizer with 400-600 pounds of 10-10-10. Sudan should be sown as soon as possible. It makes excellent pasture for dairy or beef cattle.

For brood sows and sheep, rape is an excellent crop. Use 8-10 pounds of seed per acre and 400-600 pounds of 10-10-10 fertilizer.

#### LAMB MARKET

The lamb market is beginning to be established. Some of the yards do not have buyers yet. The market is starting a little below last year. The reason for this is that the feeders in west and mid-west have unloaded a large number of fat lambs on the market. As soon as these lambs have gone through the market channels the price for spring lambs should pick up.

This means that it will probably pay to hold lambs a little longer until market strengthens. Lambs will hold their flesh this time of the year.

#### COVER CROP

Due to the wet spring, our cover crops have grown exceedingly large. They are difficult to turn under, and will be slow rotting. An application of ammonium nitrate at the rate of 100 pounds per acre ahead of plow will help to rot the crop.

If corn is planted too soon after a large cover crop is turned under, a poor stand will result. You should wait at least two weeks after plowing before planting. With the late season this will be hard to do. If an early maturing hybrid is used there will still be plenty of time to mature a crop. Most of the open-pollinated varieties are late maturing and will probably still be sappy at harvest time.

#### BANG'S DISEASE

A meeting will be held Saturday, May 31, 7:30 p.m. at the courthouse to make plans for starting the sign-up of farmers for area Bang's testing. All owners of cattle are invited to attend this meeting.

A representative of the State Department of Agriculture will be here to explain the program. It will also be necessary to select farmers to serve in their community to sign up their neighbors.

#### FRUIT

The first hatch of codling moth worms will be coming off this week. It is most important to protect apples from this insect. A spray material made of DDT (2 lbs) and Malathion (20) per 100 gal. of water should give satisfactory control.

Apple scab has been favored by the wet cool spring. For control use Captan at the rate of 2 lbs per 100 gal. of water.

#### STRAWBERRIES

The strawberry crop is starting off good. Berries are of good size. Those patches that have been sprayed with Captan are free of rotten spots, but those fields that were not sprayed are showing some rot. Berries properly picked and sold in regular strawberry crates will bring the most money. Remember that a satisfied consumer will be a future buyer.

If any growers have more berries than they can sell locally, the East Kentucky Strawberry Grower's Cooperative will be operating this year. There will not be a pick-up truck running in the county, but they can be delivered to the shed in Paintsville.

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### Methodist To Hold Annual Conference; Dr. Shirkey To Speak



Representatives of 75,000 Methodists will meet for the Kentucky annual conference of the Methodist Church at Asbury College, Wilmore, June 10-13.

Ministerial and lay delegates to the 138th session will represent Methodist churches in 60 Eastern and Central Kentucky counties. They will review the work of the conference during the 1957-58 church year and make plans for the new year which begins June 1.

The conference guest preacher will be the Rev. Dr. Albert P. Shirkey, pastor of Mt. Vernon Place Methodist Church in Washington D.C. Dr. Shirkey will preach several times during the four-day meeting.

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recently were:

1. The American Legion at a recent meeting assumed the responsibility for rat and mosquito eradication in the city.
2. The Prestonsburg Kiwanis Club, with the aid of the horticultural specialists of Berea College, planned to promote beautification of school grounds and municipal property.
3. Harry Ranier, Prestonsburg contractor, agreed to attempt sidewalk improvement.
4. The high school journalism class sponsored a campaign to deter the "litter-bug."
5. The Junior Chamber of Commerce agreed to push the project of cleaning vacant city lots.
6. Ray Collins and Winston Ford were appointed to a committee to beautify river banks and to promote erosion retardation.
7. Winnie F. Johns will conduct certain kinds of contests to promote the overall clean up and beautification program.

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### AREA GROUP SLATES MEET

#### Secretary Emphasizes Planning Of Committee Not Limited In Scope

The first meeting of the Eastern Kentucky Regional Planning Commission since appointment of its executive director, John Whisman, of Lexington, will be held there Monday.

B. F. Reed, drift coal operator, is chairman of the group which seeks to assist this area's economy.

In announcing the meeting today Whisman emphasized that the commission's work is not limited to improving conditions caused by last year's flood but to strive for new industries, organize community services and generally improve economic conditions.

"The commission's work has no limits and no ceilings except those that are practical ones," Whisman said. "The commission will continue to fix policy and the director will try to keep things going." He explained that unemployment in Eastern Kentucky amounts to 20 per cent—largest in the state—and that the area has had enough jobs for its citizens.

Whisman said he will move to Hazard and open an office there, probably in July. Whisman is a member of the State Economic Development Department which has taken a large part in planning redevelopment of the area.

There are 32 counties in the area served by the commission: Bell, Boyd, Breathitt, Carter, Clay, Elliott, Estill, Floyd, Greenup, Harlan, Jackson, Johnson, Knott, Knox, Laurel, Lawrence, Lee, Leslie, Letcher, Lewis, Magoffin, Martin, McCreary, Menifee, Morgan, Owsley, Perry, Pike, Powell, Rowan, Whitley, and Wolfe.

Members of the commission, other than Reed are Lawrence O. Davis, Hazard, vice chairman; S. C. Van Curen, Harlan, secretary; R. H. Worden, Pikeville; the Rev. William M. Huie, Corbin; Dr. Adron Doran, president of Morehead State College; Dr. Alev Spencer, West Liberty; Rexford S. Blazer, Ashland, and Harry LaViers, Paintsville.

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### Doug Hayes Is Elected Student Council Prexy At Morehead College

Douglas J. Hayes, of McDowell, who was named for the late Senator Doug Hays, of the same town, has been elected president of the Student Council at Morehead State College.

The 25-year-old Floyd man is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Troy Hays, of McDowell, is a graduate of McDowell high school and served four years in the Navy as boatswain's mate, first class. He is a senior at Morehead and will continue study during the summer term.

Pine Knot, until 1913 the seat of McCreary county, lies in the foothills of the Cumberland Mountains. The county government was moved to Whitley City after the town developed with the building of US 27.

**AWARDED SCHOLARSHIP**  
Bobby Jones Sublett, of Paintsville, who will receive a Bachelor of Science degree from Eastern State College at Richmond in June, has been awarded a graduate scholarship in chemistry at the University of Tennessee for 1958-59. He is the husband of Sonja Sue Lykins, formerly of Harold, and is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Sublett, of Paintsville.

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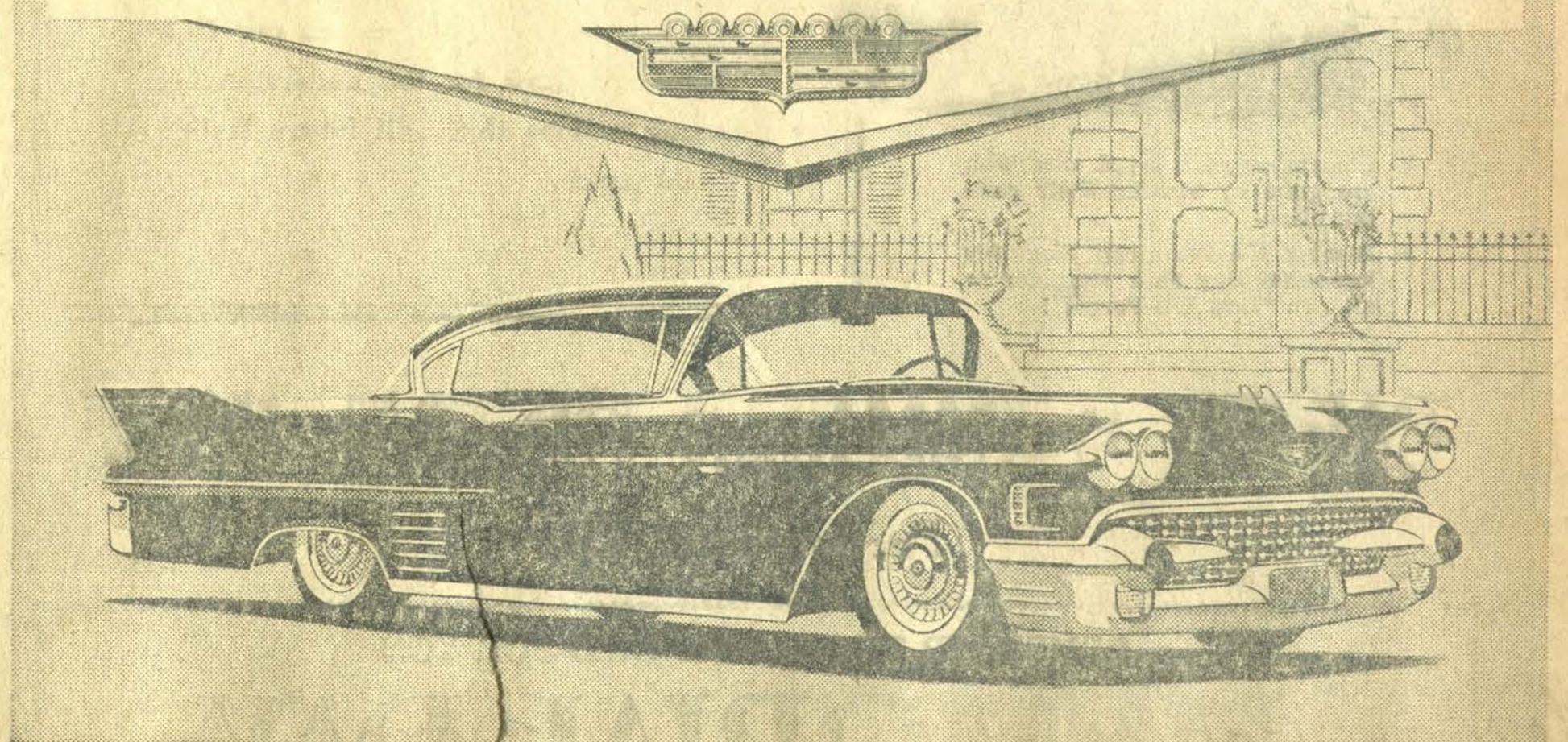
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THURS.-FRI., May 29, 30—  
Double Feature—

**"Cole Younger, Gunfighter"**  
(CinemaScope)  
Frank Lovejoy

**"Young and Dangerous"**  
Lilli Gentle, Mark Damon

SATURDAY, May 31—  
Double Feature—

**"The Parson and the Outlaw"**  
(Technicolor)  
Anthony Dexter, Sonny Tufts,  
Marie Windsor, Buddy Rogers

**"Love Slaves of the Amazons"**  
(Eastman Color)  
Don Taylor, Gianna Segale,  
Eduard Gianelli

LATE SHOW—

**"Under Fire"**  
Rex Reason, Henry Morgan,  
Steve Brogan

SUN.-MON., June 1-2—  
Double Feature—

**"Bands of Angels"**  
(Warnercolor)  
Clark Gable, Yvonne DeCarlo

**"Mister Rock and Roll"**  
Allen Freed, Rocky Graziano,  
Teddy Randazzo

TUES.-WED., June 3-4—  
Double Feature—

**"The Sad Sack"**  
David Wayne, Phyllis Kirk

**"Crash Landing"**  
Gary Merrill, Nancy Davis

**Miss Moore Is Named Good Citizen Of Class; Makes Pilgrimage Tour**

Miss Ella Rose Moore, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Moore, was elected the Good Citizen of the 1958 graduating class by her classmates and faculty members of the Prestonsburg high school. On May 10, Miss Moore participated in the annual Good Citizen Pilgrimage to the capital city at Frankfort.

