

PRESTONSBURG, KENTUCKY

SPEAKING OF AND FOR FLOYD COUNTY

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 12, 1963

## This Town . . . That World

It's strange, but more black eyes result from stabs in the back than from blows in front.

### THE PROCLAMATION STILL STANDS

Christmas has been commercialized till you might say it has been crucified on a cross of gold. The spirit of giving is smothered by the spirit of getting. Christ has so effectively been taken out of Christmas that even the atheists do not complain to the courts about its place in the schools where children are forbidden to pray.

Yet, beneath all the price tags and the tinsel and sham, there remains something ineffably great about the season and the Day itself. This is no mere holiday. A Presidential proclamation calls us to Thanksgiving. But none is needed to remind us of the day which, in our imperfect way, we recognize as the birthday of Jesus Christ. For the original proclamation still stands. It reads:

"For unto you is born this day in the city of David a Saviour, which is Christ the Lord . . . Glory to God in the highest, and on earth peace, good will toward men."

### SIGNS OF THE TIMES?

These be strange days, you might say. Here in Prestonsburg, at the home of Ira Castle, strawberry berries bloom and bear red-ripe berries, outside in the cold, with snow on the ground. And on Buffalo a dog at the home of Harve Spears has been crowing.

We are told that this dog began sounding off in the most approved rooster fashion, shortly before the November election, and has been at it ever since. Some think he's celebrating, but others say the dog does his crowing stunt only in reply to the crow of a rooster. Anyway, so we are told, he does an almost perfect imitation.

Worst thing about this crowing dog, they say, is, when this rooster blasts off at "early chicken-crow," the dog chimes in, and from there on it's an unholy duet that rimes the well-known welkin and keeps everybody awake.

### WE DISAGREE

My son was reading to me, the other night, a piece by a psychologist who declared that a horse has it all over a dog for intelligence. Added, this fellow did, that as a matter of fact man's best friend is only a notch above a cat in the matter of intelligence, and he maintains that about the only gray matter a cat has is in the color of its fur.

I beg to differ with the learned psychologist. If a boss is so much smarter than a dog, how come one has never been able to bed down on the master's pillow?

### MORE ABOUT DOGS

Now this column is going to the dogs. We are told this one by Joe Crum, reporting on a conversation he had with an Alabamian at Tom Burchett's motel, recently. The fellow boasted of Alabamian hunters' ability to train their setters and pointers, and told of a Kentuckian visiting this fellow he knew down there. Said the dog ventured into the brush. Up came a bird; one shot, and the Kentuckian downed it. Another rose, and down it went. This continued till the Kentucky boy had bagged his limit without moving.

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## Court House Happenings

### SUITS FILED

Citizens Bank of Pikeville vs. Woodrow Vanosdel, etc.; F. M. Burke, atty. William Stewart vs. Newman Branch Coal Co., etc.; Conley & Hayes, attys. City of Martin, et al vs. Lawrence Keathley, et al; W. W. Burchett, atty. Clyde Tackett and Dr. James W. Archer vs. Princess Coals, Inc.; G. C. Perry, atty. Virginia Layne Tackett vs. Chester Tackett; Barkley J. Sturgill, atty. Jo Ann Sweeney vs. Fred Sweeney; Marriage J. Sturgill, atty.

### MARRIAGE LICENSES

Garfield Stone, 72, Estill, and Lillie Mae Kiser, 50, Martin; marriage licensed at Garrettsville December 4 by the Rev. M. C. Wright, Arthur Watkins, 44, and Wyoma Tackett, 45, both of Ivyton, married here December 7, the Rev. Forrester Prater officiating, Billy Gene Stone, 28, Ligon, and Ada Eilamae Shepherd, 20, David.

## BREATHITT ASSUMES OFFICE OF GOVERNOR FLOYD FLOAT HAS PLACE IN PARADE

### Pledges of Education, Highway Aid Renewed; Economy Is Promised

Edward T. Breathitt was inaugurated Tuesday as Governor of Kentucky to succeed Bert T. Combs, of Prestonsburg.

Thousands, among whom was a large contingent of Floyd countians, withstood the cold for several hours to view the parade and hear the incoming chief executive's address.

The new Governor told the crowd that "this is not a day of exultation, or of triumph, or of unseemly rejoicing. This is a day of soul-searching and a day of dedication."

Breathitt and the new lieutenant-governor, Harry Lee Waterfield, were sworn in by Hopkinsville Circuit Judge Ira D. Smith.

A 19-gun salute from a battalion of the National Guard shattered the hush following the ceremony. Colorful floats, military units and bands added to the pageantry of the event. Floyd county's float, constructed to symbolically depict educational leaders' appreciation of Combs and trust in the pledges of Breathitt, occupied third place in the long parade, the first and second places being that of Hopkinsville, home of Breathitt, and Hickman county, home of Waterfield.

The Floyd float was topped by a pair of massive boots with the legend: "The boots are big but Ned can fill them." Five Floyd county high school girls, three from Prestonsburg and one each from Martin and Maytown, rode the float, Franklin M. Honeycutt, Prestonsburg band instructor, was in charge of the band's participation.

Retiring Governor Bert Combs praised the new Governor, said in his valedictory: "I do not expect to stand here again." He added that he took deep comfort from the fact that he was leaving the state in good hands.

Breathitt, in a news conference following the festivities, said he had taken immediate steps to insure "a frugal, economical four years in Frankfort."

He said he did not plan any structural changes in the sales tax law and he planned to make recommendations to the next legislature on implementing the anti-discrimination order issued by Combs. A commission will recommend ways to enable the state to economize and a message has been sent to department heads, asking them to review their operating budgets, he said.

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## PICK HALE KSA HEAD

### Floyd Sheriff Elected At Lexington Meeting; Legislation Proposed

Floyd County Sheriff Henry C. Hale was elected president of the Kentucky Sheriff's Association at the Association's annual conference held in Lexington last week.

Early contention for the post faded, and Sheriff Hale was elected without opposition. His term begins with the new year.

Five items of proposed legislation were studied by the Association. One step proposed is a constitutional amendment to permit Sheriffs to seek reelection.

The group attended the second annual education course for coroners, Commonwealth's attorneys, and law-enforcement officers at the University of Kentucky.

The delegates discussed sudden deaths in infants, photography, driving and drinking, and identification and investigation of suicides.

Elected vice-presidents were D. Y. Purdue, McCracken county; Harold Crowley, Hardin county; and Lawrence Westerfield, Ohio county.

William T. Pendleton, Davess county, was elected secretary-treasurer, and Dick Vermillion, Whitley county, sergeant-at-arms.

New directors are Joe James, Simpson county; Charles Keesee, Pike county; George Hall, Boyd county; Joe Campbell, Fulton county; Al Lanthrip, Hopkins county, and C. C. Hall, Harrison county.

## AGED PASTOR DIES TUESDAY

### Former Minister Here Succumbs At Lexington; Burial Set At Wilmore

The Rev. William Baxter Garriott, a Methodist minister for half a century and the father of two ministry-sons, died Tuesday night at Good Samaritan hospital, Lexington, at the age of 77.

In failing health five years, he suffered a cerebral hemorrhage at his home in Flemingsburg two weeks ago.

He was pastor of the First Methodist Church here for eight years, and held other pastorates at Corinth, Germantown, Jackson, Walton, Benson, Curry, Lawrenceburg, Hazard, LaGrange, Danville, Covington and Flemingsburg, Kentucky, and Cairo, Illinois. He retired in 1953 at the conclusion of his work at Flemingsburg where he continued to reside.

A native of Carroll county, he was a son of W. L. and Emma Winburn Garriott, and was educated at Asbury College, Wilmore, Kentucky. He was admitted as a minister to the Kentucky Methodist Conference in 1908.

Prior to leaving Prestonsburg, he was married to Mrs. Elizabeth Archer Wells, who survives. He leaves his two sons, the Rev. William E. Garriott, pastor of Second Methodist Church, Ashland, and the Rev. Walter W. Garriott, pastor of Walton Methodist Church. Also surviving are five grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

The body will lie in state at Flemingsburg from 10:30 a.m. Friday until time of the funeral at 11 a.m. at the Flemingsburg Methodist Church which he formerly served as pastor. Burial will be made at Wilmore.

## MISSION ASKS BASKET FUND

### Annual Christmas Aid Appeal for Poor Made; Rev. Martin Is Head

Engaged primarily in evangelism by means of church work, daily vacation Bible schools and preaching and teaching via radio, in the Eastern Kentucky area, the Cumberland Mountain Mission, Inc. at this season of the year turns to another activity.

It is seeking to enlist the support of families blessed with good incomes and steady work to provide food for one poor family at Christmastime.

Each basket entails the expenditure of \$10. Baskets of food, preferably, food in tins, to avoid breakage—or cash contributions for the purchase of such baskets are being sought after a careful survey has revealed a great need.

"The appeals are coming in, and they are heart-breaking," was the report this week from the Cumberland Mountain Mission, which has its headquarters at Martin. Those heading the work emphasize the point that each appeal for help is carefully checked and that only those who deserve help get it.

Contributions of food may be taken to either of the Prestonsburg radio stations, or to Faith Bible Church at Martin. Toys also are solicited. "We will be glad to distribute them to children who otherwise may not have this part of Christmas joy," a worker in the Mission said. Cash contributions may be mailed or given in person to the Rev. Bob Martin at Martin.

All such donations are tax-deductible. A list of donors is kept as faithfully as is the list of recipients. Persons living outside Floyd county may have their contributions used in their home counties. If no county is specified, they will be used where most needed. Contributions, whether of cash or food, must be made not later than December 20.

The Cumberland Mountain Mission is represented in six counties of the area. Cordell Martin, former Knott County Attorney, is its president. Other officers are Earl Moore, Lackey, treasurer, and the Rev. Robert Martin, of Martin.

The statute referred to provides that tracts of land within a distance of five air miles of a community which has a zoning and planning commission may not be subdivided and sold in lots without prior approval of the commission and in accordance with its general plan for community development.

Deeds have already been executed to purchasers of the lots, and many of them have been recorded.

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It also has been argued that jurisdiction of the Martin and Prestonsburg commissions may conflict, this contention being based on the claim that the distance between the two municipalities is not 10 air miles.

## 12 Liquor Cases Set For Trial on Monday

Docketed for trial in the Floyd quarterly court Monday are 12 persons charged with liquor law violations. Defendants are Joie Maynard, Red Martin, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Stone, Ralph Barnett, Harold Yates, Tommy Ratliff, Ernest Campbell, Zella Mae Tackett, Bobby Joe Conn, Junior Wells and Thomas Branham.

Trial of Bonnie Laferty is set for December 23.

The Big Sandy Area Council will meet Monday, December 16, at 6 p.m., at the Paintsville County Club, O. T. Dorton, Paintsville, is handling reservations.

## CORPS ASKS COUNTY HELP

### Army Engineers Ask Responsibility of Court Be Assumed on Projects

The Huntington district office, U. S. Corps of Army Engineers, has asked the Floyd fiscal court to assume certain responsibilities on channel snagging and clearing jobs proposed for Right Beaver Creek.

The projects on which surveys have been made, the court was told, are:

1. From the upper limits of Wayland to the lower limits of Hueysville (Bosco).
  2. From the lower limits of Maytown to a point below Warco.
- The stream project at Martin, regarded by Congressman Carl D. Perkins as a certainty and expected by many to be the first undertaken, was not included in the letter asking court cooperation.

The court is expected to:

1. Provide the Corps of Engineers written assurance of local cooperation.
2. Provide easements and rights-of-way.
3. Hold safe the United States free from damages due to such work.

4. Maintain and operate the works after completion.

5. Provide without cost to the United States all highway and bridge adjustments, sewer and utilities alterations or relocations.

County Judge Henry Stumbo indicated the county will cooperate to the limit of its ability. He also said that he will ask the Corps of Engineers to make a similar study of Left Beaver Creek with a view to correcting serious flooding dangers on that stream.

Right-of-way which the county would be required to procure would be 45 feet from the center of the stream, but where residences or other large improvements come within that distance the width of the right-of-way would be narrowed. It was explained there would be no removal of buildings.

## LAND SALE HALT ASKED

### Keathley and Spradlin Are Named Defendants By Martin City Group

The City of Martin and its Planning and Zoning Commission last Friday filed suit in circuit court here asking that two owners of a sub-division within the range of the Commission's "Master Plan" for development of Martin be enjoined from executing or delivering deeds to lots in that particular tract of land.

At the same time the court was asked to enjoin County Clerk C. Ollie Robinson from recording such deeds.

Landowner-defendants are Lawrence Keathley and G. C. Spradlin, who this year sold lots in the Garth sub-division. Members of the Planning and Zoning Commission are W. E. Goff, John H. Turnley, Haskell Frye, Sr., Myrtle Dingus and Bobby Comstock.

The suit explains that the master plan adopted by the Commission for the City of Martin was adopted under provisions of Chapter 100, Kentucky Revised Statutes, and is designed to "accomplish a coordinated and harmonious development of the city and its environs in accordance with present and future needs."

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## Area Council Slates Paintsville Meeting

The Big Sandy Area Council will meet Monday, December 16, at 6 p.m., at the Paintsville County Club, O. T. Dorton, Paintsville, is handling reservations.

"Many important events have taken place since our last meeting," Dorton said. "These events, I am quite sure, will have a tremendous effect on our area as well as all of Appalachia. This makes the Council's program work even more important."

## MAJOR CONSTRUCTION JOBS SEEN IN COUNTY

### Suit Asks Oil Firm Relocate Gas Lines On Mountain Parkway

The State Highway Department filed suit Monday in Franklin circuit court to require the Middle Creek Oil and Gas Company to remove and relocate certain gas lines along the Salyersville-Prestonsburg road right-of-way.

The department asked for a declaration of rights in the matter and, if upheld, that the company be required to remove and relocate the facilities at its own expense.

## MISHAP KILLS WAR II VET

### Sleeping Pill Overdose Fatal To Langley Man; Burial Made At Leburn

Ralph Owens, 36-year-old Navy veteran of World War II and disabled miner of Langley, was dead on arrival Tuesday at the McDowell Appalachian Regional hospital.

It is said Mr. Owens, who had suffered from paralysis since an injury in the mines several weeks ago, died from an overdose of sleeping pills administered accidentally.

He was a son of Kendall and Hester Slone Owens, of Lackey, and the husband of Molly Johnson Owens, also surviving. Surviving sons and daughters are Everett, Joseph, Lema Sue, Priscilla, and Ina Fay, all at home. Surviving brothers and sisters are Buford Owens and Donald Owens, both of Lackey, Bethel Owens and Mrs. Sina Faye Bowless, both of Newport News, Virginia.

Funeral rites will be conducted Friday from the Lackey Free Will Baptist Church, the Revs. Dillard Reed and Green Boyd officiating. Burial will be made in the Perkins cemetery at Leburn, Knott county, under the direction of Hall Brothers Funeral Home.

The Prestonsburg Woman's Club is sponsoring, for the third year, a home outdoor lighting contest.

The outdoor home lighting will be judged for originality and suitability in the following categories:

1. Christ in Christmas; 2. Door decorations; 3. Christmas through a child's eyes.

The judging will take place on Monday night, December 23. Prizes of \$10, \$5 and \$3 will be awarded for first, second and third places.

P-T-A. POSTPONES MEET

The Prestonsburg Grade School P-T-A. will not meet this Thursday as scheduled. The meeting has been postponed until December 19.

George Lee Shannon, architect, said the library will have a capacity of 60,000 to 70,000 volumes.

The State Finance Department has purchased from the W. A. Dingus estate a 94 x 165-foot lot at the junction of the Mountain Parkway and U. S. 23 here for a reported \$26,000. To this will be added state-owned land of 75-foot front, plus a 35-foot street which will be closed, it was said.

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## FRIENDS OF COMBS FOUND SCHOLARSHIP

Floyd countians had a leading part in establishing last Thursday night a Bert T. Combs scholarship fund for students at the Kentucky School for the Deaf, Danville, to honor the outgoing Governor.

Announcement of the fund was made at a dinner held at the Imperial House, Lexington, for state officials and Kentucky businessmen who subscribed the money.

Marvin Music, Prestonsburg neighbor of Gov. Combs and a member of the State Parks Board, said that the fund would amount to approximately \$3,000.

It was established after Combs announced that he would accept no valuable gifts, an edict the businessmen circumvented by presenting an automobile to the governor's wife, Mrs. Mabel Combs.

Music, who made the presentation speech, told the governor that, "In view of the fact that you have announced you are opposed to valuable gifts, we are presenting you with a box of cigars."

Combs accepted the cigars and remarked that he "suspected" he would be given a dump truck or perhaps an airplane.

Music told the businessmen that Combs has "received the Commonwealth and delivered it—vastly enlarged and improved—at no small labor—into the hands of the next generation."

After announcing the establishment of the scholarship fund, he said: "We trust and pray that it shall bring sympathy where there is silence, knowledge where there is ignorance and tomorrow where there is today."

Combs responded by thanking the group and urging it to cooperate with incoming governor, Edward T. Breathitt.

"This man has got a tough job," he said, "I just hope you'll be as good to him for four years as you have been to me."

Breathitt presented Combs with an empty nail keg inscribed, "To Gov. Bert T. Combs, who symbolized honesty and integrity in government."

At his inauguration four years ago, Combs had said he hoped to receive a nail keg as a going-out-of-office present.

## MARTIN ASKS HOUSING JOB BIDS JAN. 14

### Library Erection Here Viewed In Near Future; Information Center Set

Contractors this week were invited to bid on two major construction projects here and at Martin, and plans for another construction job in Prestonsburg were in the making.

The Martin Municipal Housing Commission announced that it will receive on January 14 bids for the erection and completion of 40 low-rent public housing units and an administration-maintenance building, plus lawns and planting work.

Bids on construction of a county library building here will be received January 6 by the Floyd County Public Library District Board of Trustees and the Floyd County Public Library Corporation.

Meanwhile, it was announced, plans will soon be completed as a step toward construction by the state of a public information center here.

The Martin housing project will be similar to that which was completed here, several weeks ago. The number of dwelling units is the same as the Prestonsburg project. The units will be duplexes of varying size.

The housing project will be located at the forks of Beaver, on a site acquired from Mrs. Amanda Dingus. The Prestonsburg project was built at a cost of approximately \$520,000.

The county library structure will be built on a lot donated for the purpose by the Floyd County Board of Education and adjacent to the old high school building on Arnold Avenue which the library and Board of Education now occupy. Its estimated cost is \$105,000.

The structure, overall, will measure 50 by 100 feet, and its exterior will be of brick and stone. The main floor will have an area of approximately 5,000 square feet, and to that will be added 1,800 square feet in the balcony. The completely air-conditioned structure will include a main stack area, a workroom, office and community-reference room.

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## Crossroads Point In More Than One Direction

Prestonsburg, literally at the crossroads of Eastern Kentucky, stands at a crossroads as an old year wanes.

Those material facilities which are necessary to its progress are at hand. Here, the Mountain Parkway merges with U. S. 23. It stands squarely in the path of progress; traffic to and from the Blue Grass and beyond and travellers from North to South cannot conveniently avoid it. A two-year college is under construction here and will be receiving students in 1965. A matter of two or three miles away is one of the greatest tourist attractions of this scenic area—Dewey Lake, with Jenny Wiley State Park and its magnificent May Lodge. There, by 1965, will open an outdoor drama for which already has been built one of the finest amphitheatres in the nation. Soon to be under construction here will be a tourist information center, near the junction of the Mountain Parkway and U. S. 23.

These are here because the Governor of Kentucky knew at first-hand what was needed; and, too, because he had a warm place in his heart for Prestonsburg and Floyd county.

