

THURSDAY

This Town-- That World

After publishing that report last week about a squirrel-hunting expedition, I've decided that fishermen are the most maligned people in the world.

FOR A LONG LIFE

Ancients and moderns alike have sought the secret of longevity, and as far as I'm able to determine all have been on a cold trail. Perhaps what a doctor advised, years ago, is about as near right as we'll ever get. He wrote an inquirer this: "Get a chronic disease and take good care of it."

QUAKER OR SHAKER?

Although my religious views do not coincide with them, I can very well qualify for the Society of Friends. If you don't believe it, watch my knees, when—and if—I stand up to speak. One of these rare occasions in my life may explain those disturbances recorded on a seismograph which could never be traced to the point of origin.

MEDICAL ADVICE

A reader at Tram takes up my recent item in this column about my limited glossary of terms pertaining to health, and lists a whole passel of phrases descriptive of one's feelings. But enough of such fol-de-rol. What my correspondent was really interested in was advice. Wrote he (or she):

"Tell me a good remedy for chiggers—they're eating me up!"

Now, if I knew a specific for the chiggers, I would not be in the newspaper business, more than likely would be fishing in Canada, this very moment. I regret to say that I've even lost track of modern trends in the treatment of this very serious affliction. They may be giving shots, these days, for the trouble, for all I know. Of one thing I'm certain, however, and that is that the medic aren't calling chigger-bites an allergy. To cut (See Story No. 1, Page 6)

CHEST X-RAYS GIVEN 1,629

Eight-Day Total Less Than Last Year, Said; Dental Tests Offered

The mobile X-ray unit during eight days of work in this county this month afforded free chest examinations for 1,629 persons, the Floyd County Health Department reported this week. Last year's total was 1,913.

The mobile unit began its itinerary with a three-day stay in Prestonsburg, starting Aug. 9, and during that time examined 784. The number of chest X-rays made at other points were: Martin, Aug. 12, 278; Wayland, Aug. 16, 144; McDowell, Aug. 17, 74; Wheelwright, Aug. 18, 230; Harold, August 19, 119.

The 192 children examined at the mobile dental clinic have required 1,065 corrections, it was said. Work of the clinic, which is for the benefit of school children, is approximately one-third completed.

Court House Happenings

SUITS FILED

Marie Stone vs. Clarence Stone; W. W. Burchett, atty. Cuba Conn vs. Glenford Alan Hagans; W. W. Burchett, atty. Florabelle Sizemore vs. Tommy Salisbury; W. W. Burchett, atty. Melvina Thomson vs. S. G. Thomson; W. W. Burchett, atty. W. W. Grimm vs. C. L. Cook; C. B. Latta, atty. Catheryn Akers vs. James Ray Akers; C. B. Latta, atty. Scarlet Keathley vs. Charles Keathley; Harold Stumbo, atty. Grace Horn Skidmore, gdn. vs. Anna Elizabeth Horn, etc.; C. B. Latta, atty. Carol Morton Webb vs. David Walter Webb; R. S. Wellman, atty. June T. Likens vs. Tolva Likens; Marshall Davidson, atty. Claude Martin vs. Kelly Prater, etc.; Harold J. Stumbo, atty. Della Crum vs. Orville Crum; Tackett & Tackett, attys. Kersey Manufacturing Co. vs. Sterling Hamilton, d/b/a; Marshall Davidson, atty. The Bank Josephine vs. A. C. Carter, et al; Joe Hobson, atty.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Stanford C. Johnson, 25, Sitka, Ky., and Angie Boggs, 45, Lowmansville, Ky. Robert Mollett, 20, Oak Hill, O., and Garnet Jackson, 18, Ligon. Floyd Sparks, 36, Texasana, Mich., and Katherine Miller, 31, Dock. Everette E. Bradley, 23, Paintsville, and Judith Ann Baldrige, 18, Prestonsburg. Kenneth Selbee, Ritman, Ohio, and Janetta Johnson, Weeksbury.

P'BURG, PAINTSVILLE TO JOIN IN GAS FIGHT

RATE BOOST OF 10 CENTS TO BE ASKED

Two Towns To Protest To PSC; Gas Contract Expires in November

The towns of Prestonsburg and Paintsville prepared this week to join in a common fight against a proposed increase in the wholesale charge for gas by the Kentucky West Virginia Gas Company.

The fight will be carried to the Public Service Commission, Mayor Edward B. Leslie said.

First intimation that the gas company will ask an increase came last Thursday night when a company representative told members of the City Council and the Municipal Gas & Water Commission that increased production costs make it necessary for Kentucky West Virginia to ask a 10-cent raise per 100,000 cubic feet of gas.

This means that the rate would be 35 cents per thousand instead of the present 25 cents, or an increase of 40% over the current price charged the city for its gas.

And, said Mayor Leslie, that would not be the end of the raise to the individual consumer, since line leakage causes the gas system here a loss of from 8 to 10 cents per thousand cubic feet. He expects, if the company's rate increase wins Public Service Commission approval, the charge to the consumer to be "at least 65 cents per thousand."

The verbal notice of the company's intent to ask a price increase came as the present five-year contract nears its expiration. A new contract between the city and Kentucky West Virginia must be effected by November when the present pact will expire.

Paintsville's Mayor Ralph Preston, Water Commissioner C. Y. Cooper and other city officials met with the Prestonsburg groups at the same time the verbal notice was given. Paintsville's contract will not expire till April, it was said, but that community is joining the fight "to hold the line" on gas rates charged by the supplier, since Paintsville officials hold that if Prestonsburg loses it will be Paintsville's turn to lose next.

Mayor Leslie said written notice, given at least 90 days prior to the effective date of any rate change, is required by law, adding that no such notice has been given. He said he, Dick Davis, manager of the Prestonsburg Water & Gas System, one or more members of the Prestonsburg Water & Gas Commission and others will appear with Paintsville officials and their attorneys next Wednesday before the Public Service Commission at Frankfort.

Besides pointing to increased production costs, the Kentucky West Virginia spokesman cited the gas rate paid by the city of Hazard, which is the same as that which is proposed for Prestonsburg, and also mentioned other communities which are paying more. One of these is nearby Lancer.

Mr. Davis, manager of the gas and water system here, and Adrian Collins, a member of the Water & Gas Commission, said Kentucky West Virginia already has decreased the b.t.u. content of the gas which it supplies Prestonsburg and that this has, in effect, meant a price increase to the company.

Davis said Prestonsburg buys between 175 million and 200 million (See Story No. 3, Page 6)

CLEAN-UP EFFORT SET BY CITY COUNCIL HERE

Beginning next Monday, Prestonsburg will begin a community-wide clean-up effort, with the city government adding manpower and equipment to the efforts of citizens. Mayor Edward B. Leslie said the city will employ a crew of about six men to begin at the Cliff bridge and continue work to the upper city limits.

Owners of property are being asked to clean up weed-grown and debris-strewn lots and to pile collected rubbish in one spot easily accessible to a truck. The accumulations will be hauled away without charge.

If, however, he said, property-owners refuse or otherwise fail to

Democratic Meet Slated Here Friday

Floyd county Democrats will meet at 7:30 p.m. tomorrow (Friday) at the courthouse to organize for the November election campaign, it was announced this week by Dr. Edward B. Leslie, county chairman.

FCCRC PLANS FUND EFFORT

Governor's To Speak At Kick-Off Banquet; Radio Auction Slated

The Floyd County Council for Retarded Children will again this year make a strong local effort to raise funds for the support of the two schools which it operates for handicapped children, it was announced following the August 17 Council meeting at Martin.

Funds raised in the county, plus assistance from the Courier-Journal and Times' Crusade for Children Fund, make possible the operation of the two schools.

The fund-raising drive will begin with a kick-off banquet Sept. 19, with Gov. Bert Combs as the principal speaker, and this event will be followed by the "radio auction" conducted by Radio Station WPRT.

Governor Combs is a former president of the Floyd Council for the Retarded.

At the Council meeting it was agreed that both the Martin and Prestonsburg schools will continue as usual. Buster Roberts, of Wheelwright, Council president, presided at the meeting. Other members and officers present were Minor Pace, past president, Mrs. Winnie F. Johns, Mrs. Betty Stephens, Mrs. Esther Sammons, Miss Blanche Dingus. Guests were County Superintendent Charles Clark and Assistant Superintendent Walter Frazier.

Four new members, all from Prestonsburg, have been added to the Council, it was announced. They are Mrs. Paul C. Combs, H. E. Midkiff, Mrs. Frankie S. Best and Mrs. Thelma Bunting.

Mrs. Martin Lee May, of Prestonsburg, is chairman of the banquet committee, and will be assisted by Mrs. John G. Archer. Ticket sales for the banquet will begin Sept. 1. Mrs. Paul Combs is chairman of the radio auction, with Mrs. John G. Archer and others to assist her. Ray Howard will head the group conducting the road block solicitation of contributions.

Rescue Squad Draws High Praise From Camp Chatterawha Leaders

Security afforded Girl Scouts and their leaders at Camp Chatterawha on Dewey Lake during the recent camping season by members of the Floyd County Emergency & Rescue Squad drew for the squad high praise this week from Zella S. Archer, executive director of the Sandy Valley Girl Scout Council.

When girls camping there became anxious about the possibility of the camp area being trespassed upon, the squad sent men to serve as nightwatchmen. For the full four weeks of the camping period never less than two men, sometimes three, and on week-ends four were at the camp to afford its occupants security.

"We are all very grateful to the Floyd County Emergency & Rescue

PLANT MISHAP CLAIMS FIFE

In South Carolina; World II Veteran Buried, Martin Cemetery

Funeral of Earl Fife, 38, who died of the effects of gas asphyxiation suffered while employed in a Hemmingway, S. C., textile mill, Aug. 17, was conducted Saturday afternoon at Martin.

Mr. Fife, a resident of Gastonia, N. C., was a native of Pike county and was a veteran of World War II. He was a son of the late Earl and Gerlie Mullins Fife.

Surviving are his widow, Mrs. Jean Reece Fife, six children, Rickie, Jackie, Jackie Rose, Janice Lee, Jo Earline and Jerry Rose, two sisters, Mrs. Ruth Evans and Mrs. Jean Salisbury, reside at Martin. A half-brother, W. B. Coffey, also survives.

The funeral was conducted from the Martin Free Will Baptist church by the Rev. Isaac Stratton, and burial was made in the Martin cemetery under direction of the Hall Brothers Funeral Home.

BRIDGE OKEH TO SPEED JOB

P'burg-to-Paintsville Road Work Is Expected Without Undue Delay

With the expected final approval by the Secretary of the Army and the U. S. Army Corps of Engineers in Washington, the construction of a \$1,400,000 bridge at Limestone Gap near the Hager Hill overpass on U. S. 23, will bring a step nearer the opening of the new Prestonsburg-Paintsville route.

G. F. Kemper, area engineer of the Highway Department, Morehead, said the surfacing of the Paintsville bypass, the bridge and other construction work to connect with the newly built sector on the east side of the river from Prestonsburg, is expected to proceed without delay, says the Paintsville Herald.

Landowners on the east side of the river in both Johnson and Floyd counties are now being contacted relative to establishing boundary lines and advised as to the amount of land required for the right-of-way.

There is a 4 1/2 mile gap between the Paintsville-Hager Hill project now under way and the new Prestonsburg-Auxier project on which no actual construction work has started. A portion of this gap lies in Floyd county along the river from the completed Route 23 section to the mouth of Johns Creek. The town of Auxier is located on the opposite side of the river from (See Story No. 5, Page 6)

George W. Sizemore, 62, World War II Vet, Dies At Huntington Hospital

George W. Sizemore, 62, of Prestonsburg, was claimed at Veterans hospital, Huntington, W. Va., at 9:10 a.m. Monday. He was a victim of sclerosis of the liver.

Mr. Sizemore was a veteran of World War II and was wounded at Anzio Beach. He was a member of the American Legion, Post 127, Prestonsburg.

Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Rose Ford Sizemore, two sons and a daughter: Don Sizemore and Mrs. Ernest Wallen, both of Marshall, Mich., and Mrs. Edward Fannin, Manchester, Ky. One sister, Mrs. J. C. Hager, of Louisa, survives as so seven grandchildren.

Funeral rites were conducted at 2 p.m. Wednesday from the Presbyterian church, the Rev. Ray Miller officiating. Burial was made in the Ford cemetery at Lancer under the direction of Moore Funeral Home.

Active pallbearers were Don Martin, Bob Martin, Virgil Caldwell, Joe Clark, Bermon Martin, Randall Allen, Tommy Allen, Jim Phelps, Elmer Childers, Tyrus Childers, James William Allen, Dickie and Larry Allen.

Honorary pallbearers: J. S. Rowe, Jackie Rowe, Walter Stewart, Roy Mitchell, Obie Crisp, James H. Porter, Taggett Allen, Thomas Ed-Moore, Kelly Frasure, Frank Layne, James Wesley Howard, Joe P. Tackett and Dr. Edward B. Leslie.

Employed Miner Fined For False Statements In Unemployment Case

Bee Bolen, of Rock Fork, near Garrett, was fined \$10 and costs in quarterly court here Monday on each of nine warrants alleging that he had made false statements in order to qualify for unemployment insurance benefits.

Bolen's case was decided by jury, and he was given trial in absentia. The falsification covered a period of 18 weeks, during which time Bolen was employed by the Gale Music Coal Company, Glenn S. Anderson, manager of the Prestonsburg office, Department of Economic Security said. Bolen drew \$369 unemployment benefits during the period, records showed. He had earlier signed statements admitting drawing benefits while he was employed.

CONFERENCE ON AGED SET

By Combs at Louisville Thurs.-Fri., Sept. 1-2; Archer on Commission

Gov. Bert Combs has invited 4,000 Kentuckians interested in the problems of aging citizens to attend the First Governor's Conference on Aging at Louisville, Sept. 1-2.

Dr. George P. Archer, of Prestonsburg, is the only Eastern Kentucky member of the Governor's Commission on the Aging.

Combs said he believes those attending "will be inspired to go back home and start programs locally to make life more worth living for our aging citizens, friends and neighbors."

The health, well-being and usefulness of the aging will be considered in panel discussions, Combs said. The recommendations of these panels will be summarized for presentation at the White House Conference on Aging in January, 1961.

H. E. Wetzel, Lexington, chairman of the Governor's Commission on Aging, will preside at the conference at University Center, University of Louisville. Governor Combs and Dr. Phillip Davidson, U. of L. president, will welcome the delegates, who were chosen from organizations and civic groups interested in health, welfare, education, recreation, employment and such.

Speaker at the buffet dinner Sept. 1, will be Miss Chloe Gifford, immediate past president of the General Federation of Women's Clubs and member of the National Advisory Committee to the 1961 White House Conference on Aging. Speaker at the general session on the morning of Sept. 2, will be Jerome Kaplan, executive director of the Mansfield, Ohio, Memorial Homes and associate editor of "Geriatrics."

J. Cyril Schmitt, executive secretary of the commission, said the panel topics for workshop discussion are health and medical care, income maintenance and employment, housing and living arrangements, education and recreation, community organization, social services and religion.

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Alex Vernon Allen, 38, Is Heart Attack Victim; Rites Held Wednesday

Alex Vernon Allen, 38-year-old World War II veteran and a partner in the Allen Bros. Bus Line, died at his home at Allen at 2:30 a.m., Sunday, victim of a heart attack.

He had apparently been in good health and his sudden passing came as a shock to many relatives and friends in this section.

He was a son of the late Alex L. Allen, onetime state Representative and well-known Regular Baptist minister, and Mrs. Mary A. Allen. Surviving are his widow, Mrs. Delphia Jean Hughes Allen; one son, David Vernon Allen, Seattle, Wash.; three brothers, Eugene, Bill and Jack Allen, all of Allen, and two sisters, Mrs. Edna Mae Callison, of Allen, and Mrs. Myrtle Childers, of Ashland.

Funeral rites were conducted Wednesday at 1:30 p.m., from the Allen Methodist Church, the Revs. James Stratton, Ira McMillen, Cohen Campbell and Isaac Stratton officiating. Burial was made in the Dewey Martin cemetery at Allen under direction of the Hall Brothers Funeral Home.

Active pallbearers were Don Martin, Bob Martin, Virgil Caldwell, Joe Clark, Bermon Martin, Randall Allen, Tommy Allen, Jim Phelps, Elmer Childers, Tyrus Childers, James William Allen, Dickie and Larry Allen.

Honorary pallbearers: J. S. Rowe, Jackie Rowe, Walter Stewart, Roy Mitchell, Obie Crisp, James H. Porter, Taggett Allen, Thomas Ed-Moore, Kelly Frasure, Frank Layne, James Wesley Howard, Joe P. Tackett and Dr. Edward B. Leslie.

UMWA PLANS CELEBRATION

At Hazard, Sept. 5; Labor Day Observance To Feature Ferguson

The 15th annual Labor Day celebration sponsored by a committee representing some 130 local unions of District 30, United Mine Workers of America, will be held in Hazard at M. C. Napier football field, Sept. 5.

The principal speaker assigned by the International Union, U.M.W. of A., will be Charles Ferguson, safety director of the United Mine Workers of America, George Tifler, president of District 29, will also speak.

Many notable visitors are expected to accept invitations to attend the celebration. Among those invited are Gov. Bert Combs and Congressman Carl D. Perkins, of Hindman, and during the program county officials from the area comprising District 30 who have proved to be friends of the U.M.W.A. throughout the years will be introduced and recognized for their acts of friendship.

There will be professional entertainers secured from International Artists, Inc., Huntington, W. Va., headed by Speed Wilson, a dare devil motorcycle rider. There will be country music, dancing and clowns for young and old.

Beauty contest will be held. Wide interest has been shown in this contest as entrants are being sponsored by local unions throughout the district. Winners of first, second and third places in the contest will receive loving cups and substantial cash prizes.

A crowd of 10,000 miners and their families is expected to attend.

CLARK NAMES SCHOOL AIDS

To High Principals; Moore, Ohio State Grad, Picked For P'burg Job

Two of the county's nine high schools will open Monday with their principals having assistants.

Gordon Moore, Prestonsburg business man and former Floyd school supervisor, was named assistant principal of Prestonsburg high school; and James O. Dingus, of the Martin high school faculty, will be assistant to Principal James Salisbury.

Both men will be paid teachers' salaries, on the basis of educational training and experience, it was said.

Moore received his bachelor's degree from Morehead State College and his master's from Ohio State. He did graduate work at the University of Maine, Ohio State and the University of Florida. He is a former principal of the Woodstock (O.) schools, and taught at Martin high school before serving as supervisor of schools.