The Pilgrimage included a tour of the new capitol building, the old capitol building, Liberty Hall and a visit to Daniel Boone's monument and the graves of Theodore O'Hara and others; a luncheon at the Capitol Hotel, and a visit to the Governor's Mansion where Mrs. Chandler and co-hostesses received the sixty-five Good Citizens and their chaperones. Tea was served in the beautiful dining room of the mansion by the hostess D. A. R. Chapters, Susannah Hart Shelby Chapter and Frankfort Chapter.

The Good Citizens Pilgrimage is sponsored each year by the State Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution.

Miss Moore was accompanied by Miss Alice Harris, chairman of the Good Citizens committee and regent of John Graham Chapter, D. A. R., Prestonsburg.

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Prayer and Praise Service—Each Wednesday Evening at 7:00 p.m.

**BLACKBURN THEATRE**  
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FRI.-SAT., May 30-31—  
Double Feature—

**"Man From God's Country"**  
Grant Williams, Lola Albright  
(CinemaScope-Color)

**"God Is My Partner"**  
Walter Brennan  
—PLUS—

**"Slim Carter"**  
(Color)  
Jack Mahoney, Julie Adams

**JAYCEES PLAN SENIOR AWARD**

**Athlete Recognition Set For Class Night; House Numbers Urged**

Frank Heinze, president of the Prestonsburg Junior Chamber of Commerce, announced this week that the annual Salyer-Reatherford Award will be presented to the outstanding senior athlete of Prestonsburg high school on Class Night.

The name of the recipient of the award will be placed on a plaque with those three previous winners, Bert Dixon, Lowell Hughes, and Buford Crager. The plaque will be placed in the Prestonsburg Memorial Gymnasium.

The Jaycees at this week's meeting decided to seek additional equipment for the two present playgrounds and announced tentative plans to move the equipment on the Richmond property at the corner of Graham and Second Street. They have plans of moving the equipment to a lot adjacent to the Ed Music home and the residence of Walter Price, on North Lake Drive.

Roy Ramey introduced a proposal to investigate the possibility of furnishing house numbers to residences of Prestonsburg. The majority of houses, Ramey noted, do not have numbers. He said the delivery of mail would probably be expedited by the addition of these numbers. Heinze said that Marshall College has turned down a bid to meet Wesleyan College here this coming fall. He said Morehead College and the University of South Carolina have not replied.

The Jaycees will hold a golf tournament to find a county representative to compete in the state golf tournament. The winner of the tournament will win an expense paid trip to compete in the July 13 match at Frankfort. Interested teen-agers should see or write Quentin Allen, chairman of the Golf Tournament Committee.

**SPENDS WEEK AT MARTIN**

Avenelle Francis left Huntington, W. Va., via Allegheny Airlines for her home in Erie, Pa., after spending the past week here and with her brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Dennis E. Francis of Martin. While here she visited relatives on the Auxier road and her aunt in Paintsville, also her grandmother, Mrs. K. W. Francis, of Riceville.

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**Will Receive Degree**



Miss Vivian Berwyn Sturgill, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John I. Sturgill of Lexington, Kentucky, will receive an A.B. Degree in Secondary Education from the University of Kentucky May 26. Miss Sturgill is a graduate of Auxier High School, class of 1954.

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second blast, in the same vicinity, came Saturday night, officers said. Officers here said they were told one man was cut across the back of his neck, another across the nose and that a third had the seat of his pants slashed as he ran. An investigation of the dynamiting failed to result in an arrest.

Deputy Sheriffs last Wednesday arrested four Drift men, Earl Hall, Curtis Moore, Earl Stone and Emery Cooper, when they found five gallons of moonshine whiskey in a washstub at premises they occupied. The four were taken before the U. S. Commissioner at Pikeville.

A raid Monday by Sheriff Warren's deputies on the trailer-home of Bennie Blackburn at the scene of the Feb. 28 school bus tragedy resulted in the confiscation of 108 cans of beer. Blackburn already is under a third-offense liquor indictment.

The officers made a raid on a Prestonsburg place of business, the same day, but failed to find intoxicants.

In four raids made Tuesday afternoon by deputy sheriffs 22 half-pints of gin were found on the premises of Chester Wells, of the Auxier Road, and a half-pint of whiskey was found at the home of Ernest "Yankee" Wells at Auxier. Two other places searched yielded nothing.

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**ATOMIC TESTS TALK SUBJECT**

**Of Col. Barney Oldfield At Hall of Fame Meeting Scheduled Here, June 7**

Colonel Barney Oldfield, director of Information Services of the USF North American Defense Command, will discuss reasons for continued atomic tests, when he appears as guest speaker for the annual Floyd County Hall of Fame program here Sunday.

Colonel Oldfield is flying from Colorado to be present for the week-end activities. He will arrive by car in Prestonsburg around 4 p.m., June 7. Mrs. R. G. Wheelodon, of Cincinnati, will also appear on the program. A special welcome ceremony will be given the two at the Kentucky Motel at 4 p.m. The public is invited to be present for this reception.

Chalmer Frazier, acting president of the Floyd County Hall of Fame, will be in charge. Mayor Bill Napier is to present the keys to the city as various public officials and representatives of organizations extend official greetings to the visitors.

Special plans have been made to entertain them, since this is their first visit to the mountains.

The Hall of Fame banquet, open to members and one guest each, is scheduled for 7:30 Saturday evening, in the B & W Cafe. Mrs. E. P. Grigsby, of Martin, is to sing. Deacon Terry, of Wheelwright, has also been invited as a vocalist.

Following the dinner the crowd will visit the Hall of Fame photo gallery in the Regional Library here.

Persons wishing reserved seats for the Sunday afternoon program should contact Tom James, Prestonsburg. Both radio stations, WPRT and WDOC, will broadcast the program.

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The Martin high school majorettes ranked superior in the recent State Music Festival at Lexington. Shown here, left to right, are Marsha Babb, sophomore, Mickey Martin, senior, Patty Samons, senior, Brenda Samons, junior, and Mary Beth Samons, junior.

**Oil Companies Offer Outboard Motor Prize**

Frankfort, Ky., May 19 (Spl.)—More Kentucky fishermen than ever, this summer, will be angling for largemouth bass, smallmouth bass, crappie and bluegill.

Prizes for the heaviest fish caught and registered in each category will be given by Ashland Oil and Refining Company and Aetna Oil Company, it was announced today.

Any person 16 years or older, who has a 1958 Kentucky fishing license, may enter his catches in the Derby, with the stipulation that the fish must come from one of these five lakes: Cumberland, Herndon, Dewey, Kentucky and Dale Hollow.

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**WHEELWRIGHT THEATRE**

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John Agar, Joyce Meadows

**"Teenager Monster"**  
Anne Gwynne, Stuart Wade

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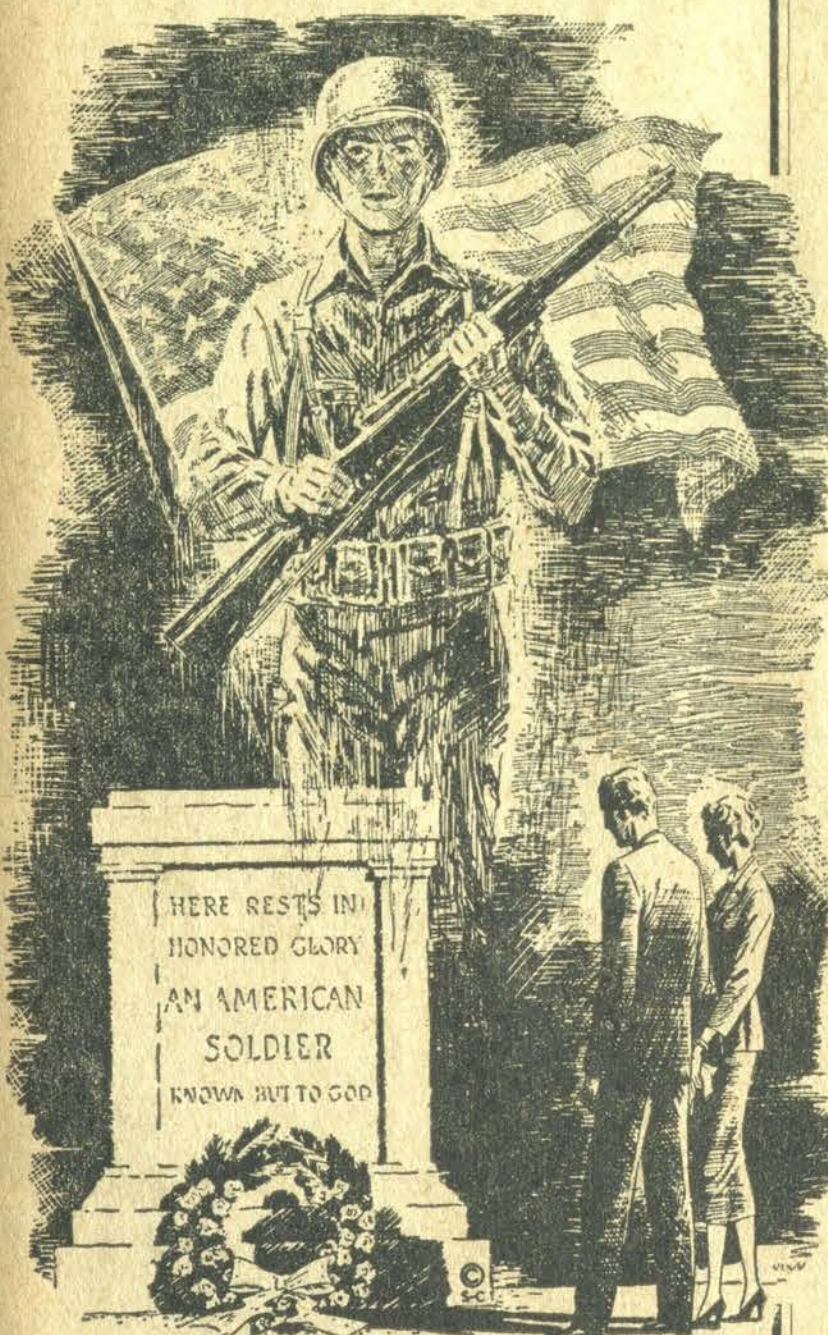
Civitan Horse Show, Tuesday night, June 3 and open house at the Mid-Continental Spring Co., Wednesday, June 4, Durnhlem added.

