

This Town... That World

I read, the other day, that the only things done well are those things which come easy. Well, that finished this column.

AH, SPRING!

It's that time of year again. The wind may whip the seat of your pants out, but you have the assurance it's not for long, that the sun will be brighter and warmer tomorrow. These days, one gets the feeling he's standing by to watch something suddenly happen. But, really, it isn't that dramatic; it doesn't burst upon you, all in one moment. There is, first, the peep of a frog, the appearance of a bud; a crocus blooms, the air grows a bit softer. So it is that spring comes upon us, and I hope we never grow so old or tough or unfeeling that the miracle of it all escapes us.

THE KILLJOY

It's the time of year when friends stop saluting me with weather comments and suggest it's time we go fishin'. One day there was a four fellow of saturnine mien standing nearby when the conversation hit this line, and this man heartlessly remarked, "Time to start gardenin', too." I didn't wait to tell him I usually "lay by" my crop by Washington's birthday when I finish perusing the seed catalogues.

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PIKE SCHOOL HEAD NAMED

Grand Jury Indicts Farley On 70 Charges; Board Head Charged

The Pike county grand jury has indicted the county school superintendent on 70 charges and the chairman of the county school board on three charges.

In a final report to Circuit Judge Charles E. Lowe, Thursday last week, the jury also said organized crime, particularly bootlegging, existed in the county on an alarming scale.

But the panel aimed its most severe criticism at C. H. Farley, school superintendent, and Alvery Potter, the board chairman.

Farley was charged in one indictment with slandering Tivis Branham, a teacher and former attendance officer; in three indictments with assessing and coercing school board employees to contribute to political campaigns; in 33 with misapplication of state money, and 33 more with aiding and abetting Woodrow W. Runyon, Sr., former school bus supervisor, in submitting false claims.

The three indictments against Potter accused him of accepting bribes from school employees to gain positions.

Runyon, listed as a witness before the jury, was indicted 33 times by the June grand jury for submitting false claims to the Board of Education.

He was convicted in November on one of the charges and a jury set his sentence at one year in prison. An appeal is pending, as are trials on the other charges.

Farley was indicted by the September grand jury for presenting a false claim and misfeasance of public office. He was acquitted of the claims charge in January. His trial on the other charge is scheduled March 27.

Farley, on hearing of the new indictments, declared his innocence and said:

"On the basis of the information I now have, I state categorically that these indictments, as were those returned against me earlier, are not supported by any truth whatsoever and are based entirely on perjured evidence."

The School Board started investigating Runyon's activities late in 1962. The county school system has been the subject of various grand jury inquiries during the past year. A report of an audit of the system is awaited.

Although some grand jury reports have been highly critical of the school system, none was more severe than this week's. It recommended that the investigation of the school board be continued by the June grand jury.

Commonwealth's Attorney Thomas B. Ratliff, on the grand jury's recommendation, sent a copy of the report yesterday to the State Board of Education. The state board would undertake any suspension proceedings against Pike school officials found guilty of immorality, misconduct in office, incompetency, or willful neglect of duty.

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CAB CONTROL ACT VOTED BY COUNCIL

HIGHER FEES, FEWER CABS SET JULY 1

Ordinance Provides License Revocation For Handling Liquor

A sweeping new ordinance to supersede any previous regulations enacted to govern the licensing and the operation of taxicabs here was adopted by the City Council at its Tuesday night session.

The new ordinance, which will reduce the number of taxicabs in operation here to no more than 10, will become effective July 1 this year. There are at present 13 cabs in operation.

Effective July 1, an annual license tax of \$50 on each vehicle operated as a taxicab will be required, plus a driver's license fee of \$10 per year for each cab driver.

The 11-page ordinance sets a rigid standard for drivers of cabs and for their method of operation. It requires that each applicant for a driver's license be 18 years of age or older, of sound physique with a certificate of his fitness certified to by a reputable and practicing Prestonsburg physician, be able to read and write, hold a chauffeur's license under state law, be clean in dress and person, not addicted to the use of intoxicating liquors, of good moral character and such character attested to by two reputable citizens of Prestonsburg. The new regulations also provide that the applicant shall not be one who has been convicted of a felony, of any offense involving force or violence, the taking or conversion of the property of another, of operating an automobile while intoxicated, or of fast and reckless driving, or of violation of local option laws relating to alcoholic beverages.

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Mexico Pitts, 80, Dock, Dies At Home; Burial In Family Cemetery

Mexico Pitts, 83, of Dock, died Thursday last week at home. He had been in ill health for a year, seriously so for one month. He was a retired farmer.

Mr. Pitts was a son of Tom and Dixie Pitts. His wife, Nancy Jane Ousley Pitts, preceded him in death.

Surviving sons and a daughter are Bob Pitts, West Prestonsburg; Darvis Pitts, Hobert Pitts, Blue River; Allen Pitts, of Dock, and Mrs. Maggie Sammons, Silver Lake, Indiana. One sister, Mrs. Mary Ann Sammons, of Risner, survives.

Funeral services were conducted Saturday at 1 p.m. from the Spurlock Regular Baptist Church, ministers of the church officiating. Burial was made in the family cemetery at Dock under the direction of Hall Brothers Funeral Home.



Dr. Russell L. Hall, Floyd county health doctor, is here shown presenting on behalf of the Health Department staff a silver tray to Mrs. Marvin Ransdell, who retired Tuesday from health department employment.

Mrs. Ransdell, whose late husband in 1928 became Floyd county's first fulltime health doctor, began work with the health department in 1936, serving as registrar of vital statistics, and as clerk.

Asked what she will do now, Mrs. Ransdell said, "Some of the things I've always wanted to do—and the thing I want to do for a while, just now, is rest."

During her 27½ years with the health department the Prestonsburg woman has seen many changes in the public health picture. When she and her husband first arrived here some of Prestonsburg's leading citizens were ill of typhoid, and the disease was common to all Floyd county. She has seen typhoid, smallpox and diphtheria become among the rarest of diseases, and more recently has seen polio conquered.

"And cancer will be next—of this I'm sure," she brightly predicted.

RIVER YIELDS BOYS' BODIES

Perry, One of Victims In Lima, O. Tragedy, Prestonsburg Native

Bodies of Roy Douglas Perry, 15, formerly of Prestonsburg, and a teen-age friend were recovered Sunday night and Monday from a stream at Lima, Ohio in which they had drowned, apparently Sunday morning.

Young Perry, who was a son of Samuel and Opal Hayward Perry, had delivered newspapers to customers on his route in Lima, completing the chore around 8:30 a.m. Sunday, then announced that he and his friend were going to "The Woods," a wooded playground. En route, they found a boat in a deserted barn, launched it for a downstream ride of perhaps half a mile to their destination.

It was surmised that the boat capsized in a whirlpool created in the stream by a drop over a small falls where a sewer line crosses the river. Young Perry's body was found Sunday night, that of his friend not until the following day.

Besides Perry's parents, he is survived by eight brothers and sisters, David, Gary, Larry, Jerry, Susie, Ruth, Donna Gail and Mary Beth, all of Lima. His grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Perry, of West Prestonsburg, and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Hayward, of Blue River, also survive.

His body was returned here Tuesday and funeral rites were conducted today (Thursday) from the Assembly of God Church, West Prestonsburg, by the Rev. J. B. Keener, of Lima. Burial was made in the Richmond cemetery here under direction of the Carter & Callihan Funeral Home.

BUSES TO TRANSPORT CHILDREN FOR TESTS

Pick up stations for pre-school children being transported to the Floyd County Health Department for the multiple screening program scheduled to begin March 23, were announced, with their schedule of operation, this week. Buses of the Allen Bros. Bus Company and carryalls from Army surplus depots will be used. Maintenance men of the school system will drive the carryalls, it is said.

The schedule, as announced by Dr. Russell Hall, health officer, follows:

Monday, March 23—8 a.m., Allen school; 8 a.m., Dwale school.

Tuesday, March 24—8 a.m., Martin school; 10 a.m., Garrett high school; 10:10 a.m., Hueysville postoffice; 8 a.m., Conley school and Langley school.

Wednesday, March 25—8 a.m., Eastern postoffice and Maytown high school; 10:30 a.m., Harold school; 8 a.m., Corn Fork school and Brandy Keg school.

Thursday, March 26—8 a.m., Betsy Layne school; 8:05 a.m., Mare Creek postoffice; 8:10 a.m., Tram and Ivel bridge; 11:00 a.m., Drift school; 11:10 a.m., Hunter postoffice; 11:15 a.m., Printer postoffice; 8 a.m., Clark school, Spears school and Home Branch school.

Monday, March 30—8 a.m., East McDowell postoffice, McDowell school; 10:30 a.m., Auxier school and Spradlin Branch school.

Monday, March 30—8 a.m., Lower Bull Creek school; Forks Bull Creek school; Warrick school; Lafferty school; Derossett school.

Tuesday, March 31—8 a.m., Ligon school, Lambert school, Clear Creek school; 11 a.m., Bonanza school, Needmore school, Rough and Tough, Arnett school, Forks Middle creek; 8 a.m., Johnson school, Alum Lick school.

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Annual Talent Show Scheduled At Allen

The annual 4-H Talent Show will be held Friday, April 3, at 7 p.m., at the Allen grade school auditorium, it is announced by Jack Friar, associate county agent.

Friar said that a specialty act of four members with a time limit of three minutes will be presented and a club act of five minutes with a time limit of eight minutes.

To Lead Revival At Baptist Church



The Rev. Bill Reid, pastor of the First Baptist Church, Ashland, will lead the revival which will begin Sunday morning at 10 a.m. at the First Baptist Church here. The series of services will continue through Saturday, March 23, at 7:30 p.m. daily. The Ashland pastor is regarded as one of the outstanding Baptist preachers in Kentucky.

Special music will be a feature of each service, and nursery facilities will be provided for younger children.

OFFICIALS ASK SALE OF SPORTSMEN CLUB

County Attorney Barkley J. Sturgill and Commonwealth's Attorney Harold J. Stumbo filed a motion in circuit court Wednesday to intervene as part plaintiff on behalf of the Commonwealth in a suit previously filed by the Floyd Federal Savings & Loan Association against Ted Salsbury and Alvin Barnett, owners of the Sportsmen's Club, near Martin.

At the same time the two officials filed an intervening complaint, alleging that defendants knowingly used the premises for an unlawful liquor business, and asking that the property be adjudged a nuisance and be forfeited to the Commonwealth under provisions of KRS 242.330.

The original suit filed by Floyd Federal sought to collect a balance of \$11,334.47 allegedly due on a \$12,000 loan to Salsbury and Barnett. The motion to intervene will not be heard by Circuit Judge Conley till March 26.

The property involved includes six lots purchased by the defendants from W. V. Elliott and all improvements. A large block building has been erected on the site.

The intervening petition asks that the court enter an order of sale and that the Sheriff be directed to sell the property.

The action was taken in compliance with an announced policy of the two officials to confiscate and sell property owned or occupied by persons convicted of violation of the local option liquor laws of the county.

CRAFT TELLS TEST PLANS

For College Entrance; Standard Application Needed from University

How to go about applying for entrance to the Prestonsburg Community College at its opening next September was spelled out this week by Edgar Craft, guidance counselor at Prestonsburg high school.

Mr. Craft said 250 students, or more, are expected to enroll at the college this year. At the same time, he explained that it is important to those wishing to apply for entrance to know the definite steps necessary to be taken in order that none may be disappointed.

First of all, a standard application form is necessary, he said. This may be procured from C. R. Hager, assistant dean of extended programs, University of Kentucky, Lexington, or at local high schools, or from Mr. Craft at the high school here.

After that, the student will be required to take the American College Test, which is the entrance examination required of all U. K. students. For test applications students may contact their own high schools, Mr. Craft or Charles F. Ellison, state coordinator, office of the dean of admissions and registration, University of Kentucky.

The tests will be taken at Prestonsburg high school on two different dates, and the examination fee of \$4 will be payable to the American College Testing Program. First of the tests will be held April 25, and applications for this test must be sent not later than April 4. The second test will be on June 20, with the application deadline June 6.

Funeral services were held Monday at 10 a.m. from the Dry Creek Regular Baptist Church, the Revs. Bert Hall, Troy Nickles and George Cook officiating. Burial was made in the family cemetery at Bevinville under the direction of Hall Bros. Funeral Home.

Mrs. Martha Meade, 82, Topmost, died Saturday at Our Lady of the Way hospital, Martin. She was ill seven months.

Mrs. Meade, a native of Floyd county, was a daughter of John and Melissa Newsome Hall. Her husband, Albert Meade, preceded her in death. She was a member of the Regular Baptist Church.

Surviving are a daughter, Mrs. Hazel Hall, Vickery, O., and two brothers: Newberry, Topmost, and Jim Hall, Bevinville.

FINAL ORDER DATE TOLD

Jones Urges Orders For Strawberry Plants

Orders for strawberries for setting this spring now total approximately 25,000 plants, according to Robert M. Jones, county agent. Deadline for ordering is March 20, he said.

Most farmers are ordering the Pocahontas variety, Jones said. He added that plants are scarce this year.

The proposed training program in strawberry growing under the Manpower Training Act, is now being considered at Frankfort. Jones expressed doubt that the program would be initiated in time for this year unless it was speedily expedited at the state capital.

Anyone interested in the program should contact Lloyd Wells, instructor at Mayo Vocational school, Paintsville, the Extension office here, Roy Denney, at Langley, or Henry Amos, soil conservationist here.

The strawberry processing plant, which was installed here three years ago, will resume operation at the beginning of the strawberry season, it was said.

MARTIN MAY LOSE TWO FEDERAL JOBS

New X-Ray Pictures Requested by Hall; Visit Date Is Told

Persons who had an X-ray made March 4 at Martin are requested to return for a second X-ray, it was said this week at the Floyd County Health Department. The pictures made at the last visit were ruined due to a mechanical failure.

The unit will be at the Martin school building March 20 from 10 a.m. to 12 noon and from 1 p.m. to 3 p.m.

Dr. Russell Hall, health officer, urges people to take advantage of this opportunity to have an X-ray picture re-made.

PEN TURNER ON 5 COUNTS

Prisoner Enters Plea Of Guilty as Forger; Others Booked at Jail

Gene A. Turner, who was jailed here Friday by Martin Policeman A. J. Reed on nine forgery counts and a cold check charge, pleaded guilty Monday in circuit court here to five of the charges and was given a two-year term on each. The sentences will run concurrently, however.