Dingus' entire teaching career has been spent at Martin high school where he has taught mathematics. He received both his A.B. and M.A. degrees from the University of Kentucky.

Woodrow Allen, principal of Prestonsburg high school, said today (Thursday) that the vacancy existing in the mathematics department here has probably been filled with the employment of Floyd Johnson, of Prestonsburg. Wade Burchett, math teacher here last year, resigned to accept a place in the Paintsville schools.

County Superintendent Charles Clark said Wednesday that at that time music teachers were needed at Garrett, Wayland and Martin high schools. Otherwise, faculties of the high schools are complete.

WHITE BASS AT DEWEY HINTS BETTER FISHING

Dewey Lake, now in the fishing doldrums, may in a year or two become one of the hot spots in the state for anglers, a report made recently by the Division of Fisheries would indicate.

The report followed population studies made in two areas of the lake. Similar studies were made in three other areas later with liquid rotenone used as the agent to kill fish.

Presence of a white bass hatch, plus young walleye and evidence of a good black bass spawn gave rise to hopes of better days at the lake. The first population survey was made August 8-10 at Copperas

FLOYD SCHOOL SYSTEM TO DRAW \$2,202,114

Planning Commission Schedules Meeting At Breaks Park

John Whisman, executive secretary of the Eastern Kentucky Planning Commission, has called for next Monday a meeting of all people interested in promoting tourist business in Kentucky and Virginia.

The meeting will be held at the Breaks Interstate Park near Elkhorn City, beginning at 11:30 a.m. Dutch lunch will be served at the Rhododendron Lodge, at the Park.

PICK HOBSON PIKE MAYOR

Former Betsy Layne Man Succeeds Dr. Hambley; Payroll Tax Repealed

Pikeville's payroll tax wrangle, featured by repeal of the law at a recent meeting of the City Council and several changes in the mayor's office, resulted in the appointment July 12, of a former Betsy Layne man, Harry Hobson, as mayor.

Hobson, owner and operator of Hobson Motor Sales, succeeds Dr. W. C. Hambley, who was serving as interim mayor after the resignation July 12, of Mayor Bill Pauley. An election in November will pick a mayor to fill out the unexpired Pauley term.

Opposition to the one-per cent levy was heavy, several organized groups waging a fight for its repeal. More than 100 persons attended the City Council meeting when it was repealed.

Pikeville has an occupation tax and the imposition of a payroll levy brought charges of discriminatory legislation from business and professional men.

The city has a budget of \$114,149,000 with \$96,000 of it marked for wages and salaries of 45 city employees. It was calculated that the repealed payroll tax would have yielded approximately \$60,000 annually.

Dr. Hambley said that for the past 10 years the city has consistently transferred funds from the water and gas department funds to the general operating fund.

This practice is no longer financially workable because of a \$750,000 bonded obligation on the city's new water plant and that (See Story No. 4, Page 6)

UNION, FIRMS NEGOTIATING

Contract Proposals Envision Vacation, Pay Changes In New Contract

Negotiations begun Aug. 18 on a contract between four locals of the Oil, Chemical & Atomic Workers' Union and the United Fuel Company, Amere Gas Utilities Company, the Atlantic Seaboard Corp., Columbia Gas of Kentucky, Kentucky Gas Transmission Corp., and the Virginia Gas Distribution Corp., were resumed Monday.

The present contract will expire October 1. This week's negotiations continued through Wednesday.

Changes proposed by union representatives would affect vacations, retirement and wages. W. A. Salisbury, of Hunter, president of Local 10-372, is representing the union from this area during the negotiations.

STATE FUNDS TO BE HIGHER BY \$696,556

State Fund Allotment Announced Last Week Is Subject To Change

Out of the record \$93,000,000 fund allocated last Friday by the state to Kentucky's 211 school districts during the current school year Floyd county will get a record \$2,202,114, according to tentative figures released at Frankfort.

This means an increase of \$696,556 for Floyd county over the allotment of \$1,506,558 for the preceding school year. If these tentative figures stand unchanged, the county will gain 46.2 per cent over its 1959 school year appropriation.

Statewide, the increase over last year's appropriation is, in round figures, \$30,000,000.

The increase, ordered by the 1960 Legislature, is to be financed from part of the proceeds of the state's 3 per cent sales and use tax, which went into effect July 1.

Superintendent of Public Instruction Wendell P. Butler, in announcing the tentative allotments, said local school districts this year must put at least \$45,873,319 of their own tax revenues into the state-local minimum foundation program. Last year local districts had to put \$43,958,175 of local revenues into the program.

The two contributions, by the state and local districts, plus an additional sum by the state in "guarantee" to 29 districts, will finance this year a foundation program costing \$138,850,329.

This total includes:

1. For instructional salaries, at least \$88,907,670, compared with \$68,298,326 last year.
2. For current expenses of operations, \$22,529,700, compared with \$14,720,340.
3. For capital outlay in the local districts, \$15,019,800, compared with \$9,570,240.
4. For local transportation, \$9,485,603, compared with \$6,843,200.
5. Guarantees to districts, \$4,506,555, compared with \$6,843,200.

The new state-aid money is about 50 per cent greater than the amount distributed last year.

Tentative allotments for this school year to other counties of this part of Kentucky, with figures in parentheses representing the increase over the funds appropriated the preceding year are:

- Johnson county, \$705,254 (\$203,503); Paintsville independent district, \$183,068 (\$56,522); Van Lear, \$56,958 (\$15,435); Knott county, \$900,271 (\$272,801); Lawrence, \$538,530 (\$188,834); Letcher, \$1,185,682 (\$358,548); Jenkins independent district, \$1,185,682 (\$358,548).

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ALLEN BRIEFS BUS DRIVERS

New Transportation Head Of School System Meets With Drivers, Others

With the opening of consolidated schools little more than a week away, all drivers of Floyd school buses were briefed last Friday by Oliver Allen, the county school system's new director of transportation, on their duties, what will be expected of them and how to conduct themselves and handle their work.

The briefing session was held at McDowell high school, and was attended by County Superintendent Charles Clark and state police representatives as well as by Allen and the drivers. For several days now drivers have been undergoing physical examinations at the Beaver Valley hospital, Martin. Until they are approved as physically fit drivers they will not be permitted to begin work, the director said.

Commenting on his plans for service in his new post, Allen said, "I'm dead-serious about this job, and will be at it 5 1/2 days a week. The safety of children is involved, and I will expect every bus driver and every person who has anything to do with the school buses and pupil transportation to do the best job possible."

Allen added that he hopes to save the school system money in the long run by cutting out wasteful bus runs and other costly practices.

**VISITING AT WEBSTER SPRINGS, W. VA.**

Mrs. Lida Spradlin left Sunday for a visit with her daughter, Mrs. Mark G. Nicholas, and Mr. Nicholas at Webster Springs, W. Va. Mr. and Mrs. Joe A. Spradlin accompanied her to Huntington where she was met by Mr. and Mrs. Nicholas. She will spend the remainder of the summer with them.

**HERE FROM LEXINGTON**

Mr. and Mrs. Al Gross and children, of Lexington, spent last week here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. V. Bunting. They returned home, Sunday.

**RETURN FROM FT. WAYNE**

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Osborne and children returned home last week from a visit with her sister, Mrs. Larry Gagle, and Mr. Gagle at Ft. Wayne, Ind., and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Beavers, at Frankfort, Indiana.



Irresistible in summer salads and desserts. Terrific, too, for freezing and canning. Now is a peach of a time to buy 'em. Put Michigan Peaches on your shopping list today!

**VISITS CHILDREN**

Mrs. John W. Harris spent last week visiting her children, Mrs. E. J. Conn at Lancer, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Kendrick, Mr. and Mrs. Ervine Harris. Mrs. Harris is improved from a recent illness.

**HERE FROM HINDMAN**

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Sturgill, of Hindman, spent Sunday here with her mother, Mrs. Ethel C. Powers, and sister, Mrs. Virgil Webb, and family. Miss Terry Lea Webb accompanied them home for a visit.

**VISIT RELATIVES HERE**

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Robinson and daughter, Ramele Robinson, Greenville, Ohio, and Mrs. Josephine Dickens and Mrs. Birdie Simpson, Kitts Hill, Ohio, were here last week visiting Mrs. Amanda May on Lake Drive.

**HERE LAST WEEK**

Mr. and Mrs. Adam Martin, of Ashland, were here last week visiting his cousin, Miss Margaret Elizabeth May, and other relatives. On Thursday evening they were supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Kendrick.

**RETURN TO FLORIDA**

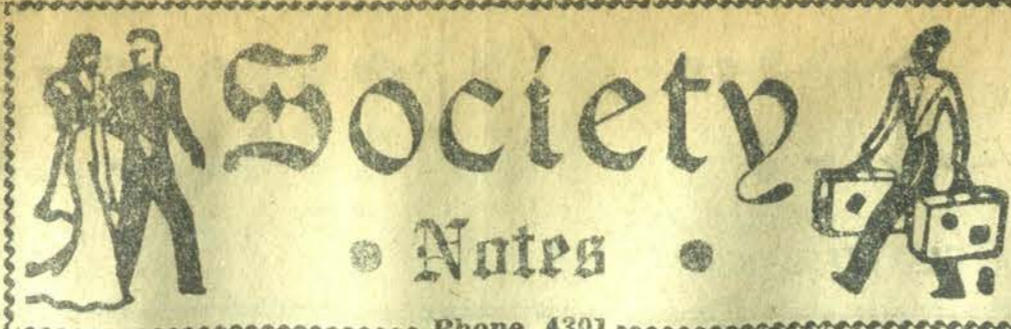
Mrs. Joe Buchanan and children, Joey, Sarah and Elizabeth, left Sunday for their home in Dania, Florida, after spending the summer here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Burke, on Arnold avenue. They were extensively entertained while here.

**SEE BALL GAMES**

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hobson, Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Webb went to Cincinnati last Friday to see the ball games over the week-end. Mrs. Hobson visited her niece, Mrs. Ivan Bingham, while there.

**ATTEND WILSON-MICHAEL WEDDING**

Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Worland, Miss Rose Worland, Mr. and Mrs. W. V. Bunting attended the wedding of Miss Phyllis Sue Wilson and Mr. Harry Michael at the First Methodist church, Lexington, August 7. Miss Wilson is a daughter of Mrs. Marian Wilson and the late Merle Wilson, formerly lived here. They will reside in Cooperstown while attending college in Lexington.



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**OCCUPIES PRESBYTERIAN PULPIT**

The Rev. Charles Moffatt, pastor of the Pikeville Presbyterian church, supplied the pulpit at the Presbyterian church here last Sunday while on his vacation.

**RETURN FROM ATLANTA**

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hill, of the Abbott road, returned home last week from a ten-day stay with their son, Bill Hill, and family at Atlanta, Georgia.

**HERE FROM MICHIGAN**

Bud Miller, of Wayne, Michigan, who has been a resident there eight years, was in Floyd county this week on vacation.

**REUNION PLANNED**

The annual Scalf-Stratton reunion will be held at the Tandy R. Stratton cemetery on Maree Creek, Sunday, with the Rev. Isaac Stratton delivering the memorial sermon. This service marks the 49th reunion since it was first held in 1912.

**TOUR STATE AREAS**

Mr. and Mrs. Clabe Bingham have returned to their home here from a tour of western and central Kentucky on which they were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Palmer L. Hall and daughter of Morehead.

**CALLED HERE**

William Dudley McHone, of New York City, who is stage and costume designer for the Ed Sullivan television show, was called here last week by the death of his mother, Mrs. Cora S. McHone.

**HERE FROM MOREHEAD**

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Woods and daughters, of Morehead, were guests here last week of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Stephens.

**ATTEND INSTITUTING OF CHAPTER**

Mrs. Leatha Joy and Mrs. Patsy Evans attended the institution of a new Eastern Star Chapter at Elamtown, Ky., Tuesday evening, Aug. 22. The Worthy Grand Patron, Gentry P. Congleton, instituted this chapter, Elks Fork U.D.

**VISITORS AT LACKEY**

Lackey — Wm. and Minnie Terry, of Lackey, have been visited by their sons and their families during vacation. Wm. Terry and wife from Chicago, Ill., James F. Terry and family, of Dayton, O., visited them while on their way to Daytona Beach, Fla., and Thomas E. Terry, of Dayton, O. was home over the week-end, returning to Dayton, August 21.

**ATTEND HILL FUNERAL**

Among those from out of town who attended the funeral of Mrs. Ed Hill here last Friday were: Mr. and Mrs. John May, Stanford, Ky.; Kenneth May, Lexington; Ed May, Liberty; Mrs. Reba Price, Paintsville; Mr. and Mrs. Sam Davis, London, O.; Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Widdle, and daughter Ruth Ann, London, O.; Mrs. Eugene Davis and children, Hager Hill; Mr. and Mrs. Lon Clay Hill, Jr., Delaware, O.; Don Hewlett, Rochester, N. Y.; Pfc. Jack Hill, Camp Gordon, Ga.; Mrs. Champ Gibson and daughter Myra, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Hewlett, of Langley; Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Salisbury, Mr. and Mrs. O. P. May, of Martin; Mrs. Ruth O'Neil, Ashland; Mrs. Miles Gibson, Langley; Mr. and Mrs. Bill Martin, W. J. Reynolds, W. J. Reynolds, Jr., of Martin; Mrs. C. J. Cahill, Mrs. W. L. Reed, Mrs. B. F. Reed, Mrs. Isabel Reed, Mrs. F. T. Jones, Mrs. Howard Sticker, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Martin, Mrs. Chaddie Cochran, Mrs. Ruth F. Turner, Miss Ann M. Friend, all of Drift; Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Burton, of Minnie; Mrs. Russell Laven, Miss Neil Music, of Allen; Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Spradlin, Mrs. Virgie Baldrige, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Baldrige, of East Point; Mrs. Charles Milby, Lexington; Mr. and Mrs. W. Adams, Middle Creek; Mrs. Rudolph Spencer, Garrett; Mr. and Mrs. Town Hall, Sarasota, Fla.; Mr. and Mrs. Russell Harmon, Huntington, W. Va.; Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Nelson, Van Lear; Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Turner, Drift; Mr. and Mrs. Roe Turner, of Drift; Mrs. Ora Howard, David; Columbus Wright, Bonanza; Mr. and Mrs. Penn Fitzpatrick, Middle Creek; Mr. and Mrs. Homer Neeley, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Neeley, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Polk Hill, John Thomas Hill, Mr. and Mrs. Scott Hill and daughter, Mary Lou, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hill, Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Hill, Mrs. Ollie Hill, all of Cliff; Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Baldrige, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Rice, Mrs. Eva Hyden, all of East Point; Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Dahlin, David; Bill Ed Clark, Ashland; Mr. and Mrs. Richard Rushford, Larry Noll, Mt. Sterling; Mrs. Robert Atchison, Miss Ann Lincher, Miss Carolyn Atchison, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Moore and daughter Carolyn, Mr. and Mrs. John Hines, Mrs. Hense Margolen, Mrs. Frazier Insko, Mrs. Lillian Dale, Mrs. William Lytle, Mrs. William Dye, all of Paris; Mrs. J. S. Kelley, Mrs. Joe Leake, Mrs. David James and Mrs. Gay Jones, of Lexington; Mrs. Alex Hill and daughter Myra, Frankfort.

**ANNOUNCE BIRTH**

Mr. and Mrs. Quentin D. Allen, of Frankfort, announce the birth on Tuesday, Aug. 23, at King's Daughters' hospital, Frankfort, of their first child, a daughter — Kelly Gibson. Mrs. Allen is the former Faye Gibson, of Owensboro, Ky.

**VISIT IN MIAMI**

Mr. and Mrs. Bill May, Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Webb, Jr., of German town, Ohio, returned home Wednesday from Miami, Florida, where they visited Mrs. May's daughter.

**MRS. FORD ENTERTAINS**

Mrs. Mary Auxier Ford entertained at Opal and Joe's Cafe at Ivel, last Saturday evening, her houseguest, Miss Jane Day Auxier, of Winchester, Mrs. Joe M. Davidson, and Mrs. Everett H. Sowards.

**MYF SWIMMING PARTY**

The Floyd County Methodist Youth Fellowship held its annual sub-district swimming party Aug. 15, at the Wheelwright swimming pool. One hundred sixty-three youths and 15 counselors were present.

**CARD OF THANKS**

We wish to express our heartfelt thanks to all those who assisted in any way during the illness and upon the death of our beloved wife and mother, To friends and neighbors, to the ministers, to all who sent flowers, contributed to the Heart or Cancer funds, or sent messages of love and sympathy—we shall be forever grateful. To Eastin-Richey and Carter & Callihan, funeral directors, we appreciate so much their kindness, understanding and help. ED HILL and FAMILY

**Homemakers Club Elects Officers At Recent Meet**

The Prestonsburg Day Homemakers Club met for its August meeting at the home of Mrs. J. B. Clarke near Dewey Lake with Mrs. R. W. Feiler, president, presiding.

The meeting was opened by Mrs. Feiler who read the Homemakers Creed. She remarked that the election of officers for the ensuing year was the most important business before the club. Elected were Mrs. William Dingus, president, Mrs. H. D. Hewlett, vice-president, Mrs. Francis Harmon, secretary-treasurer, Mrs. Bill Osborne, telephone committee. Other officers will be appointed by the president at the September meeting to be held at the home of Mrs. Bill Osborne on Graham street.

Miss Frances Howland, homemaker agent, noted the subjects for discussion in the year 1960-61: September, hats; October, hats; November, wills and deeds; December, Christmas parties; January, kitchen planning; February, same as January; March, kitchen arrangements; April, emergency meals; May, relation of food to weight; June, glass etching; July, club picnic; August, election of officers, and membership and publicity committees appointments.

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Miss Layne, Mr. Short to Wed



Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hopkins Layne announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Mary Isabelle Layne, to Mr. Harry Wilson Short, son of Mrs. Orpha May Short and the late Dr. Joseph Richard Short, of Huntington, W. Va. Miss Layne is a graduate of Prestonsburg high school and attended Pikeville Academy and Eastern Kentucky State College, at Richmond, Kentucky. Mr. Short graduated from Randolph-Macon Military Academy at Front Royal, Virginia. He attended Marshall College, Huntington, W. Va., and is a graduate of Cincinnati College of Embalming, Cincinnati, Ohio. A September wedding is planned.

GOES TO MIAMI

Miss Pauline Hereford has returned to Miami, Fla., where she is assistant principal of the North Miami junior high school. She has been spending her vacation at Cliff with her mother, Mrs. Thomas Hereford, Sr.