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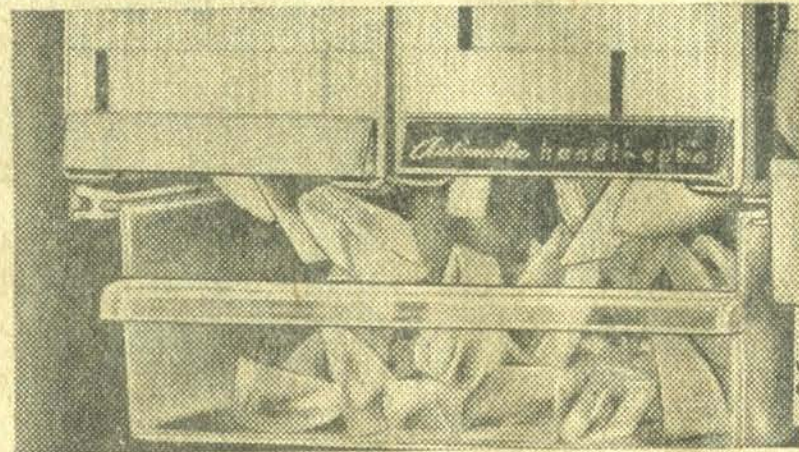
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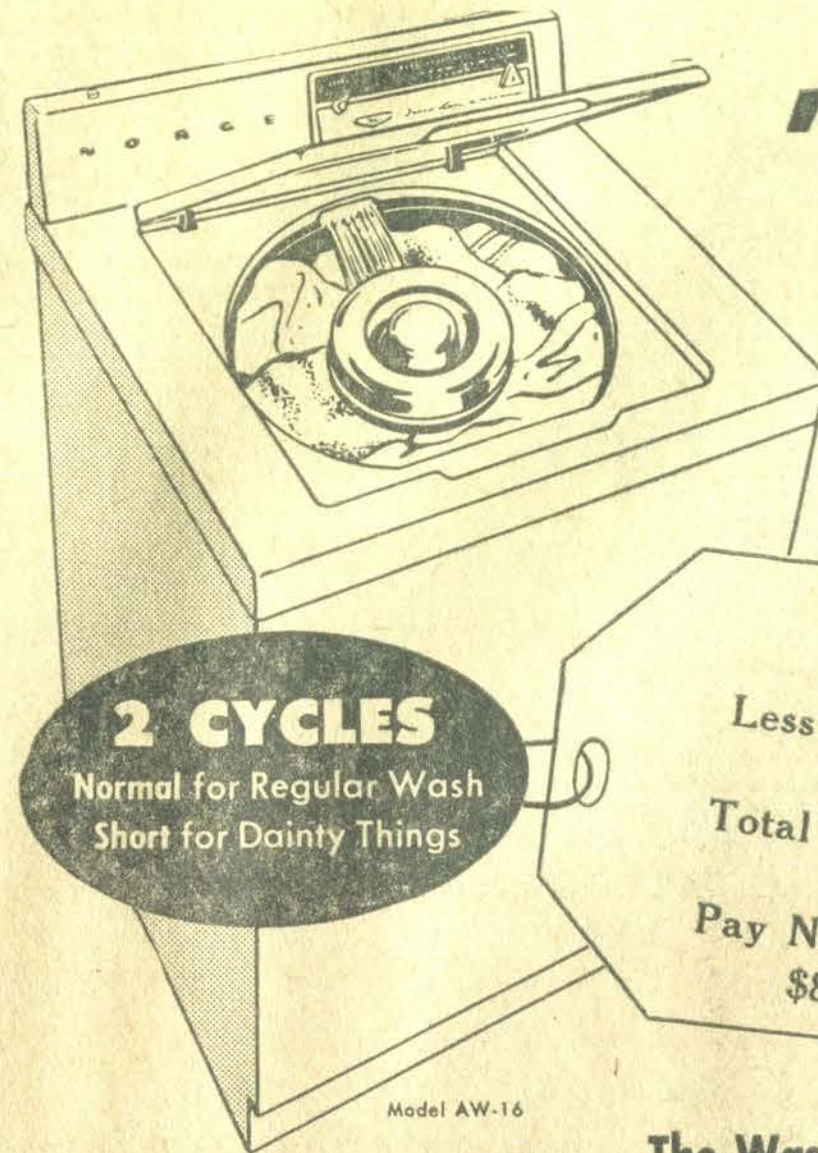
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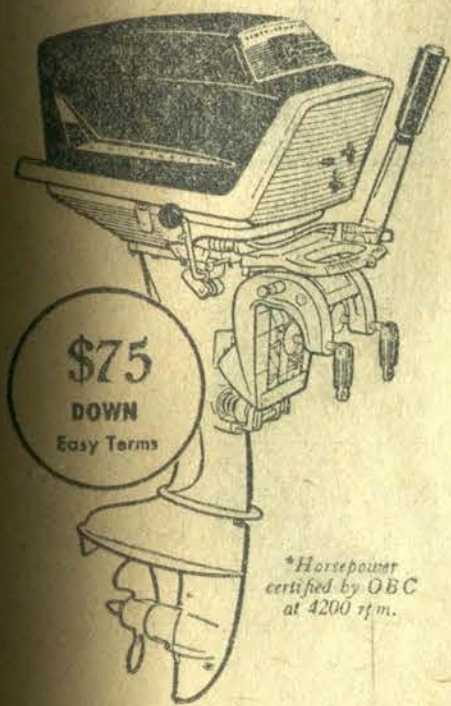
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### Lt. Gov. To Speak At Davis Memorial

Frankfort, May 26 (Sp.)—Lt. Gov. Harry Lee Waterfield will be principal speaker at the Jefferson Davis Memorial Day celebration, Fairview, Tuesday, June 3.

The event, commemorating the 156th birth anniversary of the Confederate president, is sponsored by United Daughters of Confederacy.

Miss Julia Henry, member of UDC Hopkinsville chapter, will be mistress of ceremonies.

Program as outlined is:  
Parade at 10 o'clock, led by military band and color guard from Ft. Campbell with floats from surrounding towns and communities.  
National Anthem by band; Devotional, Rev. Leon Goodley, Fairview Baptist Church; Welcoming address, Charles H. Gill, Jr., Elkton; UDC Welcome, Mrs. Lula King, Lexington.

Mrs. Ean Kilgore, parks director, will welcome the guests to Jefferson Davis Monument, preceding the introduction of the Lieutenant Governor at 11 o'clock.

Members of the UDC will be introduced by Mrs. Hugh Hammond, followed by group singing of "My Old Kentucky Home."

Luncheon will be served at noon, with selecting and crowning of "Miss Confederate" at 2 o'clock.

Mary Frances Alverson, 1957 winner, will crown her successor.

Climaxing the day will be the wedding of Miss Capitola Jane West and Mr. Thomas Edward Charles of Lacey. Attendants will be last year's bride and groom, Mr. and Mrs. Brookie Coome.

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### Sane Treatment Of Alcoholism Began In 1935

By J. Collis Ringo,  
Executive Director  
Kentucky Commission on  
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The year 1935 will be to the history of alcoholism what 1776 is to the United States history. It marked the first effort to do something about excessive drinking other than to put the drunk in jail or to prohibit the manufacture and sale of alcoholic beverages.

In the early years from 1935 through the early forties, both the Yale Center of Alcohol Studies scientific efforts and the small number of Alcoholics Anonymous members devoted their efforts toward alcoholics who were in jail, mental institutions or hospitals. No person was considered an alcoholic until he or she had reached a completely uncontrolled behavior pattern.

In 1934 the first session of the Yale Summer School of Alcohol studies was conducted. The 16th annual session of this school will take place June 29 through July 24, 1958. Since the first session, representations from nine Canadian provinces and from 22 other countries have attended. From this educational effort and from the research projects resulting, factual knowledge is replacing prejudices and misinformation.

Alcoholism is now recognized by the American Association as a disease. The number of alcoholics who have reached the completely uncontrolled stage comprise only a small percentage of the alcoholic population. Eighty-five per cent of the alcoholic population are employed or employable. Where the entire early membership of Alcoholics Anonymous was composed of people who had reached complete bottom, the majority of their members today have never been institutionalized. The 200,000 members of Alcoholics Anonymous who are completely sober citizens, holding positions of responsibility, are convincing evidence that alcoholics can be helped and are worth helping.

Experience since the early forties proves definitely that through a program of education and information early detection of alcoholic illness is possible, that early recognition by the alcoholic himself can arrest the progress. One large industry in this country has more than 450 employees, alcoholics who have achieved sobriety, are valuable assets of the corporation. Alcoholics can be helped and are worth helping.

### Sammons Is Graduated At Bob Jones Academy

GREENVILLE, S. C., May 24 (Sp.)—Seventy Bob Jones Academy seniors received diplomas tonight at the Academy commencement exercises in Rodeheaver Auditorium on the Bob Jones University campus. Diplomas were awarded by Dr. Bob Jones, Jr., president of the university.

Included in the graduating class were students from twenty-nine states, the District of Columbia, Canada, and Malaya. Among the graduates was Edward Cecil Sammons, son of Mrs. Dorothy Sammons, Prestonsburg. He has been a member of the Mohawks Literary Society.

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### To Attend Fifth Baptist Youth World Conference



Miss Mary Francis Osborne, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Osborne, of Hunter, a junior at Martin high school, will attend the Baptist Youth World Conference at Toronto, Canada, June 27-July 2.

Miss Osborne was awarded this expense-paid trip by the Baptist Woman's Missionary Union of Enterprise Association and the First Baptist Church of Martin for special attainments in the Young Woman's Auxiliary. She is a member of the First Baptist Church of Martin, and teaches a Sunday School class also in the Hunter Mission of the church. Miss Osborne has also dedicated her life for Christian service.

The Floyd girl will be in attendance with about 6,000 or more young people from 70 or more nations. She hopes to be a part of a 1,000-voice international Baptist youth choir. She will hear such special speakers as Prime Minister John Diefenbaker of Canada, speaking on "World Peace". Dr. Joel Sorenson of Sweden, Chairman of the BWA Youth Committee, will give the key address. Dr. W. W. Adams of the Southern Baptist Theological Seminary of Louisville, Kentucky, will lead a daily Bible study hour.

Miss Osborne was chosen for the honor from a group representing the 32 churches of Enterprise Association.