Although the five separate terms amount to only two years, Turner was warned by Commonwealth's Attorney Harold Stumbo that "if you are tried here again it will be under the habitual criminal act." Conviction three or more times makes a defendant subject to future prosecution as a habitual offender and to a possible life pen term.

Six of the forgery charges against Turner were in circuit court. He also was booked on three forgery charges and marked "hold for the city of Martin." The cold check charge originated from Knott county.

Others jailed within the week, charges on which they were booked and names of arresting officers follow:

Willard K. Collins, operating a motor vehicle while under the influence of intoxicants, arrested by State Trooper Don H. Goble and W. Williamson and Deputy Sheriff John A. Burchett; Troy Triplett, child desertion, booked by Deputy Sheriff Marion Martin; Myrel B. Sturgill, drunk driving, by State Trooper Elmer Mobley; Barney Osborne, no operator's license, by State Trooper E. B. Allen.

Rev. Coffelt To Lead Martin Revival Week



The Rev. Dwight Coffelt, one of the four founders and the present secretary of the World Evangelistic Corporation, will be the evangelist in the revival which will begin Sunday at the Martin Methodist Church and continue through Easter Sunday.

The Rev. Coffelt was graduated with the A.B. degree from Asbury College in 1956, and in 1960 received the bachelor of divinity degree from Asbury Theological Seminary. He formerly was Youth for Christ director at Springfield, Ohio. Ordained in 1962, he was appointed chaplain for the state of Ohio.

Mrs. Coffelt will sing at each service, which will be at 7:30 p.m. daily. The pastor, the Rev. Logan Whalen, invites the public to attend.

SEWER JOB AND HOUSING MAY BE OUT

\$144,000 City Share Of Sewerage Cost Stalls Projects

The City of Martin's hopes for construction of a new sewer system and sewage disposal plant appear to be dead, and with those hopes dies the plan to erect a \$655,000 low-rent public housing project there.

So, in effect, said R. R. Allen, executive director of the Martin Municipal Housing Commission, Wednesday after city officials had heard a blunt review of the situation from engineers and officials of the Housing & Home Finance Agency.

Federal funds approximating \$190,000 have already been made available to the community for sewers and a sewage disposal plant. But the city is required to provide \$144,000, or 34% of the total cost, and therein lies trouble.

Allen said the proposal to issue bonds which would be retired by means of a sewer service charge of about \$4.50 per month to each property-owner has been definitely stalled. And without sewers the federal agencies will not invest in a completed public housing complex.

"Stand by for a stop-order," he quoted the Atlanta office of the Housing & Home Finance Agency as telling him this week, referring to the housing construction job.

Allen and Mayor John Roberts conferred in Washington with federal officials recently. "They indicated we're through," Allen reported.

The contractor on the 40-unit housing development has begun excavation of the site. Allen said he and the mayor were informed the city would be required to pay the contractor all damages incurred through cancellation of the contract; that, if it did not, Martin would be denied all further federal project aid.

LAND RIGHTS ARE SOUGHT

Sturgill Says Stream Project Endangered; Grantors Are Listed

Concern was expressed this week with the slowness with which landowners in the Beaver Creek area are responding to the granting of easements for the proposed snagging and clearing project on Beaver Creek. County Attorney Barkley J. Sturgill, in releasing the names of 40 landowners who have signed easement privileges, said that the section stands a chance to lose it unless the easements can be procured quickly.

The easements grant rights for "the purpose of clearing, cutting, felling, removing and disposing of any and all timber, trees, snags, brush, trash and debris" over and across the land from the centerline of the creek for a width of 50 feet.

Names of the grantors who have signed the easements follow:

Homer and Bessie Draughn, Chester and Bessie Hicks, Milton and Katie Hall, Bill and Dollie Pettrey, W. H. and Nora Martin, Charles and Annis Clark, Elsie Chaffins, Jack and Mary Johnson, Maude George, Millard Martin, Tom and Ester Martin, Truly and Gwendolyn Francis, Jeff and Alka Scott, George and Sophia Vanderpool, Winchester and Lucille Francis, Claude and Clara Pack, J. E. and Lillie Campbell, Harry and Jessie Martin, Troy and Josephine Webb, Norsie Hunt, Rudolph and Virgie Spencer, C. Thomas and Emogene Wallace, Morton and Luna Patton.

Wiley and Susan Jones, Dennis and Verna Jackson, Oscar and Helen Patton, Martin and Angie Mayo, Amanda Hunter, John C. and Nora Clatworthy, Tom B. and Minnie Connors, Martin Blair, Sol and Liza Bradley, Cluett and Melba Messer, Richard and Elizabeth Wells, Mitchell and America Nichols, Melvin and Josephine Martin, Mrs. Lewis Martin, John and Edna Dixon, Regina Payne, Charles and Beulah Collins.

Beatrice, Walter Scott and Rose (See Story No. 3, Page 6)

Grade School P.-T.A. Places Encyclopedias

The Prestonsburg grade school P.-T. A. met last Thursday at the school, the president, Mrs. Lee Shannon, presiding. The Rev. W. D. Jagers gave the devotional.

Mrs. Shannon announced that the school has put World Book Encyclopedias in all rooms from grades 5 through 8. The District Conference will be held April 18, and all members are urged to attend.

The Health Department has asked the P.-T. A. to help in the pilot project of pre-school examinations to be held at the health department here.

Mrs. Jack Hodge, chairman of the nominating committee, submitted the following slate of officers for the approval of the membership: Marshall Davidson, president; Mrs. Vada Reed, vice-president; Mrs. Calvin Herrick, secretary, and Mrs. C. E. Roberts, treasurer.

The room count was won by Mrs. Lillian Watson's 6th grade room.

Mrs. Jack Hodge introduced Judge Irvin Pruitt, of Pikeville, who spoke on the Boy Scout World Jamboree held in Greece. Judge Pruitt was leader of the Scouts from Lonesome Pine Council.

The meeting adjourned, with refreshments served by the 6th grade homeroom mothers.

DAUGHTER BORN

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Phillip Hughes announce the birth on March 8 at the Prestonsburg General hospital of their first child, a daughter—Kimberly. Mrs. Hughes is the former Bonnie Baldrige, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Baldrige.

RETURN HOME

Mrs. Joe M. Davidson and Mrs. Everett H. Sowards returned home Sunday from a visit with Mrs. Willard R. Jillson in Frankfort. They attended the meeting of Susannah Hart Shelby Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, Friday at the home of Miss Carolyn Matthews. Dr. Jillson gave a talk on the life of Paul Sawyer, the artist.

HOMEMAKERS MEET

The Day Homemakers Club met March 12 at the home of Mrs. Emma Osborne, with Mrs. Mabel Donahoe as co-hostess.

The lesson for the month, "Keeping Household Records," was given by Mrs. Frances Pitts. Mrs. Otella Smiley was appointed reading chairman, taking over for Mrs. Lizzie Allen, who has moved away.

Mrs. Betty Roberts gave the financial report and reported on the previous meeting. The next meeting will be April 9 at the home of Mrs. Anna Feiler, with Mrs. Gilva Spurlin as co-hostess. The lesson will be on Civil Defense.

Mrs. Lucy Ransdell and Mrs. Opal Dingus will take the lesson on flower arrangement April 24 for the May program.

A dessert course was served to Mesdames Verner Clark, Opal Dingus, Betty Roberts, Winnie Johns, Otella Smiley, Virginia Harmon, Ruth Francis, Ella Sturgill, Anna Feiler, Peg Hewlett, Frances Rose, guests, Mrs. Frances Pitts and Mrs. Anna Lee Harmon, and the hostesses, Mrs. Osborne and Mrs. Donahoe.

SEWING GROUP NEEDS HELPERS

The women's sewing group of the First Methodist Church, which meets every Thursday at 9:30 for a day of sewing at the church for the needy, is asking for additional helpers from the Methodist Church women. Making of baby clothes, and quilting are the projects undertaken by this group. Mrs. Arnold Compton, chairman of the group, is asking for support. The need is urgent. The group received thanks last week from Dr. R. L. Hall, expressing appreciation to the women for the work they were accomplishing. Each person brings something for lunch. Those present last week were Mesdames Frank Harmon, Arnold Compton, Harry Ranier, Richard Spurlock, Harry Stoneking, Thomas Hereford, Burl Spurlock, Mrs. Kirshner, Mrs. Lillian Pelphrey, Mrs. Regina B. Mayo.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to acknowledge our deep gratitude to the people of Prestonsburg and the friends of our wife and mother, Carmen Strahan, for the many kindnesses which they extended to us during her illness and upon her passing. We would especially thank the ministers, the Revs. W. D. Jagers and Leroy Sanders, for their comforting words, those who sent flowers, the pallbearers and the Floyd Funeral Home for its efficient services.

VAL STRAHAN AND SON, VAL STRAHAN, JR.

Click-Dotson



Mr. and Mrs. Jobie Click, of Martin, Kentucky, announce the marriage of their daughter, Sandra Gay, to Steve Dotson, son of Mrs. Dollie Dotson and the late Paul Dotson, of Prestonsburg.

The wedding took place in the Methodist Church in Clintwood, Virginia, on March 7, at 2 p.m.

After the wedding Mr. and Mrs. Dotson returned to Eastern State College where both are enrolled. The young couple will be at home to their friends at 302 North Second Street, Richmond, Kentucky.

ENTERTAIN FRIENDS

Mr. and Mrs. Penn Fitzpatrick entertained to dinner at their home on the Middle Creek road about 30 Hatcher and Arnett relatives who came to the funeral of John W. Hatcher, of Ashland, at the Arnett cemetery, March 10.

CELEBRATES BIRTHDAY

Leffie Harmon, Jr., of Bays Branch, celebrated his seventh birthday Sunday, March 15, at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leffie Harmon, Sr. Among his visitors were his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. T. Y. Harmon, T. Y. Harmon celebrated his 85th birthday, February 28.

IN LEXINGTON HOSPITAL

Robert Sturgill, of Hindman, will undergo surgery this week at the Good Samaritan hospital in Lexington. Mrs. Sturgill is at his bedside.

ATTEND FUNERAL HERE

Members of the family of Mrs. Douglas Hopsan May who were called here by her passing March 3 at Central Baptist hospital, Lexington, were Mr. and Mrs. Sam Griffith, Mr. and Mrs. Sammy Joe Griffith, Mrs. Loxford Williamson, and Ronald L. Williamson, of Charleston, West Virginia; Mrs. H. D. Minns, Whitesburg; Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Ray Minns, Ashland; Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Hopsan, of Paintsville; Mr. and Mrs. Paul Spencer, of Martin; Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Hopsan, of Langley, and Mrs. Fred Blackburn, Wheelwright.

VISITORS IN LEXINGTON

Adrian Collins, who is remaining in Lexington for medical treatment, was visited Sunday at his apartment at the Springs Motel by Mr. and Mrs. Bill Pettrey, Mrs. Joe M. Davidson, Mrs. Everett H. Sowards, Mrs. Gilva C. Spurlin, Miss Alma Collins, Wesley Howard, Prestonsburg, Mrs. Dewey Stumbo, of Minnie, Bill Bunting, of Lexington, Dr. and Mrs. Pete Collins and children, South Shore, Ky., Mr. and Mrs. Richard Gessling, of Ashland.

ATTEND FLORISTS' CONVENTION

Mrs. Claudia F. Leete, of the Leete Flower Shop, Mrs. Claude P. Stephens and Miss Sarah Clay Stephens, of Prestonsburg, Mrs. Phillip Morris, and Miss Sheila Gilbreath, of Ashland, attended the spring flower and florists' convention at the Roman J. Clapgood Company in Huntington last Sunday.

IN LEXINGTON

Mr. and Mrs. Montaine Clarke and Mrs. Willis Sparks were in Lexington last Thursday on business.

VISIT IN ASHLAND

Mr. and Mrs. Luther H. Shivel visited Mr. and Mrs. Louie Keeton and Mr. and Mrs. John H. McClure in Ashland this week.

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Society News

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Mrs. Kermit Baldrige returned home Saturday after a visit of a week with her daughter, Mrs. Everett Bradley, and family in Ashland.

Mrs. Alice F. Bowers accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Walter Walters to Lexington Monday on business.

Bob Hughes visited Bill Hubbard at the Ashland State Sanatorium, Tuesday.

The Rev. W. D. Jagers went to Lexington Tuesday to visit Adrian Collins.

Joseph Davidson Harkins and Bill Holliday Harkins, of Lexington, were here Monday on business.

Mrs. Ann White Meade and daughters, Donna Ann and Martha Noel, of Lexington, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. M. White, here last week.

W. V. Bunting, of Lexington, is here this week after an extended visit with his daughter, Mrs. Al Gross, and family in Lexington.

Bill Bowling and daughter, Dinah, of Pikeville, accompanied his mother, Mrs. Nannie Bowling, here last Sunday for a visit with friends and former neighbors.

Mr. and Mrs. Victor Hale were in Charleston, W. Va., last Friday on business. Mrs. Bill Hubbard accompanied them to Ashland to visit Mr. Hubbard at the Eastern Kentucky Sanatorium. He is doing nicely. She returned home with Mrs. Zella Archer, Saturday.

Mrs. Charles Elliott, of Huntington, is here this week visiting her mother, Mrs. J. M. Porter.

Mrs. Alice Adams Hornsby, of Garrett, visited her sister, Mrs. Milt Stanley, at Bonanza last Sunday.

Mrs. R. V. May is able to be out after having been injured in an automobile wreck recently, near Flemingsburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hobson and Mrs. Claude P. Stephens were in Pikeville Tuesday on business.

Val Strahan and Val Strahan, Jr., returned home Monday evening from Shepherdsville, where they visited relatives following interment there of Mrs. Strahan.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Lockwood and children, Ginkie and Andy, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George W. Stephens, here over the weekend.

James Stephens, of Lexington, visited his father, Henry Stephens, and Mrs. Stephens, here last week.

Mr. and Mrs. James Spurlock, of Virgie, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Compton, here last Sunday.

AUNT VERY ILL

Miss Mary E. Powers was called to Honaker, Va., Friday, by the critical illness of her aunt, Mrs. Anne Cox.

VISITS HERE

Mrs. Effie Patrick Milby, of Lexington, spent the weekend here with her brother, Henry B. Patrick, and Mrs. Patrick.

ATTEND MEETING

Mr. and Mrs. Tom G. Dingus went to Cincinnati Sunday to attend a convention of the Hardware Mutual Insurance Company. Mrs. Dingus returned home Wednesday. Mr. Dingus will attend the state basketball tournament in Lexington before returning home.