ATTEND HOME EC MEETING

Miss Hazel I. Hill, Nancy Sue Dings and Mrs. Marie C. Mullins, Floyd home economics teachers, were among the more than 280 who attended the 16th annual conference of Home Economics teachers, August 16-19, at Hardinsburg.

During the conference Miss Hill was on a symposium on "How To Teach Generalizations."

VISITING IN MARYLAND

Mrs. Lucy Ransdell and granddaughter, Dianne Shields, of Midland, Texas, left last Saturday via plane from Kenova - Huntington Airport for a visit with her daughter, Mrs. Phil Schroeder, and Mr. Schroeder, at Bethesda, Md.

LEAVING FOR ARIZONA

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Holcomb are leaving this week for their home in Tucson, Arizona, after several weeks' visit here with her sister, Mrs. John Hale, and a son, Robert Holcomb, at Pikeville.

VISITING FIANCE HERE

Harry Short and mother, Mrs. Orpha Short, and Joe Bayes, of Huntington, have been here this week visiting Mr. Short's fiance, Miss Bary Belle Layne, and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank H. Layne, on Arnold avenue.

SCHOOL TO OPEN

Our Lady of the Mountains School, Paintsville, will have registration and sale of books, Tuesday, September 6, from 9:30 to 11:30 a. m. Classes will be in full session, Wednesday, September 7.

BENEFIT DANCE

A dance at Community Hall, Wheelwright, will be held Saturday night to raise money for the Girl Scouts. The Kiwanis Club of Beaver Valley is sponsoring the event.

HERE FROM INDIANA

Mrs. Ella Allen, her daughter, Mrs. Banner Davis, and Mr. Davis, of Connorsville, Ind., visited relatives here and elsewhere in this section last week. They visited Mrs. Allen's son, Jarvis Allen, here Saturday.

MEMORIAL MEETING

The Layne Memorial meeting will be held Sunday, Sept. 11, at the cemetery near the residence of Morgan Layne at Ivel. The meeting will be an all-day event, with dinner on the grounds. The public is invited. 8-25-3t-pd.

Notice To City Taxpayers:

Please come in and pay your city taxes.

You don't want your friends and neighbors to pay their taxes and you not pay yours. I am taking this tax collection in order to help you. If you can't pay all at one time, pay part, and make payments out of it. The city needs the money. Be a good fellow and pay. I will be in the Municipal building from 10:30 a.m. to 3 p.m. To avoid court costs pay your taxes by Sept. 1, or they will be taken over by the City Attorney for collection.

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City Tax Collector

RETURN FROM OHIO

Mrs. Claude Robinson, Phil and Mr. and Mrs. Herschel Patrick have returned from Mingo Junction, O., where they visited Rev. and Mrs. Ray Snyder and sons, Steven Ray, David Lee and baby daughter, Ruth Anne.

VISIT RELATIVES

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Darby, and son, spent the week-end in Dayton, O., and vicinity, guests of relatives.

BIRTH ANNOUNCED

Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Wells, of Prestonsburg, are announcing the birth of their first child, a daughter, on August 14, at the Paintsville Clinic. Mrs. Wells is the former Herbie Jean Banks, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bennie Banks, of Prestonsburg. The babe has been named Rebecca Jane.

VISITING HERE

Mrs. Jerry Harmon and children, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Welch, Earl Craft and family and Millard Craft, of White's Creek, W. Va., were visiting Mrs. Denver Crabtree and others here last week-end.

CELEBRATES BIRTHDAY

Marion Taylor celebrated his 67th birthday at home here Sunday with a dinner for relatives and friends. Guests were Mr. and Mrs. Ben Parker, Mrs. Mary Lou Hardin, Mrs. Denver Crabtree, Carl Ed Wright, Dave Clifton and family, and Gene Price.

ENJOY PICNIC DURING VISIT

A picnic was enjoyed recently at Dewey Lake. Those who attended were Mr. and Mrs. Willie Craft and son, George Raymon, of Prestonsburg; Mr. and Mrs. Earl Craft and daughters, Cherylene and Valaine, Millard Craft, Mrs. Mellie Harmon and children, Alberta, Irene, Jerry, James, Mary and Linda, of Prichard, W. Va.; Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Welch, of Kenova, W. Va. They also visited George Craft and children, Mrs. Nellie Harmon and children, and Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Welch visited Mrs. Denver Crabtree, of Prestonsburg.

ANNOUNCE BIRTH

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Ashland Ousley, on August 18, at the Paintsville hospital, their first child, a son, James Ellis. Mrs. Ousley is the former Eula Mae Salyers.

RETURNS FROM HOSPITAL

Rev. Howard C. Church has returned from the C. & O. hospital, at Huntington, where he was hospitalized for several days. He is convalescing at home.

RETURN FROM SPAIN

Capt. and Mrs. Raymond R. Keys and three daughters, who recently returned to this country from Madrid, Spain, have been the guests at Cliff of Mrs. Keys' grandmother, Mrs. Thomas Hereford, Sr., and other relatives. The family has spent three years in Spain where Capt. Keys has had an Air Force assignment, and will go from here to Stillwater, Okla. Mrs. Keys is the former Gloria Pack, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Pack.

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PICTURE OF CHURCH GROUP 50 YEARS AGO

Good photographers were scarce in this section half a century ago and wherever people assembled a picture was taken if a photographer was available. Many of the old pictures are still extant in our homes, reminiscent of the days of long ago.

The group pictured here were returning to their homes from a revival at Riceville. Many are well-known Floyd countians. The three at the back on horseback are, left, Homer Robinson, center, Jack Merritt, and right, Bill Merritt. Seated are Otto Baldrige, Willie Shell, and Bruce Hackworth. Identified, standing, are Denny Conley, John Caudill, Kid Webb, Dolly Conley, Josie Baldrige, Mareda Leek.

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Robinson-Harkins Vows Said January 31

Mr. and Mrs. John Calhoun Robinson, Jr., of the Lancaster Road, Danville, Ky., announce the marriage of their daughter, Paulena Belle, to Mr. Joseph Davidson Harkins, III, son of Mrs. Joseph Davidson Harkins, Jr., of Lexington, Ky., and the late Mr. Harkins.

The ceremony was performed on Sunday, January 31.

Mrs. Harkins is a graduate of St. Catherine's Preparatory School, Richmond, Va., attended Centre College and the University of Kentucky where she was pledged Kappa Gamma sorority.

Mr. Harkins is a graduate of Kentucky Military Institute and is a senior at the University of Kentucky. He is a member of Kappa Alpha fraternity.

SPEND VACATION WITH PARENTS

Mrs. Mary Jane Harkins and daughter, Miss Barbara Baker Harkins, are in Ann Arbor, Mich., spending their vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ezra Frye.

SUFFERS BROKEN SHOULDER

Miss Josephine Spradlin is suffering a broken shoulder sustained in a fall at the home of her sister, Mrs. Bess Williams, on Highland avenue last Monday. She is resting at her home after the shoulder was placed in a cast. Dick Spradlin, her brother, is ill at his sister's home also, having been brought there a few days ago from his home at Auxier.

BAKE SALE

Miriam Rebekah Lodge will have a bake sale, September 3, beginning at 9:30 a.m., at the Ben Franklin Store on Court St.

VISIT HERE

Mrs. C. L. Prichard, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Cecil, of Harold, were in Tennessee last week on vacation. En route, they visited her sister, Mrs. Octavia Hatcher Hamblin, at Big Stone Gap, Va. Mrs. Hamblin returned home with them for a visit. They were here Sunday, calling on Mr. and Mrs. Sam Hatcher.

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Notice is hereby given that on Friday, the 30th day of Sept., 1960, at 10:00 a.m., of said day, at the United Fuel Gas Company, Saint Albans Operating Center Building, on W. Va. Route 17 just west of St. Albans, W. Va., the undersigned Trustees will sell the hereinafter described property pursuant to the terms of that certain Chattel Deed of Trust dated on the 25th day of June, 1959, and entered into between Ray Midkiff and Peggy Midkiff, parties of the first part, and the undersigned Trustees as parties of the second part, which said Deed of Trust is duly of record in the office of the Clerk of the County Court of Floyd county, Kentucky, in File No. 52333, Book No. 43, at Page 457, the undersigned Trustees having been notified in writing of the default by the grantors in said Trust obligation secured thereby and described, and the owner of said note having requested the undersigned in writing to sell the said property under the terms of said Chattel Deed of Trust: 1957 Ford Tudor No. CTUT102105. Terms of Sale: Cash. The undersigned Trustees reserve the right to reject any and all bids. If no suitable bids are received, said sale to be continued to a future date to be announced at the time and place aforesaid. Amount due: \$1,769.63. (Signed)

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Illness of Few Hours Claims Will Barnett At Martin Hospital

Stricken at his home on Buck's Branch, near Martin, early this morning (Thursday), W. J. (Will) Barnett, 64, died at Our Lady of the Way hospital, Martin, at 9:30 a.m. Mr. Barnett became ill about 5 a.m., and was taken to the hospital half an hour later. He died without regaining consciousness. Cause of death was not given.

A son of the late A. B. and Polka Halbert Barnett, he was a native of the Martin community, and was a farmer and merchant. He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Ella Stephens Barnett, six sons and three daughters: Jim Barnett, Columbus, O.; Bill and Hawley Barnett, both of Kenton, O.; Nelse Barnett, Bakerville, Calif.; Alvin Barnett, of the Merchant Marine; Raleigh Barnett, of Florida; Mrs. Polka Ann Taylor, of Florida; Mrs. Alice Wright, Kenton, O.; and Miss Alka Mae Barnett, of Martin. Three brothers and two sisters also survive: R. C. Raleigh, and J. Q. Barnett, all of Martin, Mrs. Nora B. Large, Toledo, O.; and Mrs. Maggie B. Hall, of Martin.

Funeral arrangements are incomplete, it was said this afternoon by the Hall Brothers Funeral Home.

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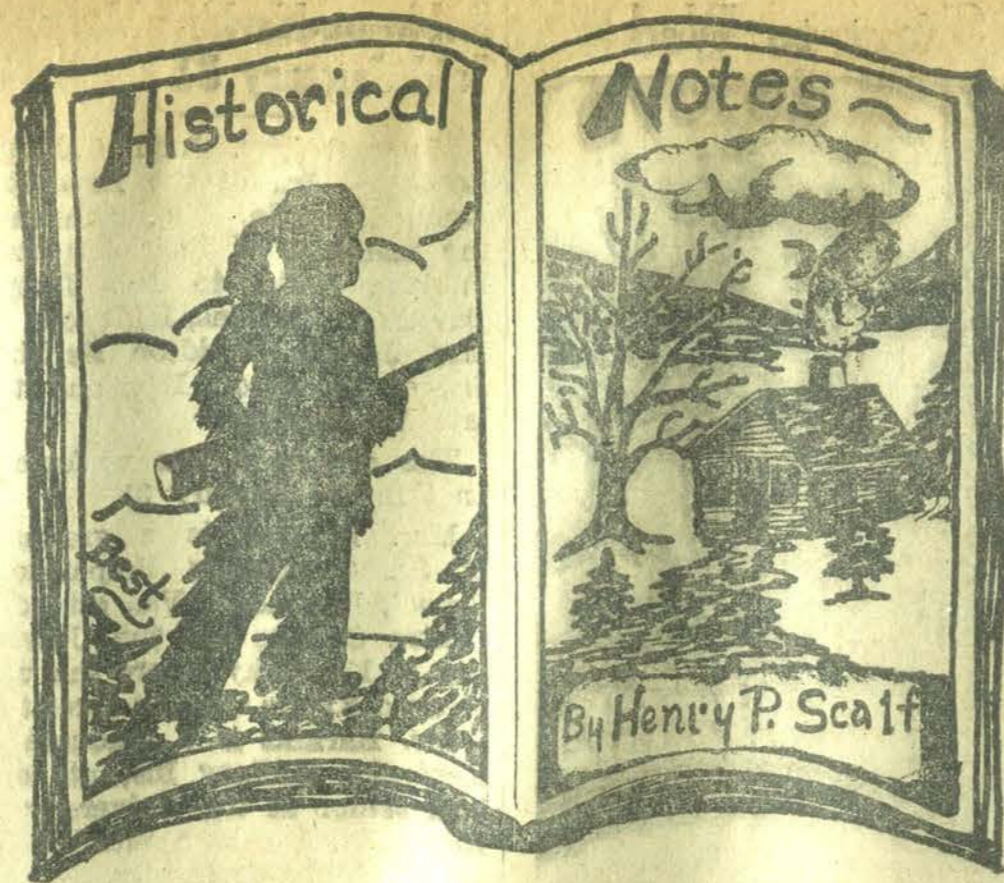
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### AUXIER

Misses Sandra Kay and Amelia Lemaster have returned to their home in Hillsboro, Ohio, after a long vacation with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles McCoy, here.

A foot-washing meeting was held Sunday at the Free Will Baptist church, with dinner on the grounds.

One remedy for hiccups is a paper sack, says a new handbook of first aid in the September Reader's Digest. You cover your mouth and nose with the sack and inhale and exhale into it. The accumulation of carbon dioxide may stop the spasms. The handbook warns that old drugs should be discarded and that cars as well as homes should have first-aid kits.



### CRANK FAMILY

Mrs. Charles I. Goff, 11 South Second Street, Preston, Idaho, who visited here recently to study the origins of the Crank family and its connection with the Fitzpatrick family, writes information, particularly on the descendants of Nathaniel Crank, who married Susannah Fitzpatrick.

Nathaniel Crank was born 1795, died prior to April 6, 1856. He was married in Prestonsburg, August 20, 1819, to Susannah Fitzpatrick, born probably in Kentucky in 1804, died about 1901, it is believed, at San Louis Obispo, Santa Barbara County, California.

Issue of Nathaniel and Susannah Crank were:

Joseph Wesley Crank, born August 31, 1822, in Prestonsburg, married Minerva Pruitt, Oct. 1, 1849, died Jan. 30, 1909; Sarah B. Crank, born 1826 in Kentucky, married Simon P. C. Fleener, April 9, 1848, died March 17, 1854; Nancy Jane Crank, born 1829, in Kentucky, married Preston Munkers, Dec. 1845; Mary Ann Crank, born 1836 in Kentucky, married Andrew Jackson May, August 5, 1852; Pelina or Palmira Crank, born 1840 in Kentucky, married John Griffith; William M. Crank, born in 1846 in Missouri, died, it is believed, unmarried; Minerva Crank, born in 1847 in Oregon, married William Whitset.

There were two other children of this marriage, Nathan or Nathaniel, and Elizabeth, who married a Wilcox. There is also a possibility that some of the children died in infancy.

John Wesley Crank, first son of Nathaniel and Susannah listed above, died in Yountsville, Napa county, Calif., and is buried in the Veterans Home cemetery there. He married Minerva Pruitt at Salem, Marion county, Oregon. After her death he was remarried twice, to Sarah McMillen Hughtett and to a Nancy Hale.

Minerva Pruitt or Pruett, as it was usually written, was born May

12, 1829, in Indiana, died June, 1862, at a ranch near Salem, Oregon. Her parents were John Pruitt and Mary Ann Fleener.

Issue of John Wesley Crank and Minerva Pruitt Crank were: Mary Ann Crank, born March 24, 1851, in Oregon, married Gustave Edward Schumacher, Feb. 15, 1868; Sarah Eveline Crank, born March 13, 1853, Scio, Linn County, Oregon, married Silas Milton Goff, April 27, 1868, died July 9, 1935; Nancy Jane Crank, born Jan. 12, 1855, Scio, Oregon, married Andrew Jackson Stockton, Jan. 27, 1870, died Jan. 11, 1935; John Riley Crank, born Feb. 12, 1857, Scio, Ore., married Louise (Lou) Dudley, died April 26, 1941; Rowena Crank, born Feb. 12, 1859, Scio, Ore., married William Toll, July 8, 1877, died Sept. 10, 1891; William David Crank, born March 18, 1861, Scio, Ore., unmarried, died Nov. 3, 1930.

Nancy Jane Crank Stockton was married secondly to T. Dwight, Jan. 28, 1877, and Rowena Crank Toll was married secondly to James E. Weedman, August 6, 1882.

Mrs. Goff writes that the Crank family moved to Oregon from Kentucky in 1846. Previous to their migration westward Nathaniel Crank had received a land grant in Kentucky for 50 acres, dated Sept. 27, 1837. The watercourse mentioned is Little Paint Creek and Sandy river.

Nathaniel Crank acquired a land claim at Swan Island, Oregon, but there is no date given by Mrs. Goff. She notes that the land claim is that Nathaniel was born in Floyd county, Ky., in 1795. Of course there was no Floyd county in that year for Floyd was not organized until 1860. It may be that he was born in one of the large Kentucky counties that preceded Floyd, perhaps Mason, Fleming or Bourbon. Crank had lived on the Swan Island land since Oct. 1, 1848, according to the Oregon Land office.

Information from the 1860 Oregon Census, as copied by Mrs. Goff, lists the Nathaniel Crank family as follows: Nathaniel Crank, age 55, farmer, born in Kentucky; Susan Crank, age 46, born, Kentucky; Mary A. Crank, age 14, born in Kentucky; Palmira Crank, age 10, born in Kentucky; William M. Crank, age 4, born in Missouri; and a female, no age, born in Oregon Territory.

The Oregon Census for 1860 also lists Simon P. C. Fleener, age 27, born in Kentucky and a farmer; Sarah B. Fleener, age 4, born in Kentucky; and Anna Fleener, age 2, born in Oregon Territory.

The Preston Munkers family is listed as follows: Preston Munkers, age 28/9, farmer, born in Missouri; Nancy Jane Munkers, age 21, born in Kentucky; Mary Munkers, age 4, born in Oregon Territory; and Maria Munkers, age 2, born in Oregon Territory.

The 1860 Oregon Census, taken Sept. 11, 1860, has information on the May family with which the Crank family intermarried. A. J. May, age 30, farmer, born in Kentucky; Mary A. Crank May, age 24, born in Kentucky; William May, age 3, born Oregon Territory; George May, age 1 year, born Oregon Territory; Elizabeth May, age 7 months, born in Oregon Territory.

Mrs. Goff notes also in her letter that Susannah Fitzpatrick, who married Nathaniel Crank, had a brother, Nathan, presumably younger and named for her husband.