### Commencement Exercises To Graduate 700 Pupils; Holt, Featured Speaker

Richmond, Ky., May 26 (Sp.)—More than 700 degrees will be awarded to the two sections of the 51st commencement at Eastern Kentucky State College, with a class of 415 to be graduated Wednesday morning, June 4, and a class of more than 300 to receive degrees at the summer commencement, August 7.

The June commencement address will be delivered by Dr. Andrew D. Holt, vice president of the University of Tennessee, at 10:00 o'clock (CDST.) The baccalaureate sermon will be given by Dr. H. Leo Eddleman, president of Georgetown (Ky.) College, Sunday morning, June 1, at 10:45 o'clock in Hiram Brock Auditorium.

Degrees will be conferred by President W. F. O'Donnell on 41 candidates for the master of arts degree, 68 candidates for bachelor of arts degree, and 306 bachelor of science candidates. The class will be presented for graduation by Dean W. J. Moore.

To receive the Master of Arts degree will be Ronald Keith Curry, of Wheelwright.

Floyd countians who will be graduated with the degree of Bachelor of Arts are:

Phyllis Deen Moore, Hi Hat; Willem Russell Craft, Wayland; Patricia Ann Deal, Wheelwright; Dessie F. Gunnell, Banner; Donald Gene Moore, Orkney; Robert Taylor, of Martin.

### HAGER CONGRATULATED

Beeville, Tex. — Wilbur G. Hager is congratulated by Capt. T. D. Harris, upon his promotion to Navy Lieutenant, April 16. Lt. Hager is the son of Mrs. Mildred Cain, of 1535 Woodburn ave., Covington, Ky., and husband of teh former Miss Faye Goble, of Auxier, Ky.

He is serving as a jet fighter instructor at the Chase Field Naval Auxiliary Air Station, Beeville, Tex.

Before entering the Navy in October, 1952, Lt. Hager attended Pikeville College.

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### Pfc. Mitchell R. Short Stationed in Germany

AUGSBURG, GERMANY—Pfc. Mitchell R. Short, son of Mr. and Mrs. Mitchel Short, of East McDowell, Ky., recently spent a three-day pass in Munich, Germany.

Short is regularly assigned as a machine gunner in Company C of the 11th Airborne Division's 505th Infantry in Augsburg. He entered the Army in July 1955 and arrived in Europe in March 1956.

The 21-year-old soldier attended McDowell high school.

### Chiang's Wife In New York

New York, May 27 — Mme. Chiang Kai-shek, wife of the generalissimo of Nationalist China, arrived by plane Tuesday on what was described as a trip to this country for a medical check-up and to receive an honorary degree from the University of Michigan next month.

Do not hang wool garments on plastic hangers for summer storage. The hangers may melt at high temperatures and damage the clothing.

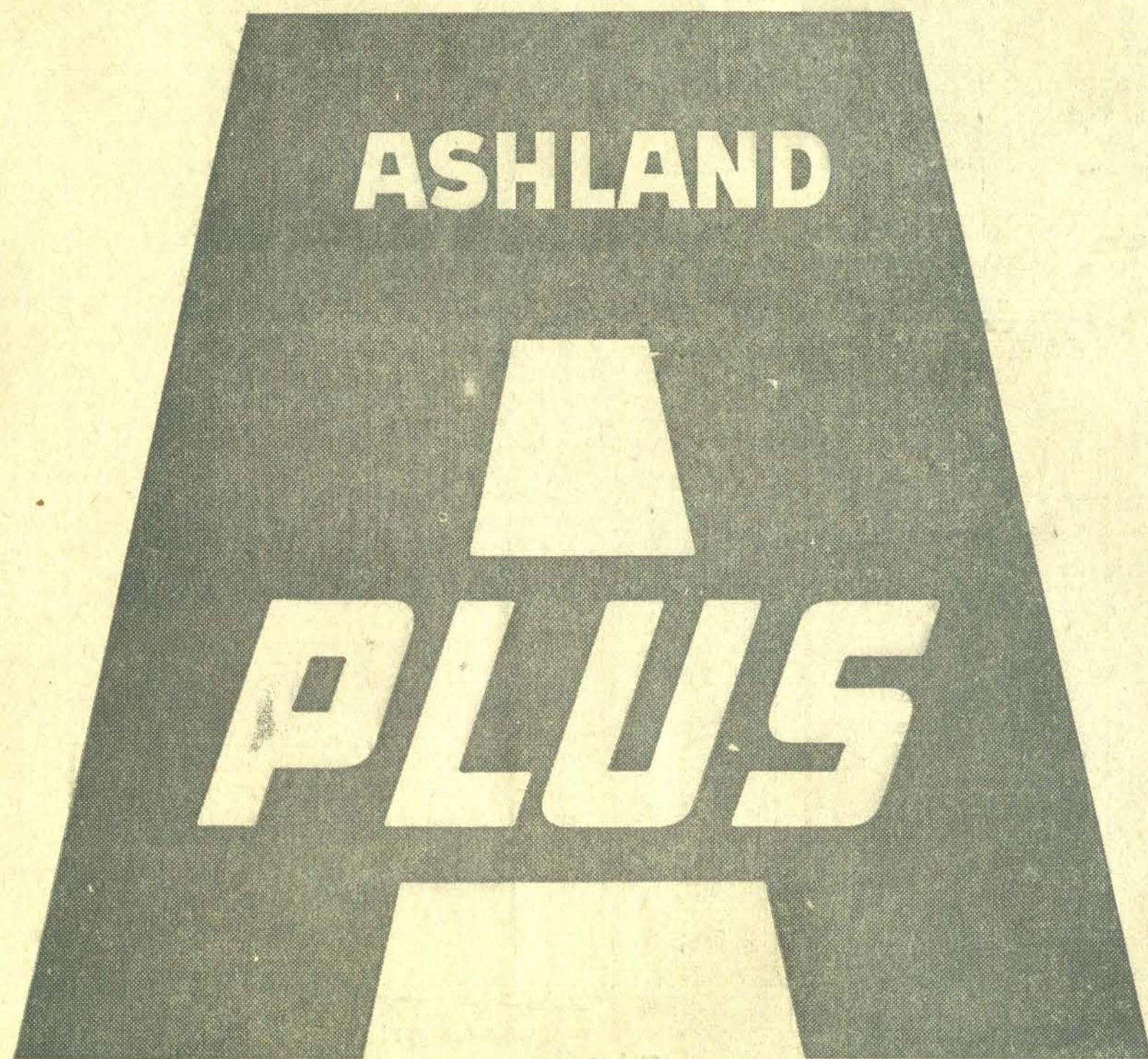
### Mrs. Collinsworth Dies At Cousin's Home, May 4

Mrs. Laura Maynard Collinsworth, 74, of Louisa, died May 4 at the home of a cousin, Mrs. Clark Ratcliff of Fallsburg, buried in the Collinsworth Cemetery on Louisa Route 4, following funeral services at 11 a.m. May 21 at the Fallsburg Tabernacle with the Rev. J. C. Hager officiating. The body was at the Curtright Funeral Home at Louisa.

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**GRADS SMOTHER CATS IN ALUMNI TILT HERE**

A solid aggregation of graduating high school seniors, plus college football players, completely dominated the Prestonsburg high school alumni game last Friday in winning, 22 to 2.

The game was clearly in the hands of the alumni from the start as Bert Dixon took a 20-yard pass from Paul Phillip Hughes, and ran the touchdown from 45 yards out. The conversion was successful as Bruce Howard, fullback, punched it over.

The game saw many innovations as to positions. For the game line-men became backfield men and vice-versa. One of the most successful was Bruce Howard, Morehead football candidate, who ran hard and deceptively. His three touchdown runs were all called back because of penalties. His total yardage for the night was over 200 yards.

Confusing but not amusing to high school backs and ends was the option play Joe Jack Harris and Paul Phillip Hughes engineered throughout the night. Harris' speed and Hughes' faking went repeatedly for yardage.

However, for the larger part of the game, it was the alumni power over the smaller high school boys. Alumni linemen included Bert Dixon, (Morehead, 200 pounds), Wayne Dixon (215 pounds), Don-

ald Crain (205 pounds), Raibe Tackett (170 pounds), Ed Ousley (180 pounds), Walter Caudill (185 pounds), and Rudolph Allen (165 pounds).

The lack of backfield men forced the alumni to make their wisest decision of the night in posting Howard at fullback. The high school gridders were hampered by injuries to key personnel, among whom were James Allen, quarterback, and Dennis Stephens, fullback, who saw limited action during the night.

Rodney Bussey played a tough game for the high school in slipping through the alumni line for several short runs of 10 to 15 yards.

Red Minix was one of the outstanding defensive stalwarts for the high school. However, the hard running of Howard through the high school line, the option plays around end, and the short passes of Hughes were too much for the prep schoolers.

Short Notes: The complexion of the high school team seemed excellent. Coach Griggs has had a bad spring in which to get his team into shape. The spirit shown by the high school team was fine although the alumni had too many "hosses" for them. Slight but willing "Jeep Alexander threw all of his 130 pounds into the game with effectiveness. Jeep had the reputation in high school as a deadly blocker and defensive man. Bobby Howell is said to be the man to watch in the Blackcat line for next year. He's a hard hitting guard. The Black Cat formation attack has been switched at times to single wing to take advantage of James Allen's running ability from the quarterback spot. The University of Alabama already has its eyes on James and has scouted him. Glenn Anderson may be playing for Centre College next year and Paul Phillip Hughes will be attending a prep school. Johnny Heinze, Frank Heinze, and Don Sullivan officiated the game.

**McDOWELL LOSES, 10-4 IN REGIONAL FINALS**

The McDowell Daredevils advanced to the finals of the Eastern Kentucky regional high school basketball tournament but lost an extra inning 10-4 decision to the Ashland Tomcats.

Coach Estill Hall's charges fielding their first team in five years, were one out away from their first regional championship only to see the Tomcats score seven runs in the top of the eighth inning.

McDowell advanced to the final round as fast-balling right-hander Robbie Robinette pitched excellent ball in limiting Olive Hill to five hits while striking out nine and walking only two in registering on 8-2 decision.

The Daredevils built a 3-0 lead in the first three innings without the use of a solid hit, then broke loose for five runs in the fifth to really settle the issue. McDowell collected seven hits

**Oil Companies Offer Outboard Motor Prize**

Frankfort, Ky., May 19 (Spl.)—More Kentucky fishermen than ever, this summer, will be angling for largemouth bass, smallmouth bass, crappie and bluegill.

Prizes for the heaviest fish caught and registered in each category will be given by Ashland Oil and Refining Company and Aetna Oil Company, it was announced today.