HERE FOR FUNERAL

Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Hale and daughter, Barbara, of Waverly, Ohio, were called here last week by the sudden death of her father, Henry Holbrook, who died of a heart attack March 12 at his home on the Middle Creek road.

VACATION FOR STUDENTS

Among the mid-year school vacation students at home this week visiting their parents are Kay Ann Frazier, Jim McDonald, Steve Combs, Martha Sue May, Steve Stephens, Bobby and Walkie May, Dixon Nunery, Bill Gordon Francis, John W. Sutherland, Henry Hughes.

VISITS HERE

Miss Lois Cayner returned to Versailles, Tuesday, after a visit here with her cousin, Mrs. Sallye Ligon Clark. She is connected with Margaret Hall in Versailles.

VISIT IN LOUISIA

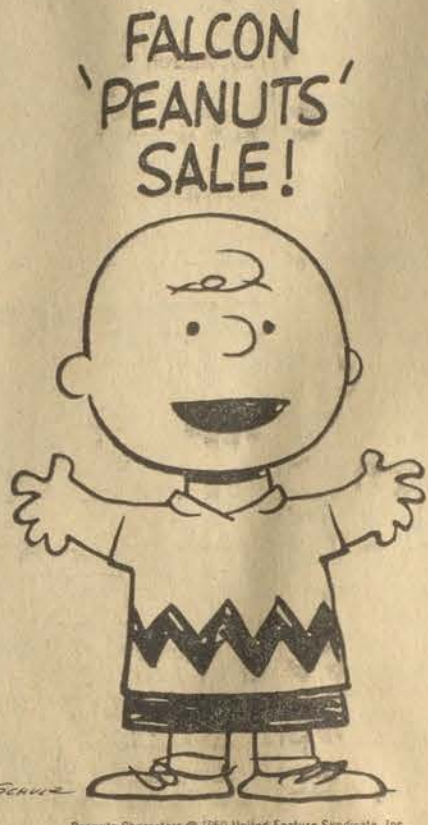
Dr. and Mrs. Herbert G. Salisbury were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Homer Wright in Louisa.

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VISITS ON
Mrs. Luther Osborne returned home Sunday from Ashland, where she was the week-end guest of her son, Howard Gray Osborne, and Mrs. Osborne. They accompanied her home.

VISIT IN OHIO
John W. Scalf, of Beaver, and Henry P. Scalf, Prestonsburg, returned Sunday evening from a two-day visit with relatives in Ohio. While there they visited Mr. and Mrs. John T. Scalf, Mr. and Mrs. Connell Miller and children, Middletown, Ohio, and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Griffith, Hamilton, Ohio.

IN HOSPITAL HERE
R. T. Hunt, of Allen, is in the Prestonsburg General hospital suffering from a stroke. He was removed to the hospital Tuesday.

Emergency vaccine is being rushed to Harlan county where over 100 cases of whooping cough have been reported in the last two weeks, according to J. Clifford Todd, epidemiologist, Kentucky State Department of Health.

PRESTONSBURG HIGH HONOR ROLL LISTED

The Prestonsburg high school honor roll for a recent grading period has been released by Woodrow Allen, principal.

Senior Class, all A's — Jamie Montgomery, Danny Spurlock, Roger Dillon; **B's** — Janet Adams, Charles Arnett, Sandra Baldrige, Marie Boyd, Brenda Calhoun, Jim Camicia, Violet Caudill, Paul Centers, Flora Church, Pam Collins, Rita Conley, Charlene Conn, Wanda Cornett, Andrea Crum, Elizabeth Dingus, Doris Dotson, Nancy Dotson, Thomas Elias, Elizabeth Frazier, Rosalie Freeman, John Goble, Lynn Goble, Teresa Goble, Joyce Hager, Helen Hall, Joyce Hall, Nannalee Hall, Tommy Hall, Rita Hamilton, Delora Harris, Mary Ann Harris, Sammy Hatcher, Chalmers Howard, Pat Howard, Janet Hunt, Larry Hunter, Linda Kelly, William S. Kendrick, Anne Lafferty, Chuck May, Wanda K. Milligan, Donnie Nunnery, Jane Osborne, William Patton, David Reffitt, Rheda Rice, Jimmy Setser, Van Stepp, Carolyn Sue Tackett, Sue Tackett, Phyllis Vandervoort, Jeanette Vaughan, Michael E. Wells, Nancy Wells, Yutanna Woods, Eddie Worland, Brenda Crum, Dianna Elliott, Kathleen Reynolds, Elic Salmons, Martha J. Woods.

Junior Class, B's — Charlene Adams, Sharon Allen, Woody Allen, Sharon Akers, Donna Ball, Harold Burchell, Henrietta Calhoun, Lavetta Clay, Charlotte Cornette, Brenda Crager, Patty Crisp, Jimmy Crum, Judy Davis, Brenda Deboard, Donna Dempsey, Emma Sue Derossett, Carolyn George, Gary Goble, Mary Anna Goble, Mary Grace Goble, Rose Hager, Mary L. Hall, Bill Haywood, Linda Sue Holbrook, Stewart Horne, Brenda Hicks, Rose Howard, Judy Howell, Judith Johnson, Carolyn Lafferty, Ronnie Marsillett, Tommy McGuire, Brenda Patton, Pauline Prater, Wanda Prater, Linda Richardson, Billie Sue Sammons, Barbara Setser, Russell Shepherd, Sheila J. Shepherd, Thelma Spears, Dephane Spencer, Dana Stephens, Linda Tackett, Connie Wallen, Wayne Walters, Steve Webb, Betty Jo Wells, Larry Wells, Russell Wiley, James Wireman, Gloria Wyatt.

Sophomore Class, all A's — Jamie Bickford, Teresa Hopson, Zella F. Wallace, Geraldine Whitt; **B's** — Beulah Akers, Charlotte Arnett, Terry L. Blackburn, Maxine Bradford, Phyllis Bradley, Jeanie Burke, Martha Calhoun, Kathy Camicia, Deanna Campbell, Susan Carter, Ella Jane Castle, Edna Collins, Betsy Cottrell, Flora Craft, Jimmy Crider, Bobbie Curnette, Deloris Delong, Bonita Jo Elkins, Barbara Elliott, Vicki Evans, Lanna D. Fraley, Stella Green, Alice Hackworth, Dianna Hackworth, Beecher Hale, Charles Halfhill, Brenda Hughes, Doris Hughes, Kathleen Jervis, Norma Justice, Jane A. Kendrick, Wonell Kerr, Claude McKenzie, Delores Merritt, Barbara Miller, Larry Milligan, Tom Montgomery, Ruth Anne Patton, Johnny Pimmon, Sandra Prater, Nancy Salisbury, Chris Shepherd, Gordon Tussey, James Wallen, Della Wallen, Joyce Wallen, Linda F. Wells, Della Wilson.

Freshman Class, all A's — Sharon Frasure; **B's** — Margaret Allen, Marthann Archer, Jayne Arnett, Shirley Blanton, Sandy Branham, James Cooley, Gary Cornette, Thursa Crisp, Betty Jo Fannin, Anita Flanery, Maggie Goble, Rosemary Gray, Betty Jo Greer, Connie Hackworth, Deborah Hale, Michael Hamilton, James A. Hughes, Bertha Holbrook, Charles Holbrook, Gayle Hunt, Arley Hunter, Curt Jarvis, Bennett Leslie, Larry Leslie, Marty Leslie, Muriel Leslie, Betsy Lilly, Jayne Miller, Terry Music, Pamela Sue Patton, Maxine Prater, Cheryl Ralston, Junella Ramey, Sarah Raliff, Clyde Robinson, Linda Robinson, Lloyd Robinson, Judith Stone, Deborah Smiley, Margaret Stanley, Linda Thomas, Jane C. Webb, Lillian Webb, Lois Webb, Homer Wells, Peggy Wells, Terri Wells, Christine Whitt, Donna Woods, Elizabeth Woods, Sharon Wright.

AT BEDSIDE OF SISTER
Mrs. D. C. Stephens left Sunday to be with her sister, Mrs. Betty Snapp Blanton, who underwent surgery at a Louisville hospital Monday. She was accompanied by Mrs. George W. Stephens.

Millard Beverly, 74, Of Wayland, Succumbs Following Long Illness

Millard Beverly, 74, Wayland, died Saturday at home following an illness of a year. He was a retired miner.
Mr. Beverly was a son of Hiram and Rachael Slone Beverly. His wife, Cora Moore Beverly, survives.
Surviving sons and daughters are Clennon Beverly, Plymouth, O., Cledis Beverly, Clyde Beverly and Mrs. Hazel Daugherty, all of Wayland, Ed Beverly, Forrest Beverly, Hiram Beverly, Troy Beverly and J. C. Beverly, all of Fairborn, O., Mrs. Beulah Prater, Langley, and Mrs. Beatrice Prater, of Allen. Brothers and a sister surviving are Kendall Beverly, Hager Hill, Dewey Beverly, Ashland, O., Martin Beverly, of Allen, and Mrs. Della Herron, in California. Forty-one grandchildren and 16 great-grandchildren survive.

Funeral rites were conducted Tuesday at 10 a.m. from the Steele's Creek Regular Baptist Church, Revs. Bert Howard, Green Bradley, Banner Manns and Troy Nickles officiating. Burial was made in the Green Bradley cemetery at Dema under the direction of Hall Bros. Funeral Home.

Willie Owens, 69, Dies At Banner Home; Rites Are Conducted Friday

Willie Owens, 69, of Dana, died Wednesday last week at home. A miner, he was in ill health three years, seriously so one week.
Mr. Owens was married to Minnie Gillespie Owens, who survives. He was a member of the Free Will Baptist Church for 20 years.

He is survived by the following sons and daughters: Richard Owens, Ashland, O., Robert Owens, Lee Owens and Mrs. Ida Fife, all of New London, O., Delmar Owens, of Dana, Louise, Columbus, O., Mrs. Lilly Mae Bailey and Mrs. June Patton, both of Eastern, and Mrs. Mary Oma Sammons, of Martin. A brother, Robert Owens, Louisville, and a sister, Mrs. Dora Robinson, of Martin, survive.
Funeral rites were conducted Saturday at 10 a.m. from the Little Salem Regular Baptist Church, the Revs. Robert Owens, Linnie Boyd, Walter Akers, Willie Conn and Willie Rice officiating. Burial was made in the Boyd cemetery at Honaker under the direction of Hall Bros. Funeral Home.

Mrs. Rosie Sellards, 82, Victim At Betsy Layne; Rites Slated Saturday

Mrs. Rosie Sellards, 82, widow of James F. (Tobe) Sellards, died Wednesday at 3 p.m. at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Maggie Leedy, at Betsy Layne. She had been in ill health for several years.
Mrs. Sellards was a native of Pike county and a former resident of Endicott. She was a member of the Free Will Baptist Church.

Surviving, besides Mrs. Leedy, are five other daughters and one son: Ben Sellards, Matney, W. Va., Mrs. Luvernie Blackburn, Newark, Del., Mrs. Daisy McCoy, East Point, Mrs. Ethel Ousley, Mrs. Lula Justice and Mrs. Grace Burke, all of Ashland. One brother, John Hampton, address unknown, survives.

Funeral rites will be conducted Saturday at 2 p.m. from the Endicott Free Will Baptist Church, the Rev. Henry Crider officiating. Burial will be made in the Sellards cemetery at Endicott under the direction of Floyd Funeral Home.

NOTICE

The Floyd County Board of Education will accept sealed bids for the Teaberry school buildings and grounds, separately and together, until 12 noon, April 4, 1964.
This property is located on Big Mud Creek highway and buildings can be easily remodeled into homes.
Bid must be accompanied by five percent of bid price as part payment of successful bidder and to be refunded to unsuccessful bidders.
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Harry M. Caudill Plans Speech Here, April 16; To Discuss Recent Book

Harry M. Caudill, author of "Night Comes to the Cumberland," and well-known Whitesburg attorney, will discuss his book April 16, at 7:30 p.m. at the Prestonsburg grade school auditorium. The public is invited to the meeting which is being sponsored by the Prestonsburg Junior Woman's Club.

Following his discussion members and their husbands will meet with Mr. Caudill for dessert and coffee at the Kentucky Motel Restaurant.
Caudill, a native of Whitesburg, Kentucky, has articles appearing in current issues of The Atlantic Monthly, Public Power, The Nation, and Reader's Digest.

The Kentucky author is a graduate of the University of Kentucky Law School and the undergraduate college. He has served three terms in the Kentucky House of Representatives, and his law practice has been continual since 1948.

Caudill calls his principal interests those of water and resource conservation, soils, and the advancement of the educational interests of the state. In 1960, he was chairman of the special committee to investigate Kentucky's public schools which resulted in making a thorough survey by out-of-state firms. "We are happy that many of these recommendations have been adopted," Caudill stated.

The speaker has been a backer for a Federal Mountain-Development Authority as one answer to the area's needs. Caudill served for two and a half years in the U. S. Army during World War II.

GO TO COLUMBUS

Mr. and Mrs. Hoover Harrington left Tuesday for Columbus, Ohio, where he will resume treatments at a hospital there. They will visit her sister while there.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to take this means to express our appreciation to all our friends, relatives and neighbors for the many kindnesses and sympathetic services extended during the illness, death and funeral of James Monroe Daniels. Appreciation is tendered for the flowers and the consoling words of Revs. Carl Sinters and Millard VanHoose. Last but not least the family is grateful to Dr. W. F. Clarke and the Hall Brothers Funeral Home for its kind and efficient service.

MRS. LULA THOMPSON,
Daughter

RETURN FROM FLORIDA

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Pettrey returned home Sunday from a vacation spent at Brooksville, Florida with his mother. They visited Mr. and Mrs. Town Hall and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Francis at Sarasota, also other friends at Tampa and surrounding towns. En route home, they visited Mr. and Mrs. Don Harris in Lexington.

SPEND WEEK-END HERE

Claudia Ann, Evelyn Johns and Claude Thomas Salisbury, children of Dr. and Mrs. Robert Salisbury, of Mt. Sterling, spent the week-end here with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Salisbury, Sr.

VISITORS AT HOSPITAL

J. O. Webb, who is recovering nicely from two operations at St. Joseph's hospital, Lexington, was visited Sunday by Mr. and Mrs. Bill Pettrey, Mrs. Joe M. Davidson, Mrs. Everett H. Sowards and Bill Bunting. He returned home Wednesday of this week. Mrs. Webb has been with him during his illness.

HERE FROM LEXINGTON

Mr. and Mrs. Burl Wells Spurlock, of Lexington, are visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Burl Spurlock during spring vacation this week.