The Andrew Jackson May listed in the above data, and 30 years of age in 1860, was from the Floyd county May family. Samuel May (1783-1851), who built the old May home at Cliff, and Catherine Evans May, his wife, had a son, John May, born in this valley in 1810. John May went to Oregon and it is conceivable that he is the father of Andrew Jackson May who married Mary Ann Crank in 1852 in Oregon.

Anyone having information as to the parents of Nathaniel Crank and Susannah Fitzpatrick Crank are requested to write Mrs. Goff.

### VISITORS FROM MICHIGAN

Bonanza—Mr. and Mrs. James I. Snipes, 511 N. Holbrook Ave., Plymouth, Mich., were recent guests of his mother, Mrs. Albert Snipes, here, and of Mr. and Mrs. Erald Scutchfield, of Water Gap. Mrs. Snipes is the former Nancy Harmon, of West Prestonsburg.

Life's hardest year is the first one, according to the September Reader's Digest. It is also the greatest single period of growth. In his first four months, a baby doubles his weight. If such growth continued, he'd weigh half a ton by age 50, and would be 50 feet tall!

### Tidbits Of Kentucky Folklore

By GORDON WILSON, Ph. D.

Western Kentucky Teachers' College Bowling Green, Ky.

Some of my earlier teachers after I left Fidelity, regardless of the subjects they taught, felt that all had been learned about their field, that it was only necessary to teach the facts of the course and let the students know that there was nothing more to know. I heard pronouncements on grammar that would make a convention of linguists laugh uncontrollably. Sometimes there seemed to be mixed up with this feeling of a closed branch of human knowledge, a sort of religious reverence for what was known and a holy fear of any attempts to know any more. Even as a young man, not too far removed from Fidelity, I just did not like that but it was not very diplomatic to say so then. Later teachers, real scholars, helped clear the atmosphere. These later ones opened up fields that the earlier ones died without knowing about. My real teachers, and real teachers anywhere and at any time, openers of doors to unknown worlds. They knew, or at least acted on, the philosophy of the great Sir Isaac Newton, who felt that he had merely found a few pebbles of truth, while the whole ocean of undiscovered truth was still to be known. Fortunately, I memorized that saying, which I have improperly quoted, at Fidelity and loved its implications; a great scientist had said that he was a very humble beginner, not an achiever.

As time goes by, we have felt more and more that our cultural heritage needs reappraisal. Many of us have acted as if we were ashamed of our backgrounds, as if the less said about them the better. And, like Sir Isaac's ocean of undiscovered truth, we were surrounded by measureless treasures of facts and dreams and hopes and fears of our race, our family, our community. By slow degrees we are trying

to see our backgrounds in their own time and place, not as compared with and, therefore, made ridiculous by holding them up alongside present conditions. It is just as unfair to underestimate our backgrounds as to overestimate them. I have nothing but contempt for the man who tries to mark down his background merely because he has risen so far above them. Harping on being born in a log cabin or in other meager circumstances is plain cheap; thousands of people whom I have known, good and bad and indifferent, were born in a log cabin; they did not become Abraham Lincoln or criminals, either. In fact, it would have been hard for hosts of the children that my country-doctor father delivered to be born anywhere except in a log house; there were dozens of log houses to one frame house in the earlier days of his practice and a good proportion even in my time. When the self-congratulatory brags of his great ancestry, I usually am content to laugh and not sneer. Most such braggers are living proofs of rather poor representatives of a great family. But, with the successful fellow who did have a rather poor start, it might be supposed that he had something a little better than his constant harping on his father's being a worthless possum hunter or scale. Our American settlers were, in general, nothing to be ashamed of and nothing to crow very loudly about. But hundreds of books have been written to show how cheap or how aristocratic were the settlers. After having lived under the influence of these one-sided books for several generations, it is hard for Americans to face the truth and reappraise our ancestors, even cold-bloodedly, but honestly, and in the light of their own times and places.

Whatever can be done to right this wrong should have our support. We need to see the good and the bad of pioneering, its heroism, its brutality, its unthoughtfulness, its strange neighborliness. Those of us who grew up in a semi-pioneer area, if we kept our eyes open, know that the extremes of human conduct were to be found side by side. There were some saints in those days; there were some uncaught criminals, too. To assume that only what got into the newspapers was the truth or what was handed down by tradition is equally false and misleading. Are we afraid to know what manner of folks ours were? Would we lose or gain by knowing?

### CARD OF THANKS

We would like to extend to our friends and neighbors our thanks for their kindness upon the death of our loved one, Ted Meadows. We would especially thank the doctors, nurses, and other members of the staff of the McDowell Memorial hospital, also those who sent flowers and food, the Revs. Bill Amburgey and Douglas Burkett. We would like also to thank the Hall Brothers Funeral Home for its efficient service. THE MEADOWS FAMILY

### Former Judge Pruitt Of Pike County, Dies After Long Illness

Former Pike County Judge John W. Pruitt, 71, died Wednesday at his home after a long illness. A Democratic leader and a native of Pike county, he was first elected a Justice of the Peace and twice as County Judge. He served as judge from 1926 to 1930 and was re-elected in 1946 but resigned in 1948 due to ill health.

A son, Ervin S. Pruitt, is the present County Judge.

Other survivors are his wife, Mrs. Fanny Newsome Pruitt; five other sons, Trimble and Paul Pruitt, both of Pikeville, Andrew Pruitt, of Millard; Frank Pruitt, Norfolk, Va., and Edward Pruitt, Cleveland; a daughter, Mrs. Maudie Steel, of Coal Run, and a half brother, Frank Pruitt, Ford's Branch.

The funeral will be at 2 p.m., Friday at the residence.

### James C. Rosebury, 75, Of Meally, Is Victim; Burial, Emma Cemetery

James C. Rosebury, 75, of Meally, Johnson county, died at the Paintsville hospital at 10:50 a.m., Friday. He was the victim of a heart attack.

Mr. Rosebury, a native of Colton, Ky., was a son of Emmitt and Anna Burg Rosebury. His second wife, Bessie McKenzie Rosebury, survives. His first wife, Maude Messer Rosebury, preceded him in death. He was a member of the Holiness Church.

Surviving are the following sons and daughters: James, Jr., Thomas and Bobby Rosebury, all of Chicago; and Mrs. Betty Hawkins, Churchhill, Tenn. Surviving is a sister, Mrs. Gertie Joseph, of Emma, and three grandchildren. Funeral services were conducted at 1 p.m., Sunday, from the Emma Methodist Church, the Revs. Green Allen and James Duff officiating. Burial was made in the Emma cemetery under the direction of Preston Funeral Home.

### Heart Attack Claims Coley Martin While At Work, Wednesday

A heart attack claimed the life Wednesday morning of Coley Martin, 48 years old, of Hueysville, shortly after he began work repairing a bridge at Gio. He was employed by the Evans Elkhorn Coal Company.

A son of Mrs. Charlotte Huff Martin, of Garrett, and the late Eicaney Martin, Mr. Martin had spent almost all his life in the Hueysville vicinity. He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Evelyn Hughes Martin, one son, Coley Martin, Jr., one daughter Lucille Martin, all of Hueysville; a brother, Johnny Martin, also of Hueysville, and by one-half-brother and three half-sisters, Will Boggs, Mrs. Catherine Gayheart and Mrs. Rosha Cox, all of Garrett, and Mrs. Nora Hayes, of Lackey.

Funeral arrangements were incomplete Wednesday afternoon, it was said at the Hall Brothers Funeral Home.

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	Evening Worship	7:30
WEDNESDAY	Prayer Meeting and Bible Study	7:30
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### Kentucky Must Meet Strong Competition

Will Kentuckians, torn by factionalism, and with their attention diverted from state needs by the drama of a Presidential election, consider themselves and their own state enough to cast their votes in favor of the constitutional convention and the road bond issue at this coming election. We wonder.

Unless leaders of warring factions and those heading the two major political parties in their November fight can bury the hatchet long enough to look on Kentucky and her needs and to respond honestly and forthrightly to meet those needs, the state could suffer setbacks which would for many years delay the progress of the state.

This is a highly competitive age, and Kentucky has strong competition from all her neighbor-states. If the Constitution is unchanged, now that the Court of Appeals has held that it limits salaries to \$7,200 a year, Kentucky will be at the mercy of all its competitors. Qualified state personnel and topflight talent in the educational field will find it impossible to continue to serve in Kentucky.

A salary of \$7,200 a year was, at one time, decent pay for desirable personnel, but that was a day when \$7,200 was the equivalent of \$25,000 today.

Besides this, the Kentucky Constitution is, in some respects, as antiquated as the horse and buggy; in others, it is farcical, even nonsensical.

It needs an overhaul job. And the people have the first and the last word on that job. They first must approve a Constitutional convention. Then, after the delegates to that convention have done their work, the changes made go back to the people for approval or disapproval by another vote. Nobody is given carte blanche authority, if the voters approve the convention; the people are the last authority, as they should be.

Then there is that other matter of approving or killing the bond issue which would make possible the building of highways all over Kentucky and the improvement of Kentucky's parks.

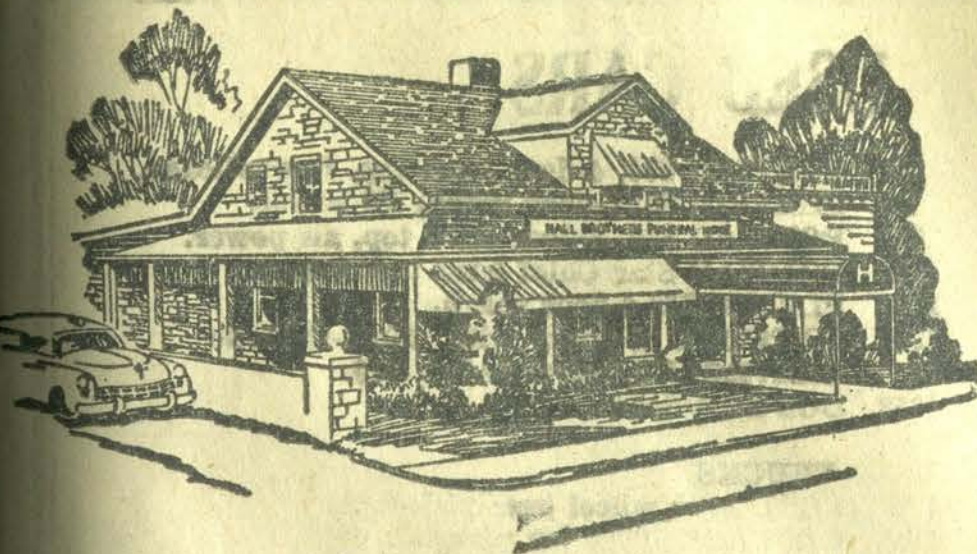
Are highways needed? And are parks needed as Kentucky bases strong hope for the future on tourism? These are questions to which surely nobody will give a negative answer. Then the only question remaining is, Can roads and parks be had for the mere asking, without cost?

Kentucky last voted a road bond issue under the administration of Governor Chandler. That money has served Kentucky well. But much more remains to be done; scores of areas, small and large, literally hundreds of communities, remain to be connected with the rest of Kentucky by modern highway.

Kentucky seeks new industry. It seeks to stop the outward flow of its youth to other states. It needs its best at home. A start has been made, a goal has been set. Kentucky must go modern, or go back—and that applies to its supreme law, the state Constitution, and to its highways alike.

On these issues, then, it would seem that a truce might be in order between those who on other policies and goals do not see eye to eye. Old scores and present battles can be settled at other times, in other ways. At this present hour Kentucky needs leaders and citizens who will look more deeply into their state's needs than to search for some means of getting even at the expense of all of us.

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Then in October, he arrived in Benton. The CCC camp was just going up on the hill overlooking the road that runs to Brewers. At first the boys slept in tents; they slept on pallets, for there were no cots.

The first night it came a cold fall rain, and Leonard Jones woke up with the rain running into his face from the leaky tent roof. He promised bitterly to go back to Floyd county, where the family moved when he was growing up, as soon as his enlistment time of six months ran out.

### George Robinson, 46, Succumbs At McDowell; Burial Made On Caney

George Robinson, 46, of Water Gap, succumbed to a long illness, August 14, at the McDowell Memorial hospital. He was a miner.

Mr. Robinson was a son of Dick and Ella Brown Robinson, who survives, and the husband of Nan Oursley, who also survives. Surviving sons and daughters are Paul Edgar Robinson, of the armed service, Ruby Jean, Willis Deane, Edd Verzell, David and Michael, all at home. Brothers and sisters surviving are Floyd Robinson, of Lancer, Woodrow Robinson, Albert Robinson and Henry Robinson, all of Dock; Mrs. Greeley Dotson, West Prestonsburg; Mrs. Nero Wadkins and Mrs. George Robinson, both of Claypoole, Ind., and Mrs. Carl Clements, Silver Lake, Ind.

Funeral rites were conducted at 2 p.m., August 17, from the home, the Revs. L. P. Tussey and Robert Martin officiating. Burial was made in the family cemetery on the Johnson Fork of Caney Creek under the direction of Moore Funeral Home.

Pallbearers were members of United Mine Workers Local Union No. 8161, of David.

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On Monday, September 12, 1960, the undersigned will apply to the Floyd County Court, Prestonsburg, Kentucky, for an order dispensing with administration in and for the estate of the late A. J. Davidson, M.D., and all creditors of the estate are notified to present their claims against this estate at the office of Marshall Davidson in the Patton building, Court Street, Prestonsburg, Kentucky

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Jones told his supervisor, Boyce Howard, who lived at Gilbertsville in those days and who is a railroad man at Central City now, that he wouldn't stay in Marshall county long.

Howard said he probably would. "You'll marry a girl here and get to like the county, and you'll probably never leave," he said.

In January Leonard met Martha Pace, daughter of farmer Sid Pace, of the Dogtown section. They were married in May. He has never even wanted to leave his county again.

Leonard stayed in the CCC a year; he re-enlisted after the first six-month hitch ended. The CCC boys made \$30 a month and had to send \$25 home to their parents. This was Roosevelt's way of seeing that the parents lived, and that the boys didn't live too high in the communities in which they worked.

The CCC boys drilled the way rookie soldiers drill. I believe this was to satisfy a fear by Roosevelt that it might not be too many years until the United States would need men who knew something about the Army. In 1933 the name of a man named Hitler was rising in old Germany.

During their work day, the CCC boys built terraces and dams and set out little pine and other trees to save the soil. They worked in yellow gullies; in hopeless places where water ran fast when it rained—almost sweeping away even the rocks that were imbedded in the bare ground.

I remember the CCC boys, but if I didn't, I would know they had been here. They left their marks all over the place; deep gullies I remember in the 1930's are not deep gullies now. They are forested slopes; the ground is secure. The rain runs away slowly, and the water is clear.

Leonard Jones especially remembers a gullied farm in Graves county. They planted little seedlings on the awful ground and built dams to slow up the water.

He is planning to go back there as soon as he can to see what has happened to the land.

He knows the plan worked, for it did everywhere else. But he just wants to see how it looks.

After his CCC days, Jones started farming on Sid's place. He also drove a truck for John Edwards.

He hauled ties with it to the tie yard at Metropolis, loading them himself on the high bed of the truck.

For this, he drew a dime an hour. Some prosperity—more than he had ever known—came in 1937.

It came to many people in this section as they went to work, like Leonard did, on Kentucky Dam. Leonard's pay was 47½ cents an hour.

After Kentucky Dam Leonard worked for a store corporation, worked a while in the restaurant business and, in 1949, got elected county judge of Marshall county.

He ran for reelection but was defeated by Artelle Haltom, a popular disabled war veteran who is judge now.

Mrs. Cora S. McHone Of Wheelwright, Victim Of Heart Attack, Friday

Mrs. Cora Stephens McHone, 59 years old, native Prestonsburg woman, died at the Clubhouse at Wheelwright at 12:30 a.m., Friday, little more than an hour after having been stricken by a heart attack.

Mrs. McHone's passing was wholly unexpected and came as a shock to friends and relatives over this section. She was a daughter of the late Albert B. and Anna Clark Stephens, of Prestonsburg. She had spent the last 23 years at Wheelwright, where she was employed in the credit department of the Inland Steel Company. A member of the First Methodist Church here since girlhood, she was organist and choir director of the Wheelwright Community Church, was a member of the Woman's Club there and was active in various community affairs. She had served as chairman of the Heart Fund there for the last three or four years.

Mrs. McHone is survived by one son, William D. McHone, of New York City, three sisters, Mrs. Alex L. Davidson, Mrs. J. W. Howard and Mrs. Blaine Smith, all of Prestonsburg, and two brothers, Lindsey Clark Stephens, Denver, Colo., and Lewis P. Stephens, Ashland.

The body was brought here Friday to the family home, and funeral rites were conducted Sunday afternoon from the First Methodist Church. Officiating ministers were the Revs. O. M. Simmerman, Harold W. Dorsey and H. M. Wiley. Burial was made in the Davidson Memorial Gardens at Ivel under direction of the Moore Funeral Home.

Active pallbearers were W. A. Spradlin, J. A. Spradlin, Adrian Collins, H. M. Wilkerson, Jr., Bob Francis, Raymond Bradbury, Palmer Crum, Bill Pettrey, Sam Hatcher, Joe W. Jarrell, David B. Leslie, Charles Friend, Jr., H. D. Fitzpatrick, Jr.

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### WEST PRESTONSBURG

Mrs. Romaine Romick and son, Mike, of Toledo, Ohio, and Miss Ruby Price, of Baltimore, Md., have concluded a two weeks vacation with their mother, Mrs. Sadie Price.

Mrs. Lawrence Bray, has returned home after a weeks visit with her daughter in Louisville.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Smith and son, Bobby Dale, spent the weekend at Hi Hat, visiting Mrs. Smith's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Adams.

Mrs. Hattie Vanderpool has been ill at her home but is improved this week.

Paul Burke is a patient in the Veteran's hospital, Huntington, W. Va.

Miss Jean Carol Hale, of West Prestonsburg, and Miss Barbara Turner, of Beaver Dam, to be returned to Beaver Dam, to assume duties in a church there.

Mrs. Opal Fitzpatrick visited her mother at Paintsville, Sunday afternoon.

Hargis Wallen is a patient at the Methodist hospital, Pikeville. His condition is improved. He underwent surgery last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Kermit Vanderpool, of Garrett, spent the week with Mr. Vanderpool's mother who has been ill.

Herbert Sword, grandfather of Opal Fitzpatrick, is seriously ill at the Paintsville Clinic.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hale announce the birth of a daughter, Judith Lynn, at the Prestonsburg hospital, Sunday, August 14.