But others—some in official capacities, others as plain citizens—worked with the Governor. And it was through the work of such as these that other improvements have come to Prestonsburg, notably low-rent public housing, a modern sanitation system, a new courthouse, and now, almost ready to be started, a library building.

The material facilities are here. Now, at the crossroads, Prestonsburg and Floyd county need those qualities of mind and spirit which will cause these material advantages to become the blessings they may naturally be expected to be.

Where do we go from here? Much remains to be done. The college, for which such gallant early support was given, will need the active support of us all. It must grow if it is to reach its true potential. It could stagnate, you know.

The amphitheatre could be left to stand as a monument to utility and waste, if the community fails to carry on from here.

Even the highways and those other improvements which have come this way, at long last could, in a sense, fail their purpose, should the community fail to clean up, to put on the proper dress and manners. Sleepy, little towns exist as dots on the map, all over the country. Some have been passed by, left far back in the eddy as progress flowed past. Still others have been squarely in the middle of the stream and have existed only as islands diverting the flow to either side, actually serving more as barriers to the current than helping it.

Denuded parts of these hills need planting to trees and grass, stream banks need cleaning, streams themselves need clearing and deepening—not merely for the purpose of beautification, though that is one purpose, but primarily to protect against the floods which have been the bane of the region. The eyesores, the roadside dumping grounds, and stream pollution are urgent problems.

And while we hope for big industry to pick up the slack created by coal-mine mechanization, there are those smaller enterprises to claim our energies and ambitions. Floyd county does not entertain any false delusions of ever becoming truly an agricultural county. But it has the hillside farms, which can be profitably, even esthetically, converted to trees and the growing of cattle and sheep. It can have those well-fenced farms, too.

Though terrain does not lend itself to modern, large-scale farming, it does offer those who want to work opportunity in varying ways and degrees.

Greenhouses such as the few which have had splendid success in Breathitt and other counties in the production of tomatoes and other vegetables as well as plants for use on other farms offer Floyd county special opportunity, now that the major roads are here and those from other states and from other parts of our own state are heading this way.

We are not unlike the heir to a fortune. We can, as many do, dissipate our legacy. Or we can, as a notable few do, put what we have to work for us, work with what we have, and build onto what is ours.



"Let's get some more Christmas Seals with the money you're not spending on our date tonight!"

# Our Yesterdays

(Items taken from files of The Floyd County Times of 30, 20 and 10 years ago.)

## Thirty Years Ago (December 8, 1933)

Circuit Judge C. B. Wheeler last Saturday adjourned the last court session of his present term of office. A new judge, John W. Caudill, will occupy the bench after January 1. . . Ten Civil Works projects have been approved in Floyd county. It was announced this week by C. H. Fraim, disbursing agent for the Floyd Civil Works Committee. . . John Scott, Republican, this week filed suit contesting the election of his Democratic opponent, Dewey Roberts in the race for Magistrate in District 4. . . Mrs. Bess S. May last Friday assumed her duties as postmistress here, succeeding Mrs. Ella Ferguson. . . The Prestonsburg Kiwanis Club is celebrating the 10th anniversary of its founding at its meeting tonight. C. D. Milby, secretary, announces. . . Born: To Mr. and Mrs. Richard Spurlock, November 29, a son—James Richard. . . There died: Mrs. Martha Goble Sizemore, 87, wife of "Uncle" Jeff Sizemore, November 29 at her home on Bull Creek; Avery Collins, of Harold, Saturday, killed by a slatefall in a mine of the Koppers Coal Co., Weeksburg; Martin Porter, 61, Friday at Harold; Tom Gibson, 71, Sunday at Banner; Sam Crum, 47, of Betsy Layne, last Thursday following an operation at a Pikeville hospital.

## Twenty Years Ago (December 9, 1943)

Five Floyd countians in the armed forces are reported missing or dead. They are: Sgt. Dick E. Mayo, 22, of Prestonsburg, in the crash of a bomber Monday into a California lake; T/Sgt. Eugene Hyden, 22, of Auxier, missing since November 14 when his bomber engaged in the fighting over Bougainville; Lt. Townsel Marshall, of the Auxier road, pilot of a transport plane from China to India, missing since last Friday; S/Sgt. John W. Ring, 29, of Wayland, gunner on a bomber, killed in India; Cpl. Oland Ratliff, of Harold, a parachutist, killed on the Italian front. Fred Adams, Jr., of McDowell, is listed as wounded. . . Thirty-seven Floyd fathers have received their draft notices as the Local Board here reports "hitting the bottom of the barrel" in its manpower supply. . . Lonnie Jarrell, 36, of Cow Creek, father of 10, has been called up for military service. . . A new Prestonsburg City Council took the oath of office Monday. Its members are Roe Layne, Burl Spurlock, Bill Fitzpatrick, Willie Clark, C. H. Smith, T. M. Herford Jr., Frank Layne, Herbert Salsbury, Sr. . . Slightly wounded by gunfire Sunday at Drift were Gilliam Stone and Ballard Tackett. . . Miss Julia Sweeney, 17, of Prestonsburg, was seriously injured last Thursday in the wreck of an auto at Sugar Loaf. Pvt. Taylor Laferty, a soldier home on furlough, and Frank James, of Johns Creek, were slightly hurt. . . Bermon Martin, of Allen, recently received his "Wings" and a lieutenant's commission at George Field, Lawrenceburg, Illinois. . . Married: Miss Thelma Crisp, of Martin, and Pvt. William Freudenburg, of Los Angeles, California November 26 at Martin. . . Born: To Lieut. and Mrs. David D. May, December 5 at a Louisville hospital, a son—David Darwin, Jr. . . There died: Mrs. Dona Newsome, 46, at Bypro Tuesday, six days after accompanying to this county the body of her daughter, Mabel, 16, who had died at Asheville, North Carolina; Mrs. Shirley Weddington Dockery, 37, Floyd native, at Pikeville Tuesday; Mrs. Adeline Cole, 86, Sunday at Melvin; Ulysses S. Hall, 64, Spanish-American War veteran and former attorney here, Monday at a Huntington hospital; Mrs. Bill England, Saturday at Myrtle; Tavis Newsome, 47, of Melvin, three days after returning home from a hospital.

## Ten Years Ago (December 10, 1953)

The Bank Josephine held open house here Saturday, and an estimated 1,800 persons inspected improvements made during recent months at a cost of upwards of \$100,000. . . A \$300 fund has been raised by the Floyd County Fish & Game Club to be used as rewards for information leading to the arrest and conviction of any person guilty of killing deer released in the Dewey Lake game refuge. . . C. E. Mansfield began last Sunday the pastorate of the Arnold Avenue Church of Christ here. . . Three Floyd men were injured Saturday when their car was almost demolished by a train at a Louisa rail crossing. Among the injured are Henry McKinney, of Beaver, Tom Workman, of Tram, and Curtis Justice, of Osborn. . . Airman Charles A. Pappas, 25, native of Wheelwright, died at Pennington Gap, Virginia, Wednesday, a day after he was injured in a car wreck. . . Thomas Hackworth, 28, of Tram, was one of two men killed last Thursday at Wooster, Ohio, when their truck was hit by a train. . . Joe Wheeler Burchett and Mrs. Sally Mae Goble, owners of the Brandy Keg boat dock on Dewey Lake, have signed a contract to sell the installation to the state for \$35,000. . . Married: Miss Armeta Compton, of Prestonsburg, and Mr. Walter Eugene Snavely, of East Point, here November 26; Miss Marsella Coburn, of Garrett, and Airman Hansel S. Bradley, of Hueysville, November 27 at Garrett. . . Born: To Mr. and Mrs. Harold B. Rice, of Prestonsburg, at the Paintsville hospital, December 6, their first child, a daughter. . . There died: Willie Collins, 59, of Tram, Tuesday; Mrs. Sarah Sparks Meade, 89, Sunday, at Bonanza; Clarence Hughes, 49, formerly of Garrett, Monday while at work in a Cleveland (O.) plant; Elder Jack H. 89, Friday near Hueysville; Wilson Handshoe, 79, Saturday at his home at Handshoe; M. K. Hall, 72, Floyd native, Saturday at Plummer's Landing.

## NATURE TRAILS

By RUFUS M. REED

### DOGS AND FOXES CAN CROSS BREED

The dog family, Canidae, is also called the Fox family, as these animals are so closely related it is possible for them to cross-breed. It has actually happened. A man in Kansas had an Irish terrier which mated with a female red fox, and the result was a litter of three puppies. Of the three, one was almost precisely like the fox-mother, one resembled the dog-father, while one was about half dog and half fox in appearance. The owner of the hybrid pups is at a loss as to what to call them—are they "fox-dogs" or "dog-foxes"? The owner says they all have sharply pointed noses like a fox and also a thick fur coat. They also possess very keen hearing and an acute sense of smell. They are reported as being very frisky and friendly with their master, and not one bit wild.

The reason foxes and dogs can cross-breed is because they are of the same kind," according to the laws of biology as pronounced in the book of Genesis; animals of a "different kind" cannot cross-breed in this manner.

The dog or fox family includes the flesh-eaters and be-

long to the great order, Carnivora. It includes several species of wolves—the timber wolf, the Arctic wolf and the white wolf, also the coyote of the western plains. Among the foxes in this family are: the red fox, which has three or more color variations—red with black legs, silver and also black, colors which often appear in the same litter, and the grey fox, which is common and will climb trees occasionally to escape its enemies. The red fox has a more northerly range than the grey and is slightly larger. The Arctic fox wears a brown fur coat in summer, but dons a white coat in winter, to match the Arctic snows. There is also a blue fox, which has been successfully reared on the Pribilof and other Alaskan islands.

Foxes dine mostly on smaller animals, such as mice and ground squirrels; they also capture birds. They eat a quantity of wild fruits like grapes and are very fond of pokeberries. They do a good work in helping to keep down the rodent population. The grey fox makes its burrow in sandy banks and rears about five young ones in late spring. The parent foxes train the

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# COMBS RESHAPED, CHANGED KENTUCKY IN FOUR YEARS

(An editorial in The Courier-Journal)

On Tuesday, in front of the Capitol in Frankfort the people of Kentucky will hail a new Governor and say farewell to a departing one with all the parades and speeches, dances and fanfare that traditionally mark this ceremony which is at once a beginning and an end. The hopes and prayers of all Kentuckians will be with the man who now assumes the state's highest office. But their gratitude and affection will be with the man leaving it.

He is no ordinary man, nor has he been an ordinary administration. In the four years since he became Governor, he has shaken and changed and reshaped our state and its mood and its view of itself as has no other man to hold the office. These have been years of great ferment, of ideas and action, of building, experiment, great effort and great risk, of bold plans and big programs, of old dreams rekindled and new hopes born.

His accomplishments have been too often remarked to need detailed recounting here. He took a school system on the brink of desperation and pumped into it vigor and confidence. He pushed great highways into sections where highways had never gone. He built parks that other states view with envy and that Kentuckians will enjoy for generations to come. He built hospitals for the sick, brought light into the dark-shadowed world of the mentally ill. He made this a more beautiful state and a more pleasant one to live in.

He completely altered the political structure of his party, and perhaps this was the most surprising achievement of his administration. For when he stood before the inaugural throng four years ago there was little about him to suggest the adroit politician. His manner was diffident and unimpressive, his gestures wooden, his voice a twang. Few political observers gave him much chance of surviving the ordeal of Kentucky politics.

Indeed, many considered him no more than a pawn in the expected struggle between factional leaders, with Happy Chandler waiting in the wings to pick up the pieces should the struggle get out of hand. But now the old factions are broken beyond repair. Those who challenged Mr. Combs have limped into obscurity. His chosen man is Governor and he stands alone at the top of the political peak.

It is interesting now to ponder how he did it. His critics have long debated whether he is possessed of keen political intuition or blessed with luck. Certainly part of his success was due to his knack of doing the right but unconventional things in a way that won public approval. For nothing succeeds with politicians like political success. And he won first the admiration, then the respect and finally the affection of legislators, practical politicians and state workers by his ability to take political risks and turn them to political profit.

It was this political courage, there is reason to believe, that produced the great turning point in his career as Governor, and turned the sales tax from a deadly liability into the strength and keystone of his Administration. He had the courage to ask for a tax big enough to do some good. And he made it so vital to so many people that it became not the kiss of death that it had always been assumed to be, but the weapon with which he cut down his attackers.

He and Wilson Wyatt wisely avoided the conflict that many predicted. Instead, he gave the office of his second-in-command a new prominence. He gave Wyatt the job of promoting Kentucky's economic development, the ideal spot for Wyatt's intellect, energy and charm, and in the process gave state government a grace and attractiveness it had not had.

And surely part of his success was due to an astonishing energy, a capacity for sheer, unending, unslipping, body-breaking work. Forty-one times he "took the government to the people" moving his entire Cabinet out into the towns and cities of the state to hear the complaints and answer the questions of the people. He tried to see all of the thousands who thronged his office. No meeting was too small, too far up some rutted road for him to address.

No Governor has ever taken fewer vacations, worked longer, slept less. He drove his assistants just as hard, and they responded with a sort of wondering devotion ("The Grey Fox," they called him, "The Mountain Eagle"). They will recall seeing him, in the white trench-coat that became his symbol, trudging in his unburied mountain-man's lope, from chicken supper to ground-breaking to graduation exercise to courthouse meeting, slumped exhausted in the back seat as his car sped through the pre-dawn countryside, boarding his plane for a hair-raising take-off from a rain-swept, unlighted mountain airport with his characteristic "All right, let's get going."

He made his mistakes. He put his trust in people not worthy of it, then kept them too long. At other times he was harsh and hasty in his punishment of em-

ployees who erred. Some complained that he was devious; others charged that he had a separate and lower standard for the people from the mountains with whom he often surrounded himself. There was substance to both charges. It was also true, as he himself admitted, that his "housekeeping," that attention to administrative detail that is the mark of the cautious politician, left much to be desired.

Part of this was due to the nature of the man, part to the fact that he was too busy with big things to spend much time with the small. He was too busy building superhighways, rescuing our schools from the last century, giving the state, after half a century of governmental poverty, a sensible tax base. Yet he had time to beautify the Capitol grounds, put litter barrels along the highways, plant trees around the mansion and supervise his prized rose garden. Typically, in so doing he won the state its first national beautification award.

Most important, he raised the tone and style of state government in Kentucky. He made us raise our sights. For a little while, he gave Kentuckians a glimpse of what they could be. We shall not soon again see the likes of Bert T. Combs. And because he was here, we shall not be the same again.

### ARTIFICIAL SMOKE

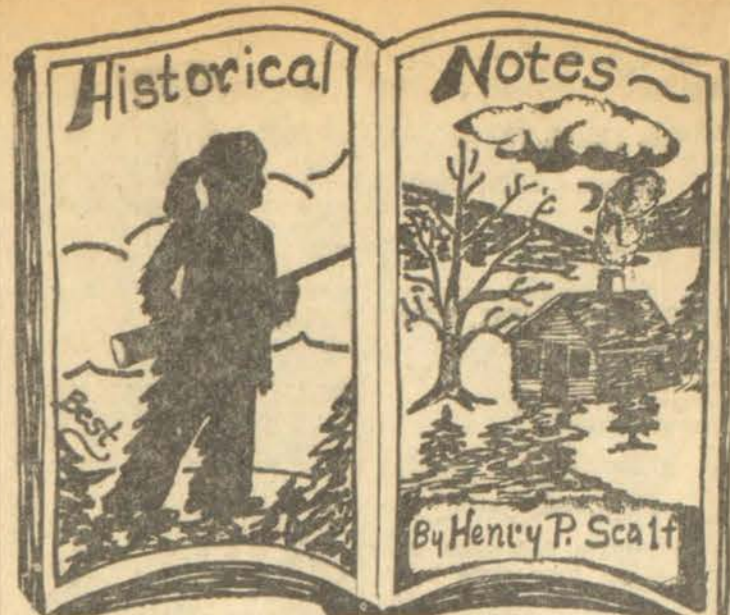
Lexington, Ky.—The U. S. Department of Agriculture has ruled that smoke flavorings and artificial smoke flavorings now may be used in processing certain federally-inspected meat products, says J. D. Kemp, UK Ag Experiment Station meats specialist.

### HELP KEEP HOMES INTACT

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### PAINT UNION ASSOCIATION

The Floyd county library has acquired one of those little items of historical interest to many who do research on church history. It is Minutes of the 45th Annual Meeting of the Paint Union Association of United Baptists Held at the Abbott Meetinghouse, Floyd county. It was published in Catlettsburg and contains only four pages.

The annual meeting on Abbott Creek was held in 1882 and Rev. Wallis Bailey, who founded the United Baptist Church in 1837, was still active at the gathering, 45 years after his rift with the Regular Baptists. Date of the meeting was "the third Saturday in September, 1882."

Twenty-eight churches, representing 2,035 members, are listed in the minutes. The Burning Springs Church, at Salyersville, sent Wallis Bailey, Caleb May and R. M. Prater as messengers. J. Pelphey was named moderator.

There were three applications from churches to join the association. These were Open Fork Church, Beech Grove Church and Middle Creek Church. Zion Association sent messengers who were seated. Rev. Bailey was appointed to write Zion Association and J. D. Long was named to write Bethlehem Association. This was evidence that the United Baptists had gone a long way in membership and organization since 1837 when Rev. Bailey and his friends seceded from the Regular Baptist Church and founded a new one.

Robert Wallace, librarian, is to be commended for his constant search for Eastern Kentuckiana.

### SMITH FAMILY

Below are given two excerpts from regional histories on the Smith family. The first is from the Big Sandy Valley, by William Ely, published by the Central Methodist, Catlettsburg, 1887. It is a rare book now and commands a high price on the rare book market.

The Ely excerpt follows: "The father of Jacob Smith,

the wealthy Pond (Creek) merchant, and John Smith, a business man now of Sandy City, came to the county when a boy from Virginia. Jacob Smith, his son, is now by a long course of work and saving and by his keen business talent employed in the accumulation of material wealth properly set down as the four or five wealthiest men of Pike county, as wealth is compared on Sandy. John Smith has erected an imposing dwelling in Hampton City and also a long string of small tenement houses which, of course, have added to the prosperity of the place."

The second excerpt is on the Smiths of New River, ancestral background of the Eastern Kentucky Smiths. It is taken from the book, A History of Middle New River Settlements and Contiguous Territory, by David E. Johnston, published 1906 at Huntington, West Virginia.

Johnston's page on the family follows:

"This family is here designated as of 'New River' otherwise it might not be known to what family of Smiths reference is made, and hence, they are styled, 'The Smiths of New River.' Isaac Smith was a soldier of the American Revolution, and served with the Corps of Lafayette at Yorktown. He lived in that part of Rockingham county, w. embraced in Madison. The territory in which it is supposed and believed that he was born was then Augusta county, and was still Augusta when, in about 1770, he married Miss Simms. After the battle of Yorktown and the return of the Virginia Militia to their homes, Mr. Smith, together with several of his neighbors and relatives, in the year of 1782, passed over the Alleghenies into the New River Valley. Mr. Smith was brother-in-law to John Peters and Larkin Stowers, and they, together with Christian Peters, Charles Walker and others, came to New River.

"Smith settled on the Long Bottom on New River, nearly opposite the place of settlement of (Continued On Page 5)

# TIDBITS OF KENTUCKY FOLKLORE

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

### CASHING IN ON OUR FOLKWAYS

Within fairly recent years the wave of local pagentry has made many people realize anew what fascinating things there are around us. Formerly many of us were rather ignorant of our origins except to know some outstanding member of our respective tribes. But the coming of the automobile and its carload of tourists seeking adventure have made many sections of our state, along with other states, aware of the value of local history if presented in a pageant or play in attractive surroundings. Paul Green, Kermit Hunter, and their pupils have produced plays for many places in Kentucky and its adjoining states. Though the machinery of their plays is often repeated, there has been inserted, in enjoyable form, actual local history. The plays vary from being almost purely historical to almost purely symbolic. Both features are good as they have been worked out in the plays that I have known.