Any person 16 years or older, who has a 1958 Kentucky fishing license, may enter his catches in the Derby, with the stipulation that the fish must come from one of these five lakes: Cumberland, Herkington, Dewey, Kentucky and Dale Hollow.

Grand prize, awarded for the heaviest largemouth bass, will consist of an 18 h.p. Evinrude "Fastwin" outboard motor, a 14 foot "Aluma Craft" cruiser, a matching Super-Deluxe "Holsclaw" boat trailer and a week's vacation for two at either Kentucky Lake or Lake Cumberland.

Motors (10 h.p. Evinrude "Sportwin") will also be given to those who catch the summer's heaviest smallmouth bass, crappie and bluegill, provided they register it according to the rules of the "Kentucky Fishing Derby".

**Mayo Summer Term Draws 17 Applicants**

Seventeen applicants have registered to enter the summer term in the business department of Mayo State Vocational School, June 2.

Most of these applicants will be graduating from high school the latter part of May, and are entering the summer term to get an advance start for the regular course. All of the remaining applicants, except one are entering to earn a credit in order to graduate from high school. The one applicant was formerly employed in office work, and is entering for a refresher course.

Ten of the seventeen students are from Johnson county, five from Lawrence, and two from Floyd county.

Registration for the summer term in the Business Department is still open.

and the Comets from Olive Hill were guilty of six errors. Robinette was the only McDowell player to get more than one hit, lining out two singles, and second baseman B. Radcliff contributed a double.

In the final game, McDowell scored twice in a weird second inning, in which the Daredevils put seven runners on base. His by King and Clemons and four walks were inserted. McDowell also profited when Ashland first baseman C. Castle picked up a bunt and found no one covering first base.

McDowell scored another run in the last of the sixth to go ahead 4-3 before the roof fell in the next inning.

**SEMI-FINALS**

	AB	R	H
Olive Hill			
M. Huston, 3b	4	0	1
Hamond, c	4	0	0
Roe, 1b	2	1	2
Tabor, cf	3	0	1
Rose, lf	2	0	1
Barker, p	3	0	0
Pope, ss	2	0	0
Smith, 2b	2	1	0
Stevens, rf	3	0	0
Pence	1	0	0
McClure	0	0	0
<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>5</b>

**McDowell**

	AB	R	H
Allen, cf	3	0	0
Tackett, rf	3	0	0
Radcliffe, 2b	3	1	1
Stone, ss	4	1	1
Hall, 3b	4	2	1
King, 1b	3	2	1
Clemons, lf	3	1	1
Patton, c	1	0	0
Robinette, p	3	1	2
<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>7</b>

Olive Hill .....000 001 1-2  
 McDowell .....012 050 x-8

**FINALS**

	AB	R	H
Ashland			
Filmore, ss	3	2	0
Dixon, 1b	5	2	2
Patton, 1b	5	2	2
Conley, 3b	4	1	2
Murphy, c	3	2	0
Castle, p	3	0	2
Wright, 2b	3	1	1
Ross, rf	2	0	0
Pelphrey, lf	4	1	0
<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>31</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>7</b>

**McDowell**

	AB	R	H
Tackett, rf	3	0	1
Radcliff, 2b	2	0	0
Stone, ss, c	4	0	0
Hall, 3b	4	0	0
King, 1b	3	1	1
Clemons, lf	3	2	2
Allen, cf	4	0	2
Patton, c	1	1	0
Tuttle, p	2	0	0
Shelton, lf	2	0	1
Robinette, p	0	0	0
T. Hall, p	1	0	0
R. Tackett, p	0	0	0
Stumbaugh	0	0	0
<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>7</b>

McDowell .....020 001 01-4  
 Ashland .....000 111 07-10

**SPORTS CHATTER**  
 By GORDON MOORE

**LITTLE LEAGUE BENEFITS**  
 The benefits of Little League and Pony League baseball in the McDowell and Drift areas were shown this year in the play of the McDowell high school baseball team, which advanced to the finals of the Eastern Kentucky regional high school baseball tournament before losing to Ashland in an extra-inning game.

This was the first team the school had fielded in five years and their overall record was 9-3, which included the Floyd county district championship and an eight-game winning streak.

**WIN SECTIONAL**  
 Prestonsburg's Black Cats won the southern section of the Eastern Kentucky Mountain Conference baseball tournament last week-end by drubbing Paintsville, 16-5, in the finals.

The Blackcats eliminated Belfry, 12-0, in the opening round and Paintsville downed Pikeville, 9-8, in the other semi-final game.

Prestonsburg will meet the winner of the northern section, either Jenkins or Hazard, next week for the league's baseball championship.

**Ladies Golf Association In Paintsville Meeting**  
 The Eastern Kentucky Ladies' Golf Association held its first meeting of the 1958 season at the Paintsville Country Club, May 20, with 53 members present.

Mrs. Durward Kazee, president of the Paintsville Association, acted as chairman of the day's activities and with the assistance of other association members provided an enjoyable day for the women from Hazard, Pikeville, Jenkins and Paintsville. Wheelwright, the fifth member of the Association, was unable to participate in the first meet.

Sixteen of the women attending elected to get their suntan at the bridge table, but were at the "19th" to console the foot-weary golfers and supply remedies for their first sunburns of the season. The High prize at bridge was won by Mrs. Oliver Jenkins; second high by Mrs. Sidney Garland, and the traveling prize was won by Mrs. Douglas Turner. All three were from the Paintsville Club.

In the golfing section, the team cup for low gross was won by three Paintsville shot makers, Mrs. Nelson Gullett, Mrs. Lon Hall and Miss Tobyanna Walden. The cup for low net was won by the Elkhorn Club, of Jenkins, low scores turned in by Mrs. Lois Quick, Mrs. Wm. F. Wright and Miss Elsie Johnson.

First flight—low gross, Mrs. Nelson Gullett, Paintsville; low net, Miss Jewel Burchwell, Paintsville; low puts, Miss Tobyanna Walden. Second flight—low gross, Mrs. Jo Leger, Pikeville; low net, Miss Jo Pack, Paintsville; low puts, Mrs. Mary K. Payne, Hazard. Third flight—low gross, Mrs. Warden Auxier, Paintsville; low net, Miss Judy Walden, Paintsville; low puts, Mrs. Richard Wells, Pikeville. In the 9-hole group—Low net, Mrs. George Branham, Paintsville; low puts, Mrs. A. H. Jopp, Pikeville.

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Table with columns: ESTATE, ADM. NAME, ADDRESS. Lists various estates and their administrators with addresses in Kentucky.

DuRAN MOORE, Clerk Floyd County Court

SHERIFF'S SALE

Ashland Shepherd, et al. Plaintiff vs. ORDER OF SALE Charles Ratliff, Defendant

By virtue of judgment and order of sale in the above styled action, I or one of my deputies will offer for sale at public auction at the Courthouse on June 2, 1958 at 11 a.m. the following described property.

One 1949 Chrysler automobile. Leveled on as property of Charles Ratliff.

Sale will be made for cash or on credit of 90 days with sale bond and approved surety, same to have force and effect of Replevin bond and to bear interest at rate of 6% per annum from date of sale.

HERSHELL WARRENS, Sheriff, Floyd County By Jarvis Allen, D.S. (Cost of Adv. \$6.95 5-15-3t)

SHERIFF'S SALE

Oliver Hall, Plaintiff vs. ORDER OF SALE Willie Hall, Defendant

By virtue of judgment and order of sale in the above styled action, I or one of my deputies will offer for sale at public auction at the courthouse door in Prestonsburg, Kentucky on June 2, 1958 at the hour of 11 a.m. the following described property.

One radio and one television set. Leveled on as property of Willie Hall.

Sale will be for cash or on credit of 90 days with sale bond and approved surety, same to have force and effect of replevin bond and to bear interest at rate of 6% from date of sale.

HERSHELL WARRENS, Sheriff, Floyd County (Cost of Adv., \$7.88) 5-15-3t

NOTICE

Evelyn Hall has filed application with the Floyd county court for license to operate a place of entertainment known as Hall's Restaurant and Grocery Store at Halo, Ky. DuRan Moore, Clerk Floyd County Court 5-23-3t.

MASTER COMMISSIONER'S SALE FLOYD CIRCUIT COURT

Arnold Tackett, Admr. Plaintiff vs. NOTICE OF SALE Alpha J. Vance & Co. Dfts.

By virtue of a judgment and order of sale of the Floyd Circuit Court rendered and entered at the May term, 1958, in the above styled cause I shall proceed to offer for sale at the Courthouse door in Prestonsburg, Kentucky, to the highest and best bidder, at public auction, on the 2nd day of June 1958, at 10 o'clock A. M., same being the first day of the regular term of the Floyd County Court, upon a credit of six (6) months, the following described property, to-wit:

Those certain tracts and parcels of land located in Floyd County, Kentucky, Tract No. 1, set out and described in deed of conveyance from J. B. Clarke, Master Commissioner of the Floyd Circuit Court to Della Vance dated July 8, 1955, recorded in Deed Book No. 160, page 146; and one-half undivided interest in tract of land deeded to Della Vance & Co by deed dated March 31, 1938, recorded in Deed Book 132, page 170.

Purchaser will be required to execute bond with good and approved surety, bearing interest from date of sale until paid, and he may, if he so desires, pay cash in lieu of executing bond.

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

J. B. CLARKE, Master Commissioner, Floyd Circuit Court (Cost of Adv. \$16.70) 5-15-3t.

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SHERIFF'S SALE

The Bank Josephine, Plff. vs. ORDER OF SALE Robert Lewis, etc. Defts.

By virtue of Execution No. 13471 issued from the Floyd circuit court and directed to me, I or one of my deputies, will on Monday, June 2, 1958 offer at public sale at the courthouse door in Prestonsburg, Ky., at the hour of 11 a.m. so much of the following described property as is necessary to satisfy judgment in the sum of \$250, plus interest and costs:

Tract No. 1—Beginning on a beach on the side of the hill, a corner to Jefferson Lewis; then with his line to the creek N 71 1/2 W 73 chains; S 27 1/2 W 502 chains; down the creek S 38 3/4 W. 6.23 chains; S 25 W 3.04 chains; N 93 3/4 W 2.85 chains to a mulberry; N 17 1/4 W 2.30 chains; N 7 1/2 W 2.08 chains; 27 W 70 chains to a chestnut; S 24 1/2 W 3.50 chains; S 3/4 E 4.78 chains; S 42 1/2 W. 5.55 chains to a sycamore on the creek; S 9 1/2 E 3.15 chains; S 39 1/2 E 4.11 chains; S 32 1/2 E 3.42 chains to a chestnut; S 82 1/4 E 7.59 chains to a large beech called for in patent; E 26.96 chains to top of the hill; N 18 E 4.26 chains; N 14 1/2 E 5.30 chains; N 6 1/2 E 4.25 chains; N 13 W 6.30 chains; N 44 W 2.08 chains; N 65 1/4 W 4.83 chains to a corner to Jefferson Lewis; N 75 1/2 W 2.56 chains; N 81 1/2 W 4.57 chains; N 82 1/2 W 1.68 chains to a beech; N 85 W 1.90 chains to a chestnut; S 89 3/4 W 1.54 chains to a black oak; S 70 3/4 W 2.85 chains to a yellow oak; S 82 3/4 W 3.38 chains to the beginning, containing 75.58 acres, more or less.