### LACKEY

A party was given August 13, at the home of Evelyn Hicks honoring Joanna Hicks on her fifth birthday. The little honoree is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harve Sidham, of Garrett. Games were played, and refreshments were served to the following: the honoree, Corkie Hall, Randy Hall, Alice Katherine Reed, Sue Reed, Bernice Reed, Jackie Reed, Patty Sue Hicks, Ickey Hicks, Elizabeth Hicks, Burchell Hicks.

Leonard and his wife live in a small white home at 1208 Elm St., in Benton.

The house is just about four blocks from the site of the old CCC camp where nothing remains of the camp now except the memory of leaky tents and hot sun and drilling with a stick for a war that eventually came.

### Former Langley Girl Receives Degree, Aug. 5

Murray, Ky.—Among the 202 persons who received degrees from Murray State College at commencement, August 5, was Geraldine Jarrell, formerly of Langley. She received the bachelor of science degree. Dr. Forrest C. Ppure, director of the Gen. George C. Marshall Foundation, was the commencement speaker.

Home can be hazardous as well as happy. Some 20 million Americans are hurt each year in largely preventable home accidents, reports Albert Q. Maisel in a September Reader's Digest article, "Home Accidents Will Happen—Unless."

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#### FRIDAY

**"Dragon Wells Massacre"**  
Barry Sullivan, Mona Freeman, Dennis O'Keefe

**"Last of the Badmen"**

George Montgomery, Keith Larsen

#### SATURDAY

**"Yellowstone Kelly"**  
Clint Walker, Edd "Kookie" Byrnes, Andra Martin, John Russell

**"Oklahoma Territory"**

Bill Williams, Gloria Talbott

**"The Brain Eaters"**

Edwin Nelson, Joanna Lee

**GRAND OLE OPRY**

**"Run, Boy, Run!"**

Ray Price, Goldie Hill, Duke of Paducah, Jimmy & Johnny Carolyn Cloggers Square Dancers

#### 3 BIG DAYS

SUN., MON., TUES.

**"The House of Usher"**

Vincent Price, Mark Damon, Myrna Fahey

**"Kidnapped"**

(Technicolor)  
James MacArthur, Peter Finch

#### WED., THURS.

**"Happy Anniversary"**

David Niven, Mitzl Gaynor, Carl Reiner

**"Some Came Running"**

Frank Sinatra, Dean Martin, Shirley MacLane

COMING Sunday, Sept. 4th—

**"Brides of Dracula"**

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trict, \$291,549 (\$84,241); Magoffin, \$526,965 (\$174,450); Martin county, \$549,358 (\$145,897); Perry county, \$1,370,723 (\$387,113); Hazard independent district, \$353,025 (\$122,735); Pike county, \$3,097,005 (\$989,033); Pikeville independent district, \$193,009 (\$80,218).

Superintendent Butler hailed the newest allocations as the "first time Kentucky has had sufficient revenue to develop a sound educational program."

In the past, he said, the motto of school people has been "more dollars for educational services."

"Our motto now is 'more services for the dollar.'"

Butler said education in Kentucky is on the threshold of great developments with one exception—a weakness in the state's constitution.

"If Kentucky is to realize her greatest possibilities, we must continue to study, evaluate, and adjust our laws to the present, not the past," he said.

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this short, I can offer the one and only remedy I have ever tried, and I add that it worked for me—whether because it was effective, or because the chiggers worked themselves to death digging into my anatomy, I cannot say.

The remedy: Salty grease.

#### IN A BAD FIX

I do not care to seem more dumb than I really am, but when a friend recently referred to another person as having a face "exactly like a beech-nut," I confess, I was stumped for a minute or so. Brown? I surmised to myself. Sharp or pointed? Then it dawned on me he was saying this guy was worse than two-faced—he had three.

#### Music, Dorsey, Others Named Tourist Advisors By Gov. Combs, Tuesday

Ninety-five persons were named Tuesday to the advisory committee of the Kentucky Tourist and Travel Commission. Two members from Prestonsburg, Marvin Music and the Rev. Harold Dorsey, were among the group named.

More advisers will be named later by Gov. Bert Combs, whose initial appointees included: Fred A. Stewart, Ashland; Douglas Graham, Campton; Kelley Day, Pikeville; Holbert Adams, Grayson; C. D. McDowell, Harlan; Woodrow Stamper, West Liberty; Ben Lewallen, Harlan; T. E. Rogers and W. Blackburn, both of Pikeville; Mae Cornett, Hazard; Howard A. See, Louisa; L. O. Davis, Hazard; William Gorman, Hazard; Fred Coffey, Whitesburg; Harry Laviers, Paintsville.

Bill Betts and Mitchell Denham, both of Maysville; James T. Norris, Jr., H. R. McWhorter, and Rex Blazer, all of Ashland; Norman Chrisman, Lon B. Rogers, and Peter Janis, all of Pikeville.

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water department revenue now must be used to retire the bonds over a 33-year period.

He noted that gas lines in the city are reaching a condition calling for their replacement. Funds in the gas department, he continued, should be left in it for a yearly replacement of the lines on a cash basis.

The cost of the replacement would be about \$500,000 but double that amount if paid for on a protracted basis requiring bonded indebtedness.

Dr. Hambley said things had come to a point where the general fund would have to pay its own way.

Advances in medicine and education in the last ten years have changed the outlook for America's five million mentally retarded from one of despair to hope.

### Wedding Solemnized



Mr. and Mrs. Frank Pickle, Jr., Charlestown, Ind., announce the marriage of their daughter Rose Ann, to A3/c Charles Reginald Daniels, who is presently stationed at Chenute Air Force Base, Chenute, Illinois.

The wedding was solemnized August 6, at the First Baptist Church, Charlestown, Indiana.

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the proposed route, but approval of a bridge across the river is being sought to connect the new road with Auxier and that area.

Also a bridge is planned to be built across Johns Creek at the mouth, on this new highway.

The estimated cost of this four and one-half miles in the two counties, including the river bridge at Hager Hill, is approximately two and one-half million; also, it will cost almost one-half million to surface and complete the Paintsville-Hager Hill three-mile portion.

Grade and drain work is proceeding on the Paintsville-Hager Hill bypass. A contract on the Limestone bridge is expected to be awarded this fall.

#### COLLINS SERVES

Parris Island, S. C.—Marine Pvt. Tommy J. Collins, son of Mr. and Mrs. Tilton Collins, of Drift, Ky., completed recruit training August 17, at the Marine Corps Recruit Depot, Parris Island, S. C.

Relatives and friends of many of the new Marines were on hand to witness the graduation ceremonies. The 12-week training schedule included drill, bayonet training, physical conditioning, parades and ceremonies, and other military subjects.

Three weeks were spent on the rifle range where the recruits fired the M-1 rifle and received instruction in basic Marine infantry maneuvers.

This recruit training prepares young Leathernecks for further specialized infantry training at Camp Lejeune, N. C.

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At the luncheon session Sept. 2, chairmen of the workshops will report on the findings of their discussions. These are the reports that will be summarized for the White House Conference.

Besides Wetzel, Schmitt and Archer, members of the commission are Hugh McNary, Louisville, vice chairman; Norman Anderson, Louisville; the Rev. H. Dix Archer, Cave City; Roy Cantrell, Louisville; John H. Chandler, Louisville; Dr. Herman Donovan, Lexington; Dr. J. Duffy Hancock, Louisville; Dr. Ellis E. Hartford, Lexington; Dr. Ben Hollis, Louisville; Dr. Albert S. Irving, Louisville; Dr. Robert O. Joplin, Louisville; M. S. Sidney Meyer, Louisville; Dr. W. F. O'Donnell, Richmond; Robert A. Proctor, Jr., Louisville; Dr. John Quertemus, Murray; Dr. Joseph R. Rosenbloom, Lexington; Rev. Walter L. Russell, Louisville; Mrs. John A. Serpell, Louisville; Jack Stith, Danville; Msr. Charles A. Towell, Covington; Ira O. Wallace, New Castle; Gordie Young, Frankfort, and Dr. Grant Youmans, Lexington.

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A 70-mile stretch of beach on North Carolina's Outer Banks is America's first national seashore. The September Reader's Digest reports that Cape Hatteras National Seashore, open only eight years, now attracts nearly half a million visitors a year to its unspoiled beaches, which are protected from promoters and developers by Act of Congress.

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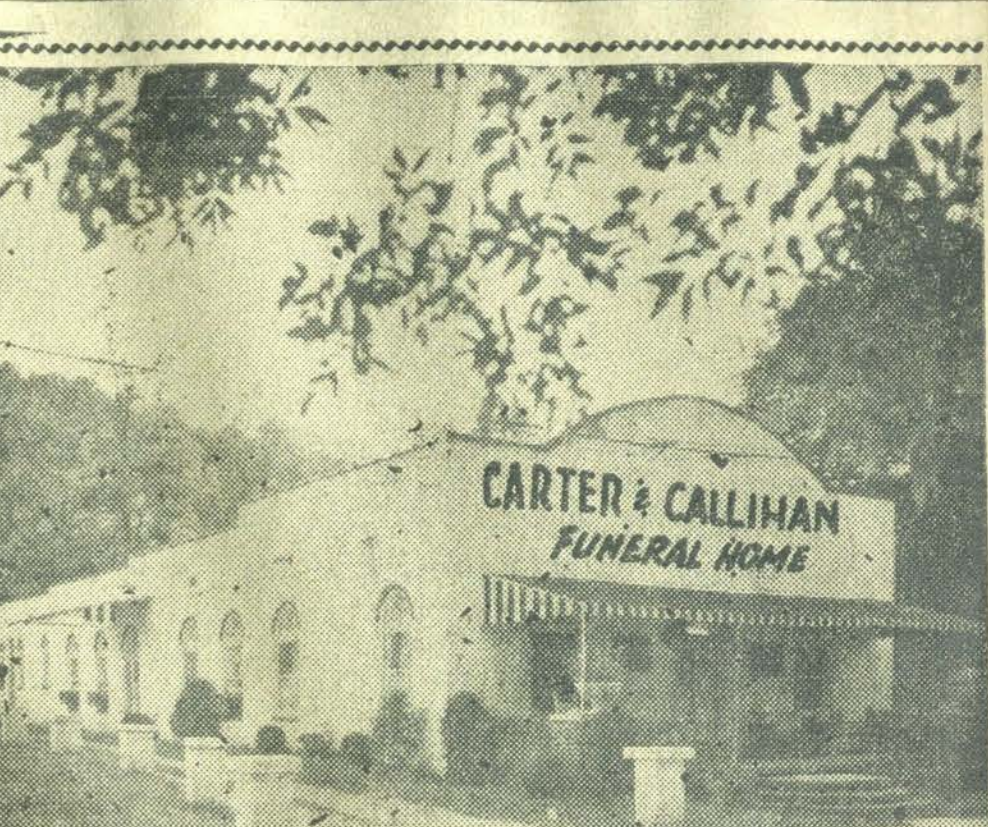
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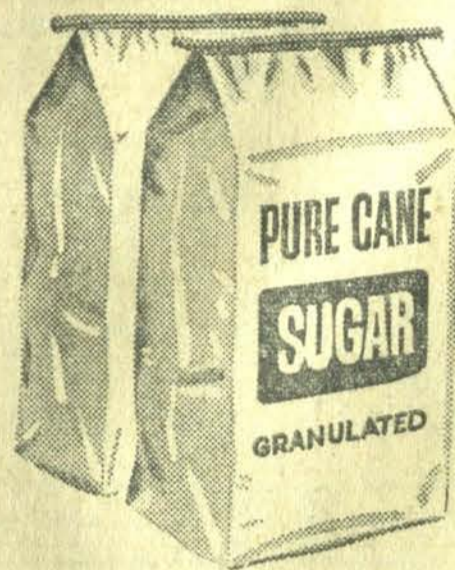
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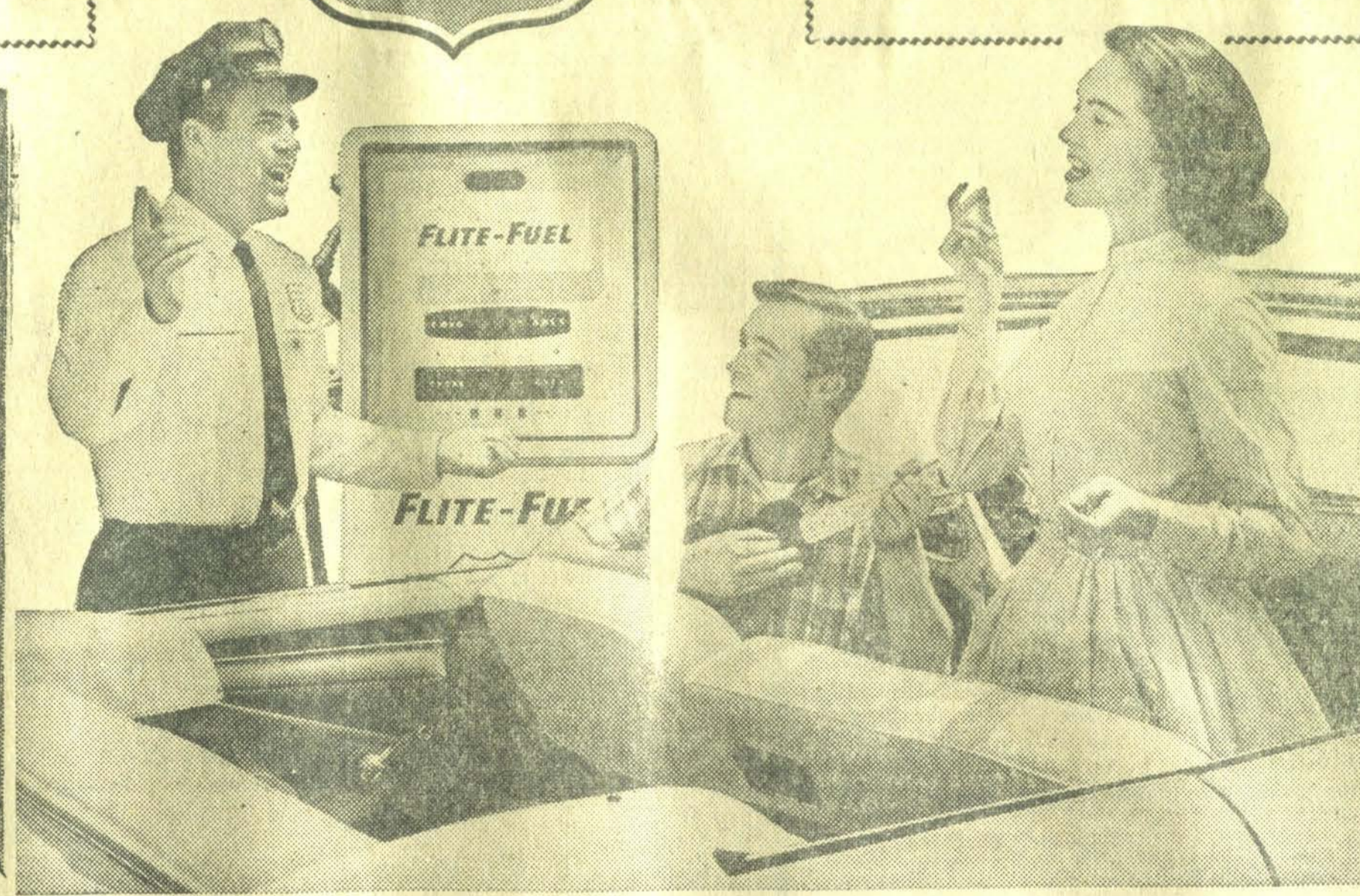
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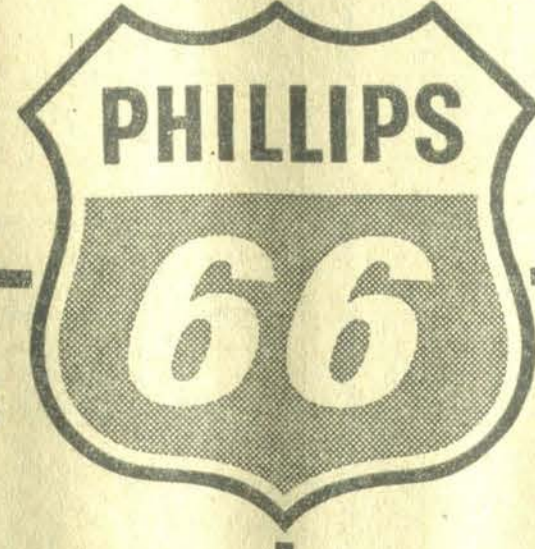
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### Tidbits Of Kentucky Folklore

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

#### "ONE, TWO, THREE"

From farther back than I have ever found out, there was a school at Fidelity; the very first one was probably begun shortly after the first settlers got there in 1819. It was more than likely a "subscription" school, that is, one paid for directly by the patrons. When "free" schools came along, Fidelity must have been one of the original schools in that area. And for decades it remained a one-roomed school, large or small, on down past my leaving the community in 1906. That was the school that was mine from the fall of 1895 until the fall of 1905, the one where I had nine different teachers of varying abilities but of the same solid enjoyment of their work. Without that old school I would not have been a teacher, I am sure; also without it I would never have written these hundreds of articles on folk customs, so many of them centering in that one-roomed building over in the woods between Fidelity and my house.

About a half century ago the school had grown until two rooms were necessary. Then the school moved over into the village, a quarter of a mile away. I had the good fortune to visit the old school a few times before it outgrew the one room and a time or two when it occupied two rooms. Neighboring one-roomed schools gradually closed their doors, and Fidelity grew into a large grade school, with several rooms. Two buildings housed the school, right where the union

church had stood. Again I visited that school, even giving a commencement address to the first graduating eighth-graders ever to be so honored at Fidelity, twenty-four of them, some of whom are now grandparents several times over. Still later, more rural schools were taken with all the children, some eight or ten of them; the buses also brought high school children from afar, for meanwhile the full twelve grades were being offered. Again I have been at that school, finding in the faces of the children lineaments that identified the students as children and grandchildren of my former neighbors. But population trends have been downward on that side of the county; modern farming methods do not require so many hands. As a result, the high school has nearly always been away down below an A standing; many years the school has been labeled "emergency." Other areas in the county, rural areas, that is, have also lost population, though the area around Murray has grown fast. A few years back it became obvious that the five county high schools would have to go, since all were small and only one had a few more than a hundred high school students.