It is not every section that can offer so much thrilling history as Cherokee, North Carolina, where "Unto These Hills" has been running some fourteen years. But almost any place has a history that needs to be known, to become a part of the education of the growing-up generations that too often know so little about family and neighborhood and social history. Places where there is likely to be a large tourist trade seem to offer the best sites for these plays; hence we have found it possible to have several of these local pageants running each summer.

As a native of the Jackson Purchase I am pleased that "Stars in My Crown" has begun its first season at Kentucky Lake. However much fantasy may be mixed up with the history that is in the play, many people from our own state and hordes of tourists will go away with a feeling that even remote Western Kentucky, so long the step-child of the older-settled areas of the state, can hold up its head among the best or the oldest. Quaint characters have been included in this play, for the Purchase grew such in great numbers. Forced for a hundred years and more to be self-sufficient,

shut off by mighty rivers from the other 112 counties, these pioneers and descendants of pioneers learned how to "make it, pay cash for it, or do without." It was a simple area except in a few places where railroads had been built or where the steamboat trade gave some wealth and prominence to people. Out in the hills and out in the flatwoods lived people who had to make their own way with little recognition from anybody. And, as always happened, some great souls arose in this small, fenced-in area, with the Mississippi River to the west, the Ohio to the north, and the parallel Tennessee and Cumberland to the east. The only part of America that seemed almost like home was the easily-accessible Purchase area of Tennessee, where no rivers had to be crossed. Until automobiles came, there was small need to risk drowning by ferrying or padding across the rivers. And then came the bridges, links that soon were regarded as lifelines by people inside or outside the Purchase. But, to give you a feeling of how recent all this is, no highway bridge across any of the waters of Western Kentucky existed until long after my youth and even my days of teaching in that whole area. As late as 1928 I had to ferry both the rivers when I drove down to see my mother, but I learned on the ferry-boat at Dover, Tennessee, that the contract would be let the next day for the bridge that must seem very old to younger people. Ferry charges were so great in those days that a round trip to Fidelity cost more than one to Chicago. But lots of water has run through Kentucky Dam in the last twenty years or so and lots of isolation has been routed. More than two million people a year go to Kentucky Dam, making it one of the great tourist attractions in America. And slowly the world is learning that there is such a place as the Jackson Purchase and that it was not the creation of some dreamworld by Irving Cobb, Alben Barkley, and other such well-known natives of the region. Hats off to "Stars in My Crown."

# WANT ADS

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**FOR SALE**—Registered Angus bulls, 7 months old; two Angus cows. **WILLIE TURNER**, Hueysville, Ky., phone 358-4171.

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**FOR RENT**—2 five-room houses. Phone T. E. NEELEY, 836-2057. 11-14

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## WEEKSBURY

A pilot program has just been completed in the sixth grade at Weeksbury elementary school by various members of the Floyd County Health Department. The sixth grade was taught a public health course for seven weeks, one day per week, one hour per day.

At the end of the course, each pupil was asked to write a brief essay on some subject that had been covered. The essays were good, it is said, and prizes were given by the school P.T.A. to the first, second and third place winners. The winners and their essay topics were first place, Anna Ruth Johnson, whose essay was on "Rabies"; second place, Laddie Hurt, whose essay was also on "Rabies." Tied for third place were Teddy Stansley, whose essay was on "School Bus Safety," and Sandra Ratliff, with an essay on "Rabies."

Due to the success of this pilot program at Weeksbury, the Floyd County Health Department members are now teaching a similar course with modifications at Betsy Layne, John M. Stumbo, Melvin and Wheelwright elementary schools.

**BUSINESS INDEX FALLS**  
New York, N. Y. — The New York Times weekly index of business activity fell to 233.2 in the week ended November 30, from 263.2 in the preceding week. A year ago the figure was 242.5.

The relatively low index last week was due to the day of national mourning and the Thanksgiving holiday.

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## Kentucky Baptists Plan Foreign Mission Study; Fund Goal Announced

Women in 1,500 Kentucky Baptist churches will observe December 9-13 as a week of prayer and study for foreign missions, according to Mrs. George R. Ferguson, executive secretary of the Woman's Missionary Union of Kentucky. The women of the churches, as well as the children and young people, will assemble each day to pray for Baptist mission work in 53 countries of the world.

In addition to study and prayer the women will make their annual Christmas offering for foreign missions. The Kentucky goal for this year is \$405,000. Baptist women throughout the United States have an overall goal of \$11,850,000. This offering has been taken annually since 1938, and has been increasing at the rate of about 15 per cent each year.

These funds, plus receipts from the cooperative program each month during the year, support the work in 53 countries carried on by the Foreign Mission Board, Richmond, Virginia.

## NOTICE

The Floyd County Board of Education will accept the lowest and best bids for science materials and equipment delivered to our eight high schools until 12 o'clock noon, January 4, 1964. For complete details see Wayne Ratliff, Assistant County Superintendent of Schools.

The Board reserves the right to accept any combination of bids or reject any and all bids.

**FLOYD COUNTY (Ky.) BOARD OF EDUCATION**  
By Charles F. Clark, Superintendent  
12-12-31

## SPENDS HOLIDAY HERE

Carl Edward Wright, a student at the University of Louisville's Speed Scientific School, spent Thanksgiving with his mother, Mrs. Frank Bennett and Mr. Bennett.

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## FAMILY DINNER

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Derosssett and children had as their Thanksgiving dinner guests members of their family. Covers were laid for Mr. and Mrs. John W. Leake, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Daniel and Paula Sue, of Paintsville, Mr. and Mrs. Lum Derosssett, Theodore Derosssett, Mrs. Lonnie Music, of East Point, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth J. Derosssett, of the Abbott Road.

## BIRTHDAY PARTY

A surprise birthday party for Becky Ray, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Ray, was given by Karen Evans and Donna Goble in the Teen Room at Lake Lanes, Saturday, December 7. The room was decorated in the "Moving Away" motif by the hostesses. Sandwiches, cakes and Cokes were served by Mrs. John Evans and Mrs. Fred Goble. Becky was recipient of many lovely gifts. Those present were Donna Goble, Karen Evans, Martha Jane Collins, Greg Stumbo, Ronnie Chaffins, Barbara Stewart, David Flower, Mary Nunery, Carol Susan Francis, Paula Goble, Johnnie Leach, Joe Buchanan, Bill Frazier, Faye Conley, John Spurlock, Barbara Hignite, Mark Holbrook, Judy Music, David Evans, Rhonda Johnson, Jeannie Lemaster and Tammy Elrod.

## WEEK-END VISITOR

Miss Linda Sue Stephens had as her week-end house-guest Allen D. Pebley, of Johnstown, Pennsylvania.

## N.A.T.O. BOSS TO VISIT

Paris, France—N.A.T.O. Secretary-general Dirk U. Sikkler plans to visit Washington in February, informed sources said Wednesday.

## LEJ MESSAGES BULGARIA

Sofia, Bulgaria—President Lyndon B. Johnson Wednesday messaged the Bulgarian people that the United States is resolved to uphold the cause to which John Fitzgerald Kennedy dedicated his life—peace and prosperity.

## 1684 HOUSE OLDEST

Easton, Md.—Friends of Easting House, established in Easton in 1684, is believed to be the oldest frame house of worship in the United States.

## Mrs. Prater Recognized



Mrs. Juanita Frater, daughter of Clara Allen, of Garrett, received a Quality Salary increase and a cash award at Stead Air Force Base, Nevada. Mrs. Prater received the award from Colonel Jess Nettles for her secretarial work. Mrs. Prater is the wife of S/Sgt. Ruben R. Prater. Sgt. Prater is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Hager Prater.

## Pikeville Area Seniors Scheduled for Honors At Pikeville College

All high school seniors in the Pikeville area will be honored at a "Senior Night" at Pikeville College on Saturday, December 14. Dr. B. H. Jarman, president of Pikeville College, has announced.

A full evening's entertainment is planned for those seniors who attend this first such affair at the college.

The evening will get under way at 6 p.m. when the Pikeville College Cubs meet the East Tennessee Tech freshmen on the basketball court in the college gymnasium. At 8 p.m., the Pikeville College Bears will play Campbellsville College. A dance will be held immediately following this game.

All high school seniors in the area and their sponsors will be admitted free or as guests of the college, Jarman said.

**SOVIETS CUT TO 1,000**  
Miami, Fla.—An anti-Castro organization which claims extensive underground sources said Tuesday all but 1,000 Soviet troops have left Cuba. Dr. Luis Conte Aguiro, president of Sentinels of Liberty, based this on intelligence reports from Cuba.



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<b>Cube Steak</b> Tenderay .. lb. <b>\$1.09</b>	<b>Cube Steak</b> Thrifty .. lb. <b>99¢</b>
<b>Rump Roast</b> or Sirloin Tip Roast Tenderay .. lb. <b>99¢</b>	<b>Rump Roast</b> or Sirloin Tip Roast Thrifty .. lb. <b>89¢</b>

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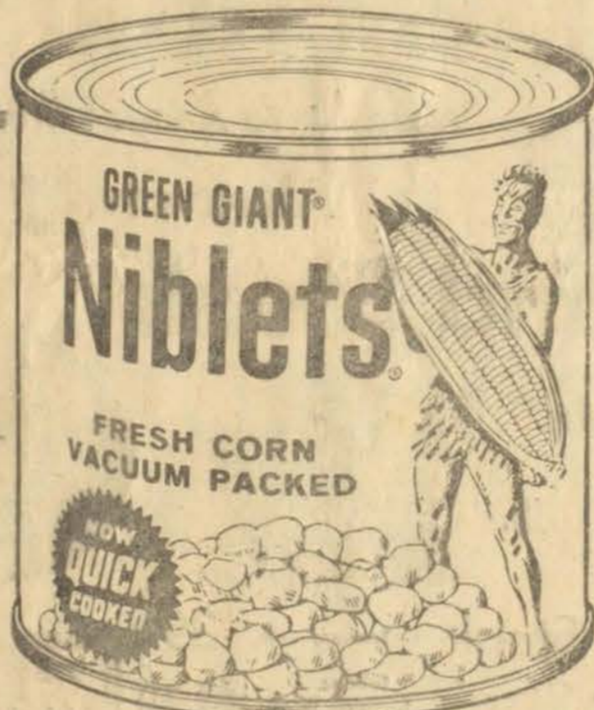
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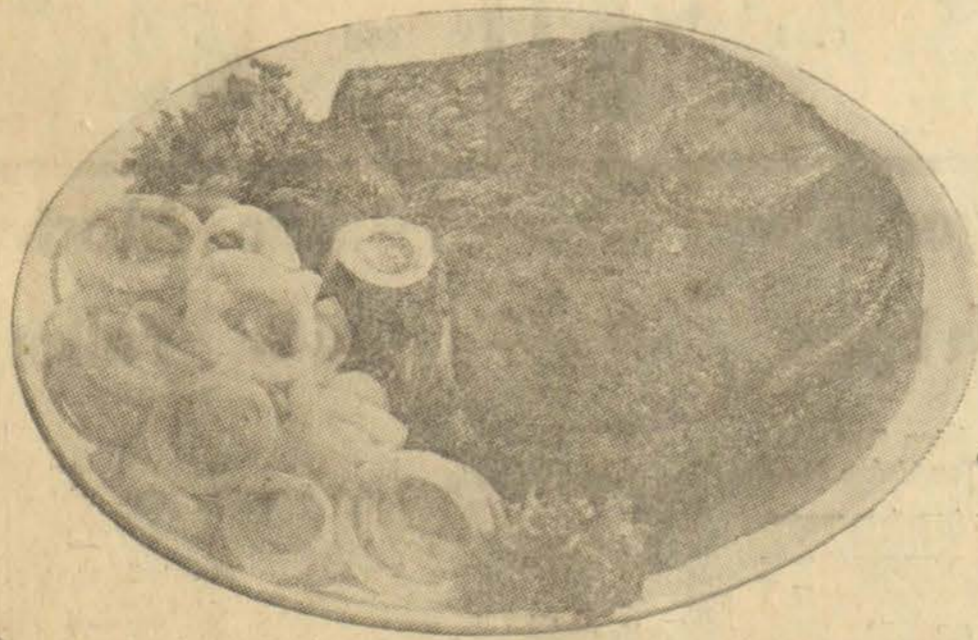
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**SMITHSONIAN NAMES AIDE**  
 Washington, D. C.—The Smithsonian Institution, announced Saturday the appointment of Carl H. Scheele, 35, as associate curator in charge of its division of philately and postal history. Scheele, a stamp collector since he was 11, is a native of Cleveland.

Judge W. T. Lafferty was the first dean of the University of Kentucky College of Law, which was established in 1908 as the University's fourth college. The building now housing the law college was named for Dean Lafferty.

**AUSTRALIA LAST SETTLED**  
 Canberra—Australia is the last continent settled by Europeans.

**Pike County Supervisor Acquitted On Charges Of Teacher Intimidation**

Walter T. Brown, supervisor of instruction for Pike county schools, was cleared Wednesday of charges that he intimidated two teachers.

The verdict was directed by Special Judge W. D. Sparks, Louisa, under laws which he said should have, at most, subjected Brown to a contempt charge at the time of the alleged intimidation.

Brown was indicted by a special grand jury in September which also indicted Claude H. Farley, superintendent of Pike schools, on charges of misfeasance and presenting a false claim.

The trial of Farley, also before Sparks, was set tentatively for January 3 but motions to quash the indictments are pending.

The court was concerned mainly with the testimony of Tivis Branham, 36, a teacher at Light-house elementary school, who said Brown suggested that Branham "might be hurt" by his testimony before the March grand jury.

Brown denied that he made any such statement.

The other teacher, Lawrence Parsons, testified that Brown threatened to get him fired because Parsons was working for the election of a school-board member other than the candidate favored by Farley.

That alleged offense occurred in 1956. The statute of limitations ruled out prosecution, Judge Sparks said.

**First Gasoline Station Opened Fifty Years Ago By Gulf Oil Corporation**

Pittsburgh, Nov. 30—A highly polished Chalmers touring car rolled up to an intersection in this city's East Liberty section and its driver eased it to a stop in front of a strange-looking building which bore a sign reading "Supreme Auto Oil."

The date was December 1, 1913—exactly 50 years ago.

It was the day the world's first drive-in gasoline station went into operation.

Business wasn't what you would call booming that first day. In fact, only 30 gallons of gasoline were sold. The next day, 32 gallons and by the first Saturday the output had jumped to 350 gallons.

Word spread quickly that something new had come to the infant world of the horseless carriage.

At the time, there were only about 10,000 car owners in the Pittsburgh district. But this innovation—a gas station—caught the fancy of the driver.

Prior to the appearance of this first station, gasoline for automobiles and trucks had been sold at livery stables and garages. The practice was to hand-pump fuel into cans of either one-gallon or five-gallon capacity. The cans were provided by the motorist. He in turn, would pour the gasoline into his car's tank by filtering it through a chamois or some other heavy cloth "for purity's sake."

Not long after its inception, the world's first drive-in station began to offer other services. There came free crank-case service, the filling of radiators and the pumping of air into tires. Flats were fixed and accessories were available.

The gasoline station, in effect, became a service station.

Attendants worked eight-hour shifts and the station was open around the clock.

There were other "firsts." Among them were the opening of public rest rooms in the station, a no-tipping policy that carries over to today and the offering of free road maps.

The latter was the brain child of a Pittsburgh advertising man, William B. Akin. He was a motoring enthusiast who admitted he constantly got lost whenever he drove beyond city limits.

While having his car serviced one day in the spring of 1914 at the world's first gas station, he conceived the idea of having maps printed that would show the main roads that existed in his area.

The next morning, Akin stopped into the general office of the oil company with his map idea. He got an O.K. and maps were mailed to all motorists in the district.

The same oil firm now gives away about 10,000,000 road maps annually.

**Funeral Services Held For Harry J. Gregory, Victim of Auto Wreck**

Funeral rites were conducted Saturday at 1 p.m. from the Martin high school auditorium for Harry James Gregory, 16, of Martin, who was killed Wednesday, December 4, in an auto collision on the Auxier road.

Surviving are the victim's parents, Harry and Wanda Rudder Gregory, of Martin; one sister, Linda May Gregory, and three brothers, David, William and Ronnie Gregory, all at home.

Rev. Lee Sloat officiated at the funeral services and burial was made in the Dingus cemetery at Dinwood under the direction of Ryan Funeral Home.

**INSURANCE BENEFITS UP**  
 New York, N. Y.—Kentucky families received \$37.1 million in life insurance death payments in the first nine months of this year, compared with \$32 million in the same period of last year, the Institute of Life Insurance reported.

**Historical Notes**

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John Peters. Among the sons of Isaac Smith were: Ezekiel, Benjamin and William, the latter born in 1774 and married Susanna Dingess, February 2, 1802. Bond at Christiansburg. Ezekiel went to Texas before the war for its independence, was captured by the Mexicans and kept prisoner for five years. His son, French C. Smith, a man of talent and brilliancy, followed his son to Texas, and became a prominent figure in that state, having been the Whig candidate for Governor, but was defeated by General Sam Houston, the Democratic candidate by a large majority. Benjamin Smith lived in the county of Mercer and had several sons—among them Theodore, who went West—Thomas, and Allen, Dr. French Smith, of Bluefield, and Judge Charles W. Smith, of Princeton, West Virginia, are the grandsons of Benjamin Smith.

"Captain William Smith married a Mrs. Neal, whose maiden name was Dingess, a daughter of Peter Dingess, a Revolutionary soldier, who served in Trigg's Battalion of Montgomery county Artillery in Lafayette's Corps at the Battle of Yorktown.

Captain William Smith lived to about the age of 84. John B. Smith, is a son of Benjamin Smith, and was a heroic and devoted Confederate soldier."

**CLARK, COLVIN, PIERCE**  
 Mrs. Paul R. Holbrook, 2525 Ridge Avenue, Columbus 4, Ohio, asks information on the six Kentucky families of Clark, Pierce, Colvin, O'Bryan, Coffee and Bowen or Bohon.

"I am trying to locate any county histories, family histories, daily journals or diaries of early settlers or anything that might help me. I was born in Johnson county but left there at an early age so know very little of the area. I have learned that my people lived in Johnson, Floyd, Morgan and Magoffin counties."

Mrs. Holbrook expects to be in this section in the near future to do research. In the meantime, can any of the readers help her?

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**PRESBYTERIAN WOMEN MEET, DEC. 3**

Mrs. Ray Howard was hostess to members of the Presbyterian Women's Association at her home on Arnold Avenue, December 3. Mrs. Ernest Osborne, president, read the Christmas message from the Mission Book of Prayer, which included the poem, "What More?" by Betty Jean Moore. Special prayers were said for missionaries in Pakistan, the Pacific area, Anchorage and Barlow, Alaska. "The Least Coin" offering, which will be sent to the Philippines and New Zealand, was dedicated by Miss Daisy Miller. A letter from Thailand, thanking the women for the boxes of sewing material received from them was read. The Christmas program was presented by Miss Mary E. Powers, assisted by Mrs. Earle Flower, who read Bible passages concerning the birth of Christ. Hymns were played by Mrs. Frank H. Layne.