RETURNS HOME

Mrs. Steve Pieratt returned to her home in Mt. Sterling last week after a visit of a month with her daughter, Mrs. N. M. White, and Mr. White.

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NATURE TRAILS

By RUFUS M. REED

WATER FAMINE PREDICTED FOR EARLY SEVENTIES

"To be forewarned is to be forearmed"—an old but true saying, as is this one, "Coming events cast their shadows before."

Whether experts and scientists who study the varying weather patterns and the conditions that now prevail throughout the country, are predicting serious water shortages, even water famine, to occur in the early 1970's. For every effect, there is a cause, or more than one cause. The signs and portents of a serious water shortage are all too apparent to those who observe closely. Some predict the water shortage will be so severe by then, there will be mass starvation of man and live stock. Some of the causes which these predictions are based on are:

(1) Changing weather patterns, unusual weather phenomena; for instance, in 1963, we had heavy spring floods, and these were followed by a prolonged late summer and fall drought, which put the underground water table at a dangerously low level; the same pattern is shaping up for 1964.

(2) The continuous and unrelenting cutting away of the forests of America, leaving too much land area exposed to the direct rays of the sun, which quickly sucks up all the moisture, and the soil soon becomes bone dry, unable to hold moisture. It is now estimated that nearly one-half of the forests of our land have been cut down and destroyed, and there are not now enough trees to hold the moisture and protect the earth from drying out.

(3) Although we now have heavy spring rains, with much flooding, the hot summer sun soon causes the evaporation of the moisture, and creeks and brooks quickly dry up when fully exposed to the sunlight.

Forests reflect back the heat of the sun and prevent the earth from becoming over-heated, hard and baked; they prevent a too swift run-off of the rainfall. Forests form a leaf mold, which holds and conserves the moisture; the thick leaf mold acts like a sponge to absorb the moisture and retain it; they also keep the land cool, by shading it from the heat of the sun with so much of our forests now gone, the earth dries out too quickly, becomes hard and barren, such exposed areas cannot hold water in the soil.

(6) Another major factor to cause the impending water shortage is the rash of forest fires during the dry fall of 1963, which burned out thousands of acres of leaf mold, vegetation, and left exposed areas which cannot hold back the rainfall or retain the moisture.

(7) Without forests to protect us in the future, the rainwater rushes heading down the slopes to create floods, and these soon exhaust themselves, with no reserve of water left in the earth.

(8) Another major cause of the impending water shortage in the next decade is a dangerously low water table, caused by heavy drawing upon the underground water supply by major industries during the past two decades. Instead of storing up and conserving the underground water supply, our industries are using up the reserves needed by future generations; they are also polluting much of the water, making it unfit for human usage.

(9) Another major factor helping to create a future water shortage is the drainage and reclamation of the swamplands of America. Many of these have been wiped out, turned into subdivisions or factory sites. Swamplands were created by nature to help conserve the water supply; they are vast reservoirs to hold a reserve of water, and for men to fill up and drain these swamps is to thwart the wise provision of nature for water conservation; much of our rainfall depends upon the evaporation of moisture from vast swamp and lake areas.

(10) Another major cause of the impending water shortage is the expansion of desert areas in many parts of the earth. As the earth gets drier year by year, the desert regions tend to grow and spread; it is said the Great Sahara desert is now expanding about 30 miles per year; desert lands are on the march in many regions of the earth; many farms have been so worn down and exhausted, they are now little more than barren deserts! Is our great land of America destined to become a bleak and barren desert region? Not many people know that the Great Sahara Desert was once a forested area and supported people for long periods of time. Its forests were destroyed by man and it became a desert!

Desert areas now cover about 30% of the earth's surface. Scientists warn us that when desert areas grow until they cover as much as 33 and 1/2% of the earth, catastrophe will surely follow.

(11) Another major factor in producing the predicted water shortage in the 70's is the rapid increase of soil depletion and erosion, leaving too much barren sub-soil, which cannot hold water. In many sections of our land, the farmers have overworked the soil, depleted it of fertility, leaving it helpless to produce, and to

hold and absorb rainfall; soil unable to produce vegetation soon becomes dead and lifeless, dry and barren.

The severe dry cycle predicted to strike America in the early 70's is frightening to contemplate. Within ten more years, the reserve supply of underground water will have been depleted by heavy industrial demands which are increasing yearly. Also the heavy population growth demands more and more water for daily use; the population increases rapidly while water supply decreases in like proportion. Each year will require an increase of several billions of gallons of water to supply the needs—but that water supply is nowhere in sight!

It has also been predicted by the experts that the famine due to the drought and water shortage will destroy at least one-third of the wildlife, the stock and a great percentage of the people too! Why will it come? Because man's unwise deeds have made it inevitable! Man has ever been his own worst enemy. In his selfish greed, he never looks ahead to future generations, but "lives it up" in the present. He cut away, burned and destroyed the forests, to get cleared land to till, and then he has exhausted much of this until it is destined to become a desert.

Can this impending water famine be prevented at this late date? We have but ten short years left to take the steps to prevent this impending disaster. But it "is never too late to mend." The serious water shortage can be lessened or at least mitigated by the following programs:

(a) Water conservation on a nationwide scale.

(b) Building dams and lakes on all the smaller streams, to impound and hold a supply of water.

(c) Establishing lakes in many sections of the country.

(d) Establishing ponds on all farms.

(e) Reforestation on a nationwide scale; many farms have been abandoned in recent years, and all these should be reforested at once.

(f) Sowing cover crops on all exposed areas, to prevent evaporation and soil washing.

(g) There should be a moratorium on the cutting of the forests for the next ten years.

(h) Over-tilling and over-working of the soil should be stopped in all cases where this is being done. We have ruined much of our soil by over-work and exploitation. We have ruined multiplied thousands of fertile acres by over-plowing and over-cultivation; the dust storms of the west have blown millions of tons of good American soil into the sea and it can never be recovered!

SHERIFF'S SALE

By virtue of execution No. 3627, to me directed which issued from the office of the Clerk of the Floyd Circuit Court in favor of Casey and Dakota Newsome against Bradford Runyon and Alex Hall, d/b/a Alex Hall Coal Company, I will, on the 23rd day of March, 1964, it being County Court day, at the courthouse door in the City of Prestonsburg, Kentucky, expose to public sale the highest and best bidder a tract of land lying on the waters of Branham's Creek, in Floyd county, Kentucky, and all improvements thereon, levied upon as the property of Alex Hall, on which he resided at the time said execution issued and at the time it was levied. Said tract of land is bounded and described as follows:

"Beginning at main Branham's Creek at Andy Hall's line; thence running up the hill with Andy Hall's line to top of a point to Green Hall's line; thence running up the ridge with Green Hall's line to top of hill to Emil Hall's line; thence running up the ridge with Emil Hall's line to Willie Adkins line; thence running down the hill with Willie Adkins line to Dewey Hall's line to Robert Hall's line; thence running down the hill with Robert Hall's line to the creek; thence running down the creek to Andy Hall's line to the beginning."

Being the same property conveyed to Alex Hall and Liddy Hall by deed from Lee Hall and Fannie Hall, dated March 26, 1957, and recorded in Deed Book 154, Page 223, Floyd County Court Clerk's Office.

I will proceed to sell said land, or so much of it as will be necessary to satisfy said execution and the cost thereof, to the highest and best bidder on a credit of six months from the day of sale, the purchaser giving bond with approved surety to have the force and effect of a judgment on which execution may issue if the same is not paid at maturity, when and where due attendance will be given by me. The amount to be raised is the sum of \$1,478.92 plus advertising costs.

Given under my hand as Sheriff of Floyd county, Kentucky, this 4th day of March, 1964.

HENRY HALE, Sheriff Floyd County, Ky.

By Samuel Hale, D.S. (Cost of adv. \$27.00) 3-6-3

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CURING MEATS.—To me the most unusual skill of primitive people was and is the curing of meats, especially of hams. In my later life hundreds of people keep this skill and make their living by processing meat for the market. And, as Mark Twain's character in THE GILDED AGE would say, "There's millions in it."

BOARDS.—Most of our houses were covered with home-made

SHERIFF'S SALE

The First National Bank of Prestonsburg, Ky. vs. ORDER OF SALE Frank Music, et al. Defts.

By virtue of execution No. 4132 to me directed which issued from the office of the Clerk of the Floyd Circuit Court in favor of The First National Bank of Prestonsburg, Kentucky, against Frank Music, et al., I, or one of my deputies, will on the 23rd day of March, 1964, it being County Court day, at the courthouse door in the City of Prestonsburg, Kentucky, expose to public sale the highest and best bidder the following described property:

LYING and being on Tandy Stratton Branch of Johns Creek, beginning at a large post at the corner of Cora Crider and U. S. Government, or Ballard Lowe line; thence running with Cora Crider's line to the corner of Eugene Goble and Annis Goble's line; thence with their line up the branch to foot of hill; thence running around the foot of hill to sycamore tree at corner of Jim Frealey, Eugene Goble and Annis Goble's line; thence with said Frealey's line up the branch to a corner post at the foot of the hill; thence with said line up the hill to the top of the ridge; thence back down the ridge to the Ballard Lowe line; (Now U. S. Government) thence back down the hill with said line to the beginning corner, the large post at the corner of Cora Crider property. Being the same property conveyed to J. Frank Music and Dorothy Music, his wife, by Arson Crider and Norma Crider, his wife, by deed dated December 29, 1962, and recorded in Deed Book 181, Page 325, Floyd County Court Clerk's Office.

I will proceed to sell said land, or so much of it as will be necessary to satisfy said execution and cost thereof, to the highest and best bidder on a credit of six months from date of sale, purchaser giving bond with approved surety to have the force and effect of a judgment on which execution may issue if the same is not paid at maturity, when and where due attendance will be given by me. The amount to be raised is the sum of \$1,234.23, plus advertising costs.

Given under my hand as Sheriff of Floyd county, Kentucky, this 4th day of March, 1964.

HENRY HALE, Sheriff Floyd County, Ky.

By Samuel Hale, D.S. (Cost of adv. \$28.50) 3-6-3

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It will get most only if you count all the little stinkers that any experienced bass angler considers it a nuisance to release. There will be but few quite large ones, and none too many of only a good medium size.

A really large bass is much more likely to take a lure of, say 1/2 ounce. And it is that—not old-fashioned notions, as some Northerners think—that explains why much larger lures are used in parts of the South than in the North. It's just that bass run much bigger there, and can't be bothered to take baby-size mouthfuls.

A fly rod and poppers offer by far the most sporty and interesting way to catch bass, according to Jason Lucas, Angling Editor of Sports Afield Magazine—and this method is especially effective in the Deep South, where bass do much more surface feeding than in the North, perhaps because more big bugs and such hit the water, to get them into the habit.

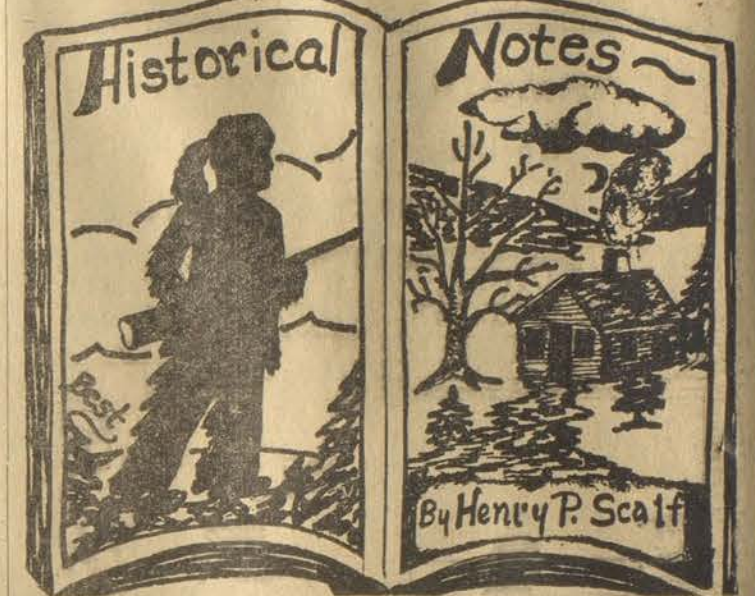
For nearly all bass fishing in the North, and much of it in the South, use plugs of about 3/4-ounce to 1-ounce—of around av-

erage sizes for their weight. Most of the rare big fellows will pass these lures up as too small to suit them, but little stinkers also pass them up as too large, so you won't have the trouble of releasing them. These plugs will get most bass of a good size to have sport with.

Even in the North, if there are some very big lunkers around, and you're deliberately hunting for them—ready to settle for fewer bass in hope of getting a lunker or two—switch to 1/2-ounce plugs; it's not necessary to use larger except for pike and muskellunge. And 1/2-ounce is the standard, everyday plug in those parts of the South where bass often come in the Giant Economy Size—to be more specific, where you can expect to get a good many from about four pounds or up.

Lexington, Ky.—Thiodan, used as a root-dip for young peach transplants, will control the peach tree borer for as much as two years, according to R. L. Miller, UK Extension entomologist. This insect is a major pest on peach trees.

Almost half of all cancer deaths last year were among persons under 65.



LOGGING IN MOUNTAINS

R. B. Maynard, of Heenon, Pike county, writes an interesting and graphic description of logging in the mountains of Eastern Kentucky. He promises other contributions on the different types.

The Maynard manuscript follows:

"Logging and transporting timber by water to Catlettsburg was at one time the greatest monetary industry in the Big Sandy valley. Despite the coming of railroads, logs were yet being floated to Catlettsburg in the 1930's. Better roads and motor trucks have eliminated forever that mode of transporting logs.

"In the history of Eastern Kentucky there has been three distinct types of logging; each of which will appear as separate articles. The three types of logging were carried on in three different periods. And in each period, only one type of logging was carried on at a time.

"In the year of 1917 Joseph Taylor and Bailey Fraley began logging on the Henry Taylor Branch of Brushy Creek and continued logging until 1919, ending up on the Billy Branch, just below there.

"They used the first method of logging ever used in this section. Whole tree-lengths, or whatever length of the tree was usable, were brought out in one single log unless it was untransportably crooked, in which case it was cut up into the most suitable lengths.

"These logs were peeled all around, from end to end, and if on land so sloping as to allow them to run when started, endangering a team that might be hooked to them, they were first shipped to suitable hitch ground. This manner of shipping logs to hitch ground was called 'bruting timber.' The tip end of these logs, when slipping down the mountain, often jabbed into the ground on reaching a flat or more level part of the hill. These flats are common and in paralleling pattern; usually about ten to each mountain of ordinary height, from one end of the mountains to the other.