A few months ago work started on a Calloway county high school, to be located at the edge of Murray and not far from the state college there. In September, 1960, its doors are to be opened to the boys and girls from all the county, and the well-known high schools will be demoted to grade schools. It is the same story that has been told in many places: Calloway county is merely following a great tradition of a central county high school to replace small, neighborhood schools. It will open to the children of the upper grades opportunities that were rarely found in the smaller schools and will also go far to unify a county that too long has kept alive the East Side-West Side division that made some of us sad aged ago.

One, two, three! A Fidelity one-roomed school served in its way for decades or nearly a century; a larger graded school and then a high school succeeded the one-roomed school; and now the whole county is proud of the new, big school that is destined to be a tradition for all who live within its bounds. "Grow we must," and you know the rest of what Holmes said; but it is a little sad that Fidelity high school and its other small sisters must step aside now for a big younger sister who inherits all the royalty of the whole system. "La Reine Est Morte! Vive La Reine!"

Buying of food products and services may exceed \$100 billion by 1970—nearly \$30 billion more than in 1959.

**BUILT-IN OVEN**  
If you plan to install a built-in oven when you remodel your kitchen or build a new house, Mrs. Gladys Lickert, University of Kentucky Extension housing specialist, offers some suggestions for you.

#### Office Re-Opened

My office in the Layne building, Prestonsburg, is now open after having been closed during vacation.

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## EXPLANATION

I feel that the "No Compromise" article which appeared in this paper last week was a direct slam at me for having made the statement at the rural teachers' meeting that I felt that the board of education was in perfect harmony when the five members voted for me to become assistant superintendent of Floyd county schools. I stated that my faction or representation on the board and the representation behind Charles Clark were in harmony.

Evidently Ray Howard and John G. Hall are sorry that they voted for me since this did make for harmony among the board members.

I expect to make the same statement to the consolidated teachers. If Ray and John prefer to rescind their votes for me, I shall be glad to accept their wishes and I shall make apologies to both rural and consolidated teachers.

WALTER FRASURE

(Adv.)

# Can Prestonsburg Stand A 65-Cent Gas Rate?

If the Kentucky West Virginia Gas Company succeeds in getting the Public Service Commission to approve a raise of 10 cents on each 1,000 cubic feet of gas supplied to Prestonsburg for resale to its citizens, gas consumers here will be paying at least 65 cents per thousand for their gas.

You are now paying 50 cents. DO YOU THINK YOU CAN STAND, OR SHOULD HAVE TO STAND, AN ADDITIONAL 15 OR 20 CENTS PER THOUSAND ON YOUR GAS BILLS?

We realize Kentucky West Virginia Gas Company renders a great service to the people but since Prestonsburg is in a depressed area and in the heart of the gas field we would like for the gas company to consider rates under the old contract.

Will you help us present the facts to the Public Service Commission? If you are interested in keeping your fuel costs down, or at least at their present level, high as they are, you as citizens should, individually and collectively, register your protests against this price increase.

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## EXTENSION SERVICE

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#### TOBACCO PLANT BEDS

Tobacco plants this spring were scarce. Weather was the biggest factor causing a scarcity of plants. About the only exception of poor plant beds were fall treated beds. Beds treated in the fall were much better than those treated in spring. This is true each year, but usually to a lesser degree.

The advantage of fall prepared beds are better control of disease and insects, weed seeds will be killed, soil will be ready for early seeding and the bed will hold more moisture.

September and October are the best months to prepare plant beds. Beds can either be burned or chemicals can be used.

Willie Frasure and Billy Merritt of Bonanza, have had experience with fall prepared beds using chemicals, with very good results.

For further information contact one of your county extension agents.

#### SOIL JUDGING TEAM

The 4-H Soil Judging Team made a trip to Flemingsburg on Friday, August 19, to take part in the district soil judging contest. There were no other teams from this district but the team had to attend the district event to be eligible for the state contest to be held at the State Fair. The district event also included a tractor driving contest and water management team competition.

The Floyd county team is composed of Delbert Ousley, Glenn Salyers, Tyrone Martin, and Gaylord Martin. The team will judge on September 13, at the State Fair.

The boys are also preparing two soil exhibits to be entered at the State Fair. This will be a new addition to the fair, and something that works well into the 4-H soils judging team.

#### SOIL TESTING

The county soils laboratory is in operation. Last week 24 samples were run. The samples were mostly for farmers seeding grass this fall. The variation of these samples points out the importance of soil tests. The acid test ranged from 5.4 to 6.8, or a requirement of three tons of limestone per acre to no limestone. A general recommendation would not fit either cases. The same thing applies to phosphorus and potash test. A soil sample costing 50c can save several dollars. In some cases less fertilizer is needed and some fields require more fertilizer than is generally used. In either case, the farmer can be sure of applying enough fertilizer and lime to properly grow a crop, and still save by not wasting money buying too much material.

### Sidney Holt, 54, Victim At Ashtabula Hospital; Burial On Robinson-Cr.

Sidney Holt, 54, formerly of Ligon, died at 12 noon, Monday, at the Ashtabula (O.) General hospital. He was the victim of a stroke.

Mr. Holt was a son of the late Silas and Fanny Hamilton Holt and the husband of Bertha Kiser Holt who survives.

Surviving sons and daughters are Eugene Holt, of Wales; Patrick Holt, Miss Patricia and Miss Marcella Holt, all of home; Mrs. Edna Butcher and Mrs. Fern Mitten, both in Ohio; Mrs. Phyllis Tackett, Livonia, Mich.; Mrs. Faye Tackett, Kenosha, Wis. Brothers and a sister surviving are Robert Holt, Taylor, Mich.; Arnold Holt, Ashland; Willie Holt, of Martin; Edgar Holt, Louisa, and Taulbee Holt, Columbus, Ohio.

Funeral rites were conducted today (Thursday) from a Robinson Creek (Pike Co.) church, the Revs. Solie Kiser, Taulbee Kiser and Noah Newsome officiating. Burial was made in the Damron cemetery on Robinson Creek under the direction of Hall Brothers Funeral Home.

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### Ferguson Announces Aid In Assistance Program

Commissioner of Economic Security Jo M. Ferguson announced this week that Floyd county received \$2,838 for the needy blind and \$8,334 for the totally and permanently disabled in public assistance benefits for the month of July.

The needy blind recipients in the county received average payments of \$4.79 for the month as compared to \$43.51 received in July, 1959. Payments to the county's 167 totally and permanently disabled showed an \$8.61 average increase.

This county's dependent children received \$34,618 in total public assistance payments for the month of July. Ferguson said this is an increase of \$13.62 in average payments per family over July, 1959.

Total statewide payments increased by \$249,122 over last year's. According to Commissioner Ferguson, the month's increase in funds paid to all these benefit recipients throughout the state is the result of sales tax appropriations making available the federal matching funds for public assistance.

When buying peaches avoid over-mature, soft ones. They bruise easily and soon break down. The outer skin of a bruise may not be discolored, but the bruised flesh usually is soft and discolored.

August is a good time to make plans and start working toward beautiful flowers next year, according to N. R. Elliott, University of Kentucky Extension horticulturist.

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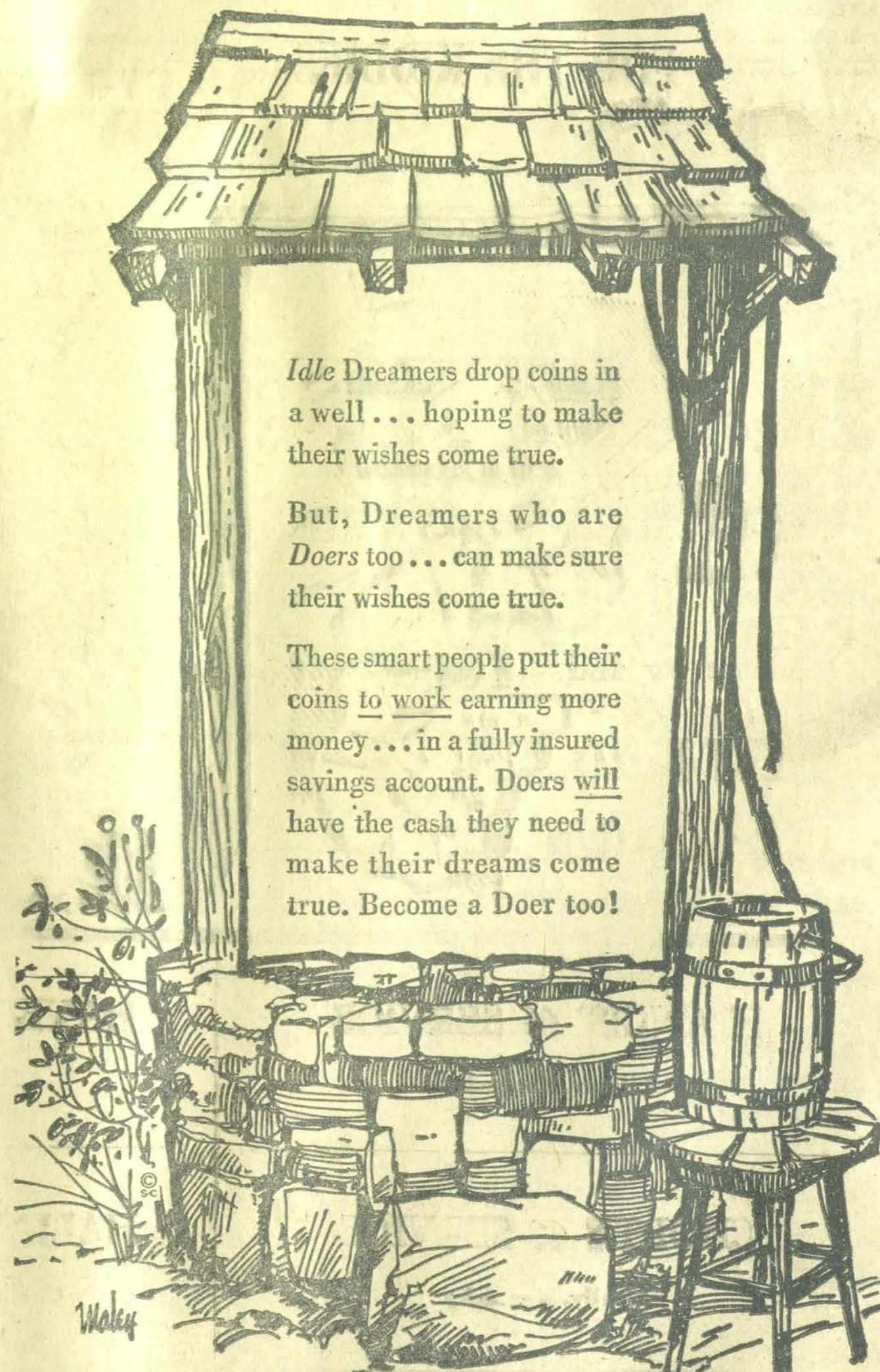
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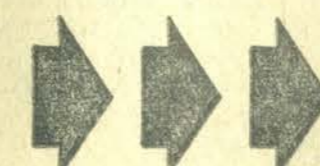


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### STORING VEGETABLES

Do you know just where to store those vegetables you bring in from the garden or buy at the grocery or roadside market? Properly stored, many summer and fall vegetables will keep for several months, according to George Marrowe, University of Kentucky Extension horticulture specialist.

Synthetic detergent does not form a curd when used with hard water and it can be rinsed from the fabric rather easily. However, a thorough rinsing is just as important with synthetic detergent as with soap, to prevent yellowing of clothing.

### Boy Scout Leaders Offer First In Course Series

The Jenny Wiley District of the Lonesome Pine Council, Boy Scouts of America, held the first session of a three-session training course at the Price Assembly Room at Price, last Thursday. The second and third sessions will be held August 25 and Sept. 1.

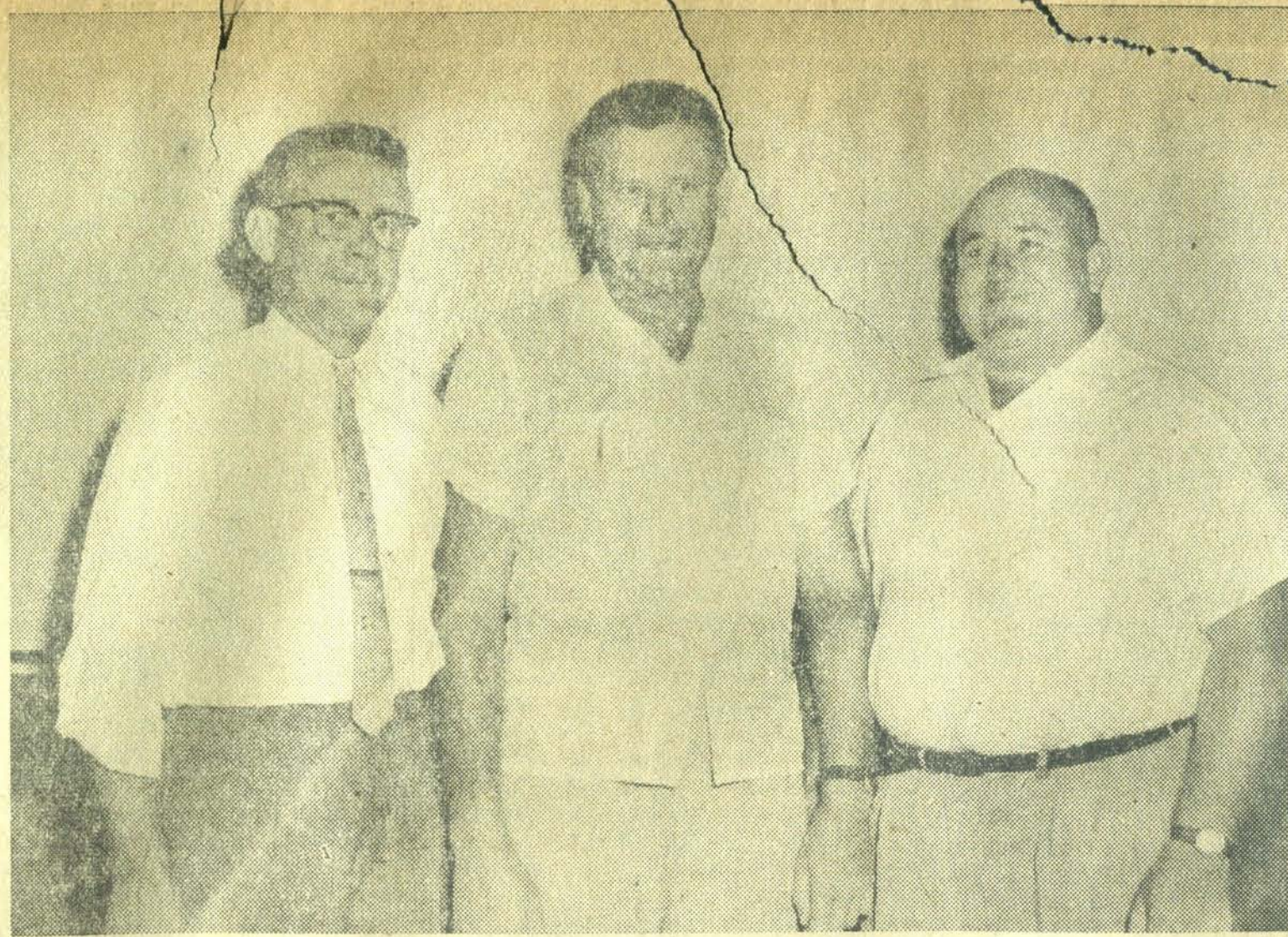
The first session, "What Boy Scouting Is," presents a picture of the objectives and ideals of Scouting and shows how they are achieved through activities, it was pointed out.

The second session involves the pattern of organization and leadership that makes it possible for troop leaders to train guide, and inspire boy leaders to run their patrols and troop and to help the boy grow.

The third basic training session shows how a program is developed through indoor and outdoor meetings and activities of the patrol and troop. The session also explains how an effective program contributes to the growth of a boy in Scout spirit, Scout participation, and Scoutcraft.

Claybourne Stephens, district leadership training committee chairman, opened the session with a presentation of the need of basic training. E. B. May, Jr., Scoutmaster for Troop 27, Prestonsburg, and Robert Staggs, district Scout executive, were instructors.

Scouts who attended the session are: Marvin E. Craft and Tom Dunn, Prestonsburg; David Grigsby, Troop 123, Martin; Ray Dorton, Audie Elkins, Samuel G. Meade, Joseph Elliott, Troop 128, Hi Hat; James E. Conley, Paul Ross, Troop 58, Price; James D. Herron, Troop 72; William Bartley, Lonnie Stone, Darrell Dobbs, Bill Mays, Troop 148; Elmon P. Blackburn, Marshall Tyson, Bradie Colvin, Sam Bollen, Troop 302, all of Wheelwright.



NEW OFFICERS EAST KENTUCKY VO-AG TEACHERS . . . Elected recently at the 43rd annual Vocational Agriculture Teachers Conference at Hardinsburg, Ky., were left, Glenn McDowell, Johns Creek high school, Pike county, chairman; Roy Doney, center, of Maytown high school, vice-chairman; and Clay Banks, Rowan county, secretary-treasurer.

### NOTICE

Milton Ryan, administrator of the estate of Allen Slone, will offer for sale at the courthouse at Prestonsburg, Kentucky, on Sept. 3, at 10 a.m., the following described automobile:

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## ANSWERS TO YOUR TAX QUESTIONS

BY WILLIAM E. SCENT  
KENTUCKY'S COMMISSIONER OF REVENUE

Q. What type of books, records, etc., are required to be kept by the retailer?

A. The Department does not wish to change the retailer's present bookkeeping system. However, he should keep adequate records and documents to show the total receipts and deductions he reports to the department are correct as stated. These records should be supported by the normal books of accounts usually kept, together with all checks, invoices, bills and other documents. It is not necessary to separate sales receipts and sales tax collected from your customers.

Q. Will the sales tax be reported on an accrual or a cash basis?

A. Ordinarily, the accrual basis will be used; that is, cash sales, installment sales and credit sales are reported for the month in which the sales are made. For example, credit sales made in July will be reported on the return filed for July and not reported in the month in which they are collected. Total receipts may be reported on the cash basis, provided: (1) records are maintained on a cash basis, (2) all cash amounts received during the month (including receipts from sales made prior to July 1, 1960) are included in total receipts for such month.

Q. If the retailer uses the cash

basis, will he include in his total receipts, payments received after July 1, 1960, on sales made prior to July 1, 1960?

A. Yes. If he elects to use the cash basis for accounting, all receipts are reported when collected regardless of when the sale was made.