Mrs. Osborne installed the following officers for the incoming two years: President, Mrs. Allan Reed; vice-president, Mrs. Frank H. Layne; secretary, Mrs. Holly Starr; treasurer, Mrs. F. L. Heinze; Fellowship Department, Mrs. Ernest Osborne; Program Department, Miss Mary E. Powers; Missionary Education secretary, Mrs. Ray Howard; Literature, secretary, Mrs. T. W. Chisholm; Social Education secretary, Mrs. Fred James; National and Ecumenical Relations Missions secretary, Miss Daisy Miller; World Service, Miss Miller; Christian Education secretary, Mrs. Earle Flower; Serving and Flowers, Mrs. Rainley White; Local Church Service secretary, Mrs. W. C. Rimmer; Nominating committee member and Circle chairman: Miss Daisy Miller, chairman, Mrs. Fred James, Mrs. W. C. Rimmer, Mrs. Ernest Osborne, co-chairmen.

Mrs. Howard served a dessert, coffee, tea and candy. Members present were Mesdames Ernest Osborne, Earle Flower, James Goble, F. L. Heinze, Fred James, Alan Reed, W. C. Rimmer, Ray Howard, T. W. Chisholm, Rainley White, Frank H. Layne, Holly Starr, Everett Sowards, Ralph Davis, Miss Daisy Miller, Miss Mary E. Powers.

The January meeting will be at the Church on January 7, with Mrs. James Goble as hostess. Mrs. F. L. Heinze will present the program. "Be What You Are" will be the study topic for the coming year.

**GUESTS IN FRANKFORT**  
Cecil Sturgill, of Harold, J. W. Sturgill, Lexington, Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Sturgill, Prestonsburg, were guests at an inaugural luncheon Tuesday at State Selective Service headquarters, Frankfort, honoring members of Kentucky state selective board members.

**ATTENDS FUNERAL**  
Fred Cottrell attended the funeral of his aunt, Miss Thelma Arnett, at Salyersville, Sunday, Miss Arnett, 61, was killed by a drunken driver while walking on the Cheyenne Bridge at Salyersville last Friday night.

**VISIT AT ELKHORN CITY**  
Mr. and Mrs. John S. Rodebaugh and children and Frank Setser, of Auxier, visited her sister, Mrs. Raymond Ramey, at Elkhorn City last Sunday and took a trip to the Breaks.

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**VISITS PARENTS**  
Miss Anna Grace Helton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Helton, Prestonsburg, has been visiting her parents this week before returning to Miami, Florida, where she is employed as a stewardess for National Airlines.

**RETURN FROM FLORIDA**  
Mr. and Mrs. Rainley White returned recently from a two-week tour of Florida, visiting relatives at Key West and other cities.

**SINGING CONVENTION**  
The Floyd County Singing Convention will be held Saturday night, Dec. 14, at the Martin Free Will Baptist Church. All singers are invited.

**MISCELLANEOUS SHOWER**  
Mrs. Delmar Elswick, nee Billie Harris, was honored with a miscellaneous shower at 7 p.m., Dec. 6, at her home on North Lake Drive. After a social hour, guests were invited to see the many gifts which had been sent and brought by her many friends. Refreshments were served by the hostesses, Mesdames George Vaughan, Donald H. Goble, T. J. Bingham, Greene Tussey, Ben Parker, Jimmy Ray Hamilton, Wheeler Brancham, Benton Owsley, Carol Jean Price, W. W. Burchett, Lewis Patton, Forrest Bevins, Miss Alka Hackworth, Miss Patricia Greene and Miss Billah Campbell. Mrs. Elswick graciously acknowledged her appreciation for the useful items given her.

**ATTEND FUNERAL**  
John Ward, Mrs. Myrtle Collins and Mr. and Mrs. John D. Collins attended the funeral last week of Mrs. Fred Burchett at Hominy, Oklahoma.

**ASHLAND VISITORS**  
Mr. and Mrs. John E. Layne, of Ashland, spent Friday night here with his sister, Mrs. Joe M. Davidson. They will return here for the holidays, accompanied by her mother, Mrs. E. S. Bowling.

**FOOT INJURY**  
Joe Hobson is a patient at the Prestonsburg General hospital, suffering from a broken bone in his foot. The injury was sustained on slippery Arnold Avenue last Saturday. He hopes to return home within the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Garland H. Rice, of Paintsville, visited Mrs. Joe M. Davidson here Saturday evening.

Mrs. Joe Hobson is visiting Mrs. Claude P. Stephens at Garfield Place this week while Mr. Hobson is a patient at the Prestonsburg General hospital. Everett Bradley, of Ashland, visited Mrs. Bradley and children at the home here of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Kermit Baldrige. Mrs. Bradley will be here until after the holidays.

**SUNDAY GUESTS**  
Mr. and Mrs. Milt Stanley, of Bonanza, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Ford at their home on Davis street.

**HOME FROM HOSPITAL**  
Mrs. Myrtle H. Davis has returned to her home here from St. Mary's hospital, Huntington, W. Va., where she received treatment for a broken shoulder sustained in a fall at her home.

**FIRST CHILD, A SON**  
Mr. and Mrs. James Clay Osborne are announcing the birth of their first child, a son, on December 5 at the Prestonsburg General hospital. He has been named James Anthony.

**PALMBEARERS LISTED**  
Palbearers at the funeral of Mrs. Elizabeth White here last Wednesday were:  
Active — Roy Ramey, Henry Gray, Manis Gray, Earl Castle, Norman Allen, W. J. Dingus, James Clark, Jr.; honorary — C. F. Halstead, C. L. Hutsinpiiler, Robert T. Herald, Graham Burchett, Joe Weddington, Billy Pruitt, W. F. Clark, Jr., Grade Hubbard, Dexter Baldrige, Obie Crisp.

**RETURNS FROM COLUMBUS**  
Marvin Sturgill has returned home from Columbus, Ohio, where he spent the week-end with friends and relatives.

**IN HOSPITAL HERE**  
Mrs. Robey Marcum was admitted to the Prestonsburg General hospital Sunday for observation and treatment.

**IN CINCINNATI**  
Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Burke returned home this week from Cincinnati, where they went on business.

**ATTEND MEETING**

Mrs. Marshall Davidson, president of the Floyd County Teachers' Association, is in Louisville this week attending a salary school seminar. The meeting is being sponsored by the Kentucky Education Association.

**IN CINCINNATI**  
Mrs. Olga M. Latta, Mrs. R. V. May and Mrs. Burl Spurlock are in Cincinnati this week.

**IN HOSPITAL**  
Carl Riffe is a patient at the Central Baptist hospital in Lexington. He is responding to drugs and treatment for pneumonia which followed dilation of the esophagus. He is doing nicely.

**VISITOR HERE**  
Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Morris returned to their home in Ashland, Sunday night, after spending the afternoon with her grandmother, Mrs. M. J. Leete, and Mrs. Claude P. Stephens at Garfield Place.

**PRESENT PUPILS IN RECITAL**

Mrs. Edith F. James presented her pupils in a Christmas carol pageant at the May Lodge, Jenny Wiley State Park, Sunday afternoon. Holiday decorations made a gay background for the young musicians. Soloists were Kay Le-master, Lynn Salisbury, Susan Carter, Ruth Ann Patton, Pat Castle, Judy Davis, Nancy Salisbury, Ruth Ellen Conley, Sallie Horn, Ruth Carol Hunt and Tommy Lafferty. The Christmas Story was read by Bill Stewart. Following the program, a reception was held for the pupils and their parents. More than a hundred guests attended.

**CALLED TO LEXINGTON**

Mr. and Mrs. R. V. May, Mr. and Mrs. Burl Spurlock were called to Lexington, Sunday, by the critical illness of the Rev. W. B. Garriott, whose long illness was followed by a stroke last week. Mr. Garriott is at Good Samaritan hospital, Lexington.

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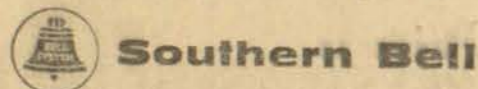
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**KTA Asks Purchase  
Of Christmas Seals;  
Provisional Figures Told**

Postmen over Kentucky and the nation are carrying heavier mailbags this week as Christmas Seals are delivered to thousands of homes. The seals mark the start of the annual campaign to raise funds to battle tuberculosis and other respiratory diseases.

"We hope that every Kentuckian will invest in a healthy future by contributing for Christmas Seals this year," says Dr. Asa Barnes, president of the Kentucky Tuberculosis Association. He added that increased funds are needed in this year's campaign, "because this will be an action year—one in which we expect to make substantial gains in our efforts to get Kentucky off the 'critical' list of states with a high incidence of tuberculosis." Provisional figures released by the U. S. Public Health Service showed that 1,548 new, active cases of TB were reported in the state last year for the second highest rate in the nation.

"Although this high case rate very likely reflects the intensive case-finding programs now being undertaken in Kentucky the urgency of high-gear action against the disease is apparent," Barnes said.

Columnist Ann Landers who is national honorary chairman of the 1963 Christmas Seal campaign, also urged Kentuckians to support the fund drive "because from the hundreds of letters I receive from TB patients and their families, I know the great suffering and economic loss that tuberculosis can bring." "Right now," she added, "someone is passing on the disease unknowingly, perhaps to someone in your own family. Unless we all strike out at tuberculosis and other respiratory diseases now, they may strike close to home—and our love and concern may be too late."

**SCHOLARSHIP STUDY**

The University of Kentucky Press publishes the results of scholarly study and research, with particular emphasis on works by members of the University faculty and studies of Kentucky by other scholars. During the current academic year, the UK Press will publish 12 books, all but two of which are written or edited by UK professors.

A guide service for visitors to the University of Kentucky campus is provided during regular office hours by the Department of Public Relations. Maps of the campus and other printed materials concerning the University may also be obtained at that office.

**Direct Services Given  
23,000 Patients, Said;  
Statistics Announced**

During fiscal year 1962-'63, a record number of 23,000 patients received direct services from the Kentucky Department of Mental Health, Commissioner Harold L. McPheeters said today in submitting his annual report to Governor Bert T. Combs.

In the year ending last June 30, the Department treated 23,000 patients in its four mental hospitals—Central State in Anchorage, Eastern State in Lexington, Kentucky State in Danville and Western State in Hopkinsville. In addition, some 4,800 received post-hospital services; 1,449 were served by the state's two institutions for the retarded: Frankfort State Hospital and school and the newly-acquired Outwood State Hospital and school in Dawson Springs; and 3,000 children and adults were seen in the state's 17 community mental health centers.

Concerning the four mental hospitals last year, Dr. McPheeters wrote:

"The Department registered its greatest number of admissions to the hospitals; it recorded the largest number of patients on leave from the hospitals at the end of a fiscal year; on June 30, 1963, the hospitals had the smallest number of resident patients since record-keeping started in 1952; and it offered more follow-up services to more released patients than ever before."

In citing some of his Department's accomplishments, Dr. McPheeters mentioned the establishment of new programs in the mental hospitals which are beginning to provide vocational, educational and social services necessary for patients' rehabilitation; the \$4 million complex of new buildings under construction at Central State Hospital; and the steps taken by the Division of Mental Retardation to establish a master file, designed to include information on all of Kentucky's mentally retarded.

"Without question the biggest event of the year in our retardation program was the acquisition by the state of Outwood state hospital and school . . . considered ideal for the treatment and rehabilitation of the retarded."

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**NATURE TRAILS**

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young ones how to hunt and capture birds and small rodents.

The red fox is called "the most wily and cunning of the animals"; it lives by its wits and seems to delight in matching its skill and cunning against a pack of hounds. It knows that its body scent will drive hounds mad for the chase. So it will leave a strong scent trail, and then deliberately make it disappear, to fool the pursuing hounds. It will often run to a stream and wade for several yards, to throw the hounds off scent. It takes a delight in being chased by a pack of yelping hounds and has been known to sit on its haunches and literally chortle at their foolish and frantic efforts to catch up with it. It will run in circles to fool the hounds, or jump upon the top of a stone wall to throw them off the scent. Its bark is a short yapping, much like that of a puppy. Sometimes it will yowl on moonlit nights. Such a noble and handsome animal is highly regarded as a most worthy opponent by old, seasoned foxhunters; so most of them will refuse to shoot a red fox, because they want to keep plenty of them for the fun of the fox chase.

By selective breeding, the red fox has been made to produce a strain of silver foxes, highly prized for their fur.

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Morning Worship . . . 10:35 a.m.  
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Prayer Meeting . . . 7:00 p.m.  
Junior M.Y.F. . . . 6:45 p.m.  
Senior M.Y.F. . . . 6:30 p.m.  
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Hour . . . 7:00 p.m.  
Prayer Meeting Wednesday Evening . . . 7:00 p.m.  
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 he leaves a son, Claude Martin Newberry, of Prestonsburg, and four brothers, J. D. and Grady Newberry, both of Auxier, Clarence Newberry, Cleveland, Ohio, and Harold E. Newberry, Carlisle, Pennsylvania.  
 His funeral was conducted at 1 p.m. Monday from the Auxier Free Will Baptist Church by the Rev. S. C. Honeycutt, and burial in the Government cemetery there was directed by the Jones-Preston Funeral Home.

Turkey and all the trimmings at Thanksgiving this year cost about 30 cents less than last year, according to USDA's Agricultural Marketing Service.

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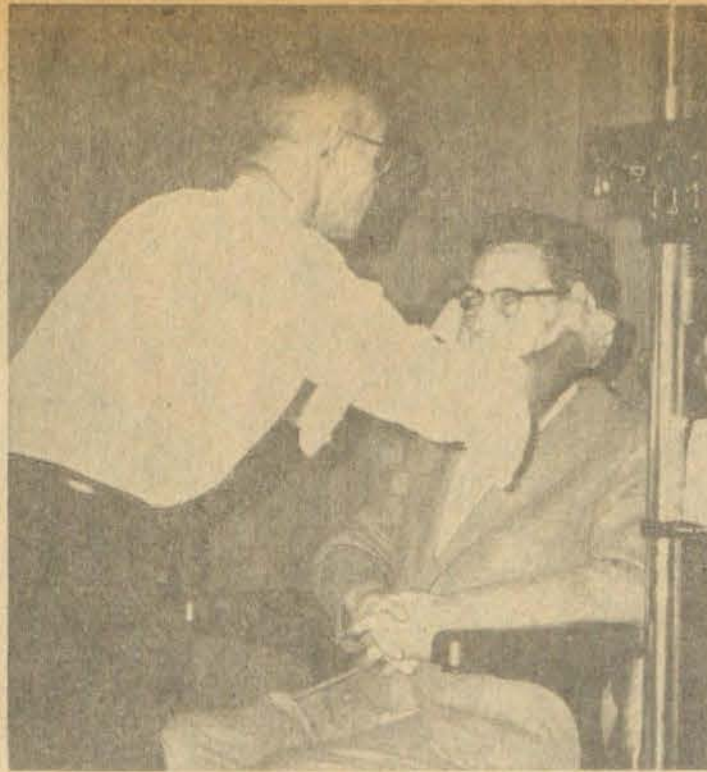
**Anthology Featuring Native Poets' Work Set for Publication**

The first anthology of the work of native Kentucky poets will be published in January, according to the announcement of THE FRIENDS OF KENTUCKY LIBRARIES, Louisville, a literary organization of which Mrs. Garnet Bale, Elizabethtown, Ky., is secretary.

The volume will feature the work of native Kentucky poets, and the organization has been busy this past year compiling and selecting the work to be included in the volume, which will be ready for distribution the first part of February. Among the regional writers to be included in the volume are Sylvia Trent Auxier and Truda McCoy, both of Pikeville, Lillian D. Chaffins, of Meta, and Rufus M. Reed, of Lovely, Ky.

**P.T.A. MEETING CANCELLED**

The Prestonsburg Grade School Parent-Teacher Association has cancelled its meeting tonight (Thursday), it is announced. The next meeting is scheduled January 9.



**HAS SIGHT RESTORED—Dr. H. E. Midkiff, Prestonsburg optometrist, fits glasses Monday for Tommy Vinson, former Wayland miner, who had his sight restored by surgery at Louisville, November 8. Surgery was sponsored by the Prestonsburg Lions Club through the facilities of Kentucky Lions Eye Foundation. Vinson was partially blind for 10 years, totally so one year preceding the operation.**

**Rev. Dorsey Scheduled To Speak At Richmond At Traditional Meet**

Richmond, Ky.—The Christmas season at Eastern Kentucky State College will be formally ushered in Sunday with the traditional Hanging of the Greens and the presentation of Handel's "Messiah."

At 7:30 p.m. in Hiram Brock Auditorium, a powerful 250-voice chorus, under the direction of James E. Van Peursem, head of the Eastern Department of Music, will present the 32nd annual oratorio.

Earlier, at 4 p.m., the 34th annual Hanging of the Greens ceremony will be held in Walnut Hall. Dr. Harold M. Dorsey, superintendent of the Danville District, Methodist Church will be the principal speaker.

Soloists for the "Messiah" will be Miss Lili Chookasian, contralto from the Metropolitan Opera; John McCollum, tenor from New York City; Miss Mary Lewis, soprano, and Donald Henrickson, bass, both of the Eastern faculty.

**PLAZA TO BE RENAMED**

Atlantic City, N. J.—The City commissioners announced yesterday that the plaza on the boardwalk in front of Convention Hall will be named in honor of President John Kennedy.

**Merry Christmas**  
 Jim Goble  
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**ICEBERG ALERT GIVEN**

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New York, N. Y.—The Old Dominican Foundation has made a grant of \$500,000 to the National Cultural Center in Washington, foundation founder Paul Mellon announced Wednesday.

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 Finally, when he walked into the brush whence the birds had come, he made a startling discovery about how well-trained that Alabama dog was.  
 "You know," the visitor told Crum, "that dog had those birds holed up and was lettin' them out, one at a time, so that Kentucky boy could shoot 'em down!"

**AND MORE**

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By the way, do you agree with me that some of these TV weather forecasts must have been pre-recorded?

Miami, Fla. — Radio Havana says Cuba has agreed to buy 500 tons of Uruguayan corned beef.

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 three years; Burl Spurlock and Harris S. Howard, both of Prestonsburg, for two years.  
 Construction of the college building here is under way but is not expected to be completed in time for classwork before the fall term, 1965. Foundation work has been completed by the contractors, Astor Meade and W. R. Kendrick, but winter weather is expected to slow the undertaking.

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 He revealed that he had appointed Lieutenant-Governor Waterfield as chairman of the Economic Development Commission to succeed Wilson Wyatt, the retiring Lieutenant-Governor.  
 Breathitt said he had asked Combs to serve as special adviser on Appalachian problems. He reiterated his promise to add \$5 million to the rural highway fund and to increase funds for education.

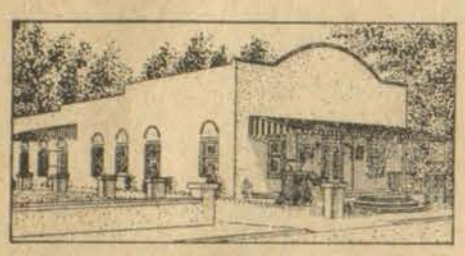
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 ple permitting them to have training with training allowance at age 17. Perkins said that this provision was particularly important and significant especially now that the bill contained an adequate safeguard against encouraging young people to drop out of school to secure its benefits.

Congressman Perkins was acting chairman of the House Education and Labor Committee on October 18 when the bill broadening and extending the Manpower Development and Training Act was reported to the House of Representatives.

Perkins emphasized that the hope in many of the economically depressed areas of the country, particularly in Eastern Kentucky, is to attract and develop new commercial and industrial enterprises. These efforts will be aided materially if our labor surplus is well trained in modern technical skills. Up until the present time the Manpower Development and Training Act has been able to recruit and train those unemployed persons who had already attained a comparatively high level of education. "This is why," said Perkins, "that we must have these amendments so that training courses can be lengthened in order to furnish unemployed persons with the income and the time to be trained and educated for the new and higher paying jobs of modern times."