Tract No. 2—Beginning on a black walnut on the right descending bank of Daniels Creek, and corner of Earl Garrett; thence up the point a straight line to a chestnut and oak on top of point, and corner to James Hatcher; thence up the ridge with said Hatcher line to a hickory and oak at a corner of Roland Blackburn, known as Harry Burchett 50-acre survey thence leaving the ridge and down the hollow with line between Rob Lewis and Lizzie Adkins to a beech and rock and corner of Manders Lewis; thence down the cove hollow with said Manders Lewis line to the beginning.

Tract No. 3—Beginning on a black walnut on the right descending bank of Daniels Creek, and corner of Earl Garrett; thence up the point a straight line to a chestnut and oak on top of point, and corner to James Hatcher; thence up the ridge with said Hatcher line to a hickory and oak at a corner of Roland Blackburn, known as Harry Burchett 50-acre survey thence leaving the ridge and down the hollow with line between Rob Lewis and Lizzie Adkins to a beech and rock and corner of Manders Lewis; thence down the cove hollow with said Manders Lewis line to the beginning.

HERSHELL WARRENS, Sheriff, Floyd County By Jarvis Allen, D.S. (Cost of adv. \$25.88) 5-15-3t.

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SPECIAL COMMISSIONER'S SALE FLOYD CIRCUIT COURT

Jasper Slone, etc. Plffs. vs. NOTICE OF SALE Virgie S. Shepherd, etc. Dfts

By virtue of a judgment and order of sale of the Floyd Circuit Court rendered and entered at the May term, 1958 in the above-styled cause I shall proceed to offer for sale at the Courthouse door in Prestonsburg, Kentucky, to the highest and best bidder, at public auction, on the 16th day of June, 1958 at 10 o'clock a.m., upon a credit of six (6) months, the following described property:

First Tract: Lying and being on Buckeye Fork of Middle Creek, Floyd county, Kentucky, BEGINNING on a marked pine on top of point; thence running up the point to the high rocks; thence running the ridge with Sam Hale's line; thence around the hill with Bascom Dotson's line; thence with Morgan Helton's line to Steve Whitaker's line and same course to Jot Nelson's line; thence down the ridge with same Nelson's line to a stooping hickory; thence down the point a straight line with Lou Owens' line to the bottom; thence across the branch up to a maple marked; thence a straight line up the hill to the pine, the place of beginning.

Second tract: Lying and being on Buckeye of Middle Creek, Floyd County, BEGINNING on a marked elm; thence running up the creek to Jot Nelson's line; thence running up the point to a stooping hickory; thence down to the point with the cross fence to the bottom; thence up the point to a marked maple tree with 3 hicks; thence up the point to a black oak; thence down the point with Millard Hamilton's line to the beginning.

Excepting and excluding from the foregoing boundary about six (6) acres sold to George Bradford.

BEGINNING at a locust sprout and running straight across the bottom to a white oak bush; thence up the hill to a black oak; thence to the top of the point to a wire fence; thence around with the wire fence to Wiley Watkins' line; thence with his line to Buckeye Creek; thence down the creek to the beginning.

And further excluding from said boundary the portion laid off to Jasper Slone in this action, BEGINNING at an 8" marked hickory in the fence corner at the top of the point adjoining Bob Haywood's line; thence a straight line down the hill to a flat marked rock 10' above the fence and about 90 feet above a walnut at the back of the barn; thence a straight line to a small marked locust on the bank of the branch; thence following the branch to the mouth at the forks at main Buckeye; thence up Buckeye to Bob Haywood's line; thence across the bottom with his line and with the fence to a marked hickory, the place of beginning.

Purchaser will be required to execute bond with good and approved surety, bearing interest from date of sale until paid, and he may, if he so desires, pay cash in lieu of executing bond.

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

HAROLD STUMBO, Special Commissioner, Floyd Circuit Court 5-29-3t (Cost of Adv. \$32.15)

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ORDINANCE

AN ORDINANCE BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF PRESTONSBURG, KENTUCKY, CERTIFYING THAT THE CITY IS IN NEED OF AN ORGANIZED MASTER PLAN FOR CITY IMPROVEMENT, AND CREATING THE PRESTONSBURG CITY PLANNING COMMISSION, WHICH SHALL BE AUTHORIZED TO PREPARE SAID PLAN AND TO EXERCISE ALL THE POWERS SET OUT IN CHAPTER 100 OF THE KENTUCKY REVISED STATUTES.

WHEREAS, the City Council of the City of Prestonsburg, Kentucky, has determined that the City of Prestonsburg is in need of an organized master plan for City improvement, including codes and ordinances, a comprehensive community plan, neighborhood analysis, and any and all other programs necessary to the promulgation of such a plan, and

WHEREAS, in order to adopt and carry out said plan it is necessary that a City Planning Commission be formed for the purpose of preparing and administering said plan, and exercising the powers and duties set out in Chapter 100 of the Kentucky Revised Statutes.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF PRESTONSBURG, AS FOLLOWS:

SECTION I. That the Prestonsburg City Planning Commission is hereby authorized to be formed pursuant to Section 100.620 of the Kentucky Revised Statutes, and as such is hereby authorized to exercise all the powers and duties set out in Chapter 100 of the Kentucky Revised Statutes.

SECTION II. That as a part of this plan, and in addition to those things set out in Chapter 100 of the Kentucky Revised Statutes, this Commission is hereby authorized to have supervision over the establishment of the necessary codes and ordinances, a comprehensive community plan, and a neighborhood analysis, said program to be initiated in conjunction with, and as a part of, said master plan.

SECTION III. This ordinance shall be in full force and effect after publication as required by law.

PASSED AND APPROVED, this May 19, 1958.

BILL NAPIER, Mayor, City of Prestonsburg, Ky. ATTEST: JUDITH D. ARCHER, City Clerk

DRIFT

HOMEMAKERS MEET The Drift Homemakers Club held its May meeting in the home of Mrs. Gladys Ward at McDowell. The president, Mrs. Peg Hewlett, presided. The devotionals were conducted by Mrs. Jane Schneider. Eleven members answered roll call. Each member presented a practical application in the home of an idea learned from a homemaker's project. Mrs. Isabel Reed had charge of the lesson on "Decorating Plywood Plates and Trays".

The Club welcomed Mrs. Wanda Cook, of McDowell, as a new member.

Members present were: Ruby Akers, Elizabeth Burton, Wanda Cook, Peg Hewlett, Ann Hoffman, Isabel Reed, Jane Schneider, Belle Turner, Shirley Vanderpool, Gladys Ward, Jane Zuespan.

Guests present, Mrs. Rosie Daniels, Mrs. Lou Hall, Mrs. Myrtle Bowens. The June meeting will be held on the 26th in the home of Miss Ruby Akers at 6:00 p.m.

Supplies of chickens until mid-June are expected to run 10 per cent greater than last year, according to recent replacements and egg settings, says the USDA.

Regardless of the age or usual gentleness of the animal you're handling, treat it with respect, the National Safety Council advises.

Senator Morton Will Present Clark Portrait

By CHARLES F. HINDS Secretary-Treasurer, Kentucky Historical Society

Thruston Ballard Morton, United States Senator from Kentucky, will be present on Boone Day in Frankfort, according to the Kentucky Historical Society, to present a portrait of George Rogers Clark to the group. Senator Morton is a collateral descendant of General Clark.

The portrait was reproduced in 1956 by Harold Collins of Frankfort from an original of Clark by Matthew Jouett which hangs in the Filson Club in Louisville. Miss Mary Verhooff, first vice-president of the Filson Club, will unveil the portrait, and Mrs. William Breckinridge Ardrey of Paris, will accept it for the Society.

George Rogers Clark, conqueror of the Old Northwest, was born in 1752 to John and Ann Clark of Virginia. His formal education was the barest, but on the frontier, where he appeared as early as 1772, his leadership, his courage, and his tact won for him the support of the early settlers.

In 1775 Clark appeared in Kentucky as a surveyor for the Ohio Land Company. In that year he visited Leestown where he thought he might settle permanently. Leestown, an early settlement in Kentucky, was located near the present city of Frankfort.

Before the year was out, however, Clark was back in Virginia. When he returned in the following year, he stayed for a while in Harrodsburg. It was there he came to loggersheads with Colonel Richard Henderson, who headed a rival land company. Colonel Henderson and his organization, the Transylvania Company, lost out, and Kentucky county was created in 1776.

General Clark began his famous Northwest expedition from a location near what later became Louisville. Kaskaskia fell, July 4, 1778, and Cahokia and Vincennes shortly afterward. England recognized the loss of the Northwest Territory in the Treaty of Paris, signed, September 3, 1783.

Clark's prestige deteriorated following an unsuccessful expedition against the Indians in 1786. At thirty-five Clark was "out of public favor, not to be regained until after his death. He died in 1818 at the home of his sister, Lucy Croghan, at Locust Grove. He is buried in Cave Hill Cemetery in Louisville.

MARTIN

WOMAN'S CLUB MEETS

The Allen-Martin Woman's Club met at Triangle Drive-In Restaurant here, May 19 at 7:30 p.m.

Mrs. Chester Marshall, chairman on American Homes, was in charge of the program. Mrs. Marshall introduced Mrs. Roland Burchett, employee of Wright Brothers Jewelers, who showed films by the Gorham Sterling Co.

After the program, several business items were discussed. The president, Nell Music, announced the national convention at Detroit, June 2-6, also the state convention in Lexington, June 10-12. Plans were made for the club picnic at Dewey Lake Park, June 2 at 6:00 p.m. At the picnic the club will have the Lackey-Garrett-Wayland and Drift Woman's Club as guests.

Refreshments were served to the following: Nell Music, Euna Laven, Dorothy Martin, Kathryn Hall, Florence Marshall, Maxine Reitz, Frances Sherman, Mrs. Vance, Mrs. Marrs, Lydia Hall and daughter and guest, Mrs. Roland Burchett.

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11:00 a.m., Preaching service—"The Power of Prayer" 6:30 p.m., Training Union. 7:30 p.m., Evangelistic service. "The Meaning of Church Membership" Baptismal service.

TUESDAY— 7:00 p.m.—Royal Ambassador meeting and Girls' Auxiliary and Young Woman's Auxiliary.