Q. If a retailer makes a sale on credit, may he bill the customer for the tax at the same time he bills him for the selling price?

A. Yes. The sales tax passed on to customers may be collected at the same time the selling price is collected.

Q. May the retailer allow bad debts to accumulate and charge them off at the end of the year when the annual report is filed?

A. Yes. He may employ the same accounting method used in charging off bad debts for income tax purposes provided the accrual basis of accounting is used. A deduction for bad debts may not be taken if the cash basis of accounting is used.

Q. Should a return be filed if no sales were made during the period?

A. Yes. Note to retailers: As you know, the filing period for the month of July is over. Next week your August returns will be mailed to you. If you have any questions about your return or if you need assistance in filing the return, contact one of the district offices.



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WHAT HAS HAPPENED?

The present Superintendent of schools has increased office salaries for NEW employees approximately \$25,000.00 per year,

and he has been in office only one full month. What a record!

Everyone knows the office was already over-stuffed. We now have a Supt. of schools, two assistant Superintendents, and numerous Assistants to the Assistants.

We note from an article in The Times that the Supt. is having the old Prestonsburg High School building remodeled. So that the host of office employees may have a desk to park behind?

WHY?

The old Board members have apparently decided they cannot run on their past record, and so are attempting to perpetuate themselves in office by buying influence with the taxpayers' money—at the expense of the teachers and school children.

WILL IT WORK?

The people of Educational Districts 3, 4 and 5 will not be fooled by this ruthless raid on the school treasury for political gain.

This diversion of the sales tax dollar is not educationally sound. WE WANT BETTER SCHOOLS, and we know that this will not come about by filling the Supt's office with high salaried employees.

This device of the old administration of employing unneeded personnel during an election year did not work two years ago, and it will not work this year. The people know that the administration is not keeping faith with the pledges made to us when the sales tax was voted—pledges to spend the money for better school buildings, teachers salaries, bus transportation and supplies and books for the children. The administration is not keeping faith with the poor people of this county who find the sales tax a struggle to pay.

INTEREST OF THE SUPERINTENDENT IN SCHOOLS

We do not have a teacher for our rural school (Rough and Tough). For the superintendent's information we would like to inform him that, even though we are just country people, we love our children and are interested in their welfare. We resent very much the inference that we are not interested in our school, and ask the Supt. to check with any former teacher of our school regarding our interest, cooperation and assistance. We, like other parents who are interested in their children, welcome any good teacher to our community.

SIGNED: Greeley Dotson, Herbert Prater, Bill Dotson, Ed Manuel. (adv.)

### Notice To City Taxpayers:

Please come in and pay your city taxes.

You don't want your friends and neighbors to pay their taxes and you not pay yours. I am taking this tax collection in order to help you. If you can't pay all at one time, pay part, and make payments out of it. The city needs the money. Be a good fellow and pay. I will be in the Municipal building from 10:30 a.m. to 3 p.m. To avoid court costs pay your taxes by Sept. 1, or they will be taken over by the City Attorney for collection.

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By BETTY

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Miller have returned to their home in Petersburg, Va., after spending some time here. Mrs. Miller and children visited Mr. and Mrs. John Miller and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Miles Beverly, of Halo, and Mr. Miller spent the two weeks at Ft. Knox in reserve training.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Skeans and children, of Detroit, Michigan, have spent several days here visiting his brother, J. C. Skeans, and other relatives.

Mrs. Raleigh Barnett, Mrs. Carle Conn, Mrs. J. T. Barnett, gave a household shower at the home of Mrs. Raleigh Barnett for Mrs. Maggie Hall, whose house burned with the loss of everything she owned. Mrs. Hall received many gifts useful and needed. Any thing any one can give Mrs. Hall will be appreciated.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Peters attended a reunion of the Peters family in Jackson, Mich., during this past week-end.

Several friends gave a miscellaneous shower for Mrs. Marsha Wright at the high school library Friday night. She received many lovely gifts. Refreshments were served.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Snavely and children have been visiting his sister, Mr. and Mrs. James K. Crisp.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Skeans and daughter Kay, were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Miles Beverly at their home near Hi Hat, Sunday.

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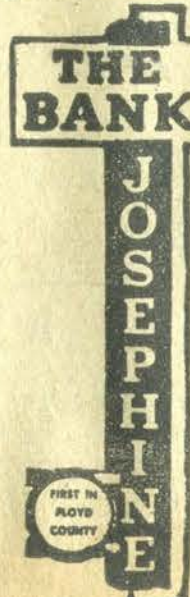
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**FOR SALE**—Two 4-room houses on US 23, near Dewey Lake road. Will sell together or separately. Charles Rorrer, Lancer, Ky. Phone TU 6-2445. 8-11-4t.

**FOR RENT**—Two 3-room apartments. Furnished and unfurnished in Prestonsburg. Phone TU 6-2453. W. T. FOLEY. 8-13-3t.

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**HOUSE FOR RENT**—5-room house. See McKinley Sparks, or call TU 6-2471, Prestonsburg. 8-18-3t.

**FOR SALE**—HOUSE, 5-rooms and bath, on Highland ave.; also 2-room rent house. **BESSIE WELLS**, phone TU 6-2432, Prestonsburg. 8-18-2t.

**FOR SALE**—House and two lots opposite school, West Prestonsburg, 100 ft. off highway. Price for cash, \$3,500; or, on payments, \$4,200—\$500 down, \$25 per month. **MRS. ANNA MAY HARRIS**, phone TU 6-2049, West Prestonsburg, Ky. 8-18-5t-pd.

**FOR SALE**—Used refrigerator. Excellent condition. Phone FR 7-2301. 8-25-tf.

**FOR SALE**—H. L. Cox Used Furniture store at Lancer has just received a truck load of rugs, living room suites and half-beds. 8-25-3t-pd.

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**FOR RENT**—New, spacious, cool office space, 28 x 14 ft. on Ky. 80 in Martin. May be used as shop also. See Georgia Davis. 1t-pd.

**FOR SALE**—House, 4-rooms and bath, on Highland avenue. Large yard. Mrs. Martha Nicholls, phone TU 6-2948, Prestonsburg. 8-25-4t.

## SHERIFF'S SALE

**H. F. Meade Grocery, Piff.**  
**Donald Akers, Def.**

By virtue of Execution No. 15767, directed to me from the Clerk of the Floyd Circuit Court, in favor of H. F. Meade Grocery and against Donald Akers, for the sum of \$303.66, I, or one of my deputies, will on the 6th day of Sept., 1960, at 10 a.m., at the Courthouse door in the city of Prestonsburg, Floyd county, Kentucky, expose to public sale to the highest bidder the following described property to wit:

The same property as recorded in deed book 173, page 125, in Floyd County Court Clerk's office.

**TERMS:** Sale will be made on a credit of six months, bond with approved surety required, bearing interest at the rate of six per cent annum from the day of sale, and having force and effect of replevin bond.

**HERSHELL WARRENS**  
Sheriff, Floyd County  
(Cost of adv. \$12.25)  
8-18-3t.

**HOME AGENTS TO MEET**  
More than 300 county agents, home demonstration agents and specialists of the Kentucky Agricultural Extension Service gather at the University of Kentucky the week of Aug. 29—Sept. 3, for the service's annual "agents conference."

**ATLANTIC WINTER OATS**  
Atlantic, a recommended variety of winter oats for Kentucky use, topped the list of such varieties in a winter-oat tes conducted this season at Murray State College in Calloway county.

**SMUT LOSSES**  
When you plant home-grown wheat or barley instead of using registered or certified seed, you are risking a 15 to 25 per cent reduction in yield because of loose smut, says B. W. Fortenberry, University of Kentucky Cooperative Extension Service specialist in seed improvement. 1 further c

## FLOYD CIRCUIT COURT

**CITY OF PRESTONSBURG, KENTUCKY, A MUNICIPAL CORPORATION, PETITIONER**

**NOTICE**  
Notice is hereby given that on the 16th day of August, 1960, the City of Prestonsburg, Kentucky, a Municipal Corporation of the Fourth Class, filed suit in the Floyd Circuit Court to annex into the City of Prestonsburg, Kentucky, the territory herein after referred to.

Said suit was filed with the Clerk of the Floyd Circuit Court on the 16th day of August, 1960, which specifically described the territory sought to be annexed in the City of Prestonsburg, Kentucky, which suit is in words and figures as follows:

## FLOYD CIRCUIT COURT

**CR 3088**  
**CITY OF PRESTONSBURG, KENTUCKY, A MUNICIPAL CORPORATION, PETITIONER**  
**COMPLAINT AND PETITION SEEKING ANNEXATION INTO THE CITY OF PRESTONSBURG, KENTUCKY, OF CERTAIN TERRITORY LYING ON THE NORTHERN CITY LIMITS OF SAID CITY.**

**TO: HON. EDWARD P. HILL, PRESIDING JUDGE, FLOYD CIRCUIT COURT**

The petitioner, City of Prestonsburg, Kentucky, for its complaint and petition herein, states as follows:

1. On July 5, 1960, at a regular meeting of the City Council of the City of Prestonsburg, Kentucky, held at the City Hall, the said City Council duly adopted and enacted an ordinance which was later advertised in three consecutive issues of the Floyd County Times a weekly newspaper published in the City of Prestonsburg, Kentucky, directing that the City of Prestonsburg annex as a part of said city certain territory lying on or near the northern limits of the City of Prestonsburg, Kentucky, as it is now incorporated, being annexed to and made a part of the City of Prestonsburg, Kentucky, subject to the approval of the courts as set out in section two of said ordinance and which ordinance also directed the city attorney to take necessary steps, including the filing of this suit, to annex said territory as a part of the City of Prestonsburg, Kentucky.

2. That the foregoing ordinance was duly published and advertised in the Floyd County Times for three consecutive weeks, commencing with the week of July 14th, 1960, and continuing with the week of July 21st, 1960, and concluding with the week of July 28th, 1960. A certified copy of said ordinance is filed herewith and marked Exhibit A for identity.

3. Said territory proposed to be annexed in the City of Prestonsburg, Kentucky, is bounded and described as follows:

"Beginning at a point in the northern City Limits, said point also being in the center line of U. S. Highways 40 and 23, said highway also known as the Prestonsburg-Auxier Road; thence northeasterly with the center line of said public highway to Sta. 34 plus 24.0 as indicated on the record plans on file with the Ky. Dept. of Highways and known as project SP 36-396 L 5 — F 133(6); thence northeasterly with the center line of said public highway to Sta. 40 plus 50; thence southwesterly, at an angle of 133° 00' to the left turned tangent to curve at Sta. 49 plus 50 for a distance of 160.78 feet more or less to a point; thence southwesterly at a deflection angle of 14° 03' Lt. for a distance of 77.47 feet more or less to a point; thence southwesterly at a deflection angle of 5° 37' Lt. for a distance of 1101.99 feet more or less to a point, the previous three points also being in the center line of the old Prestonsburg-Auxier Road; thence southeasterly at a deflection angle of 68° 14' 15" Lt. for a distance of 233.38' feet more or less to a point, said point also being in the center line of a county road; thence southeasterly at a deflection angle of 8° 10' Rt. for a distance of 125 feet more or less to a point, said point also being Sta. 34 plus 24.0 in the center line of U. S. Highway 40 and 23, also known as the Prestonsburg-Auxier Road; thence south westerly with the center line of said public highway to the point of beginning, so as to include the old County Road located adjacent to the Joe M. May tract of land."

A copy of the advertisement of said ordinance appearing in its issue of July 14th, is filed herewith and marked Exhibit B, for identity.

**WHEREFORE**, plaintiff, City of Prestonsburg, Kentucky, demands:

1. That this court enter a judgment annexing the above described territory into said city as a part of the City of Prestonsburg, Kentucky.

2. That said territory shall thereafter be treated and considered for all purposes as a legal part of said incorporated city.

3. That if any defense is made hereto that petitioner recover its costs.

**JOE HOBSON**  
Prestonsburg, Kentucky  
Attorney for Plaintiff  
**STATE OF KENTUCKY**  
SCT.

**COUNTY OF FLOYD**  
I, Henry Stephens, of the Floyd Circuit Court, certify that the foregoing typewritten map is true and correct copy of the City of Prestonsburg, Kentucky, as is more particularly set forth in said petition.

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**NOTICE**  
On and after this date I will not be responsible for any debts other than those incurred by myself.  
(Signed)  
**DARE SHEPHERD**  
8-4-3t-pd.

**TO The Citizens Of Martin, Kentucky:**

In order to meet increased expenses brought about by constantly rising prices, it has become necessary, in order to provide our people with the public service they need, to increase our revenue accordingly. Therefore, the following changes have been made:

Unloading License fees are:

a. One-half ton ..... \$16.00  
b. One ton ..... 31.00  
c. More than one ton .... 46.00

All Business Licenses, effective January 1, 1961, will be \$25.00 per year.

On September 1, 1960, a \$5.00 motor vehicle license will be assessed per year, payable in advance.

The City of Martin, Ky.,  
By Haskel Frye, Sr.,  
Mayor  
8-11-3t

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The city reserves the right to reject any and all bids.  
**CITY OF MARTIN**  
By Myrtle H. Dingus, Clerk  
8-18-3t.

**SHERIFF'S SALE**  
**Albert J. Hall & Hester Hall, Piffs.**  
**V. Execution No. 15768-15769**  
**Martin Wright, Def.**

By virtue of two executions Nos. 15768 and 15769, directed to me which issued from the Clerk's office of the Floyd Circuit Court, in favor of Albert J. Hall and Hester Hall, and against Martin Wright, for the sum of \$156.90, I or one of my deputies will on the 6th day of Sept., 1960, at 10 a.m., at the Courthouse door in the city of Prestonsburg, Floyd county, Kentucky, expose to public sale to the highest bidder the following described property to wit:

The same land as recorded in the Floyd County Clerk's office in deed book 128, page 316 from Dona Little to Martin and Rubal Wright, this sale to sell the one half interest of Martin Wright.

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## Notice

Music-Colvin Motor Company, South Lake Drive, Prestonsburg, Kentucky, will offer for sale, Sept. 2, at 10 a.m., one 1954 Pontiac automobile, blue-door sedan, serial number P8ZH53721 to satisfy storage and repair charges.

Sale will be made at their place of business.  
**MUSIC-COLVIN MOTOR CO.**  
Prestonsburg, Ky.  
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3. One rotary air compressor, 125 cubic foot per minute with 6-cylinder engine.

4. Two 58-pound rock drills.

5. Eight 1" x 2' drill steel.

6. Eight 1" x 4' drill steel.

7. Six 1" x 6' drill steel.

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**FLOYD FISCAL COURT**  
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## FLOYD COUNTY TIMES

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# FARM BUREAU LEADERS BACK CONSTITUTIONAL CONVENTION

Top leaders of Kentucky's largest farm organization have endorsed the calling of a constitutional convention for limited revision of the state constitution.

The Kentucky Farm Bureau's 33-member board of directors, meeting in Louisville last week, adopted the following statement on constitutional revision:

"In the absence of an official policy on the question of constitutional revision by the county Farm Bureau voting delegates at the last annual convention of the Kentucky Farm Bureau Federation, this board of directors provided for the appointment of a special committee to make a thorough study of this issue and to make a recommendation back to us.

"After hearing the recommendations of this special study committee, which was composed of two members of this board and two

county Farm Bureau presidents; and after thorough consideration and consultation with many interested persons, we, the board of directors of the Kentucky Farm Bureau Federation, endorse the calling of a constitutional convention for the purpose of providing for limited revision of the state constitution.

"This board further recommends that Farm Bureau members carefully study the issues involved in the limited revision, so that they may be as fully informed as possible when they vote in the November 8 election. To this end, we will use our official organ and other communication means at our disposal to help get the facts on this issue before our membership."

The same study committee that had considered the constitutional revision question also studied the \$100-million bond issue for highways and parks; but the Farm Bureau board deferred action on this question, pending more complete information. Action on this question is expected at the September meeting of the board.

## Isaac Gunnell, 53, Dies Of Heart Attack, Friday; Rites Held At Graveside

Isaac Gunnell, 53, of Garrett, died suddenly Friday at 9 a.m. at home of a heart attack. He had been in failing health seven years.

Mr. Gunnell, a veteran of the U. S. Marine Corps for eight years, was a son of the late William George and Melvina Patton Gunnell. His wife, Martha Chaffins Gunnell, survives.

Surviving sons and daughters are Joe C. Gunnell, U. S. Marines in French Morocco, Foley H. Gunnell, Paul Vernon Gunnell, Stephen Wayne Gunnell, Brenda Joyce Gunnell, and Rebecca Sue Gunnell, all at home. A brother and three sisters surviving are Bill Gunnell and Mrs. Mary Ousley, both of Langley, Mrs. Rose Justice, Hurley, Va., and Mrs. Fanny Larry, Detroit, Mich. A half-brother, Tom Patton, of McD

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### FEWER FARMS

Lexington, Ky.—If census results from three New England states indicate a national trend, there's a lot fewer farms today than in 1954. So says Ralph Ramsey, University of Kentucky Extension specialist in rural sociology.



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## Wright Football "Becomes of Age"; Schedule Noted

Wheelwright high school, making its initial debut in the 10-team Eastern Kentucky Mountain Conference, may "become of football age" this season.

Since revival of the sport four seasons ago, the Trojans have won only three games but with eight of last season's regulars and 15 letter-men back for service this fall, this could be Wheelwright's best year.

Returning to the scene as head coach is Ray Brackett, a graduate of Eastern State College. He will be assisted by Don Wallen, of Georgia State College.

Brackett hopes that his 27-player squad can hold its own in the league this fall after playing the four previous seasons as an independent Class AA, Region 4 penden Floyd county school. Wheelwright school under the Kentucky playoff system.

The backfield is all set for the opening game with Jenkins this Friday night at Jenkins. Opening at fullback will be Perry Taylor, 6-3, 195-pound negro speedster. He was the squad's leading scorer and ground gainer last season as a junior.

Halfback James "Sonny" Phillips, 6-2, 180-pound senior, averaged nine yards per carry until he was forced out of action by injuries last year. Dave Keaton, 140-pound senior, and Jack Justice, 140-pound junior, will share the other halfback post. Both have won two letters, and Justice has been a regular for two seasons.

Jesse Little, 6-2, 185-pound senior, is again filling the quarterback slot. His chief understudy is Danny Ray Hall, a freshman.

In the line, which will average 185 pounds from end to end, Brackett has Major "Red" Hall, a three-year veteran at center. He is a 6-3, 200-pound senior who should be the best in the school's history.