Perkins said that nobody in Washington was pretending that the Manpower Development and Training Act, even with the strengthening amendments, furnished a complete solution to the unemployment problems of Eastern Kentucky. "The economic problems of Eastern Kentucky will show marked improvements," said Perkins, "when modern roads and highways, flood control reservoirs as well as such programs as the Manpower Development and Training Act are undertaken on a large scale through every county of the area."

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### Mrs. Sarah DeLong, 81, Of Johns Creek Section Dies of 2-Week Illness

Mrs. Sarah DeLong, 81, resident of Johns Creek, died in a Paintsville hospital at 8:30 a.m. Sunday, December 1, after an illness of two weeks.

Mrs. DeLong was born at Van Lear January 8, 1882, the daughter of the late Thomas and Nancy Music Sammons. She had made her home at Johns Creek for the past fifty-one years and was a member of the Church of Christ.

Her husband, Ben DeLong, preceded her in death, April 19, 1958.

Survivors include three sons, Curtis, Mitchell and Willie DeLong, all of Johns Creek; three daughters, Mrs. Nancy Stewart, Huntington, W. Va.; Mrs. Ruby Boyd, Cleveland, Ohio; Mrs. Audrey Dearfield, Delbarton, W. Va.; three brothers, John and Tom Sammons, Meally, Martin Sammons, Thelma; two sisters, Nerve Franklin, Concord; Martha Davis, Huntington, W. Va.; a half-sister, Mrs. Menzie Hartman, Baltimore, Md. Also surviving are thirty-three grandchildren, fifty great-grandchildren and two great-great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were conducted at 1 p.m., Tuesday, Dec. 3, at the Philadelphia Church of Christ at Johns Creek with Hershell Short and S. C. Honeycutt as officiating ministers. Burial was in the DeLong cemetery at Johns Creek.

With every gift you give, include a gift of health. Use Christmas Seals on all your cards and packages.

### KY. LAKE MEET TO PICK NEW LEGISLATIVE LEADERS

Frankfort, Ky., Dec. 9 — Key leadership posts in House and Senate may be at stake next week during a pre-legislative conference at Kentucky Dam Village State Park.

After the 100 House and 38 Senate members finish their meetings Monday and Tuesday, they will organize unofficially. Actual selections will be mainly a formality when the regular session starts in January.

The only lawmaker apparently certain of staying at an important post is highly respected Representative R. P. Moloney, of Lexington, the House majority leader.

There has been much discussion and political jockeying in connection with other plums.

A key vacancy was left by House Speaker Harry King Lowman, Ashland Democrat, when he lost his November bid for reelection.

Under active consideration is Representative Shelby McCallum, Benton Democrat, a close friend and business associate of Governor-elect Edward T. Breathitt. Also mentioned are Richard Frymire, Madisonville Democrat; Julian Carroll, Paducah Democrat, and John Swinford, Cynthiana Democrat, the only prospect not from Western Kentucky.

Little or no struggle is expected for House minority leader, a post now held by Wayland Rendon, Centertown Republican. The Republicans have increased their House strength from 26 to 37.

In the Senate, attention is focused on majority leader—a position now held by James Ware, of Covington.

Ware has indicated privately he

would not be adverse to becoming Senate pro-tem president. His friend and neighbor, 70-year-old Alvin Kidwell, Sparta Democrat, now holds that position.

Ware also appears willing to serve another term as floor leader if that seems best for the party. Should Ware become president pro-tem, however, the field of would-be successors is wide.

A reliable source said the latest and strongest prospect is Senator Martin "Mike" Duffy, of Louisville.

Also in the running are Shelby Kinkead, of Lexington, Tom Garrett, of Paducah, and Casper "Cap" Gardner, of Owensboro, regarded as a dark horse.

Senator Durham Howard, Pineville Democrat, is expected to continue as minority leader. The G.O.P. has increased its Senate representation from nine to 13.

Lieutenant Governor-elect Harry Lee Waterfield automatically becomes Senate president.

Registration for the prelegislative conference is scheduled Sunday afternoon.

Breathitt will give the welcoming address Monday morning and a host of state officials will spend the next two days explaining finances and their roles in government. The legislative caucuses will be held Tuesday afternoon.

The prelegislative sessions began in 1949 during the Administration of Earle Clements. They were discontinued by Governor A. B. Chandler, then resumed by Governor Bert T. Combs.

#### IN APPRECIATION

The family of Mrs. Elizabeth White wish to express their sincere appreciation to all friends and relatives who assisted in any way to lighten our hearts in our deep sorrow. Thanks very much for the lovely floral tributes, delicious food and car service at a time when our need was great. Especially do we thank the ministers, Rev. Ira McMillen and Rev. W. D. Jagers, for their consoling words, the Baptist Choir for the beautiful music, and the Floyd Funeral Home for its efficient services. These kindnesses will not be forgotten.

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Copies may be obtained at the office of George Lee Shannon located at Prestonsburg, Kentucky, upon payment of \$25.00 for each set. Any unsuccessful bidder, upon returning such set promptly and in good condition, will be refunded his payment, and any non-bidder upon so returning such a set will be refunded \$10.00.

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All high school seniors in the Pikeville area will be honored at a "Senior Night" at Pikeville College on Saturday, December 14, Dr. B. H. Jarman, president of Pikeville College, has announced.

A full evening's entertainment is planned for those seniors who attend this first such affair at the college.

The evening will get under way at 6 p.m. when the Pikeville College Cubs meet the East Tennessee Tech freshmen on the basketball court in the college gymnasium. At 8 p.m., the Pikeville College Bears will play Campbellsville College. A dance will be held immediately following this game.

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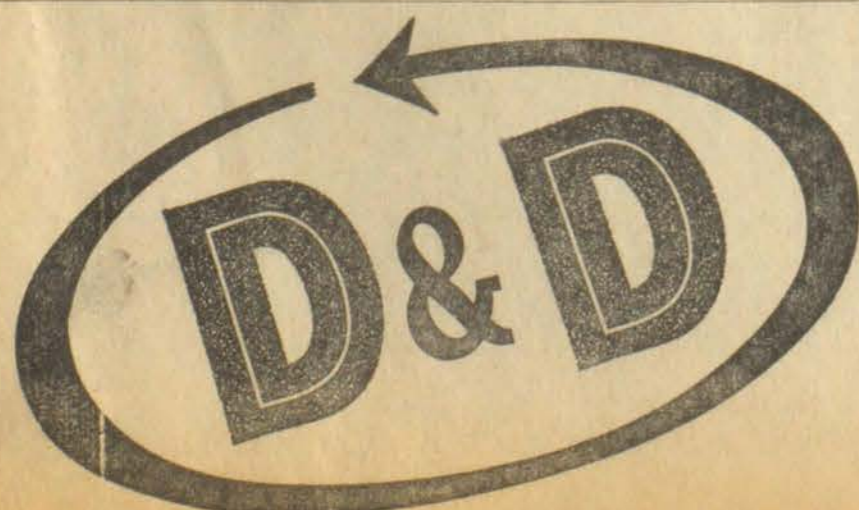


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**THE BIG DAY IS ALMOST HERE.** Plans are well under way for parties, dinners, presents, surprises of all kinds. And most of them mean lots of work for the lady of the house. May we suggest a very *personal* way to celebrate Christmas. No work . . . not much time required . . . very little cost. Telephone calls to friends and relatives near and far! Send your good wishes over the miles by telephone. The sound of voices we love is the very nicest kind of gift to give or to receive.

**ALEXANDER GRAHAM BELL** would be interested in the things going on at Abilities, Inc., a manufacturing company near New York City. Every one of over 400 employees is handicapped in some way. The company originally started ten years ago with four employees with just one good leg and five arms among them! A big part of the work they do is for Western Electric, supplier of Bell System communications equipment. Mr. Bell's interest in helping the handicapped grew out of his work with deaf people. And out of this grew his interest in the whole field of communications.

**MYSTERY.** A woman in New Orleans couldn't understand why her friends complained that she often picked up her phone when it rang and then didn't answer. So she kept an eye on the phone. Seems that a cat whose naps were being disturbed had learned to knock the receiver off the hook with his paw, then take up his nap where he'd left off. The problem was solved when the bell chime was installed. Now the cat purrs when the chime chimes. Both lady and cat are enjoying the new sound of their telephone.

Your friends at Southern Bell hope you and your family have the Merriest Christmas and the Happiest New Year ever!


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## James Tandy Cecil Claimed by Death At Banner, Dec. 4

James Tandy Cecil, 75, of Banner, died Wednesday last week at home following an illness of six months. He was a former miner and retired highway employee.

Mr. Cecil was a son of William Harve Cecil and Flora Layne Cecil. He was twice married, first to Rosa Belle Gunnells and after her death to Kathleen Elkins, who survives. Surviving are two sons and a daughter: James Cecil, Jr., of Emma, William Morse Cecil, Lincoln Park, Michigan, and Mrs. Flora Virginia Owens, of Banner. Surviving are a step-son, Earl Honaker, U. S. Army in Germany, and two step-daughters, Miss Kay Francis Honaker, Elk City, Oklahoma, and Miss Carlos Honaker, at home. Surviving brothers and sisters are Samuel Cecil, of Banner, Prichard Cecil, Lexington, Andrew J. Cecil, Elk City, Oklahoma, Estill Cecil, Lincoln Park, Michigan, William McKinley Cecil, Detroit, Michigan, Earl Cecil, also of Elk City, Mrs. Anna Castle, and Mrs. Willa Bea Adkins, both of Harold, Mrs. Mimie Taylor, of Detroit, Mrs. Mary Hall, Garden City, Michigan, Mrs. Edna Napier, Flint, Michigan.

Funeral services were held Saturday at the home, the Revs. Isaac Stratton, William Amburgey and Doug Burkett officiating. Burial was made in the family cemetery under the direction of Hall Brothers Funeral Home.



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Sunday School	9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship	10:55 a.m.
Ladies' and Men's Prayer Meeting	7:00 p.m.
Junior M.Y.F.	6:45 p.m.
Senior M.Y.F.	6:30 p.m.
Evening Evangelistic Hour	7:30 p.m.
Prayer Meeting Wednesday Evening	7:30 p.m.
Men's Prayer Meeting	7:00 a.m.
Saturday	7:00 a.m.

Everyone Welcome

## LOUISA SITE OF MEETING

### Area Baptists To Meet Tonight; Rally To Hear Education Fund Plan

The largest gathering of Baptists in their history of denominational work in the Northeastern section of Kentucky is expected for the regional rally being held for the CHRISTIAN EDUCATION ADVANCE phase of the cooperative support program of the Kentucky Baptist Convention.

The meeting in this region is scheduled at the Louisa Baptist Church at Louisa tonight (Thursday).

Pastors, deacons, department leaders, and members of congregations of 88 churches in the Enterprise, Greenup, Pike, and Red River Associations have been invited to attend this meeting to learn of the capital needs of Baptist institutions of Christian Education in Kentucky.

Included in the CHRISTIAN EDUCATION ADVANCE program are seven Baptist Colleges and schools, seven Baptist Student Union Centers and two camp sites at Cedarmore. Among these colleges and schools are Cumberland College, Oneida Institute, and Clear Creek Baptist School which are located in the eastern section of Kentucky.

Leading Baptists from throughout this section of Kentucky will be present to speak to the large gathering of church groups, according to the Rev. Ira McMillen, Jr., of Ashland, regional pastor chairman of the statewide program and pastor of the Unity Baptist Church, and the Rev. James Grayson, Association pastor chairman and host pastor for the rally.

Scheduled for major presentations on the program of the rally are Dr. D. M. Aldridge, president of Clear Creek Baptist School; Arthur J. Points, regional men's chairman, of Ashland; Mike Sloane, BSU Director at Morehead College; Rev. W. D. Jagers, of Prestonsburg, and pastor chairman of Enterprise Association; Rev. W. W. Thompson, of Jackson, and pastor chairman of Red River Association; Dr. Verlin C. Kruschwitz, statewide pastor chairman; Cecil V. Cook, Jr., of Louisville, campaign director, and Ira McMillen, Jr., who will present the suggested Association and church goals in the \$9,056,000 capital funds campaign.

Nationwide 54,652 new cases of tuberculosis were reported in 1962 as compared to 53,726 in 1961. This is the first nationwide increase in more than a decade. Help check tuberculosis. Contribute today for Christmas Seals.

### PECAN CROP LARGER

This year's pecan crop is 66 percent larger than the five-year average, she says; in shell pecans will be emphasized in December. The Southeast has produced large crops of high quality peanuts, too; peanut products also will be plentiful. You can choose among various varieties and sizes of apples for eating out-of-hand and for cooking; those sold in transparent bags will be the best bargain.

### CAREERS IN HORTICULTURE IS MAJOR THEME

Lexington, Ky.—Careers in the horticultural field is the major theme this week at the 29th annual meeting of the National Junior Vegetable Growers Association now in session in Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania. Sixteen Kentucky 4-H Club boys and girls are among those attending this national event.

TIMES WANT ADS PAY

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You'll find generous supplies of beef at attractive prices this month. USDA reports that fed beef prices in October were \$4.50 a hundredweight below prices a year earlier and may decline further before the end of the year. Plenty of pork will be available and prices are expected to remain low throughout the month. An abundance of fine quality turkeys also is available for holiday cooking.

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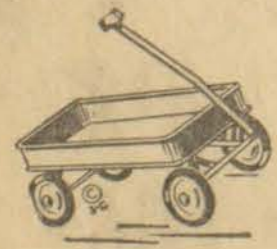
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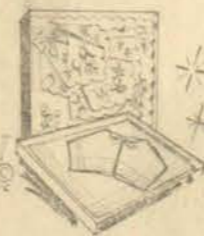
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**BLACK PLASTIC FILM**  
Lexington, Ky. — Fall-planted, spring-flowering bulbs can be covered with a sheet of black plastic film as soon as they have been planted and watered in, according to Earl H. New, UK Extension horticulture specialist. This makes a satisfactory mulch since most spring-flowering, hardy bulbs that are newly-planted need little mulching for winter protection in Kentucky.

## WARD HOLDS ROADS POST

Commissioner Will Retain Highway Job

Henry Ward, Kentucky's commissioner of highways, will not be among the top-level appointive officials to go or to be transferred to a new position as a new Administration takes the reins at Frankfort.

Prior to his inauguration Tuesday, Governor Edward T. Breathitt announced that he would reappoint Ward, and Ward already has said he would accept renewal of his tenure as highways chief.

Breathitt had said frequently during his campaign that he would ask Ward to continue in the post he has held since 1960.

"The program Henry Ward has conducted for the past three years has already drawn national recognition," Breathitt said. "His efforts as highway commissioner during the next four years will have my strong support as Governor."

Ward said he took the job originally "because of the challenge it offered to contribute to the state and I'm keeping it because of the challenge. I hope to serve as long as I have the conviction that I'm doing a satisfactory job."

Ward said that after talking with Breathitt earlier this month, he is convinced that Breathitt "is completely sincere about doing something worthwhile for Kentucky, both in highways and in other important areas."

Ward said that "continuity of direction is vital for the success of a highway program and that such continuity has been sadly lacking during most of the history of the Kentucky Highway Department."

He added that he has drawn "considerable personal pleasure" from the opportunity to run the Highway Department under outgoing Governor Bert T. Combs.

Ward, a resident of Louisville, is a McCracken county native. For many years he was a Paducah newspaperman and a state legislator. He also has been state conservation commissioner and general manager of the Louisville Chamber of Commerce.

## MAYTOWN'S TALLENT OUTSTANDING PLAYER

Seven years have passed since Wayland's fabulous "King-Kelly" Coleman established several new Kentucky high school basketball scoring records which still stand, but Maytown's sensational Bob Tallent has Eastern Kentucky fans scurrying to the record books.

Tallent, now a senior at Maytown high, has played six games thus far in the 1963-'64 season and this is what he has contributed to his team's effort:

In the opening game against Wayland, he scored 46 points and grabbed 22 rebounds; second game against HELLER, 39 points and 20 rebounds; third game against GARRETT, 38 points and 16 rebounds; fourth game against WHEELWRIGHT, 42 points, 22 rebounds; fifth game against Betsy Layne, 49 points, 23 rebounds; and sixth game against McDowell in the first round of the Floyd county tournament here last Wednesday, 36 points and 17 rebounds.

In six games against teams that have compiled a 30-9 mark, he has totaled 250 points for 41.2 per game scoring mark and a rebounding number of 20 per game.

Tallent, unlike Coleman, who had four other outstanding players with him at Wayland, is one of 13 players who came out for basketball at Maytown, although he has been a regular all four seasons. Two of the team's starters are sophomores and two are freshmen.

In his freshman year, while playing with older brother, Bill, who now starts on the varsity for Presbyterian College in Clinton, South Carolina, Bob averaged 10.1. Then in his sophomore year he spurred to a 22.1 average and last year was the area's highest individual scorer with 28.3 points per game slate for 27 contests.

Tallent can play either forward or guard equally well, but Coach Eugene Frasure feels that he helps the team more at a guard position. He is possibly the region's best shot, with a shooting percentage of 69.7, and is adept at passing off to teammates, when usually three and four players guard him.

His best shot is a jumping one-hander from outside the foul circle, but if a defensive player comes out to stop him he is fast enough to go around him for a driving crisp shot.

The six-foot-two-inch, 17-year-old youth is considered by many major league baseball scouts as an outstanding prospect. He is a pitcher on the Wildcat nine and has spent the past four summers playing baseball in a Miami (Florida) amateur league.

His academic achievements are almost certain to earn him the place of valedictorian of his class. He has made all "A's" in his studies. His first two six week's grades were A's in such courses as Chemistry, Advanced American Government, English IV, Foundations of Advanced Math.

Coach Adolph Rupp of the University of Kentucky has already reserved a 1964-'65 scholarship for the agile youngster, and he has been a frequent visitor to U. of K.'s athletic events over the past two seasons.

He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Jones Tallent, of Langley. His father was an all-K.I.A.C. basketball forward at Morehead State College in the late '30's and early '40's.

### MASTER COMMISSIONER'S SALE

FLOYD CIRCUIT COURT CR 4448

Time Finance Co., Plaintiff.

Inc., vs. NOTICE OF SALE

Nola Mae Stone, Tim Stone, Curtis Wells and Gracie Wells, Defendants.

By virtue of a judgment and order of sale of the Floyd Circuit Court rendered and entered at the November term, 1963, in the above styled cause I shall proceed to offer for sale at the Courthouse door in Prestonsburg, Kentucky, to the highest and best bidder, at public auction, on the 23 day of December, 1963, at 10 o'clock, a.m., same being the first day of the regular term of the Floyd County Court, upon a credit of six (6) months, the following described property, to-wit:

One Zenith TV set, 17-inch; one Philco Refrigerator; one Dixie Gas Range; one Philco washer; one Green Sofa; one Green Chair; two end tables, one half size bed, one double metal bed, one oak dresser, four mahogany chairs, one mahogany table, one mahogany buffet, four white chairs, one white table, one white cabinet, one book case, one rollaway bed, one walnut three-piece bedroom suit.

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

Given under my hand, this 7 day of December, 1963.

J. B. CLARKE  
Master Commissioner  
Floyd Circuit Court

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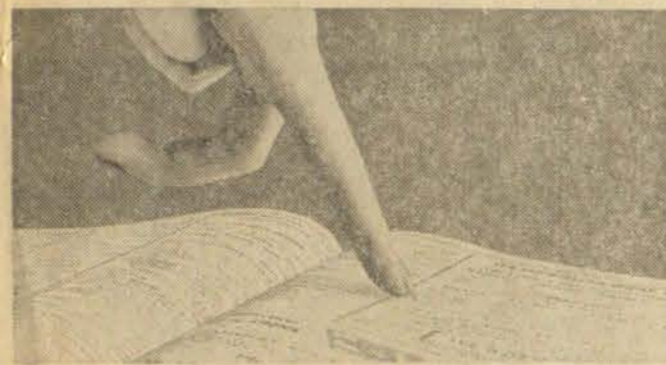
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FLOYD CIRCUIT COURT CR 4371

Time Finance Co., Plaintiff.