"There was only one method of dislodging such long and heavy timbers from such places. It could well be left to the unerring genius of those industrious backwoodsmen to devise the simplest, yet most effective manner of starting them on their way again. Two large poles of considerable length were placed along each side of it, with most of their length extending beyond its front end. Then a shorter, but larger pole, was worked under the log crosswise, between it and the parallel poles. When a log struck a flat it usually slipped ahead far enough to leave an open space under it. One end would yet be on the steep and the other, out on the flat and as the log was straight and the ground where the steep and flat met was not straight this naturally left an open space under the log at this point.

"Two men, each with a hand-spike, about six feet long usually of dogwood, one on each side of the log, would begin rolling the

short crosswise pole down hill and as it pressed farther between the long side poles and the log, it lifted the front end of it out of the ground, and served as a wheel or roller to carry it on with increasing momentum.

"After the logs were slipped to hitch ground, usually five yoke of oxen were hitched to them, and they were skidded, or hauled to a stream of water large enough to float them to market during the spring freshets; or else hauled to a tram-road, that lead to such a stream.

"It took about a barrel of ear corn to feed five yoke of oxen; and eighty shoes to shoe them, two shoes to each of their feet. It took about one-half of an hour out of each day to nubbin the oxen by handing each ox separately a small ear or part of a large ear of corn at a time until the whole barrel was fed out.

"The driver who fed them was as patient as the oxen themselves. The work oxen were considered the most patient of all animals. Men had to be patient to endure and perform such a vocation. Constant company with those patient servants and seeing them chewing their cud or when at work, faithfully plodding along, straining with extended necks against the yoke, the very picture and spirit of them were imparted to the teamsters."

STRATTON FAMILY

A letter from Chester R. Wessel, Wheelersburg, Ohio, to Mrs. Carre Allan, Frankfort, is relayed to this column. Mr. Wessel wrote Mrs. Allan:

"Your great-grandparents are William J. McGuire and Mary (Polly) Stratton. She was a daughter of Hiram Stratton and Hannah Lesley (Leslie) Stratton. Hiram was a brother of Milton Stratton, my great-grandfather, who married Martha B. Lesley (Leslie). I am writing in the hope that you can give me information.

"I have a fairly complete list of Milton, John and their families if I can contact them but there are several Strattons that I haven't as yet linked. A Miss Catherine Stratton said her father (Rev. Isaac Stratton, of Banner) said Mary Jane Stratton (1826-1876) married James Harvey Lesley, of Johns Creek and was his aunt. He also had an uncle, John, born 2-23-1823, died in 1906, supposedly near Catlettsburg, Kentucky, and an uncle, Solomon Porter Stratton, born 7-26-1836, who was supposed to have come to Hanging Rock, Ohio, which is close to Ironton, Ohio.

"I have come to the conclusion that Hiram, who died in 1817, had several brothers and sisters. "Milton and Martha B. Lesley Stratton—she was a first cousin to Hannah but she and Milton were both born in the same year, 1811. My grandmother was their youngest daughter, Harriett, and my mother was the youngest daughter of Harriett. She is 81 now but in poor health. She has about given up on the family tree and I am taking over for her."

Kentucky Has A Choice

We have a feeling that Governor Breathitt would have shied, if he in justice to Kentucky could, far away from the task of asking the people to vote an additional \$176 million to the state's bond indebtedness. For debt is not a popular issue and no official welcomes the role of debt-maker.

But it appears the matter was plainly reduced to this: Either find money to continue the program so effectively begun or leave the entire operation, particularly road-building, unfinished and, so to speak, hanging in the air.

This proposed bond issue would bring the total state-obligation debt to \$495,335,000, admittedly a high figure. But this total, standing bare and without explanation, is misleading. It includes toll highways, park lodges, college and university dormitories which are paying, or will pay, for themselves.

Shudder if we will at the talk of debt-load, but let us turn to the alternatives. Kentucky has spent money freely in the last few years, and much money had to be spent, for the state lagged far behind in education, highways and other programs which other states had properly advanced. Now, we have one of three choices to make:

1. Vote the requested bonds; 2. Refuse the bond request and stop our forward progress in mid-air; or, 3. Leave the Governor the unpleasant task of looking for new taxes.

Kentucky, in any event, will pay—in cold cash, or by drifting backward.

Our Yesterdays

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

Thirty Years Ago

(March 16, 1934)

Two railroad locomotives were stolen Sunday night from the Martin railroad yards by two unidentified youths, who deserted them when the engines ran out of steam, near Allen. Henry Hale, 15, of West Prestonsburg, was wounded in his chin and neck Monday when a .22-calibre revolver was accidentally discharged. The Inez high school Indians won the regional basketball title here Saturday night, defeating Maytown, 24-10. There died: Daniel Milton Hager, 79, Floyd native, March 2 at Painsville; Mrs. Elizabeth Jones Maynard, 82, Saturday at her home here; A. E. Hackworth, 71, of Cliff, Sunday at a Pikeville hospital; Mrs. Rachel Dillon, 70, Sunday at Ivel.

Twenty Years Ago

(March 16, 1944)

Four Floyd soldiers are reported missing and two others as wounded. The missing are Emmett Osborne, of Eastern; Pfc. Broadus D. Spears, of Betsy Layne; Amos Bailey, of Goodloe; John R. Moore, of Orkney. The wounded: John Burga, of Edgar, and Joe Wheeler Sizemore, of Bypro. The Bypro Theatre and Bill Sears' restaurant in the same building were destroyed by fire Sunday morning. Lieut. Com. Taylor Calhoun, U. S. N., returned to Floyd county last week, after many years' absence, to attend the funeral of his mother, Mrs. Mary Belle Rockwell Calhoun. Lewis Campbell, principal of the Weeksburg school, was honored by resolution introduced in the Kentucky House of Representatives by Rep. Jerry Fonce Howell. The resolution commended him for his courage in saving the lives of more than 100 children who were in the school building when it was destroyed by fire, January 14. Wayland lost to Elkhorn City in the regional tournament at Inez last Saturday afternoon, 40 to 37. Local real estate transactions: G. C. Spradlin and Jack Spurlin bought the Alice Turner property on First avenue; James E. Goble bought from Reuben Taylor a lot on Third street; W. J. Vaughan sold his North Highland residence to John Benley. The Sandy Valley Produce Company moved from the Spurlin building, next door to The Times, across the street to a new location recently purchased from F. P. Howard, and Sam Hale began an addition to his residential property on Third. Married: Sgt. Dewey Conley and Miss Lillian Griffith, both of Prestonsburg, here Tuesday evening; Miss Anna Laura Murphy, of Wheelwright, and S/Sgt. Roy E. Gibson, of Wayland, March 3 at Camp Pickett, Virginia. Born: To Mr. and Mrs. John H. Rice, of Prestonsburg, March 41 at a Martin hospital, a daughter—Darlene. There died: Mrs. Rhoda H. Allen, 54, March 8 at Pippa Passes; George Skeans, 20, Tuesday of last week at Dock; Chester Arthur Dings, 34, of Hite, killed Saturday when the mine motor on which he was brakeman derailed at a Jump coal operation; Jimmy Caudill, 3, of Ligon, at a Lackey hospital last Thursday, of spinal meningitis; Elder W. B. Hall, 80, Floyd native, Friday at Ewing, Kentucky; James Wells, 56, March 6 at Weeksburg.

Ten Years Ago

(March 18, 1954)

The first shipment of surplus foodstuffs arrived here Wednesday for distribution to Floyd's needy. Floyd county's homicide rate is at an all-time low; not a murder case on the circuit court docket for the second term in a row. An estimated 250 citizens met here Monday night to discuss Prestonsburg's hottest issue—a 45-cent special tax levy to finance construction of a gymnasium-auditorium here. The Inez Indians defeated Pikeville high Saturday night at Pikeville, 82-80, in the regional tournament and will represent the region next week in the state basketball meet. Born: To Mr. and Mrs. Joe Taylor Hyden, of Louisville, March 3, their third child, a daughter, Terri Sue. There died: James Buck Ellis, 40, of Langley, Tuesday at the Prestonsburg hospital; W. T. Austin, formerly of Allen, Wednesday at Guthrie, Kentucky; Josie Warrick, 78, Friday on Bull Creek; Hampton Foster Adams, 48, of Manton, Friday at Risner; Mrs. Mary O'Neal Klank, 72, last Wednesday at Drift; Mrs. Alka May Wolfe, 49, Wednesday at Wayland.

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Mrs. Della C. Bays, Prestonsburg, Victim; Funeral Slated Friday

Mrs. Della Coburn Bays, 73, Prestonsburg, died Wednesday at 6:15 p.m. at the Prestonsburg General Hospital. Death was due to a stroke.

Mrs. Bays was a native of Johnson county, a daughter of the late Dale and Lucy Thomas Coburn. She was the wife of Sam Bays, who survives. She was a member of the Free Will Baptist Church for 27 years.

Surviving sons and daughters are Harvey Bays, Woodrow Bays and Mrs. Rena Hackworth, all of Prestonsburg, Mrs. Cecile Vaughan and Henderson Bays, both of West Prestonsburg, Sammie Bays, Jr., East Point, Mrs. Betty Jo Hackworth, of Cliff, Mrs. Olga Owens, of Blue River, and Mrs. Elsie Sherman, of Auxier. Brothers surviving are Bill Coburn, of Lancer, and Garland Coburn, Prestonsburg.

Funeral rites will be conducted Friday at 1 p.m. from the Highland Avenue Free Will Baptist Church, the Revs. Jack DeRossett and Scott Castle officiating. Burial will be made in the Holbrook cemetery on the Middle Creek road under the direction of Carter & Callihan Funeral Home.

Henry F. Holbrook, 77, Heart Attack Victim; Was Former Teacher

Henry F. Holbrook, well-known Middle Creek man, succumbed at 2:30 a.m. last Thursday to a heart attack which he suffered shortly after midnight the preceding Sunday, a few hours after he had observed his 77th birthday with his family and friends.

A son of Lynn B. and Cynthia Fitzpatrick Holbrook, he was a native of the Middle Creek section. In early manhood he was a teacher, later working as a carpenter.

Surviving are his widow, Mrs. Alka Adams Holbrook, two daughters, Mrs. Ellis Hale, Waverly, O., and Mrs. Douglas L. Brown, of Prestonsburg, and one brother, Ex-Magistrate Grover C. Holbrook, of the Middle Creek road. He also leaves three grandchildren.

His funeral was conducted at 1 p.m. Saturday from the residence, the Revs. Charlie Rowe, W. D. Jagers and Coy Rigney officiating. Burial was made in the Holbrook family cemetery under direction of the Carter & Callihan Funeral Home.

Garland Hurt, 95, Victim At Gulnare

Garland Hurt, prominent Gulnare, Pike county, farmer, died March 9 at 5 p.m. at home following an illness of several years. He was 95 years old.

Mr. Hurt was born September 1, 1868, at Yeager, Kentucky, a son of Thurston and Sarah May Hurt. His wife, Laura Fraley Hurt, preceded him in death in 1941.

Surviving sons and a daughter are Everett Hurt, of Gulnare, Joseph Hurt, Harrodsburg, Kentucky, Thurston Hurt, of Louisa, and Mrs. Sara May Howard, Lexington. Surviving are nine grandchildren and seven great-grandchildren. He had no surviving brothers or sisters.

Funeral rites were conducted Wednesday of last week at 10 a.m. from the home, the Rev. Charles Elswick officiating. Burial was made in the family cemetery at Gulnare under the direction of J. W. Call & Son Funeral Home.

Lexington, Ky.—Most soils in Kentucky need annual applications of phosphate or potash to produce high yields of alfalfa and maintain stands, says George D. Corder, U. K. Ag Extension Service soils specialist.

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Pastor Leads Church In Revival at Martin

The Rev. S. Lee Sloat, pastor of the First Baptist Church at Martin, is leading his church in a revival which began Monday night. The Rev. Garland Wilkerson, pastor of the Licking River Baptist Church at Royalton, is leading the song service each evening. Services are held at 7 p.m. daily.

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OFF-TOLD TALES

You've doubtless heard the one about the cannibal who, finding the big-game hunter sound asleep in his sleeping bag, remarked, "Ah! Breakfast in bed!" Then there's the one told me this week about the cannibal chieftain and the newspaperman who was brought captive to him.

The newspaperman did a good deal of hemming and hawing, trying to delay the proceedings which he feared were about to take place. Finally, the chief asked, "What you do?"

"I am an editor," was the reply.

"Um," commented the chief, "me soon make you editor in chief."

CONFIRMATION

Stop me (if you can) if you've heard this one. It relates to the young blade who, driving around town in his convertible, spied an attractive chick, then tooted around the block and wound up alongside her to invite her for a ride. She hopped in and they were off. A block ahead, the driver stopped for a traffic light, peered intently at the light for a full minute, then admitted he was color blind.

"You sho' is, honey," agreed his passenger.

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Mrs. J. M. Porter surveys the scene arranged by her son, Graham Porter, Mrs. Porter and her daughter, Mrs. Charles Elliott, to honor her on her 95th birthday, March 8. The cake in front of the honoree was ringed by 95 candles. During the afternoon approximately 70 relatives and friends called to greet her.

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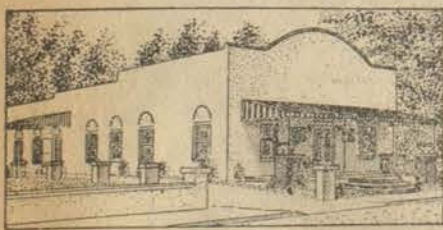
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Frankfort Prayer Room Dedicated By Marvin Music, Kiwanis Head

With Governor Breathitt, Ex-Governor Combs, state legislators and other officials attending, the Prayer Room in the State Capitol Building at Frankfort was dedicated last Thursday, Marvin Music, of Prestonsburg, governor of the Kentucky-Tennessee district of Kiwanis International, making the presentation on behalf of all Kentucky Kiwanians.

The Prayer Room, a Kentucky Kiwanis project, received the cooperation of Ex-Governor Combs when it was begun in 1961, and Governor Breathitt continued executive help after entering upon his term of office. Individual Kiwanians who made special contributions and Kiwanis Clubs of the state which had a part in the building and furnishing of the room were recognized by Mr. Music.

"As I present this Prayer Room to all free men, all religious faiths will feel welcome to use this room for worship and meditation according to their religious faith and beliefs," Music said.