End Larry Hobbs, 6-2, 180-pound junior, was a regular last year and caught five touchdown passes. His running mate is Ron Meade, 6-2, 170-pound senior, bidding for his first letter.

Tackles Lawrence Thornberry and Doug Sword are both 6-2 and tip the scales at 215 and 185 pounds, respectively. They are seeking their first regular assignments.

L. B. Spradlin, 5-11, 170-pound junior guard, is starting his fifth year after making the starting eleven while in the seventh grade. Sophomore John Vanosol, 6-foot, 200-pounder, is the other guard. Their number one replacement is Larry Smith, 180-pound junior with limited experience.

Overall, the Trojans will be one of the heaviest teams in the area and one of the most experienced. They will play a eleven game schedule with seven foes in the league.

The schedule:

Aug. 27	*Jenkins	-----	Away
Sept. 2	*Prestonsburg	---	Home
Sept. 5	Dilce Combs	---	Home
Sept. 9	*Elkhorn City	---	Home
Sept. 17	Everts	-----	Away
Sept. 23	*Pikeville	---	Home
Sept. 30	*M. C. Napier	---	Away
Oct. 7	*Belfry	-----	Home
Oct. 15	Leslie Co.	-----	Away
Oct. 28	Paintsville	-----	Away
Nov. 4	*Fleming-Neon	---	Home
	*E.K.M.C. Games		



## SPORTS CHATTER

By GORDON MOORE



### TWO GRID GAMES, SATURDAY NIGHT

The 160 Eastern Kentucky high school football season will officially open with two conference games this Saturday night. Wheelwright, the tenth member of the E.K.M.C. loop, makes its first appearance in the league in playing at Jenkins; and, six miles away, also on Saturday night, M. C. Napier invades Fleming-Neon.

Although Fleming downed Whitesburg, 31-6, last Friday night, the game does not count in the standings as the two teams play twice during the season. The conference game will not be played until Oct. 15.

### SPORTS AFIELD

By TED KESTING

Late summer means the unofficial opening of pre-season hunting—varmit shooting. Countless hunters, in an effort to check equipment, sharpen eyes and strengthen leg muscles, participate in this outdoor sport. But to a growing number, varmit shooting has become an end in itself.

Varmint shooting is ideal for the neophyte hunter. Competition is less keen and conditions less crowded. Varmits are usually unprotected, states John Scott in the August issue of Sports Afield Magazine, but it will be wise for the prospective hunter to check local and state laws concerning licenses and species before he sets out.

Shooting chucks is the ideal way to spend a summer afternoon. Hunters should be equipped with binoculars and a high-powered, scope-sighted rifle. Lie or sit motionless where you have an unobstructed view of a recently cut field. Know where the bullet will land if you miss.

Just about the most difficult phase of varmit hunting is stalking woodchucks with a bow and arrow. A combination of skill and patience must be applied for success. Employing a bow rather than a gun will open up areas otherwise restricted.

Many youngsters cut their hunting teeth on jackrabbits. It is a simple sport, yet it requires a good eye and a knowledge of your weapon. Best days to hunt are cloudy and cool. If the day is bright, early morning or late afternoon will be most productive. A good gun is low-trajectory, high-velocity rifle.

Night hunting for varmits, foxes especially, is gaining popularity. A fox will respond to a call better after dark (usually the squeal of a rabbit in distress). One advantage of night hunting is that the hunter does not have to conceal himself. A headlamp is standard equipment. Do not shine it directly on fox until he is in close enough for a shot.

Calls are varmiting's number one gadget, and they come in an infinite variety. Good calling is a skill and requires practice. Many calls may be purchased with special instructive recordings. Calling varmits is exacting and one never knows just what animals may respond. Be set for anything.

Crows are smart and sensitive and must be outwitted. Usual equipment includes a crow call or recording, crow and owl decoys, a shotgun charged with No. 9's, camouflaged clothing and a blind. Crow calls work but take practice. Recordings, amplifiers are deadly. The prime rule: Don't move.

There are several ways to hunt coyotes, such as trailing them with hounds or calling them up after dark, but about the most exciting is running them with greyhounds. This sport requires open country. The hunters must follow in jeep or on horseback. Greyhounds and the borzoi are much faster afoot than coyotes. Unless the hunter is quick, the dog will kill the coyote first.

Bobcats offer a real challenge, for they are very difficult to track if there is no snow and they are rough on dogs. A hunter should be up early to seek the bobcat for, like other cats, he prowls at night and remains hidden during daylight hours.

Shooting gophers and other varmits with a handgun presents the kind of challenge good hunters like. In many states this kind of hunting is not permitted and local laws should be checked. The stalk is sometimes difficult and always important, but new long-barreled weapons and more powerful ammunition such as 22 Magnum cartridges are helpful.

Starting varmit shooting will be a wise decision for most—the beginnings of a hobby that will give years of satisfaction.

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### NOTE OF WARNING

Squirrel hunters entering the Dewey Lake Refuge in the area's first open season this Saturday morning should carry a snake-bite kit with them at all times, since the entire wooded area has an abundance of rattlesnakes and copperheads.

### KENTUCKY'S BEST SQUAD

Although the Kentucky squad suffered a 27-14 defeat in the fourth annual Kentucky-West Virginia all-star bowl game in Williamson, W. Va., last Saturday night, this was the best-looking Blue Grass squad to participate in the event.

The game was well-played and on an even basis until the closing minutes of the third period when the West Virginians moved in front, 21-14, when an intercepted pass in the final quarter iced the victory for the Mountaineer squad.

Don Disney, Lynch, Jerry Lansdale, Mt. Sterling, and Paul McKenzie, Ashland, were the outstanding players for the Kentuckians in the fray that drew about 4500 fans from the tri-state area.

The Prestonsburg Junior Chamber of Commerce is toying with the idea of adding a second game to the Williamson All-Star game to be played, possibly a week later, in Prestonsburg. A representative of the Jaycees will soon visit the Williamson Kiwanis Club to work out details of the proposed game.

Pikeville high school has dropped its annual invitational basketball tournament . . . Prestonsburg high is considering enlarging its annual affair to eight teams this year . . .

### "QUITTING SCHOOL"

Lexington, Ky.—If you're a teenager who's decided to keep that summer job and not go back to school, better think again! That decision to go on working may cost you \$100,000, says Joe Mobley, University of Kentucky Extension specialist in rural development.

There's nothing like a salad to tempt falling appetites during hot weather. Serve plenty of salad vegetables from your garden or from the attractively priced selection at the grocery—lettuce, celery, cucumbers, tomatoes, green peppers, carrots, onions, green beans and sweet corn are well suited for the purpose.



ELECTRIC CLASS AT F.F.A. CENTER—Future Farmers from this and other counties are shown during an electrical class, sponsored by the Kentucky Inter-Industry Farm Electric Council at the F.F.A. Leadership Training, Hardinsburg. Picture here are (front), Charles Sears, Pulaski county; (second row, from left), Charley Shouse, Tommi Luckett, Tommie Springer and John Rowley, all of Union county, and Hershel Shitis, Pulaski county, and (standing), George Armstrong, of Kentucky Utilities Company, one of the class instructors; Franklin Cheatham, Taylor county; Alfred Turner, Monroe county; Paul Caudill, Floyd county; Roy Mack, Monroe county; Lanier Boyd, Russell county; Carol Links, Pulaski county, and Harry Gilbert, of the Kentucky Rural Electric Cooperative, the other instructor.

## MANY TRADE, CIVIC GROUPS ENDORSE ROAD, PARK BONDS

Lexington, Ky., Aug. 23 (Sp.)—Twenty state-wide and many local civic and trade organizations have endorsed the \$90 million road and \$10 million park improvement bond issue to be on the ballot November 8. Glen Weinman, executive vice-president of the Kentucky Better Roads Council announced today. Additional "fact sheets" and other material together with an invitation for endorsement are being mailed from council headquarters this week.

"The non-partisan aspect of the council is an appeal to voters generally," Weinman pointed out. "Many citizens affiliated with both parties and as well as many independent voters visualize the necessity for keeping on with our road program."

"If we stop now, Kentucky can well become a detour state. Both agriculture and business will suffer. Industrial expansion, which means more jobs, can easily come to a standstill."

"In the past ten years, Kentucky's car and truck registration has doubled—and use of automobiles has advanced sharply. Roads considered adequate ten years ago are today potential death-traps. The new interstate program, when completed, will take over much of the traffic now crowded onto some of our main traveled two-lane roads. Equally important is the critical

need for improvement of our primary, farm-to-market and urban roads located throughout the Commonwealth.

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## STUMBO MAKES STATEMENT

In last week's edition of The Floyd County Times you, no doubt, read the article, "No Compromise," in which it was stated that I was running for board of education in District No. 4, and that I was running as a member of a team composed of Bud Cooley and Walter Akers and endorsed by Ray Howard and John G. Hall.

I appreciate the fact that these gentlemen consider me worthy to become a member of their team and I appreciate the endorsement by Ray Howard and John G. Hall.

I should like to explain that I shall appreciate an endorsement by the other board of education members and by any citizen of Floyd county who might see fit to extend to me this courtesy.

The article is misleading, however.

I do not understand what the words "no compromise" are intended to convey to the public nor what the entire article would have the public to think or believe. Neither do I know what "rumors are making the rounds."

I cannot understand why a board of education composed of five members has a MAJORITY BOARD and a MINORITY BOARD nor why references are made to a split in the board of education.

I can understand that a board of education should be made up of five members who work in harmony and in a faithful and cooperative spirit for the purpose of furthering educational opportunities for our sons and daughters of our county.

I can understand that a board of education member should vote for our children's interests, regardless of any group or any previous voting record. My vote shall be for the children—not for any pressure group.

It is my sincere belief that in order to be a good board of education member and in order to vote for the best interest of our children, a board member should not obligate himself to vote the wishes of another board member unless those wishes are honest, just, and in the best interest of our children.

I assure you that I shall appreciate an endorsement from anyone who might place confidence and trust in me.

I prefer to become disassociated from any team with which I might be associated at the present time.

Thank you.

CURTIS STUMBO

(Adv.)

# THE FLOYD COUNTY TIMES

# YOUTH GROUP ASSISTS KNOTT-CO. COMMUNITY

The ancient Jews had a proverb which explains why 21 men and women are working this summer in a remote mountain community of 25 families at Decoy, Knott county.

It reads: "I shall light the candle of understanding in thine heart, which shall not be put out."

The students are taking part in a work camp sponsored by the American Friends Society for Service, a Quaker organization with offices in Dayton, Ohio.

By their own choice and at their own expense, they are working daily to help make improvements throughout the community.

What brings them there from their homes in 12 states and three foreign countries to labor without pay?

"It gives you a chance to know and meet new people, to broaden yourself, your whole outlook, and to learn to understand people," says Howard Crane, 19, Ridge-wood, N. J.

Crane, a history student at Mountclair, N. J., State College, is participating in his second Friends work camp. Last summer he helped build a dormitory in Michigan for migrant agricultural workers.

Anne Galin, 20, Izmir, Turkey, is there on a scholarship by the Friends. She is seeking a better understanding of Americans. When this camp ends August 26, she and Mogens Helt, a camper from Denmark, will leave for a year-long work camp at Oakland, Calif.

Jackie Bonet, 20, Marion, N. Y., a student at Vassar, selected the work camp site at Decoy to seek a better understanding of the

mountain people. She hopes to become a journalist.

The group arrived at Hindman July 1. There, they worked a month on a new building being constructed at Hindman Settlement School. They arrived at Decoy, 50 miles from Hindman, early this month.

Since going there they have painted and reroofed the community's frame schoolhouse, done work on a low-water bridge, and painted the school's two out-buildings.

All but four of the campers are college students. Robert Schmalz, who was with the campers for three weeks but has since departed, is an attorney in New Haven, Conn. Yoon Gu Lee is from Korea.

Dick Darlington, the camp director, is doing graduate work at the University of Minnesota. His wife, Betsy, assists him there.

Extracurricular activities for the campers include a library provided by the Friends and trips to region points of interest, including Pine Mountain Settlement School and Berea College.

Work camps are sponsored by the Friends, according to Dick and Betsy, both Quakers, in communities where people need help and are willing to help themselves.

Unlike similar camps sponsored by some other faiths, those under the Friends are open to all denominations. At Decoy, only a few of the campers are Quakers. Other faiths represented are Lutheran, Catholic, Jewish, Moslem, Methodist, and Episcopalian.

Similar camps are now being conducted at slum centers in Missouri and Delaware and on Indian reservations in Montana, California, and Arizona.

Campers select their own work camp, and pay \$135 per summer session and travel expenses.

## Social Security Act Assists 14 Million; Marks Anniversary

Today, twenty-five years after the original Social Security Act became law, over 14 million men, women and children are receiving monthly old-age, survivors, and disability insurance benefit checks totalling \$900 million a month.

Marking the twenty-fifth anniversary of the signing of the original Social Security Act by President Roosevelt on August 14, 1935, James A. Morris, field representative of the Pikeville Social Security office noted that 25 years ago about half of all persons aged 65 or over were mainly or wholly dependent on relatives and friends. Today, over 72 per cent of a much larger aged population are either drawing old-age survivors insurance benefits, or will be eligible to draw them when the worker retires.

Originally designed to provide only old-age insurance benefits for workers in commerce and industry, these provisions of the social security program have been expanded and improved over the years. About nine out of 10 workers in the United States, almost the entire gainfully employed population, work in employment or self-employment covered by social security.

Through this work, they are building protection for themselves and their dependents in their old-age, and for their families in case of their death.

Under amendments to the law, enacted in 1954, 1956 and 1958, they are also earning protection for themselves and families in the event of their permanent and total disability.

"Although social security has become firmly associated with the idea of old age," Morris said, "the survivors and disability provisions of the law are a bulwark of protection for American families." To illustrate, he pointed out that 1.5 million of the estimated two million, fatherless children in the nation are now receiving monthly survivors insurance benefits under the Social Security Act. Ninety per cent of the mothers and children in the country are eligible for these benefits should the head of the family die. Close to a half a million disabled workers and their families are now receiving monthly disability insurance benefits and more than 43 million workers are insured for the payment of these benefits in the event that they should become severely and permanently disabled.

"Congress has periodically increased the amount of old-age, survivors, and disability insurance benefits to keep pace with higher earning levels and rising living costs," Morris said. The average old-age benefit paid in 1940, the year when benefits first became payable, was \$22.10. The average retirement benefit payable to those who have become entitled to payments during the past 20 years is \$68.30. However, the average benefit being awarded to persons retiring now who have worked during recent years and have had a higher earning level is about \$83.00.

## Aged Harold Woman Dies At Home, Monday; Rites Conducted Today

Mrs. Belle Kidd, 61, of Harold, died at 11:15 a.m., Monday, at home following a long illness. She was a daughter of the late Perry and Nerva Collins Hall and the wife of Melvin Kidd, who survives.

Surviving sons and daughters are Matthew Kidd, Edward Kidd, John Kidd, Dan Kidd, Mrs. Laura Clark and Miss Nelvia Kidd, all of Harold. Surviving is a brother, Elgie Collins, of Tram, and a sister, Mrs. Maudie Collins, of Honaker.

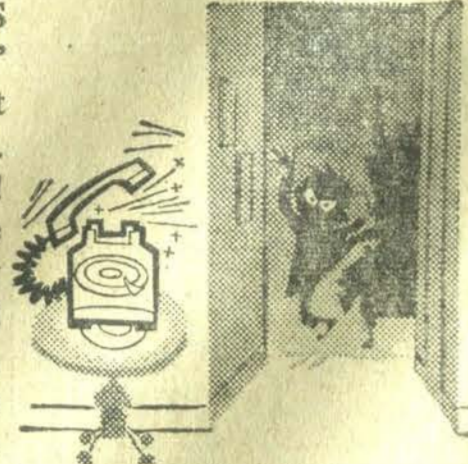
Funeral services were held today (Thursday) at 10 a.m. at the Tanyard Branch cemetery at Honaker, the Rev. Robert Owens and Luther Walters officiating. Burial was under the direction of Hall Brothers Funeral Home.

## Telephone Talk

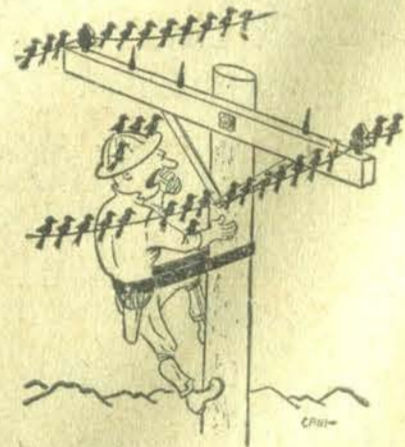
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## MAYTOWN

Mrs. Elizabeth Baker and niece, Elizabeth Allen, returned Monday from a six-week visit with the Ben Baker on Maui, Hawaii. While there, they flew to neighbor islands on sight-seeing tours. Elizabeth was so taken by the beautiful scenery and the charm of island-living, she wanted to remain on Maui for the coming high school year. She also wants her family to move there. On their return trip to the mainland they were accompanied to Honolulu by the Baker family where they all spent four days at a hotel on Waikiki Beach. Mrs. Baker and Elizabeth are enthusiastic about jet travel. They were met at a Huntington airport by Mrs. C. L. Allen and daughter, Teddi, and Mike Gibson.

Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Snoddy and daughters, of Nitro, W. Va., were visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Sutton, last week-end.

Kenny Bartels, of Louisville, was the week-end guest of the Dr. C. L. Allen family.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Patrick last week-end were her brother, Sam Jones, Mrs. Jones and Jimmie, of Grundy, Va., and their daughter, Mrs. Gene Dillman, and Mr. Dillman, of Lexington. Mrs. Dillman remained for a week's visit.

Mrs. C. L. Allen spent last week in Covington, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Crowe.

Mrs. S. W. Cooley was the Sunday dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. Hatler Turner, of Wayland.

Misses Teddi and Elizabeth Allen and Mike Gibson, visited Eastern State College, Richmond, Thursday.

Mrs. Lucy Patton underwent surgery at St. Mary's hospital in Huntington last Friday. This was Mrs. Patton's second major operation in the past three weeks, the first being at the Methodist hospital in Pikeville. At the present time, Mrs. Patton's condition is considered satisfactory.

Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Cassady are spending a month's vacation with their daughter, Mrs. Curtis Allen, and Mr. Allen and other relatives in California. Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Maynard, of Florida, accompanied them to California and other points of interest, en route.

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