Inc., vs. NOTICE OF SALE

Alice Waugh and Hershell Waugh, Defendants.

By virtue of a judgment and order of sale of the Floyd Circuit Court rendered and entered at the November term, 1963, in the above styled cause I shall proceed to offer for sale at the Courthouse door in Prestonsburg, Kentucky, to the highest and best bidder, at public auction, on the 23 day of December, 1963, at 10 o'clock, a.m., same being the first day of the regular term of the Floyd County Court, upon a credit of six (6) months, the following described property, to-wit:

One Zenith TV, 1 Hot Point Refrigerator, 1 brown sofa, 1 brown chair, 1 Warm Morning Cold Stove, 1 bookcase, smoking stand style.

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

Given under my hand, this 7 day of December, 1963.

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Master Commissioner  
Floyd Circuit Court

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**Nancy Jane Ousley, 53, Former Risner Woman, Victim at Warsaw, Ind.**

Mrs. Nancy Jane Ousley, 53, formerly of Risner, this county, died Thursday last week at Warsaw, Indiana. She had been ill three years.

Mrs. Ousley was the wife of Leonard Ousley, who survives, and the daughter of the late William Salmons and Mrs. Mary Pitts Salmons, who survives. She was a member of the Regular Baptist Church for 30 years. Surviving daughters are Mrs. Edith Ousley, of Langley, Mrs. Evalene Campbell, Palm Harbor, Florida, and Mrs. Lucille Wright, in Indiana. Surviving brothers and sisters are Berlie Salmons, Mrs. Roxie Prater, Mrs. June Prater and Mrs. Effie Reffett, all of Risner, Alex Salmons, Lorain, Ohio, Mrs. Mima Ousley, Sidney, Indiana, and Mrs. Dacey Stephens, of Lancer.

Funeral services were held Sunday at the Coal Spring Regular Baptist Church, the Revs. Bamer Manns, Mack McCloud and Troy Hall officiating. Burial was made in the Riley Hall cemetery at Allen under the direction of Hall Brothers Funeral Home.

**Campton To Get Federal Grant**

Washington, D. C., Dec. 3—A \$107,293 grant to help build sewer facilities at Campton, Kentucky, was announced Tuesday.

The facilities are to include a sewage-treatment plant, a pumping station, and mains. The total cost is estimated at \$143,054.

The grant, made by the Community Facilities Administration under the Accelerated Public Works Act, was announced through the office of Representative Carl D. Perkins (D., Ky.).

Community Facilities also announced a grant of \$116,633 and a loan of \$39,000 to Quicksand Water District at Jackson, Kentucky, to build a water-distribution system.

**Invitation To Bidders**

Housing Project Ky. 38-1

The Martin Municipal Housing Commission of the City of Martin, Kentucky, will receive bids for the erection and completion of 49 dwelling units and administration-maintenance building and lawns and planting work for its Project KY-38-1, all in the City of Martin, Kentucky, until 2:00 p.m., E.S.T., on the 15th day of January, 1964, at City Hall, Martin, Kentucky, at which time and place all bids will be publicly opened and read aloud.

Proposed forms of contract documents, including plans and specifications are on file at the office of the Martin Municipal Housing Commission, Martin, Kentucky, and at the office of McLoney and Tune/Architects, 623 East Main Street, Lexington, Kentucky.

For the public use of material men and subcontractors, plans and specifications will be on file at the following offices:

F. W. Dodge Corporation, 1294 Mortgage Guarantee Building, 133 Carnegie Way, N.E., Atlanta 3, Georgia.

F. W. Dodge Corporation, 6934 Tennessee Avenue, Charleston, West Virginia.

F. W. Dodge Corporation, 2323 Kemper Lane, Cincinnati 2, Ohio, Dodge Plan Room, Post Office Box 5125, Colonial Heights Branch, Kingsport, Tennessee.

F. W. Dodge Corporation, 829 Tulip Avenue, N.W., Knoxville, Tennessee.

F. W. Dodge Corporation, 719 West High Street, Lexington, Kentucky.

F. W. Dodge Corporation, 849 Barrett Avenue, Louisville, Kentucky.

Builder's Exchange, 123 East Brandeis Street, Louisville, Kentucky.

Copies of documents may be obtained by depositing \$50.00 with the Martin Municipal Housing Commission, Martin, Kentucky, for each set of documents so obtained. Such deposit will be refunded to each person who returns the plans, specifications and other documents in good condition within 10 days after bid opening.

A certified check or bank draft, payable to the Martin Municipal Housing Commission, U. S. Government bonds, or a satisfactory bid bond executed by the bidder and acceptable sureties in an amount equal to five (5) percent of the bid shall be submitted with each bid. The successful bidder will be required to furnish and pay for satisfactory performance and payment bond or bonds.

Attention is called to the fact that not less than the minimum salaries and wages as set forth in the Specifications must be paid on this project.

The Martin Municipal Housing Commission reserves the right to reject any or all bids or to waive any informalities in the bidding.

No bid shall be withdrawn for a period of thirty (30) days subsequent to the opening of bids without the consent of the Martin Municipal Housing Commission.

MARTIN MUNICIPAL HOUSING COMMISSION  
Martin, Kentucky  
RAY E. ALLEN,  
Executive Director

McLoney and Tune/Architects  
Lexington, Kentucky  
Date: December 12, 1963  
12-12-34

**SHERIFF'S SALE  
PIKE CIRCUIT COURT  
No. 6869**

Eiswick Auto Sales, Plaintiff  
Vs.: NOTICE OF SALE  
Merritt Trucking  
Company, Defendant.

By virtue of a judgment and order of sale of the Pike Circuit Court rendered and entered November 27, 1963, in the above styled case I or one of my deputies will proceed to offer for sale at the courthouse door in Prestonsburg, Kentucky, on December 21 at 10 a.m. to the highest and best bidder the following described property:

One Model 28 Compton Coal Augur with diesel motor attached and including seven augurs. This property may be seen near Wheelwright Junction, Floyd county, Kentucky.

Terms of sale are one-half down with note for three months balance at six percent interest.

Given under my hand, this 14th day of December, 1963.

HENRY C. HALE  
Sheriff  
Floyd County, Ky.

12-5-34

**CARD OF THANKS**

We wish to thank everyone who visited us upon the passing of our loved one, Madge Gayheart Osborne. We thank those who brought food and flowers and who helped in any way; the Ministers for their services; and the Hall Brothers Funeral Home for its work and sympathy shown the family.

MR. EMMITT OSBORNE  
and  
The GAYHEART FAMILY

**Amba Woman Dies  
At Hospital Here  
Of 4-Year Illness**

Mrs. Cassie King Salisbury, 69, of Amba, died Friday at the Prestonsburg General hospital. She had been in failing health four years.

Mrs. Salisbury was the widow of Lack Salisbury and the daughter of Samuel King and Evelyn Walters King. She was a member of the Church of Christ for 41 years.

Surviving son and four daughters are Tommy Salisbury and Mrs. Zella May Tackett, both of Tran, Mrs. Gracie Hunt, of Harold, Mrs. Delsie Hamilton, of Amba, and Mrs. Bernice Spears, Trenton, Michigan. One brother, Marion Click, Seattle, Washington, survives, as does a half-sister, Mrs. Dixie Ratliff, Pikeville.

Funeral rites were conducted Sunday from the home of Millard Hamilton at Amba, the Rev. Fred Gearheart and others officiating. Burial was made in the family cemetery at Amba under the direction of Hall Brothers Funeral Home.

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The Floyd County Board of Education will accept the lowest and best bids for science materials and equipment delivered to our eight high schools until 12 o'clock noon, January 4, 1964. For complete details see Wayne Ratliff, Assistant County Superintendent of Schools.

The Board reserves the right to accept any and all bids.

FLOYD COUNTY (Ky.)  
BOARD OF EDUCATION  
By Charles F. Clark,  
Superintendent  
12-12-34

**BLANKETS ARE WELCOME**

Lexington, Ky. — Blankets are always welcome Christmas gifts, since few families have more blankets than they need, notes Miss Marian Bartlett, UK Extension specialist in home furnishings. She gives these suggestions on selecting blankets as gifts for your friends or for use in your own home.

**Funeral Services Held  
For Harry J. Gregory,  
Victim of Auto Wreck**

Funeral rites were conducted Saturday at 1 p.m. from the Martin high school auditorium for Harry James Gregory, 16, of Martin, who was killed Wednesday, December 4, in an auto collision on the Auxier road.

Surviving are the victim's parents, Harry and Wanda Rudder Gregory, of Martin; one sister, Linda May Gregory, and three brothers, David, William and Rommie Gregory, all at home.

Rev. Lee Sloat officiated at the funeral services and burial was made in the Dingus cemetery at Dinwood under the direction of Ryan Funeral Home.

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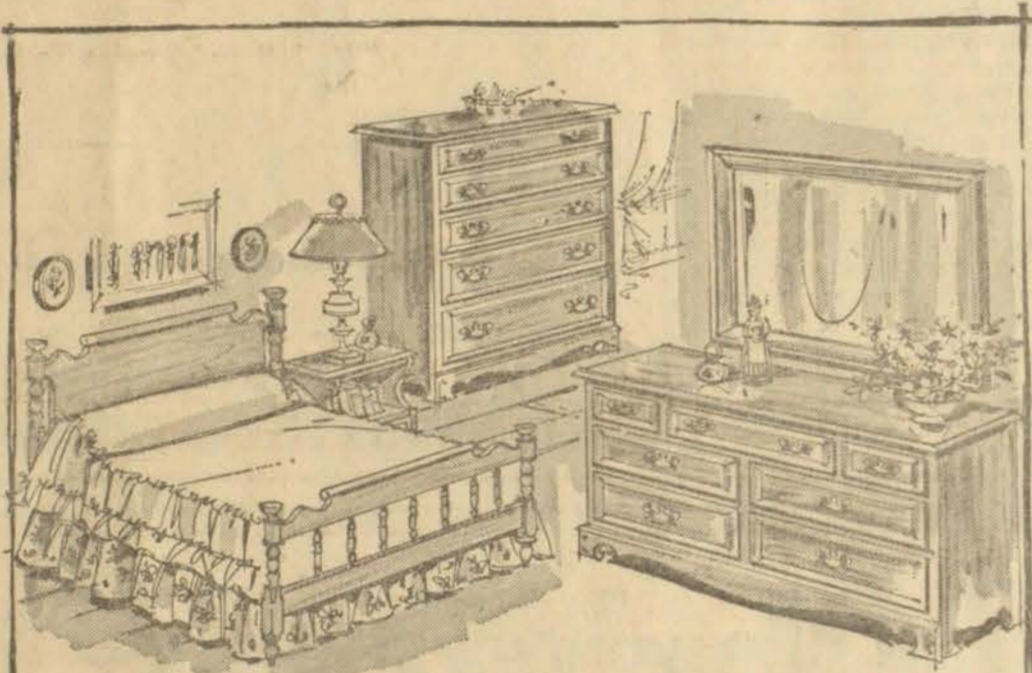
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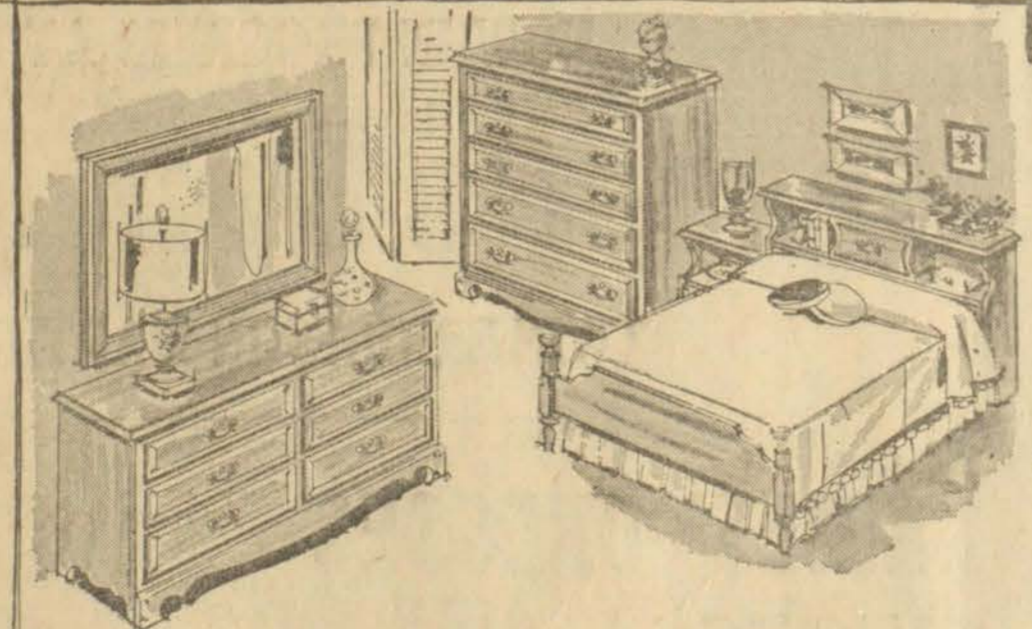
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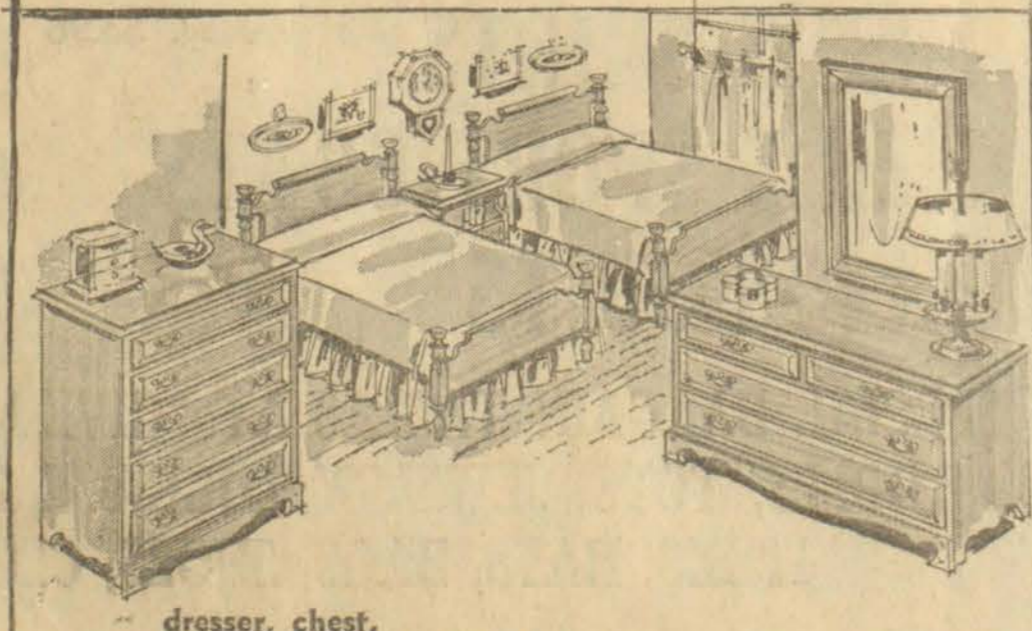
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### Mrs. Zella Burchett, Age 74, Floyd Native, Victim In Oklahoma

Mrs. Zella Ward Burchett, 74, Floyd county native, died December 2 at Hominy, Oklahoma. She had been in ill health for several months but death from a heart attack was sudden and unexpected.

Mrs. Burchett was the wife of Fred Burchett, who survives, and the daughter of Rev. Ali Ward and Elizabeth Setser Ward. She and her husband moved to Oklahoma approximately 35 years ago.

Surviving son and daughters are Mrs. Hazel Moon, Mrs. Nellie Bascus and Mrs. Helen Grace Thornton, all in Oklahoma, Tommy Burchett, in Colorado, and Mrs. Gusstie Hurd, in Texas. Brothers and sisters surviving are John Ward, Prestonsburg, Elijah Ward, Pikeville, Halcolm Ward, in Michigan, Dave Ward, New Port Ritchie, Florida, Mrs. Myrtle Collins, Wheelwright, and Maggie, Davella, Kentucky.

Funeral rites were conducted Wednesday of last week from a funeral home chapel at Hominy and burial was made there.

#### CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our sincere thanks to our friends and neighbors for their kindness upon the recent death of our beloved husband and father, and to those who brought food and sent flowers. We wish to thank the ministers for their comforting words and the Hickey Funeral Home of Monticello and the Hall Brothers Funeral Home for their efficient service.

MRS. BERT T. JONES  
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Lexington, Ky.—Two University of Kentucky Agricultural Extension Service specialists were honored at the specialist group's annual banquet in the U.K. Student Center, Friday, December 6.

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### KNOTT NEEDY ARE AIDED

**By Food Stamp Plan;  
Horn Reports \$683,222  
In Coupons Are Issued**

Hindman, Ky.—The U. S. Department of Agriculture's pilot food stamp project for needy families in Knott county recently began its second year.

Knott county joined the federal food stamp program on December 3, 1962. It is one of three eastern Kentucky counties participating in the pilot food stamp program. Floyd county began its project on June 1, 1961, and the Perry county program opened on March 4, 1963.

The three projects are parts of an overall program of USDA's Agricultural Marketing Service to test out another means of using the nation's agricultural abundance to improve the diets of low-income families by increasing their food purchasing power.

Carl Horn, representative of the Agricultural Marketing Service supervising the eastern Kentucky food stamp projects, reports that \$683,222 worth of food stamp coupons were issued to eligible Knott families during the 12-month period by the Kentucky Department of Economic Security. The state agency assists the Agricultural Marketing Service in administering the food stamp program in Kentucky.

Of the total amount received, the participants were required to buy \$230,036 worth of coupons, Horn said. They received the remainder free of charge. The bonus coupons are given to the families to help them buy more and better food at retail grocery stores—the purpose of the food stamp program.

Horn said the participating families are required to purchase an amount of coupons about equal to what they had been spending for food to insure that the program actually results in increased food purchases.

Miss Sara Lee Honn, field social service supervisor for the Kentucky Department of Economic Security in Knott county, said 4,655 persons, or about 886 families, purchased food stamp coupons in the county during November. This was 88 persons less than in October, and down 1,219 from the 5,874 persons who received coupons in February—the highest participation in any month since the project began in Knott county.

Ralph E. Wells, field social service supervisor for the Department of Economic Security in Perry county, said 5,596 persons in Perry county received food coupons in November.

In Floyd county, 5,424 persons participated in the food stamp program last month, according to Mrs. Nell L. Howell, social service supervisor for that county.

#### MASTER COMMISSIONER'S SALE

FLOYD CIRCUIT COURT  
CR 4519

Time Finance Company,  
Inc., Plaintiff,  
Vs.: NOTICE OF SALE  
Mace McKinney and  
Arizona McKinney, ... Defendant.

By virtue of a judgment and order of sale of the Floyd Circuit Court rendered and entered at the November term, 1963, in the above styled cause I shall proceed to offer for sale at the Courthouse door in Prestonsburg, Kentucky, to the highest and best bidder, at public auction, on the 23 day of December, 1963, at 10 o'clock, a.m., same being the first day of the regular term of the Floyd County Court, upon a credit of six (6) months, the following described property, to-wit:

One Zenith 17-inch T.V., 1 Westinghouse Refrigerator, 1 Range Gravel gas, 1 Singer Sewing Machine, 1 Maytag Washer, 1 Westinghouse Dryer, 1 Red Sofa, 3 green and red chairs, 3 tables, 1 table lamp, 1 Radio, 2 double beds, 1 dresser, 1 three-piece bedroom suit, 6 chairs, blue and white, 1 table blue and white, 1 white cabinet, and 1 vacuum Ureburn.