Taking part in the dedicatory program were both Combs and Breathitt and these representatives of different religious beliefs: Rabbi Herbert S. Waller, Temple Adath Israel, Louisville; Dr. Paul S. Stauffer, minister of the First Christian Church, Louisville, and Father James C. Maloney, director of Boys' Haven, Louisville.

Simplicity pervades the room. The lighting is subdued, but a concealed light directs attention to the Bible, open to the Twenty-third Psalm, and the altar on the front of which is a carving of Durer's famous "Folded Hands." A lighted candle on either end of the altar enables one to use the Bible, turning to whatever passage may mean the most to him at the moment.

An American flag is at the right of the altar with a plant of green foliage on the left. In the front of the altar is a prayer rail, at which those who desire to do so may kneel. Three pews face the altar. The room is enclosed with pale blue drapes. The carpeting is also blue. The altar, prayer rail, and pews are finished in natural white oak. An indirect light at the back gives the room a soft color harmony of blue and gold.

Violation by one licensed under the ordinance of any of the laws mentioned will mean revocation of license, it is pointed out. Any cab driver's license may be revoked at any time by vote of majority of the City Council after full hearing and upon a proper showing that any taxicab driven by such driver has been used by the driver for any immoral or illegal purpose. Receipt by the Council of a record of the conviction of any licensed driver on any of the accounts enumerated will mean mandatory revocation of his license.

The ordinance also requires that cab owners shall keep in force \$10,000 liability insurance indemnifying passengers against injury or death, plus \$1,000 insurance to cover property damage.

On effective date of the ordinance no cab will be permitted to cruise Prestonsburg streets to solicit business.

Violation of any of the provisions of the ordinance will be penalized by revocation of license, plus a fine of not less than \$5 nor more than \$15 for each offense.

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The report said, "It seems apparent that for many years our school system has been used to further the political and economic ambitions of a few men."

The grand jury charged that the county's five school districts have been politically formed to assure election of certain board members who control the school system.

It charged that the system, its money, power and employees have been used as the basis for a political machine to control school elections and also county, state and federal elections in Pike county for the past 20 years.

Other grand jury charges concerning school officials were:

1. Petitions or "dummy" candidates have been filed by school officials to control school board elections.

2. Employees have been coerced to vote for and support particular political parties and candidates upon threat of discharge, demotion, or undesirable jobs.

3. Employees have been assessed or coerced into giving money to be used for the election of school board members and to support a political party favored by school authorities.

4. School board candidates have spent more in campaigns than is permitted by law, and have filed false statements regarding election contributions and expenditures.

5. Employees have been favored or discriminated against because of political opinions or affiliations.

6. Board members have used their official authority to cause employees to do business with them in return for a recommendation of appointment to a position.

7. School officials have misapplied, taken and fraudulently disposed of school money and property.

8. School authorities have made fraudulent claims for expenses. Board members and school employees have sold the system merchandise worth more than \$25 within a year, contrary to law.

Lexington, Ky.—The U. S. Department of Agriculture has notified manufacturers of the insecticide endrin that the department has withdrawn acceptance of this insecticide for use on tobacco.

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Branham's Creek school; 8 a.m., Lafferty school, Warrick school, Derossett school; 10 a.m., Ivy Creek school.

Thursday, April 9 — 8 a.m., Spruce Pine school; 11 a.m., Upper Jacks Creek school; 11:15 a.m., Lower Jacks Creek school.

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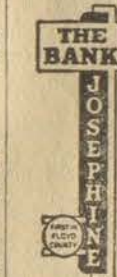


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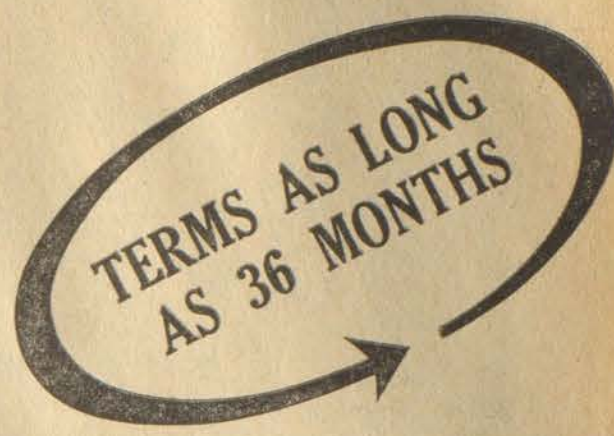
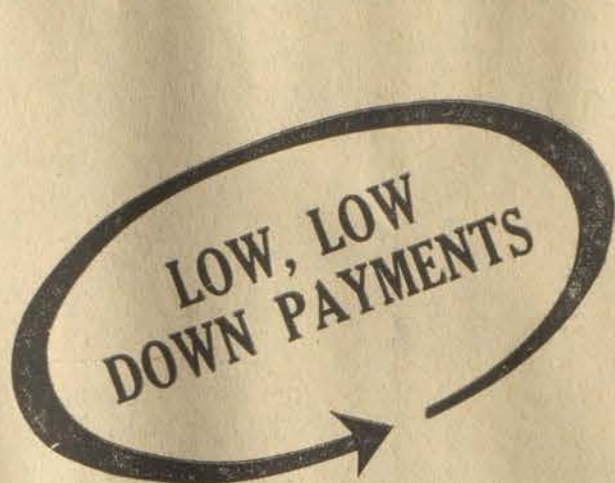
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TENT, TRAILER CAMPERS IN KENTUCKY INCREASING

All 50 states, the District of Columbia and nine foreign countries were represented by the record total of 196,022 persons who camped in Kentucky state parks in 1963. The 1963 total was an increase of 76,675 over that of the preceding year.

Kentucky's Parks Commissioner Robert D. Bell reports that the state parks issued 38,584 camping permits last year, an increase of 53.6 per cent over 1962.

"This reflects the tremendous popularity of our state park camping facilities," Bell said. "We've had so many advance inquiries that we are opening the camping season April 1 instead of April 15, as previously announced."

Ohio sent the most campers to Kentucky state parks in 1963—38,519, or 23.2 per cent of the total. Close behind were 37,247 native Kentuckians; 22.4 per cent.

Third in the Kentucky state parks camping roster was Indiana's 23,872 with Illinois's 22,179 a close fourth. Next in order came Michigan's 7,122, Missouri's 7,052, West Virginia's 3,542, Florida's 3,193, Tennessee's 2,527, and Wisconsin's 1,965.

Those ten states accounted for 88.7 per cent of the total. The other states and eight foreign countries sent 18,799 campers, or 11 per cent of the people who camped in Kentucky state parks last year. An estimated 20,000 unregistered campers used the primitive areas.

Canada's 1,196 were by far the most numerous foreign campers. Seventeen came from Panama, 15 from Mexico, 12 from Holland, with a sprinkling from England, Scotland, Germany, New Zealand and Venezuela.

There's good reason for this popularity. Top-notch camping facilities are provided in 15 Kentucky state parks. Fourteen of these cater to trailers as well as tents. That means around 250

sites for trailers and about 550 for tents, all serviced by excellent central service buildings with glazed tile interiors, modern toilet facilities, gleaming showers, telephone, etc. All these areas are located in surroundings of extraordinary beauty.

Primitive camping is available in three other state parks. In addition, Mammoth Cave and Cumberland Gap, both national parks, provide about 455 tent sites between them. And Breaks Interstate Park on the Virginia border has 15 camping sites for tents and ten for trailers.

A tent or trailer site in Kentucky's fully equipped state park camping areas costs \$1.50 a day for up to six persons. An additional site is required for more than six. Electricity costs 50c a day more. There is no charge for the primitive camp sites in the state parks nor for any of the sites in the national parks. No reservations may be made and there's a two-week maximum stay limit.

For information on tent and trailer camping in Kentucky write to Travel Division, Public Information Department, Frankfort, Kentucky.

Noyes Foundation Makes Centre \$65,000 Grant; Scholarships Planned

Centre College will receive grants totaling \$65,000 from the Jessie Smith Noyes Foundation, Inc., of New York City for the establishment of "Opportunity Scholarships" at Centre for promising young people who have demonstrated exceptional initiative in surmounting handicaps to educational advancement.

The announcement was made here Thursday by Dr. Thomas A. Spragens, Centre president.

Beginning this June, Centre will award four-year scholarships to three entering freshmen each year for the next three years. The awards will provide full tuition, fees, room, board, and books amounting to approximately \$2,100 per school year if the recipient's actual need requires such assistance. Aid will also be provided for summer school work to make up specific course deficiencies, if indicated.

The scholarships will be awarded to young persons of marked academic promise who have made an unusual effort to overcome serious limitations, whether financial or environmental. Candidates for these scholarships will not be in competition with students from more privileged educational backgrounds. The grants will be awarded without reference to the race, religious affiliation, or sex of the recipient.

President Spragens said: "We shall be soliciting nominations of young persons who would appear to have significant native ability, but whose college readiness has been limited by such factors as family financial and educational background or general environmental circumstances."

Nominations are being invited specifically from schools and school districts from which only a small proportion of high school graduates now go on to college.

The Noyes Foundation scholarship program at Centre is comparable to one being initiated by four Southern universities with assistance from the Rockefeller Foundation. That foundation has awarded grants of \$250,000 each to Duke, Emory, Tulane and Vanderbilt Universities in order to increase the equality of college educational opportunity for graduates of Southern high schools.

It is emphasized by Centre officials that young people nominated for The Noyes Scholarships must have a high level of motivation, good character, sufficiently high aptitude for college work to predict success at Centre, and limited financial resources. High school seniors and 1962 and 1963 graduates who have not attended either junior or senior colleges may be nominated.

NOTICE

George C. Moore has filed application with the Floyd County Court for license to operate a place of entertainment, Moore's Poolroom, at Tram, Kentucky.

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PAYNE'S STUDIO

Kentucky Welfare Group Schedules Park Meeting

The "convention season" is getting an early start at Jenny Wiley State Park, with one scheduled for Friday of this week and a second on April 3-4.

The Kentucky Welfare Association's District 18 will meet Friday at May Lodge for a dinner meeting at 6:30 p.m. Pike county will have the program, and a panel of ministers will speak on the topic, "The Role of the Church in Public Welfare Today."

The first Kentucky-Tennessee Circle-K convention to be held in Eastern Kentucky will convene at the lodge, April 3, for a two-day session. The convention host will be the Pikeville College Circle-K Club, and the event will be sponsored by the Pikeville Kiwanis Club. All members of neighboring Kiwanis Clubs are being invited to attend.

Expected attendance at the convention is 150 Circle-K clubmembers from Kentucky and Tennessee. The Governor's Banquet will be held at 8 p.m., April 4.

Clarence Thomas, 57, Cleveland, Ohio, Dies; Former Drift Resident

Clarence Thomas, 57, Cleveland, Ohio, died Thursday of last week of cancer at Cleveland. A native of Inez, he resided in the Drift section of this county until ill health forced his retirement. He was a former miner.

Mr. Thomas was a son of Blaine and Frances Adams Thomas. He is survived by the following son and daughters: Harold Thomas, Mrs. Charlene Wells and Willa Frye Thomas, all of Cleveland, and Mrs. Genevieve Cole, Brook Park, Ohio. One brother, Lawrence Thomas, Wayne, Michigan, survives. Surviving also are two sisters: Mrs. Versa Henson, Pikeville, and Mrs. Bertha Rogers, Ashland.

Funeral rites were conducted Sunday at 1 p.m. from the Arnold Chapel, the Revs. Ershell Huff, Henry King and Jerry Hall officiating. Burial was made in the Davidson Memorial Gardens at Inez under the direction of Carter & Callahan Funeral Home.

Lexington, Ky.—Special meetings will be held throughout Kentucky in March to boost a faster rate of homebuilding and improvement. Charlie Dixon, secretary of the Kentucky Development Committee, said 23 such sessions are scheduled. They start March 16 at Paintsville and conclude March 26 at Alexandria and Maysville.

Advertisement for Bids

Sealed bids will be accepted by the Floyd County Board of Education until 2:00 p.m. E.S.T., April 4, 1964, for furnishing the following material:

1. 17,125 feet, 6-inch, quick or slip joint cast iron water pipe.
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4. Four 6-inch mechanical joint tees.
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All pipe and fittings shall be 150-lb. class, cast iron, enamel lined, .38 inches thick and shall meet all standards of the American Waterworks Association for cast iron water pipe and fittings. Bid price shall include all applicable taxes and delivery to Prestonsburg, Kentucky.

The Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

CHARLES F. CLARK
Superintendent
Floyd County Schools
3-19-31

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BABE DIES

Stanley Wright, six-week-old son of Amos and Shelby Jean Hall Wright, of Printer, died Tuesday last week at the McDowell Appalachian Regional hospital. The babe had been ill since birth. He was an only child. Funeral services were held Friday at the Dry Creek cemetery at Topmost under the direction of Hall Bros. Funeral Home.

NOTICE

Edith Gline has filed application with the Floyd County Court for license to operate a place of entertainment, the Outside Inn, on U. S. 23, between Emma and Allen, Kentucky.

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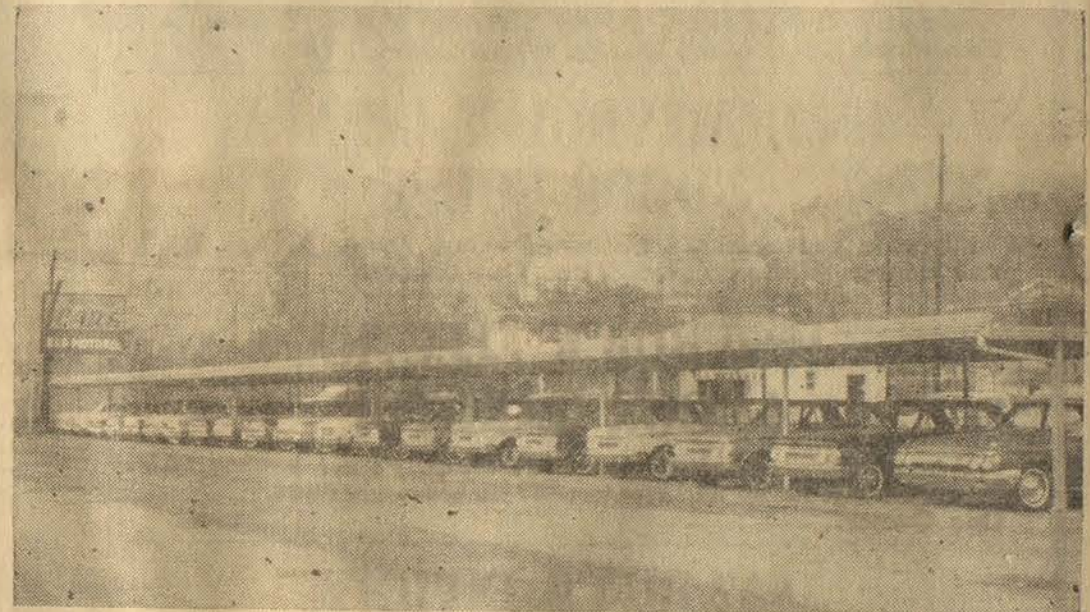
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- 1961 OLDSMOBILE F-85. Automatic transmission. V-8 motor.
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- 1961 FORD Galaxie. 2-door. Hard top. V-8 motor. Automatic.
- 1961 CHEVROLET. 2-door. Hard top. V-8 motor. Standard.
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Wayland Wins Way to 'State' With Regional Win Over Inez

Wayland high school for the fourth time in its history has its basketball team in the state basketball tournament at Lexington this week.