WEDNESDAY— 7:30 p.m., Business meeting, election of church officers. Prayer meeting to follow.

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Southern Baptists have a goal of four and a half million people committed to soul-winning during the year with some eight and a half million Southern Baptists joining some ten and a half million other Baptists in North America praying for the Simultaneous Evangelistic Crusades to come in 1959.

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**U. K. AWARDS 1,065 DEGREES**

**14 from Floyd County Among Those Honored; Commencement Monday**

A total of 1,065 students were awarded degrees at the University of Kentucky's 91st annual commencement program held Monday morning at Memorial Coliseum, Lexington.

Dr. Theodore Distler, Washington, D. C., executive secretary of the American Association of Colleges, delivered the commencement address.

Dr. Charles F. Elton, dean of admissions and registrar at the University, reported this year's class includes graduates from 111 of Kentucky's 120 counties, 26 other states, and six foreign countries.

Four native Kentuckians and a former Californian who grew up in Lexington and was graduated from the University of Kentucky were awarded honorary degrees in the ceremonies.

They are Stith Thompson, internationally known folklorist who was born in Bloomfield, Ky.; William D. Salmon, native of Cork, Ky., who is now research professor of animal nutrition at Alabama Polytechnic Institute; Samuel M. Cassidy, of Pittsburg, vice-president of Consolidation Coal Co., and a native of Lexington; William Arnold Hanger, of Richmond, president of Silas Mason Co., Mason and Hanger Co., construction and engineering firms; and Joseph R. Roberts, vice-president of Standard Oil Co., of Indiana, who was born in California and moved to Lexington as a youth.

Holmes Hall, new women's dormitory, was dedicated on the preceding day.

Barbara Letton, Prestonsburg, will receive the Master of Arts in Education degree, and Devert Owens, of Dwarf, formerly of Garrett, will be graduated with the degree of Master of Science in Education.

Mrs. Helen Dingus, wife of Doyle Dingus, of Martin, will receive the Master of Music degree.

Floyd students to be graduated with the degree of Bachelor of Arts are:

William Allen, Risner; Donald Frazier, Martin; William Steele, Jr., Harold; Garr Reynolds, Lancer; Robert Mullins, Hueysville; Mikell Ann Preston, Allen; Frederick May, Gabriel Wallace, William Webb, Vyron Smiley, Jr., and John G. Goble, all of Prestonsburg; Betty Martin, Lloyd Moore and Grayson Johnson, all of Garrett.

**MAYTOWN**

**HAGANS FAMILY REUNION**

Fifty-nine descendants of T. J. and Sally Hagans met for their annual Memorial Day family reunion, Sunday, May 25. After visiting the cemetery, the group went to the Maytown luncheon for a basket dinner. After dinner, Mrs. Horner played the piano and they all enjoyed singing old hymns.

Those attending were Mrs. O. B. Horner and Jackie Horner, Nicholasville, Ohio; Mrs. Dial Salisbury, Lucasville, Ohio; Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Hagans, Georgetown, Ky.; Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Hagans, Pikeville, Ky.; Mr. and Mrs. Lee Frasure and Patsy Sue, Shelbiana, Ky.; Mrs. Callie Martin and daughter; Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Spencer, Gloria Jean and Ossie; Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Martin and son, and Mr. and Mrs. Lacey Hicks and children, all of Eastern; Charlotte, Jimmy and Denver Adkins, Hueysville; Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Martin and children, Ashland; Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Belcher, Pikeville; Mrs. John Herald and son, Paintsville; Mr. and Mrs. Harold Salisbury and children, Lucasville, Ohio; Mr. and Mrs. Claude Webb and children, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Stewart and children, Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Rowland and son, and Mrs. Hugh Rowland and sons, all of Langley.

**BACCALAUREATE SERVICES**

Baccalaureate services were held in the Methodist Church Sunday evening for the graduating class. Jim Stratton, of Asbury Seminary at Wilmore, Ky., delivered the message on "Making a Life."

Mrs. J. T. Bodenhiemer, Mr. and Mrs. A. U. Schaffer, of Freeburn, Ky., were the overnight guests of Rev. and Mrs. H. M. Wiley last Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Fraley and daughter, Rhodella, moved last week into their recently built home on Dr. Allen's Branch.

Sympathy is extended to the family of Tommie Brown who passed away last week.

Thurmal Click, Ben Ferguson, Curt Newman and Walter Akers spent several days in Charleston last week on business.

Several persons from here enjoyed the Kentucky West Virginia Gas Company Foremen's Club annual basket picnic Friday evening at Jenny Wiley State Park. Earl Webb, who retires from his duties as assistant superintendent of production on June 1, was presented a hat, suit and luggage by the Foremen's Club.

Mesdames H. M. Wiley, Thurmal Click and George Patton attended the annual district meeting of the Woman's Society of Christian Service at the First Methodist Church in Paintsville, Friday.

Dewey Hicks and son, Junior, and Henry Hicks and son Roy, were business visitors in Bristol, Tennessee last week.

Jim Stratton and Coleen Overton, of Wilmore, were the Sunday afternoon guests of Rev. and Mrs. H. M. Wiley.

Mr. and Mrs. John Cassidy, of Incz, were the week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Cassidy.

Mrs. John Hall and son Jack, of Ashland, were visiting Mr. and Mrs. George W. Allen, Sunday.

Mrs. Lucy Patton and family moved last week into one of the Ed Sutton houses.

Sunday School attendance at the Methodist Church, Sunday morning, was 203.

**Educational Quality Counts in West, Said**

Barbourville, Ky., May 27 — "The major asset we possess in the West that the East does not have is our quality of education, designed not to tell people what to think, but to teach them how to think," Dr. Harold C. Case, president of Boston University, told 102 Union College graduates here Tuesday.

Speaking at the 79th commencement exercises, Dr. Case told the seniors "not to take anything for granted, but divinely granted." Dr. Case said education has become the theme song.

**NOTICE**

Notice is hereby given that Martin Gas Company, Inc., a corporation, with its principal office at Marin, Kentucky, did on the first day of May, 1958, file with the Public Service Commission of Kentucky at Frankfort, Kentucky, notice of adjustment of rates to become effective for gas service rendered and gas supplied after June 1, 1958, unless suspended by order of the Commission. Said adjusted rate being as follows:

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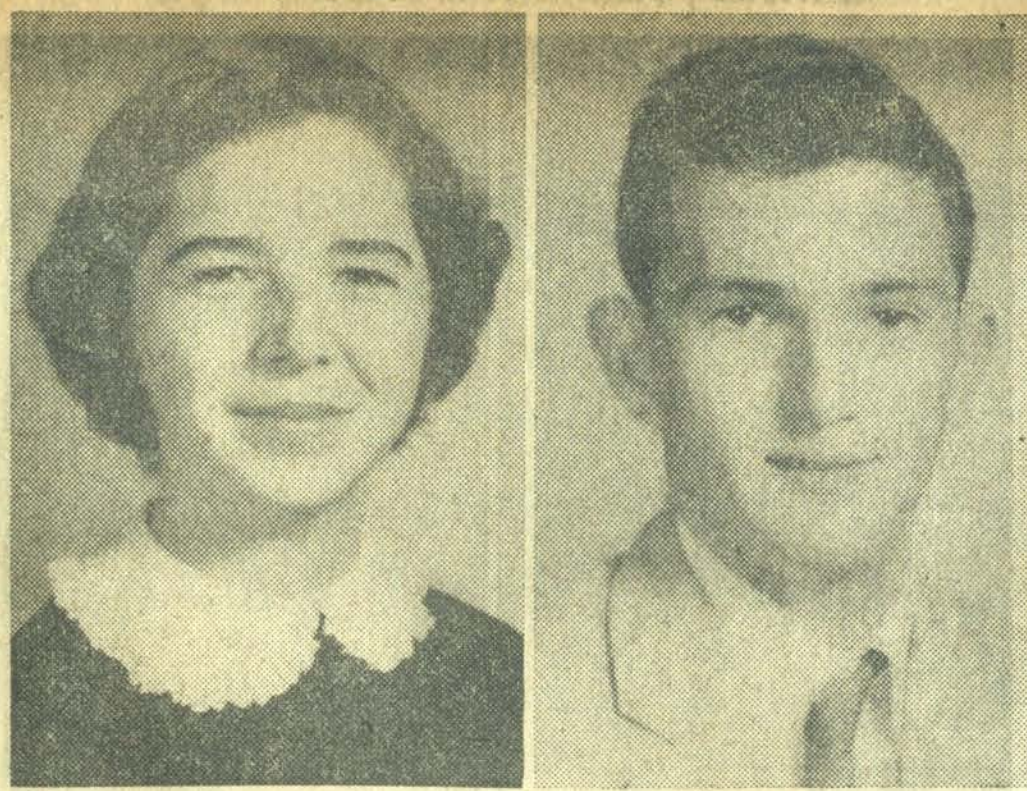
A public hearing upon the above proposed adjustment of rates has been set for June 23, 1958, at 9:00 A.M. Central Daylight time, 8:00 A.M. Central Standard Time before the Public Service Commission of Kentucky, in the Old Capitol Building at Frankfort, Kentucky.

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**Martin High School Honor Students**



The valedictorian and salutatorian of the graduating class of Martin high school are Emma Lois Flanery, 16, and Charles Cole, 18. Miss Flanery, with an average of 2.9, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Parley Flanery, of Martin, and Mr. Cole, with an average of 2.36, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. James Cole, of Printer.

**Morehead To Graduate 112 Students, Announced; Waterfield To Speak**

Morehead, Ky., May 22 (Spl.)—Morehead State College will graduate 112 students at June 4 commencement exercises, President Adron Doran announced today.

Of the 112 total, 66 are candidates for the Bachelor of Arts degree, 38 are candidates for the Bachelor of Science degree and eight are candidates for the Master of Arts degree in Education.

Lieutenant Governor Harry Lee Waterfield will deliver the commencement address on June 4, at 7:30 p.m. (CST) in Button Auditorium. Robert H. Reardon, president-elect of Anderson College, Anderson, Indiana, will deliver the baccalaureate sermon on June 1 at 7:30 in Button Auditorium.

Candidates for the bachelor of arts degree from this county are James G. Gibson, Langley, and Gordon Lee McCarty, Martin.

Those to receive the Bachelor of Science degree are Wiley Wendell Jones and Sandra Sue Patrick, both of Langley.

Alexandria, in a rich agricultural area, is an old village with sturdy brick homes and many trees. On the highest promontory of the county, in the heart of the village is the old brick Campbell county courthouse, whose clock tower and dome are visible for miles. When Kenton county was formed from the western half of Campbell county, the seat of government was transferred from Versailles to Alexandria.

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**Suit To Prevent Four-Lane Highway Filed at Versailles**

A suit to prevent construction of a four-lane highway between Frankfort and Versailles—Governor Chandler's home town — has been filed in Franklin Circuit Court.