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

Given under my hand, this 23 day of December, 1963.

J. B. CLARKE  
Master Commissioner  
Floyd Circuit Court

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#### MASTER COMMISSIONER'S SALE

FLOYD CIRCUIT COURT  
CR 4164

Mathew Kidd, Etc., ... Plaintiff,

Vs.: NOTICE OF SALE

Jim Steele and  
Martha Steele, ... Defendants.

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#### MANTON

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Boyd entertained at their home Sunday "The Inspiration Four" from Auxier, Mr. and Mrs. Paris Goble, Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Wells, Mr. and Mrs. Ballard Stephens, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin May and children and Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Burkett.

Dedication services were held at the Church of God, Estill, Ky., Sunday. The Martin Harmonizers sang. At the close of the services coffee, cake and sandwiches were served.

Lexington, Ky.—Clipping dairy cows is a method of quality control for good milk, says E. C. Troutman, U.K. Ag Extension Service dairy specialist.

#### ADMINISTRATORS' NOTICE

Administration has been granted on the following estates, and all persons having claims against any of said estates are hereby notified to file same, properly proven according to law, on or before March 1, 1964, with the administrators whose names and addresses appear below.

NAME	ESTATE	ADDRESS
Cynthia Hale	Ben Hale	W. Prestonsburg, Ky.
Vivian Dingus	Adrian A. Dingus	Martin, Ky.
Guy Hopkins	Fayette Hopkins	McDowell, Ky.
Earl Campbell	Myrtle Campbell	Auxier, Ky.
Judy Hall	Doc Hall	Garrett, Ky.
Sally Smith	Isaac (Ike) Smith	Lancaster, Ky.
Palmer Wells	Bosier H. Wells	Audier, Ky.
Alice Ousley	Hargus Ousley	W. Prestonsburg, Ky.
Luther Clouse	Anna Lee Clouse	Prestonsburg, Ky.
Audrey King	Dora Layne	Harold, Ky.
E. D. Roberts	Nicie Kenney	Prestonsburg, Ky.
Anna Barnott	John Barnott	Weeksboro, Ky.

C. "OLLIE" ROBINSON, Clerk  
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- 1957 PONTIAC Star Chief Sports Coupe. Fully equipped.
- 1956 FORD 2-door hardtop. 8-cylinder.
- 1956 BUICK 2-door sedan. Standard transmission.
- 1952 INTERNATIONAL 3/4-ton heavy duty. 4-speed transmission.

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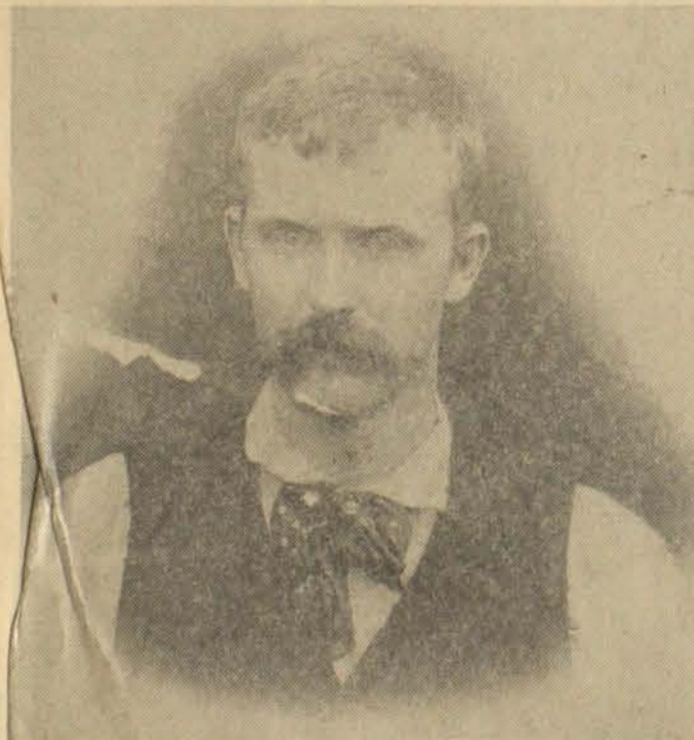
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Pike County's first hanging was that of Ellison (Cotton Top) Muntz who was executed in 1889 at French Hollow in North Pikeville for the murder of Allifair McCoy in the Hatfield-McCoy feud.

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Rota, Spain—Marine Sergeant Lester Thomas, son of Mrs. Truda Thomas, of Lackey, Kentucky, recently completed the Marine while serving as a member of Corps Institute course "Spelling" the First Guard Platoon, Marine Barracks, Rota, Spain.

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### Thomas W. Stephens, 76, Succumbs Last Friday At McDowell Hospital

Thomas W. Stephens, 76, of Kite, died Friday at the McDowell Appalachian Regional hospital following an illness of five years. He was a retired miner.

Mr. Stephens was a son of Reuben and Nancy Haywood Stephens. He was twice married, first to Mary Tussey Stephens, and following her death to Melvina Thornberry Stephens, who survives.

Surviving sons and daughters are Curt Stephens and Rufus Stephens, both of Martin, Sam Stephens, of Risner, Darb Stephens and Mrs. Alice Prater, both of David, Reuben Stephens, of Allen, Ed Stephens, of Brainard, Mrs. Dorothy Reffett, Peru, Indianan, and Mrs. Alva Ousley, West Prestonsburg. Surviving step-sons and step-daughters are Arnold Thornberry, Willard, O., Rex Thornberry, Pine Top, Kentucky, Frank Thornberry, Norma Thornberry and Mrs. Rosa Thornberry, all of Kite, Mrs. Madeline Martin, of Leburn, Mrs. Della Allen, Strongville, Ohio, and Mrs. June Mullins, of Topmost. Surviving are a brother, B. L. Ratliff, of Manton, and two sisters, Mrs. Della Hackworth, Silver Lake, Indiana, and Mrs. Olive Hackworth, West Prestonsburg.

Funeral rites were conducted Sunday from the Coal Spring Regular Baptist Church at Risner, the Revs. Ross Hopkins, Banner Manns, M. C. Wright and Eppie Holbrook officiating. Burial was made in the family cemetery at Risner under the direction of Hall Brothers Funeral Home.

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### Commission Approves Fish Giggling from Boat In State's Large Lakes

Frankfort, Ky. — Fish giggling from a boat in lakes of 500 acres or more for the regular giggling season from 6 a.m. to 6 p.m. was approved by the Fish and Wildlife Resources Commission at its recent meeting here. Giggling from a boat is illegal in other waters. It was pointed out that this action is designed to facilitate the taking of more rough fish. Harvest of game fish by giggling is illegal in all waters.

The closing of all giggling in Salt River from Highway 248 at Van Buren to the Bonds Mills Dam was authorized, while on the other hand giggling will now be permitted in season in the tributaries on the Middle Fork of the Kentucky River from Buckhorn Lake upstream. Sections of Tug Fork which lie within Kentucky were opened for commercial fishing. Marrowbone Creek in Cumberland county was ordered closed to giggling.

Effective January 1, 1965, all licenses for musselling in Kentucky lakes or streams will be issued from the Department of Fish and Game. This action was taken so that the Department may have a better check on musselling operations. The Commission also barred the use of wire in the construction of all nets and decreased the size of the mesh of gill nets used by commercial fishermen in open Kentucky waters from three and one-half inches to three inches. This complies with a mesh size recommended by a committee on commercial fishing from Kentucky, Tennessee, Alabama and TVA.

Effective February 1, the size limit on black bass taken from Greenbo Lake will be eliminated. Previously, bass under 12 inches could not be taken from the body of water.

For the state-owned lakes, Malone, Beshears and Guist Creek, the Commission set a skiing season from June 1 through September 10 in only the main channels of the lakes, the hours from 10 a.m. until 6 p.m.

#### NOTICE

Application has been filed with the Floyd County Court for license to be issued to Mr. and Mrs. Ashland Salisbury to operate the Salisbury Drive-In, a restaurant, on Ky. 80, between Martin and Maytown.

C. "OLLIE" ROBINSON  
Clerk, Floyd County Court  
12-12-3t.

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## LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Editor, The Times:

### MEMORIES OF CHRISTMAS

As Christmas nears many of us have thoughts which revert to the holidays of our childhood. Vividly I can remember — on that Christmas morning when I was seven — the glad faces of my dad and mother when they awoke me to show me what Santa had brought. There, by the warm coal fire, was the little red wagon I wanted. It was filled with candy, oranges, bananas, nuts, roman candles and firecrackers. Christmases then were more simple, but people seemed more happy, for then they were not bombarded through the medium of radio and T-V with bombastic materialism.

Memory of the remote past and of the dear ones forever departed from us in this life, give us courage and will to lead a better life, that we may meet them in eternity, and with Jesus, whose birthday draws near.

GLENN M. CLARKE  
Prestonsburg, Ky.

Lexington, Ky. — Don't overload your Christmas tree with decorations, recommends Earl H. New, UK Extension specialist in horticulture. And, for safety's sake, be sure to choose decorations that are non-flammable.

### Christmas Is Sad

In Memory of A Loved One.  
T. Y. Martin, Who Passed Away February 1, 1960.

I have lost my life companion, A life linked to my own; And every day I miss him more As I go through life alone.

It won't be long till Christmas day, A day that used to be so good and sweet; Little did I know that one day I would be giving you a bunch of flowers Instead of a Christmas cake.

If all the world was mine to give, I would give it all and more To see the face I love so dear Come smiling through the door. I sit alone and think Of your smiling face I long to view. Our boy is all I have to love, My treasures are so few; I hope some day to meet you, dear, Somewhere beyond the blue. In the sweet bye and bye We shall meet on that beautiful shore.

Sadly missed by his wife and son  
MRS. T. Y. MARTIN  
12-5-2t

### ARRIVES FROM GERMANY

Printer—Cpl. Larry Preston Collins arrived Friday from Germany to spend a 45-day furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Preston Collins, of Printer. He is attached to a tank battalion.

### CAIN ANNOUNCES

Roy M. Cain, contact representative of the Kentucky Disabled Ex-Service Men's Board, will be in Floyd county on the following dates for the purpose of aiding and assisting veterans and their dependents in filing and prosecuting claims for benefits to which they may be entitled to from the Veterans Administration.

Thursday, December 19, at the postoffice building at Wayland and Garrett, Kentucky, from 9 a.m. to 12 noon; Thursday, December 29, in the county judge's office in Prestonsburg.

Lexington, Ky. — A strong demand for farm products in 1964 is forecast by the University of Kentucky Cooperative Extension Service agricultural economics department in its annual outlook letter.

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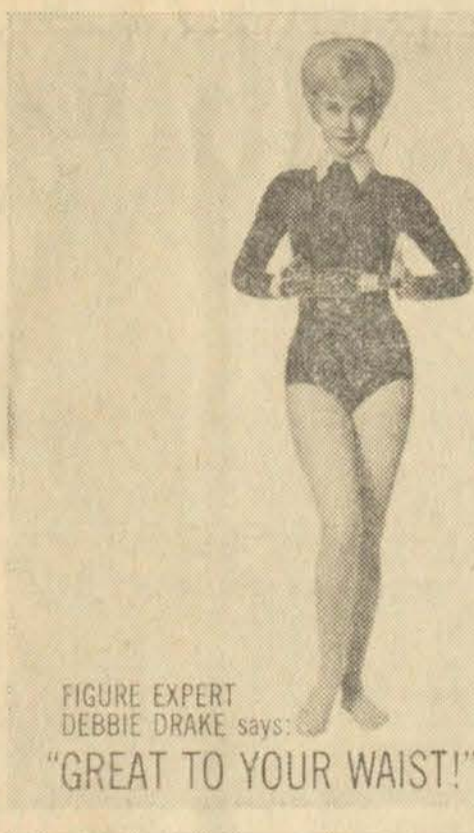
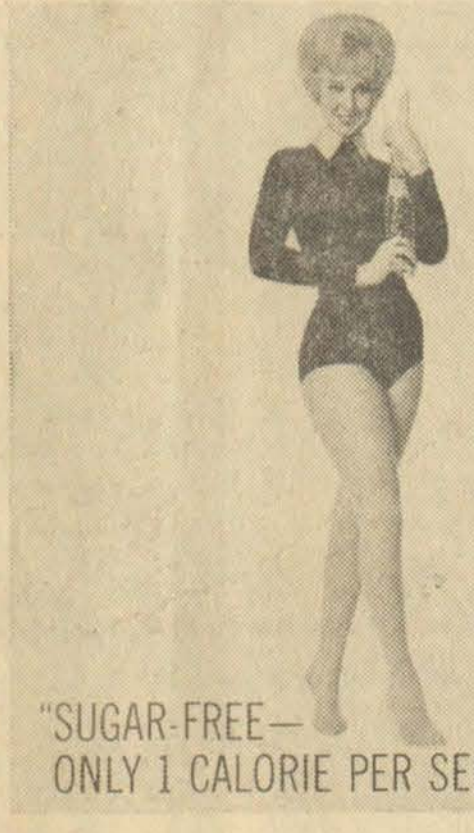
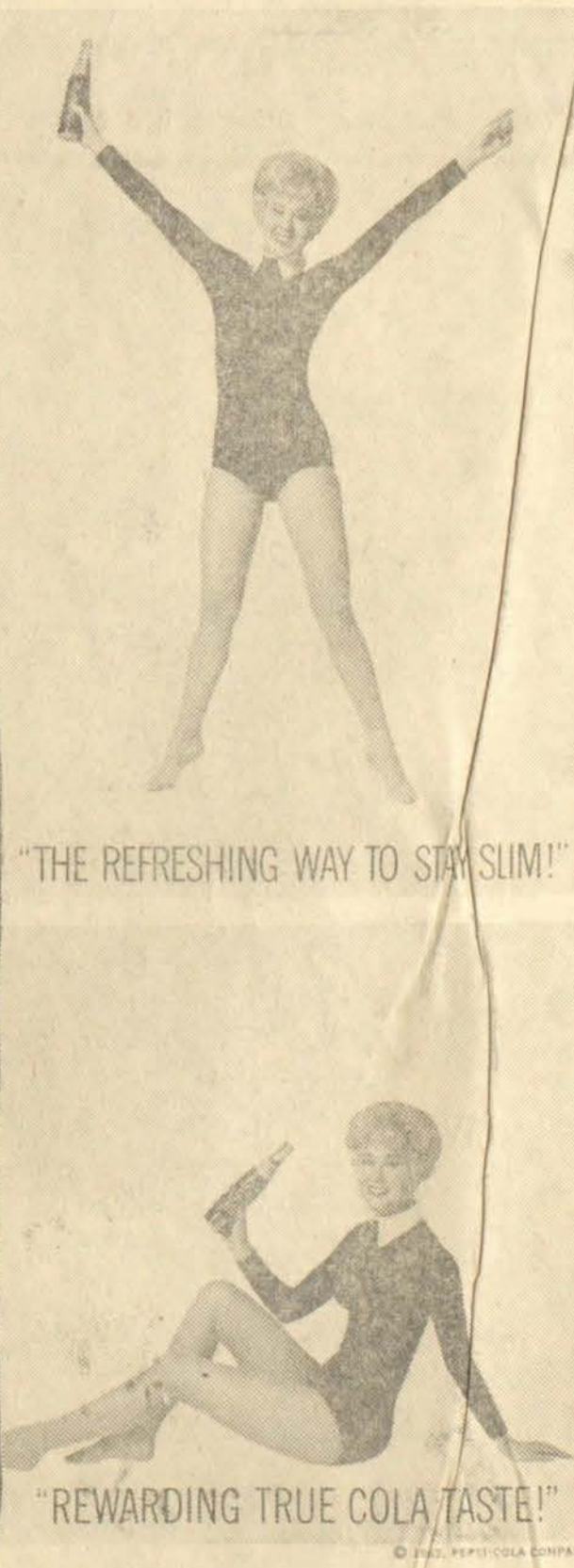


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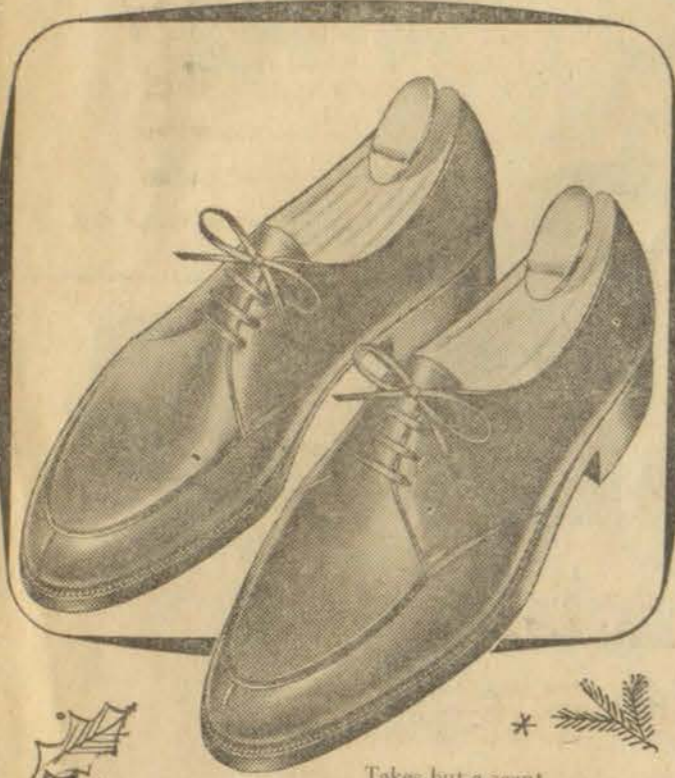
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## SPORTS CHATTER

By GORDON MOORE

This Saturday night, the Martin Purple Flash basketball team will play host to the Maytown Wildcats in Martin's annual homecoming game.

The game will be preceded by a parade at 2 p.m., which will start from the high school building.

Immediately preceding the homecoming game, the cheerleaders, the managers, and the Purple Flash team of 1963 will be honored. The coronation of Miss Purple Flash 1964 also will take place at that time.

Miss Purple Flash of 1964 is Miss Frankie Hall, a freshman. She will be escorted by basketball captain, David Mayo. The first attendant is Miss Patty Mae Click, and she will be escorted by Hershel Hale. The second attendant is Miss Joy Dean Cole, a junior, and her escort will be Alton Patton.

The senior class will sponsor a spaghetti dinner from 11 a.m. to 6 p.m. in the high school cafeteria. It also will sponsor a homecoming dance immediately following the basketball game.

E. B. May, Jr., 15th regional basketball clinic director for the Kentucky High School Athletic Association, will conduct a clinic for coaches and officials in the Morgan county high school gymnasium, Thursday night, December 12, at 7:30 p.m. All 60th district coaches and officials are asked to attend, along with any interested fans.

Coaches and principals in the 59th district have indicated they are interested in organizing a coaches' and officials' organization. Oran Teater, 15th and 16th regional representative on the K.H.S.A.A. Board of Control, has asked that all coaches, principals and officials meet with him at the Gold Room of the Paintsville Country Club at 7 p.m., December 19.

The Prestonsburg Blackcats will meet the Fairfield Reddevils in the local gym, at 8 p.m., Friday, with the "Kitten" game set for 6:30.

Pairings for the Wheelwright Invitational were announced Sunday and the teams and players participating read like a "goodie" list Santa Claus might have just received.

Two 1963 state tournament

representatives will be on hand and so will host Wheelwright, which figures to be one of the best in the mountains this winter.

Best mountain team missing from the event is Paintsville, who will compete in the Ashland Invitational during this same week.