The Wasps, enacting the dark horse role to perfection, was runner-up to Martin high school in the district tourney here two weeks ago, and last Saturday night these same Wasps downed the Inez Indians in easy fashion to win the regional title and a

conceded place in the state finals at Lexington.

The Wasps no longer had a King Kelly Coleman for the regional and state meets but they had a reasonable facsimile in the person of big Bronley Williams, who led his team in scoring during the strenuous march to the title and last Saturday night in the regional title game scored 35 points.

The teams in the regional fought it out with these results: Inez defeated Mullins in the first round, 72 to 61, and Martin dropped a squeaker to Paintsville, 69-66. Pikeville was an easy winner over Ezel, 79-57, and Wayland began its victory march with an 86-53 win over Morgan County. In the semi-finals Inez scored the big upset of the tournament by downing favored Paintsville, 57-56, and Wayland eliminated Pikeville, 70-67.

The regional all-tournament team, listed in alphabetical order:

Jim Allen, Paintsville; Mike Burton, Morgan County; Mike Ewers, Mullins; Stevie Halbert, Martin; Larry Hall, Martin; Bob Porter, Paintsville; Neil Smith, Pikeville; Danny Stanford, Wayland; Orville Stepp, Inez; Jerry Todd, Inez; Sonny Ward, Inez; Bronley Williams, Wayland.

The cheerleaders' trophy went to Pikeville, and Wayland won the team free throw trophy.

Community Leagues Set Players Registration

PRESTONSBURG COMMUNITY LEAGUES will register players the next two Saturdays, March 25 and April 4, from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. at the Prestonsburg grade school.

Little Leaguers, ages 8-12, are to be accompanied by a parent or guardian and must present birth certificate or blue health card which can be obtained from health department.

Babe Ruthers, ages 13-15 will register at the same place, accompanied by parent or guardian. They must present birth certificate or blue health card.

Connie Mackers, ages 16-18, sign up at Prestonsburg grade school. A birth certificate or blue health card must be presented. All candidates must sign on these two dates, to be placed on a team.

Parents and other persons interested in coaching or helping with leagues in any capacity should also sign up. A four-team Little League, four-team Babe Ruth League, Farm or Minor League, and one Connie Mack team are planned.

The City Recreational Commission which is in charge of the program is composed of E. M. May, Jr., Earl Castle, Bill Wells, Paul Phillip Hughes, Earl Compton, Harold Baldrige, Paul Branham, Foster Tackett.

First Round

Inez (72)—Fannin 10, Todd 17, Mills 15, Ward 12, Stepp 13.
Mullins (61)—Brown, Lockhart 10, Bryant 6, Ewers 21, Crum 8, Johnson 10, Hall, Kennard, Hamilton, Ratliff 6, McKenzie, May, Inez 14 17 19 22-72
Mullins 17 8 17 19-61

Martin (66) — Hale 7, Barnett 15, Hall 19, Halbert 17, D. Mayo 6, Perkins 2.

Paintsville (69) — Schmitt 15, Allen 27, Tackett 10, Sublett 5, Porter 12.
Martin 12 23 17 14-66
Paintsville 13 23 11 22-69

Second Round

Ezel (57)—Fannin 15, Vest 12, Rupe, Murphy 3, Hendricks 1, Phipps, Fugate 12, Ratliff 14.
Pikeville (79)—Smith 32, Andy Wootter 5, Branham 3, Mims, Baird, Mattox 2, Tom Wootter 4, Anderson 7, Osborne 2, Parsons 17, Trivette 2, Justice.
Ezel 11 16 12 18-57
Pikeville 19 18 19 23-79

Wayland (86)—Stanford 14, Williams 21, K. Martin 9, Johnson 2, Waugh 4, T. Martin 24, Wiley, Gibson 6, Fuhs 2, Collins, Hall 2, Fraley 2.

Morgan County (53) — G. Holbrook, 9, Carr, Bradley 8, Benton 10, Sanders 2, Conover 9, J. Holbrook, Burton 11, Gardner, Adams 4.
Wayland 20 20 28 18-86
Morgan Co. 9 16 4 24-53

Semi-Finals

Inez (57)—Fannin 4, Todd 13, Mills 4, Ward 14, Stepp 22.
Paintsville (56) — Schmitt 14, Williams, Allen 21, Tackett 3, Sublett, Meek, Porter 13, Taylor.
Inez 11 14 16 16-57
Paintsville 14 16 17 9-56

Championship Game

Inez (62)—Fannin 7, Todd 13, Mills 7, Ward 4, O. Stepp 31.
Wayland (78)—Stanford 17, Williams 35, K. Martin 13, Johnson 3, T. Martin 10.
Inez 15 11 17 19-62
Wayland 22 12 18 26-78

FANNIN SERVES

Twentynine Palms, Calif.—Billy J. Fannin, chief hospital corpsman, USN, son of Mrs. Olive M. Fannin, of Allen, Ky., participated Feb. 29-March 9 in an extensive simulated warfare exercise called "Operation Winter Night" at the Marine Corps Base, Twentynine Palms, California.

The exercise, a combined operation of the First Marine Division based at Camp Pendleton and the Third Marine Aircraft Wing at El Toro Marine Corps Air Station, involved all types of Marine equipment and every phase of combat skill.

Dick Brashear Directs Winning Florida Team

Dick Brashear, formerly of Manton, now head basketball coach at Florida Central Academy, Sorrento, Florida, has directed his team, thus far, to an undefeated season. Sporting a 9-0 record, Brashear's is the only squad in Florida's Mid Lakes Conference remaining undefeated.

In addition to having compiled the only perfect slate in central Florida, Brashear's boys also annexed a tournament title recently when they won the annual Lakes and Hills tournament.

A big factor in the success of Brashear's team has been its rugged defense, permitting an average of only 47 points a game while rolling along at a 62.1 clip on offense.

Brashear, now in his third year at Florida Central, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Brashear, of Manton. He graduated from Pikeville College in 1961.

Five from County Are On Dean's List At Eastern State

Richmond, Ky., March 17 (Spl.)—Five Floyd countians have been named to the Dean's List of honor students for the fall semester at Eastern Kentucky State College, President Robert R. Martin announced this week.

They are among a record 734 students who compiled superior academic records, Eastern's fall enrollment was 4,734, also an all-time record.

Students named on the Dean's List earned point standings of 3.0, of a possible 4.0.

Floyd countians are: Brenda K. Miller, Allen; Frances S. Sherman, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. John Sherman, Martin; Edmund R. Burke, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Edmund R. Burke, Sr.; Judith A. Howard, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Howard; Mary J. Shivel, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Luther Shivel, all of Prestonsburg.

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SPORTS CHATTER

By GORDON MOORE



The Wayland Wasps, winners of the coveted 15th regional basketball championship, will meet Allen County high of the 5th region, in the first round of the state high school basketball tournament in Lexington today (Thursday) at 3:45 p.m.

This will be the fourth trip to the state meet for Wayland and the first under the tutelage of Coach Tommy Boyd who is in his third season there after a seven-year tenure at Betsy Layne.

In 1957, the Wasps lost to Owensboro, 56-46, in the first round; in 1951, they defeated Lyon County, 82-47, and lost to Manual, 77-45, in the second round. In 1956, with the fabulous "King Kelly" Coleman on the rampage, they defeated Shelbyville, 87-76, Earlington, 65-57, and lost to Carr Creek, 68-67, in the semi-finals, then defeated Bell County, 122-89, in the consolation game.

Two Floyd countians, Foster "Sid" Meade and Don Sullivan, will be officiating in the state tournament along with former Hazard football coach Walt Green and Morehead College ex-pitcher Irvin Spencer.

The other four "whistle-tooters" are John "Scoop" Brown, Lexington; Roy Winchester, New Castle high; Charlie Irvin, Hopkinsville, and Bobby Flynn, Lexington.

Last week's 15th regional tournament in the local fieldhouse grossed \$7,557.00. Each of the participating teams received a share of \$686.50 while Prestonsburg high school benefitted by \$988.00 as host school, for rental and other services rendered. The

concessions also boosted the band, junior class, senior class and P-Club by about \$1,200.00.

Fifty-two candidates answered Coach Bert Dixon's first call for spring football practice at the local school, Monday afternoon. All of the players on last season's freshman team, which compiled a 7-1 record, were on hand.

The Eastern Kentucky regional high school track meet, involving 21 area schools, will be held in Prestonsburg next month, and the Floyd county district baseball tournament will be held on the Drift diamond.

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Andrew Conn, 45, Dies At Lima, Ohio; Rites Conducted Wednesday

Andrew Conn, 45, formerly of this county, died Sunday at 9 p.m. at Lima, Ohio. He had been ill six months.

Mr. Conn was a son of the late Riley Conn and Mrs. Sarah Osborne Conn, of Lima. Surviving, besides his mother, are two sons and a daughter: William Conn, of Lima, Jerry Conn, Buffalo, New York, and Lillian Conn, Rochester, New York. One brother, Henry Conn, of Lima, survives.

Funeral rites were conducted Wednesday at 2 p.m. and burial was made at Lima.

CIVIL RIGHTS LEGISLATION BURIED BY ASSEMBLY

Frankfort, Ky., March 16 (Spl.)—The 1964 Kentucky General Assembly, which killed and buried civil rights in its rules committee last week, was grinding out less controversial legislation rapidly with the approach of final, mandatory adjournment Friday.

Also pending was final action on a bill to tighten control of strip-mining, bills pertaining to the Sunday closing of stores and businesses and the proposed measure to authorize a statewide vote in November, 1965, on a \$176 million bond issue for roads and capital construction.

With the death both in the House and Senate last week of proposed public accommodations legislation, Governor Edward T. Breathitt rescinded the public accommodations executive order issued last June 26 by his predecessor, Governor Bert T. Combs. Breathitt had said he would rescind the order after the Legislature had made known its wishes on civil rights.

Legislation on the subject died in the House when that body's rules committee beat back by a vote of 21 to 33 an effort to move the public accommodations bill out on the floor for a vote. The Senate defeated by a vote of 9 to 18 a motion by Senator Shelby C. Kinkadee, Lexington, to take the civil rights measure from the Senate Rules Committee for a vote.

The Monday "march" by Louisville teachers, parents, and civic and business leaders was in support of a measure to raise from \$1.50 to \$2 the amount of property tax on each \$100 of assessed valuation that local boards of education might levy without a public vote.

The pace of passage of bills before the Assembly quickened with approach of the end of the session. The quickest any bill may be put through the General Assembly is five days. This is done only in extreme cases and it was not likely that a bill introduced on Monday, which would start the last five days, could hope for enactment.

The House last week dropped a controversial governors' pension plan and then passed by 85 to 4 a House bill which would liberalize benefits under the Kentucky Employees Retirement System. The bill originally would have given former governors over 65 a monthly pension of at least \$500.

By a vote of 27 to 2, the Senate passed and sent to the House a bill empowering the Board of Trustees of the University of Kentucky to provide a retirement system for employees.

The Senate proceeded with plans for revision of Kentucky's Constitution by passing a resolution giving the recently-appointed Constitutional Revision Assembly the choice of proposing an amendment or a convention for updating the 1890-91 instrument. The question ultimately will be submitted to the people for a vote.

The General Assembly last week heard an address by United States Senator Clinton P. Anderson (D., N.M.), co-sponsor in the national Congress of the King-Anderson Bill, popularly known as the medicare measure. Opposition to medicare was voiced in January at a similar session by Dr. Edward R. Annis, Miami, president of the American Medical Association.

ALLEN

Mrs. Martha Jo Crisp was honored with a surprise birthday dinner Sunday by Mr. and Mrs. Obie Crisp in their home. Other guests were Mrs. Crisp's husband, Ray Crisp, and children, Thursa Ruth, Margaret Raye, Timmy and Nancy Jo, Mr. and Mrs. Felix Crisp, and Mrs. Joe Larry Vaughn and baby, Joe Larry, II, of Lexington.

Mrs. Palmer Crisp was hostess to the Woman's Society of Christian Service of the Methodist Church at her home Friday night. Mrs. Crisp, the president, presided. A poem, "The Anvil of God's Word," was read by Mrs. Flora L. Gray, who also gave a report on the World Federation of Methodist Women. Mrs. Crisp announced that the annual conference of Kentucky of the Woman's Society of Christian Service will be held April 17-18 at Lexington, and that the district meeting will be held in Catlettsburg, May 4. The Study Course, "Christian Issues in Southern Asia," was planned to begin March 24, with Mrs. Flora Gray in charge. Mrs. Edna Mae Callison was in charge of the worship program, "The Cross and the Resurrection." Taking part were Tincy Crisp, Maude Snodgrass, Flora Gray, Nellie Laferty. A recording, "The Hallelujah Chorus," from Handel's Messiah, was played at the close of the program. Mrs. Crisp served a dessert course to Edna Mae Callison, Maude Snodgrass, Flora Gray, Nellie Laferty, Rita Laferty, and Delores Callison. The April meeting will be in the home of Mrs. Lucy Kinzer, with Mrs. Nellie Laferty in charge of the program. There will be an installation of officers before the April meeting.

Miss Josie Laferty has returned from a visit with Mrs. Belle Ellis, of Prestonsburg.

Mrs. Joe Larry Vaughn and baby son, Joe Larry, II, are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Obie Crisp, and Mr. and Mrs. Felix Crisp this week while her husband is on a business trip to Louisiana. She will rejoin her husband at their home in Lexington this week and will accompany him on a business trip to Indiana.

The Rev. James Stratton is engaged in evangelistic services in Augusta, Kentucky. Mrs. Stratton and sons, Stephen and Jon, visited his parents at Zebulon last week.