David W. Collins, acting for a group of property owners in both Franklin and Woodford counties, asked that the State Highway Department be barred from condemning right of way needed for the project, and from beginning construction.

The plan to build a four-lane highway between the two cities, similar to the one built 20 years ago between Versailles and Lexington, has been on the department's planning boards for months.

**BRYANT IS GRADUATED**  
CAMP JEJUNE, N. C.—Marine Sgt. Jason J. Bryant, son of Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Bryant, of Wheelwright, Ky., graduated April 25 from the Non-Commissioned Officer's Leadership School, Camp Lejune, N. C.

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Valedictorian and salutatorian of Betsy Layne high school this year are named as Georgia Mae Lewis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Wheeler Lewis, of Mare Creek, and Ray Clarke, son of Mr. and Mrs. Keenis Clarke, of Harold.

## SMALLER PLACES NEED BIGGER GRANTS, SAID

Washington, May 22 — Two Kentuckians told Congress Thursday it should make bigger grants—especially to smaller cities and towns—for new sewage-treatment plants.

H. L. Reed, Jr., Frankfort, an assistant Kentucky attorney general, and Louis F. Birkel, Louisville, executive director of the State Water Pollution Control Commission, testified before the House Rivers-and-Harbors subcommittee.

A bill before the House calls for raising the present ceiling on federal help from \$250,000 a project to \$500,000.

No project, however, would get more than 30 per cent of its total cost. This provision is also in the present law.

This new bill calls for a total Government outlay of \$100,000,000 over a 10-year period.

Reed and Birkel said the Water Pollution Control Commission favors the new plan in principle. The plan also would let several cities band together in joint projects, with each community eligible for a grant for its share of the total cost.

But the witnesses went further. They said smaller communities—of perhaps 5,000 population or less—should be allowed 50 per cent of the cost in federal aid, instead of 30 per cent. The \$500,000 limit would still apply.

Perhaps even a sliding scale would be adopted, they said. Then cities could get 30 to 50 per cent aid, depending on their populations.

Seventy-three Kentucky communities have sewer systems without treatment plants, said Reed and Birkel. And 6 of the 73 are communities of less than 5,000 people.

Many of these smaller places have "questionable or marginal" financial ability to begin construction, even with 30 per cent help, they said.

A lot of little towns can pollute public-water supplies just as effectively as bigger cities, the Kentuckians went on.

"In fact, some of our communities discharge untreated sewage above their own water-plant in-

takes", said Reed. He was representing Jo Ferguson, Kentucky attorney general and ex officio member of the Water Pollution Control Commission.

The witnesses said the plan to let metropolitan areas take part in joint projects would help four Kentucky areas—Louisville, Lexington, Ashland, and Newport-Covington.

In Jefferson county, Shively and Beechwood Village have applied for federal aid. Louisville's Metropolitan sewer district is getting the present \$250,000 limit for an interceptor sewer.

At least 18 "individual, separately incorporated cities" in the Newport-Covington area could benefit from a joint project there, the Kentuckians said.

In the first year of the program, 1956-57, Kentucky communities asked for \$251,000 more than was available. In 1957-58, requests exceeded the allotment by \$866,787.

Cities that have received grants are Hopkinsville, Jeffersonstown, Madisonville, Owensboro, Louisville, Eminence, Greenville, LaGrange, Murray, Lynch, Morehead, Owen-ton and Muldraugh.

Added projects to get aid in 1958-59 will be in West Liberty, Bardston, Carrollton, Cumberland, Flemingsburg, Hazard and Pikeville. Reed and Birkel said an estimated 395 miles of Kentucky streams will be cleaned up by plants constructed or planned.

## Wells Is Winner Of Condit Award At Pike College

Pikeville, Ky., May 26 (Spl.)—Four degrees and two junior-college diplomas went to Floyd countians at Pikeville College's second four-year commencement Sunday.

Graduating classes were told that a discriminating judgement about the real values of life is the greatest benefit education can bring.

"The world needs people not willing to be standardized—people who are willing to be different, and to take a chance on being different," Dr. William Faulds, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church, Ardmore, Pa., told the graduates. "Be different in your sense of basic morality, in loyalty, in service."

Paul Dean Wells, of Auxier, won Pikeville's major commencement prize, the Dr. W. C. Condit gold watch, with an academic standing of 2.87. Ranking second in the class was Connie Mack Baker, Burdine, Ky., who received the Margaret E. Record prize, a cash award. Loretta Ball, Painsfork, Ky., a member of the junior-college graduating class at Pikeville, received special recognition as the only graduate with a perfect academic standing of 3.00.

Special scholastic-achievement awards went to two men in the four-year graduating class who were ineligible for the major prizes because part of their college work had been done elsewhere. They were John Glenn Wallace, Dorton, Ky., and James Carroll Branham, Royal City, Va.

Andrew J. Crider, Auxier; Angelyn Spears George Betsy Layne, and Wells were among 15 students honored for grades averaging B or better during their courses. Crider and Mrs. George received degrees of bachelor of science in education, and bachelor of arts degrees went to Phila Mae Francis, Garrett, and Wells.

Willis D. Newsome and Jeanette Ward, both of McDowell, received junior-college diplomas. Newsome in business and Miss Ward in secretarial work. Newsome also was named as an honor student, averaging B or better in his two years of work.

Moth preventatives should be placed in cheesecloth bags or other containers and fastened at the top of the storage area. The reason is that fumes from moth crystals or balls are heavier than air and will go downward as the preventatives evaporate.

## Audubon Still Is Remembered At Henderson

Among the many honored citizens of Henderson, the memory of John James Audubon is perhaps the best loved and remembered. It was here that the years of his early married life were passed—the most untroubled and happiest of his career. Here too, he reached the deepest depths of despair.

A mystery surrounded Audubon's birth and parentage, but documents discovered in 1917 established that he was born on the Island of San Domingo in 1785, the son of a ship's captain.

Taken to France at an early age by his father, Audubon had the advantage of excellent tutoring. He learned music, danced, fenced, skated and became an expert in them all.

In 1806, Audubon came to America and set out for the west hoping to make a fortune selling merchandise to the thousands of emigrants swarming into the Ohio Valley. Louisville was chosen as the ideal city to establish the firm of Audubon and Rozier, Merchants.

In the Spring of 1810, Audubon, his wife and baby, boarded a flatboat and sailed down the Ohio River to Henderson, where for the second time, the partnership reopened a general store. The business was soon dissolved when Audubon's love of nature took him roaming through the forests and countryside in search of rare birds.

After many hardships and financial difficulties, Audubon succeeded in publication of his book, "The Birds of America," in 1839. In his quest for recognition and accomplishment of his goal as a naturalist, he had traveled 35,000 miles by the crude conveyances of the time drawn and painted more than 1,000 birds, personally solicited subscriptions to his work and written nearly a million words of text.

For many years Audubon continued his wanderings, and his drawing, and published other volumes of his "Birds of America," series. The last years of his life were passed at his New York estate with his wife and two sons. On January 27, 1851, the great naturalist died at the age of 66. He is buried in Trinity Church Cemetery which adjoins his property, now Audubon Park, on the Hudson River near New York.

In memory of Audubon who accomplished much of his finest work in Kentucky, the Commonwealth established John James Audubon State Park at Henderson.

## EASTERN

(Last week's Correspondence)

Sunday and Monday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Mont Combs were J. F. Combs, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Allen, Mrs. Lemon Hall, Mrs. Martha Thornsby, Mrs. Verda Branham, Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Combs and children, Mr. and Mrs. Hershel Combs and children, Mrs. Dallas Wray, Mrs. F. A. Hall, Mr. and Mrs. Bee Nickles, Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Stone, Canton Combs, Earl Combs, Herman Combs, Mr. and Mrs. Willie Warrens, L. Earl Combs, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Combs, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Johnson, Clifford Combs, Misses Dranna Sue Stephens, Margaret Ann Branham, Yvonne Hopkins, Marie Warrens, and Glenda Joyce Nickles, and Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Hopkins and Teresa Ann.

A birthday dinner was also set for Mrs. Verda Branham, sister of Mrs. Mont Combs, who celebrated her birthday Sunday. Most of the above had dinner with her.

Mrs. Millard Stephens, Ann and Gorman, spent the week-end with her mother.

Miss Dranna Sue Stephens was the Saturday night guest of Miss Yvonne Hopkins.

## Waterfield Asks Adequate Level Of Vet Services

Frankfort, May 26 (Spl.)—Lt. Gov. Harry Lee Waterfield says state government should see that services to war veterans are maintained at an adequate level.

Waterfield, who also is chairman of the Kentucky Disabled Ex-Servicemen's Board, spoke at the U. S. Veterans Administration hospital at Outwood, Ky.

While administration of veterans' affairs largely is the province of the federal government, Waterfield said, "those involved with state government policy should guard against any attempts to curtail drastically the veterans' program."

"This," he declared, "would be false economy at its very worst." The lieutenant governor pledged that "as long as I am in state government you may rest assured that I will do all within my power to impress on our Kentucky representatives in Congress that the obligations to our veterans must be met."

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## Clear Creek Baptists Start Endowment Drive

Pineville, Ky., May 20 (Spl.)—"Any institution without an adequate endowment is at best only a temporary institution," D. M. Aldridge said today. Aldridge is president of the Clear Creek Baptist School which is entering a campaign to increase its endowment by \$1,500,000.

The campaign, authorized by the board of trustees, is to be a long range program built upon gifts and annuities. Those interested in larger contribution may find it more convenient to contribute through the medium of life insurance. The bulk of the money is expected to be raised in Kentucky.

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## Eighth Grade Girl Composes Tragedy Poem

This week The Times breaks a heretofore iron-clad rule against the publication of poetry to print a prize-winning poem by a Salersville school girl on the school bus tragedy. It was written by Brenda Kay Patrick, eighth grade pupil in the literature class of Albert Holbrook in a contest suggested by the teacher.

WHO KNOWS THE ANSWER?  
'Twas on a Friday morning,  
The sky was dark and grey,  
But within school bus twenty-seven,  
All was bright and gay.

No one had a warning,  
Of the danger just ahead,  
Of the awful, awful tragedy,  
For some at the river's edge.

It was an awful moment,  
When strong men's hearts grew cold,  
When they heard the screams of children,  
In the water swift and cold

The call for help was answered  
And many hundreds came,  
They searched the muddy waters  
For many hours in vain,

As the search continued  
On a Sunday afternoon,  
The bus was found and lifted,  
A broken, twisted tomb.

We do not know the answer,  
Why these sad things must be  
We know God rules the Heaven  
And He rules both you and me

To those whose hearts are broken,  
I have these words to say,  
They can find their peace  
with Jesus,  
For He's just a prayer away.  
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