Sweet Sixteen members vying for the Wheelwright championship are Breathitt County and Garrett, both in the lower bracket.

First round pairings look like this:  
**UPPER BRACKET, DEC. 25**  
7 p.m.—Martin vs. McDowell; 8:30—Virgie vs. Wheelwright.

**LOWER BRACKET, DEC. 26**  
7 p.m.—Betsy Layne vs. Garrett; 8:30—Breathitt County vs. Wayland.

Semifinals are scheduled Dec. 27, with the lower bracket elimination set at 7 o'clock and the upper bracket battle to immediately follow. The championship bout is carded at 8 p.m., Dec. 28.

The tournament has a long list of prospective college prospects and the talent seekers from major universities are expected to be frequent during the entire tournament.

Who are the best players?  
Bronley Williams (Wayland), Keith Lawson and Jimmy Cox (Garrett), Tommy Hall (Betsy Layne), Larry Hall (Martin), Shawn Howell (McDowell), Jim Rollins and Danny Ray Hall (Wheelwright), and James Turner and Eugene Turner (Breathitt County).

All are seniors, a fact which should make college scouts that much more intent on seeing the tournament.

Officials named to work the meet are Sid Meade, South Portsmouth; Don Sullivan, Lexington; E. B. May, Prestonsburg; Paul Boyles, Russell; and Goble Ritter, Whitesburg.

Admission per session is \$1.25 for adults and 75 cents for high school and elementary students.

Charles "Chuck" May, Prestonsburg high senior tackle, signed a football-grant-in-aid (scholarship) with the University of Kentucky, last Saturday. The 210-pounder is also expected to be one of the state's leading shot-putters this spring. He is the son of popular football and basketball official, E. B. May, Jr., Prestonsburg.

Floyd County Pre-Season Tournament notes... Wheelwright high, in addition to winning the tournament, also copped the team free-throw trophy with 29 of 32 successful attempts... Maytown high won the cheerleading trophy... The tournament grossed \$3600 and netted \$2839 for the Floyd County Annual... All teams and persons connected with the affair donated their time, excepting the officials... Prestonsburg high served as host, however, the school does not receive a remuneration... Three Floyd County teams were listed in the top 2 high school basketball teams in the first state-wide ratings Tuesday morning... Martin was tugged as the fourth team, Wheelwright, 24th, and McDowell, 25th... The ratings are based on scores that Dr. Litkenhouse has received to date... Most coaches see that winning scores are related to him, but when one loses, they are not as anxious to get scores to him...

**PLENTIFUL FOODS LISTED**  
Lexington, Ky.—Santa can fill Christmas stockings with plenty of apples and nuts—especially pecans, for both are plentiful this month, according to Mrs. Martha Owens, acting specialist in consumer education with the UK Cooperative Extension Service.

Cranberries are good buys this month, too. Vegetables that will be good budget-stretchers in December include turnips, sweet potatoes, cabbage, onions, potatoes, carrots, winter squash, and cooking greens.

Shellfish, especially oysters, shrimp, clams and lobster, will be favorite holiday specialties. Haddock is plentiful and fresh red snapper will be popular; a tasty newcomer is striped bass.

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## BASKETBALL

53th DISTRICT STANDINGS  
(Floyd County)

Team	W	L
Wheelwright	6	0
Prestonsburg	2	1
Wayland	3	2
Garrett	7	2
McDowell	6	4
Martin	3	4
Maytown	1	5
Betsy Layne	4	6

### FLOYD COUNTY PRE-SEASON TOURNAMENT

**First Round**  
McDowell 77, Maytown 67  
Wheelwright 81, Martin 68  
Wayland 78, Prestonsburg 67  
Betsy Layne 77, Garrett 78

**Semi-Finals**  
Wheelwright 67, McDowell 64  
Wayland 78, Betsy Layne 71

**Consolation**  
McDowell 72, Betsy Layne 57

**Finals**  
Wheelwright 77, Wayland 56

McDowell (72)—Howell 21, R. Hall 6, Hopkins 17, S. Thornberry 1, Patton 14, D. Hall 4, McCoy 6, T. Thornberry 1, Tuttle 2.

Wayland (56)—Williams 16, K. Martin 2, Stanford 12, Johnson 9, T. Martin 5, Waugh 10, Gibson 2, Wheelwright 18, 20, 13, 23—77.

Wayland (78)—Williams 22, T. Martin 4, Stanford 23, Johnson 2, K. Martin 18, Waugh 12.

Betsy Layne (71)—King 21, B. Lewis 19, Woods 5, Hall 9, Boyd 11, Atkins 6.

Wayland (77)—D. Hall 27, Cook 8, Rollins 19, Logan 4, Blair 14, Doug Hall 3, Thornberry 2.

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## PRE-SEASON TOURNAMENT CHAMPIONSHIP IS COPPED BY WHEELWRIGHT TROJANS

The Wheelwright Trojans have now assumed the role of co-regional favorite by copping the championship of the 25th annual Floyd county pre-season tournament. Don Wallen's charges rolled over tough Wayland, 77-56, in Prestonsburg, Saturday night, and McDowell grabbed the third place title with an easy 72-57 conquest of Betsy Layne.

Danny Ray Hall, a senior jumping ace, although only 5-11, canned 27 points and 6-3 Jim Rollins 19 as the Trojans jumped ahead, 18-12, at the close of the first period and 33-21 at halftime. Wayland came to life in the third period and narrowed the game to 10 points but the strain of playing their third successive game in three nights began to tell in the final period.

Wayland's ace scorer, senior Bronley Williams, was limited to 16 points and Danny Stanford to 12.

Wheelwright had advanced to the finals by tripping Martin in the first round and nipping McDowell by 67-64 in a tightly contested Friday night semi-final game. Wayland gained the final night with an opening win over Prestonsburg, and eliminated Betsy Layne, 78-71, in the semifinals.

### CORRECTION

The Times erred in last week's edition in stating that John Estep set fire to his son's clothing and kicked him. We are informed that Mr. Estep does not have a son and that the clothing belonged to another person.

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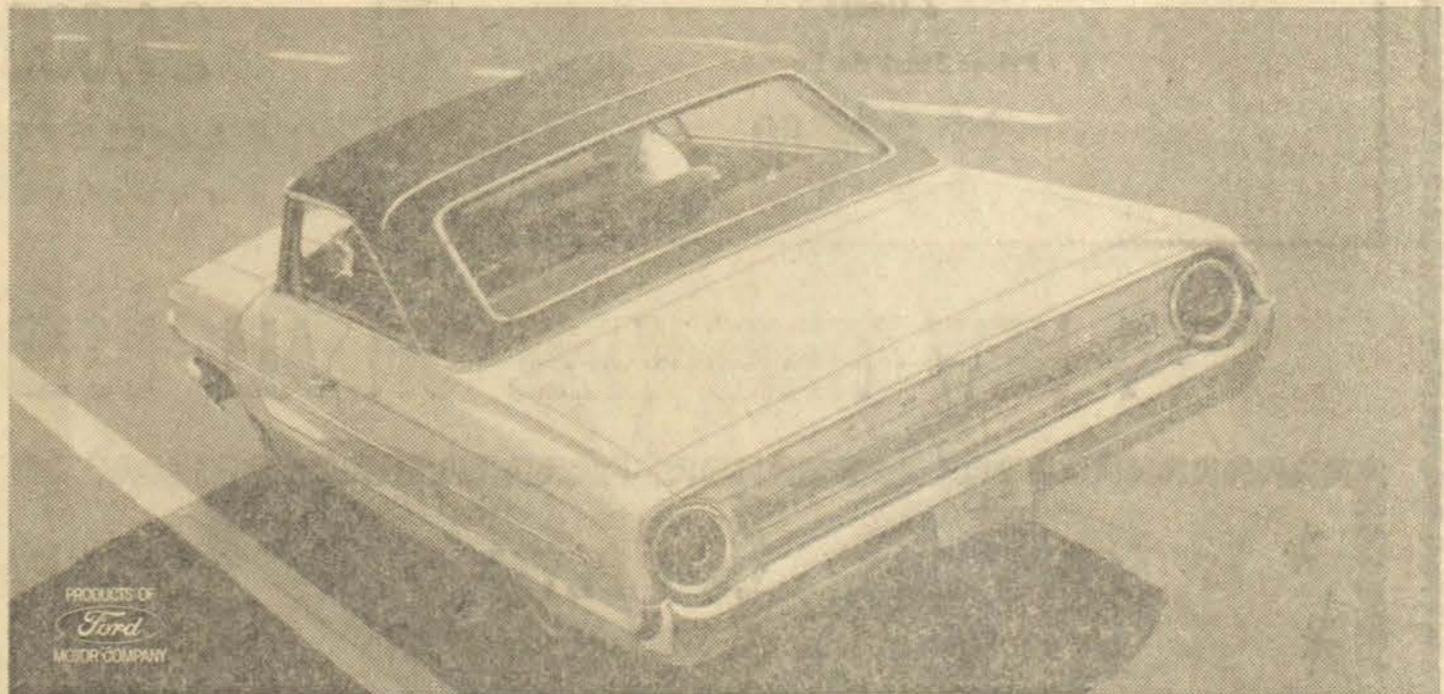
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<b>STOCK CAR RACING:</b> 2-to-1 margin for Ford Ford is king of NASCAR competition and Ford Motor Company has the NASCAR Achievement Award to prove it. In the '63 season, special Ford entries won every single race of 500 miles or longer, scored nearly twice as many points as any other make. 500-mile races are the ultimate test of inherent durability and dependability. In two other major stock car racing associations IMCA and MARC, Ford drivers have wrapped up the 1963 championships.	<b>SPORTS CAR ROAD RACING:</b> Ford V-8 power is the new king Here the Cobra with its special Fairlane engine emerged as the overwhelming leader in one short year. Cobra won the coveted Manufacturer's Trophy in SCCA Class A Production competition by so wide a margin no other car—U.S. or foreign—were even in sight. And in the two major tests this fall, the Laguna Seca and Riverside races, the new King Cobras dusted off the top "unlimited" cars from all over the world.	<b>RALLY COMPETITION:</b> Manufacturer's Championship Products of Ford Motor Company and its world-wide affiliates won the 1963 Manufacturer's World Rally Championship. Ford's rally year began when two specially equipped Falcon V-8's started the automotive world in the brutal 2500-mile Monte Carlo Rally. Other special Falcon V-8's triumphed in Holland's famed Tulip Rally, and ran away with the Manufacturer's Team Prize in the 4000-mile Trans-Canada Rally.	<b>INDIANAPOLIS:</b> Ford ends an era Advanced Ford engineering smashed precedent in the classic Indianapolis "500." The first time out, a light alloy version of the Fairlane V-8 design in a Lotus chassis finished second. And the next time, in the Milwaukee "200" it ended the reign of the traditional "lady" racing car by leading every foot of the way from start to finish.	<b>PERFORMANCE &amp; ECONOMY:</b> New laurels for Ford The Mobil Economy Run underscored Falcon's year-long reputation for thrift—a Falcon scored first in Class B (medium-engined compacts). And the Pure Oil Performance Trials brought laurels to the big Fords, which walked off with overall wins in Classes I and II for total performance (economy, acceleration and braking).
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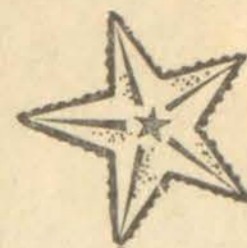
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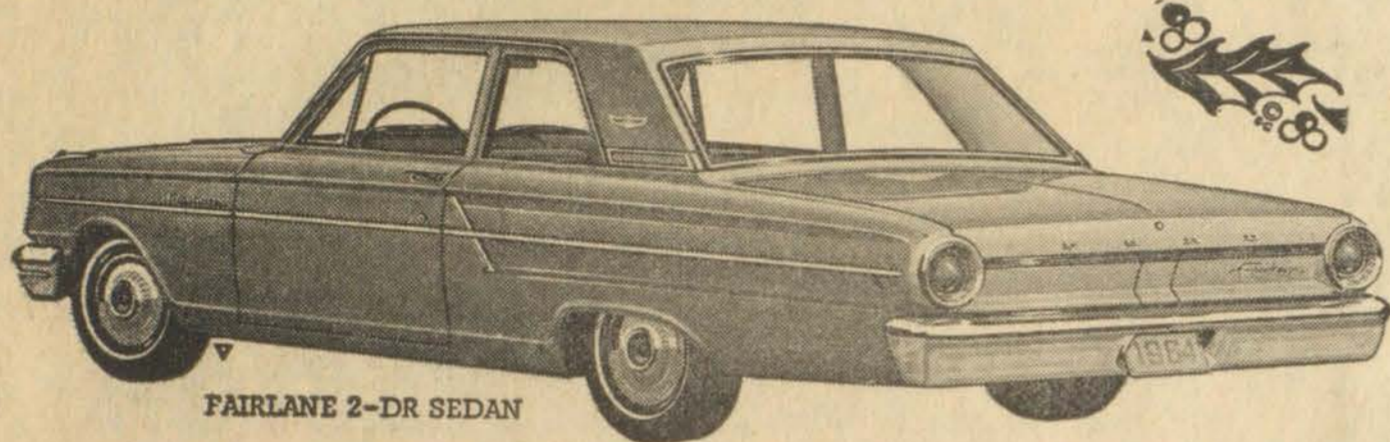
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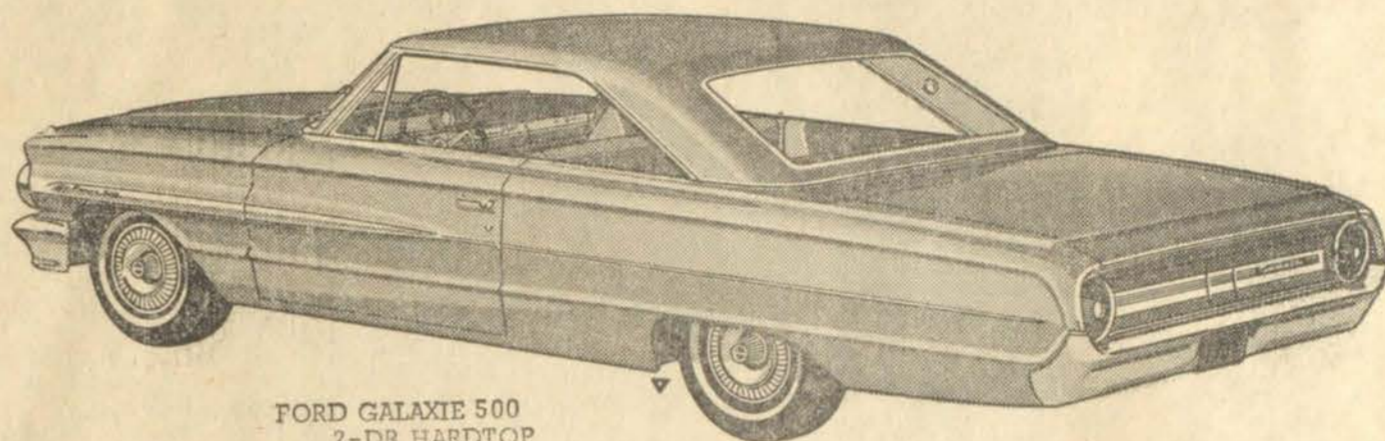
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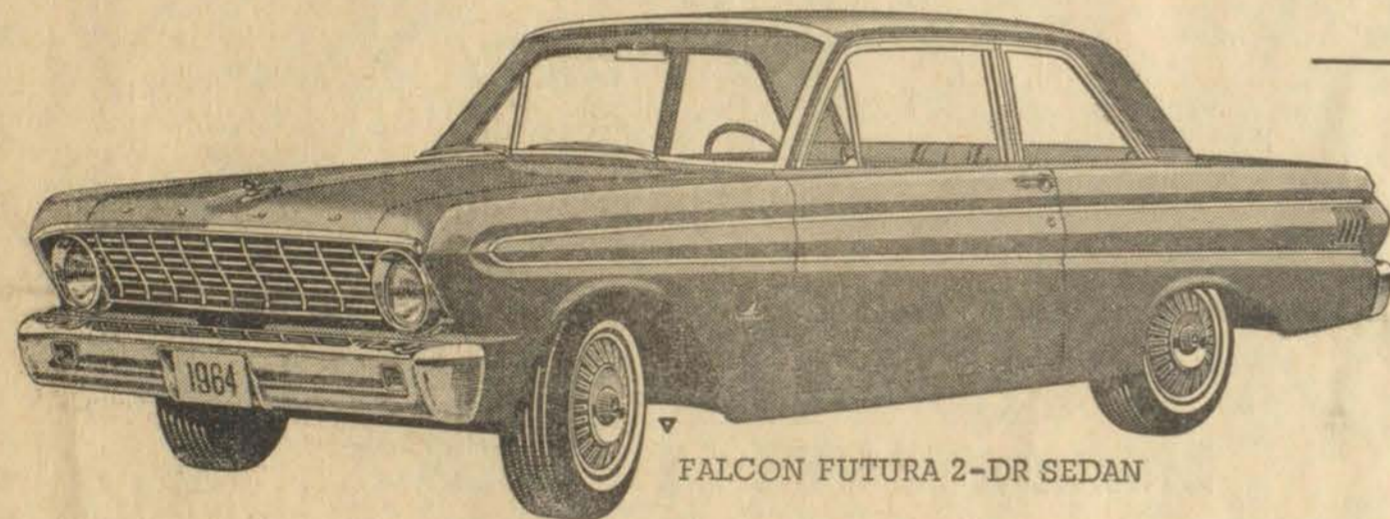


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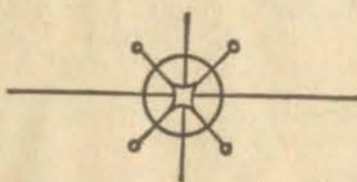
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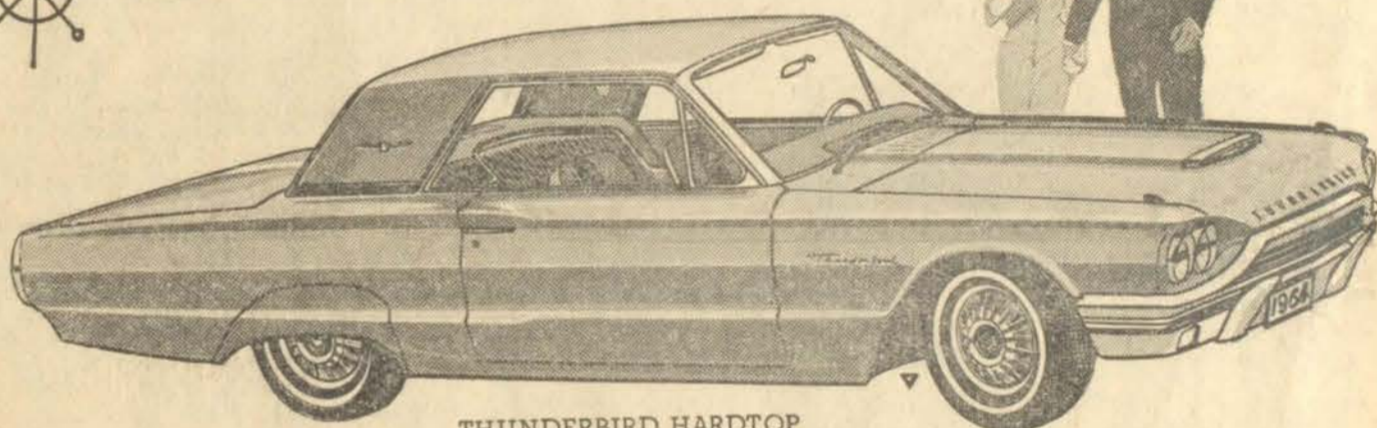
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