Guy Childers, of Ashland, was a business visitor here Friday. He visited Mr. and Mrs. Gene Allen, also briefly with Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Gray, Mr. and Mrs. Gray had as other guests recently Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Van Kruen, of Livonia, Michigan.

Miss Patty Crisp won superior rating at the speech festival held at Pikeville College last week-end. Miss Crisp is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Obie Crisp and is a student at Prestonsburg high school.

Mrs. Maggie Haywood, Native of Floyd County, Dies At Wabash, Indiana

Mrs. Maggie Pitts Haywood, 53, Wabash, Indiana, died Saturday at Wabash county hospital, reportedly of cancer. She was formerly of Dock, this county.

Mrs. Haywood was the daughter of the late John L. and Frances Ouseley Pitts and the wife of Charlie B. Haywood, who survives. She was a member of the Regular Baptist Church.

Survivors, besides her husband, are a daughter, Miss Joan Haywood, of Wabash, and the following brothers and sisters: Mexico Pitts, Minerva, Ohio, R. E. Pitts, West Prestonsburg, Mrs. George Wright, of Martin, Mrs. Daisy Thompson, of Wabash, Mrs. William Fitzpatrick, Mrs. Green Haywood and Miss Lurancy Pitts, all of West Prestonsburg.

The body was returned here Sunday and funeral rites were conducted Tuesday at 2 p.m. from the West Prestonsburg United Baptist Church, the Rev. Luther Conn officiating. Burial was made in the Pitts cemetery at Dock under the direction of Carter & Callihan Funeral Home.

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Charles K. Moore, 66, Son of Former Pastor, Dies At Martin, Friday

Charles K. Moore, 66, son of a former pastor, H. K. Moore, of the Methodist Church of Prestonsburg, died Friday at Martin. He had been in ill health for the past four years. He was a retired C. & O. Railway Company employee.

He was first married to Hattie Alley and to this union was born three children. She and two infant sons preceded him in death. A daughter, Mrs. E. B. May, Jr., and five grandsons of Prestonsburg, survive.

He was secondly married to Mary Patton. Survivors are his wife and two sons, Douglas, and Danny, both of Martin. One sister, Mrs. J. E. Shepherd, Baltimore, Maryland, survives.

Funeral services were held in the Free Will Baptist Church, of Martin, with Rev. Leroy Sanders of the Community Methodist Church, of Prestonsburg, officiating. Burial was made in the Dingus cemetery at Martin, under the direction of Hall Brothers Funeral Home.

Pallbearers were Fred Dickerson, James Auburn Dickerson, Charles Duddley Meadows, Charles O. Moore, Kenneth Ray Moore, Tommy Moore and William H. May.

Lexington, Ky.—Will Corral, the insecticide used as a spray or a pour-on solution to control cattle grubs, kill these grubs when added to cattle salt? The material was not effective when so used in a test last season at the U. K. Ag Experiment Station, says Fred Knapp, U. K. animal entomologist. He noted that use of Corral as a feed additive is experimental only and is NOT a recommended practice.

Invitation for Bids

THE CITY OF Martin, Kentucky, a municipal corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of Kentucky, acting by and through MARTIN MUNICIPAL HOUSING COMMISSION, its duly approved and appointed Local Public Agency, invites Bids for the purchase and redevelopment of the following described real estate located in the City of Martin, Floyd County, Kentucky, located within the Town Center Urban Renewal Area, Project No. Ky. R-13(e), to-wit:

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Said property will be or is zoned for Residential uses, as defined in the Urban Redevelopment Plan for said Project.

Bids may be submitted either for an individual lot, for any number or combination of lots, or for the entire group of lots as a whole.

The Local Public Agency reserves the right to amend the Urban Renewal Plan to exclude or include property that is within the project boundaries.

Printed forms required in making Bids and detailed instructions for making Bids may be obtained at the Local Public Agency Office, MARTIN MUNICIPAL HOUSING COMMISSION, MARTIN, KY. Bids must comply with said instructions, and shall include preliminary drawings and a brief narrative description of improvements the Bidder will construct upon the property if his Bid is accepted.

Bids shall be submitted at the Office of the said Local Public Agency, Martin, Kentucky, prior to 2 o'clock P.M., on April 11, 1964, and no Bids received thereafter will be considered.

Bids will be opened at a public meeting held for that purpose at City Hall, Martin, Kentucky, on April 11, 1964, at 2:05 o'clock, P.M. on the same date. Bids shall be irrevocable for 30 days following such meeting, and no Bid offering a price less than the minimum acceptable price as established by the MARTIN MUNICIPAL HOUSING COMMISSION AND THE HOUSING AND HOME FINANCE AGENCY will be accepted. The minimum established prices on the above parcels are publicly posted in the office of the Executive Director, Ray R. Allen, Martin, Kentucky.

In considering the Bids submitted the Local Public Agency will not be governed by price alone, but must consider also the Bidder's plans for improving the property, and his financial and legal ability to carry them out. No Bid will be accepted unless deemed by the Local Public Agency to be in the Public interest.

The MARTIN MUNICIPAL HOUSING COMMISSION reserves the right to reject any and all Bids and to waive any and all irregularities that might appear in any Bid.

Further information regarding the property and obligations required of a purchaser thereof may be obtained at the Urban Renewal Office, From March 11, 1964, to April 11, 1964.

This 4 day of March, 1964.
MARTIN MUNICIPAL HOUSING COMMISSION
By Leticia Vanucci
Chairman

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COUNCIL CELEBRATES ANNIVERSARY

Pearl Harbor Council No. 120, Daughters of America, celebrated its 22nd anniversary Tuesday night, March 10, at the Wheelwright Community Hall. After the regular meeting, a covered dish dinner was served, gifts were exchanged and an entertaining program was presented by Lois Short and Billie Ann Johnson. The following members were present: Martha Sullivan, Mary Ellen Wilson, Lula Wallen, Inez Owens, Alleen Wallen, Billie Ann Johnson, Claudine Davis, Elizabeth Wilson, Ernestine Stanley, Violet Ferguson, Lora McKnight, Grethel Mullins, Ruth Faine, Edna Martin, Ruth Risner, Willa Dean Cook, Lavon Bailey, Sylvia Rife, Lois Short, Jessie Yates, Ann Dobbs, June Hall, and Hazel Crisp.

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Mrs. Zella Hamilton, Floyd Native, Victim At St. Albans, W. Va.

Mrs. Zella Hamilton, St. Albans, West Virginia, died March 9, at Charleston, West Virginia. She was the widow of John W. Hamilton and formerly resided at Betsy Layne. Her age was unavailable.

Mrs. Hamilton was the daughter of the late Edmond Bays and Mrs. Amanda Bays, who survives. Surviving sons and daughters are Joe Hamilton and Woodrow Hamilton, both of St. Albans, John Hamilton, Jr., and Fred Hamilton, both of Cleveland, O. Mrs. Nora Spradlin, Okeechobee, Florida, Mrs. Roberta Hall, St. Albans, and Mrs. Betty Bossi, Cleveland. Two brothers and three sisters surviving are Arthur Bays, of Lackey, John P. Bays, Sardinia, Ohio, Mrs. Sylvia Loew, of Cliff, Mrs. Dorothy Colegroce, Waverly, Ohio, Mrs. Lavina Kidd, Grundy, Virginia.

Funeral services were conducted Thursday of last week at the Assembly of God Church and burial was made at St. Albans.

James Franklin Jarrell, Age 70, of Emma, Dies; Burial On Cow Creek

James Franklin Jarrell, 70, of Emma, died Friday at the Beaver Valley hospital, following a brief illness. A son of Morgan and Vick Hager Jarrell, he was never married.

Surviving brothers and a sister are John Jarrell, Lexington, Bill Jarrell, address unavailable, and Mrs. James Cress, in Ohio.

Funeral services were conducted Sunday at 11 a.m. at the graveside on Cow Creek, the Rev. William Amburgey officiating. Burial was made in the Jarrell cemetery under the direction of Carter & Callahan Funeral Home.

NATIONAL FOLK FESTIVAL SCHEDULED AT COVINGTON

Covington, Ky., March 16 (Spl.)—More than 1,000 folk artists will gather in Covington, May 22 through 24, for the 27th annual National Folk Festival. It will be held for the second consecutive year at the Devou Park Amphitheatre.

Robert Kays, manager of the Covington-Kenton-Boone Chamber of Commerce said that arrangements for the return engagement were made by the chamber and Miss Sarah Gertrude Knott, director of the festival.

From her headquarters in Washington, D. C., Miss Knott, a native Kentuckian, said, "I am very happy that the festival will be coming to Kentucky again this year, since 1963 was the first year it was held in my native state and we expect an even more enthusiastic reception for the 27th annual festival."

Miss Knott, who is also a co-founder of the festival, has established the festival office in Covington. Half a dozen other cities were competing for the festival this year, she said.

Kentucky has one of the richest treasures of Anglo-Saxon folklore and talent, Miss Knott added.

Last year's performers — folk instrumentalists, singers, dancers and storytellers — numbered several Kentuckians including John Jacob Niles of Lexington; Miss Jean Ritchie of Viper; dancers from the Hindman Settlement School and other groups.

Charles Haywood, 82, Of Banner, Is Victim

Charles Haywood, 82, Banner, died Thursday last week at the Beaver Valley hospital, Martin, following an illness of two years. A veteran employee of the Kentucky West Virginia Gas Company, he was an engineer at the Dwale compressor plant.

Mr. Haywood was a son of the late Lewis and Cora Slone Haywood. His wife, Rosa Whittaker, survives.

Surviving sons and daughters are Charles Haywood, Sunland, Calif., Henry G. Haywood, Pasadena, Texas, Mrs. Mary Richardson, Silver Lake, Ind., Mrs. Barbara Shoemaker, Mrs. Brenda Ritter and Miss Emma Lois Haywood, all of South Bend, Ind., Miss Mae Haywood, Detroit, Mich., Mrs. Betty Crum, North Manchester, Ind., Judy, Norma and Rita Haywood, all at home. Surviving brothers and sisters are Kelly Haywood, Ypsilanti, Mich., Bob Haywood and Elbert Prater, both of Blue River, Johnnie Prater, of Lancer, Carl Prater and Mrs. Cynthia Hale, both of Albion, Mich., Mrs. Mary Shepherd, of Martin, Mrs. Zella Howard, Silver Lake, Ind., Miss Sally Prater, North Manchester, Indiana.

Funeral rites were conducted Sunday at 1 p.m. from the Betsy Layne Free Will Baptist Church, the Rev. Carl Senters and Isaac Stratton officiating. Burial was made in the Davidson Memorial Gardens at Ivel under the direction of Hall Brothers Funeral Home.

A loosely woven onion sack filled with ground mossbunker (menhaden) and weighted with a brick will make a good chum for salt-water fishing. — Sports Afield.

Wells Establishes Sportswear Firm At Paintsville

Frankfort, Ky., March 16 (Spl.)—A new sportswear firm to be known as Paintsville Manufacturing Company has been established in Paintsville by J. B. Wells, Jr., former state rural highway commissioner.

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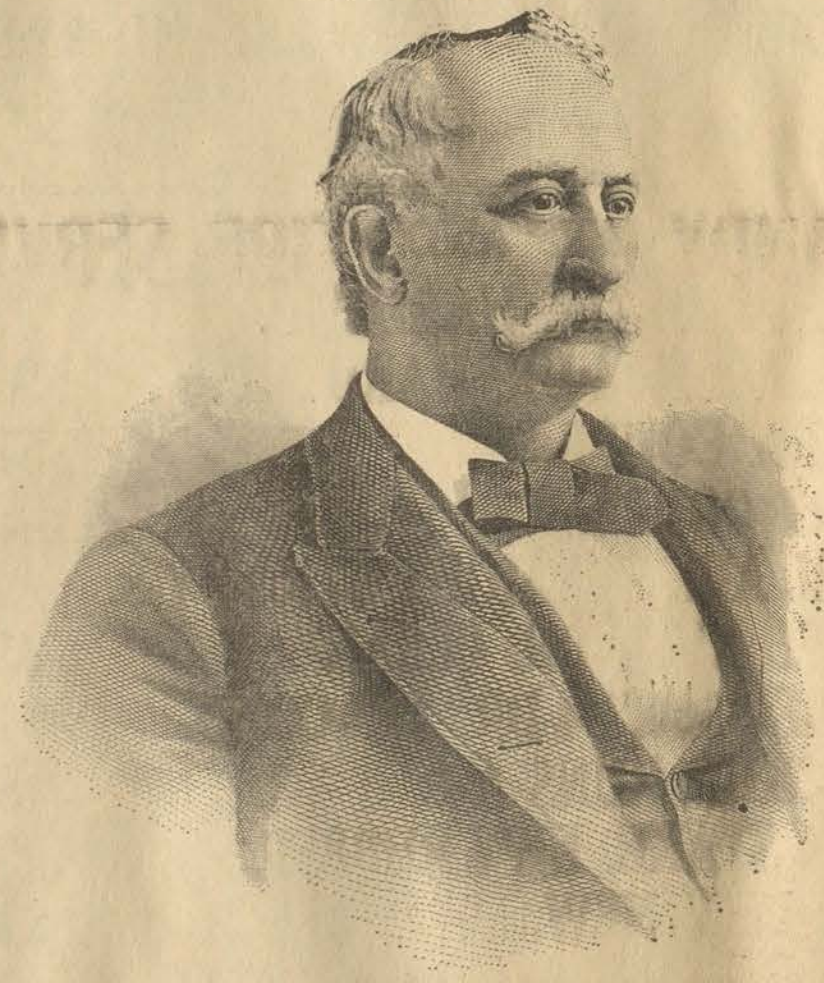
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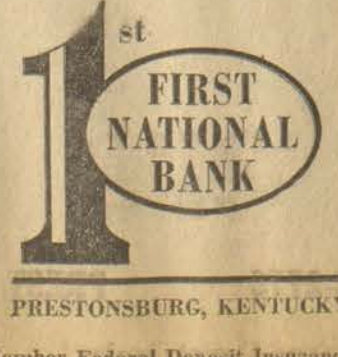


Congressman John W. Kendall (1834-1892)

John W. Kendall was born June 26, 1834, in a section of Morgan county, now Elliott county, Ky., and was educated in the country schools and at Owingsville Academy. He studied law under W. H. Burns, at West Liberty, was elected Morgan County Attorney for two terms and Commonwealth's Attorney, also for two terms. His wife was Martha Davidson, of Prestonsburg. Mrs. Steve Pieratt, 91, of Mt. Sterling, is an only surviving daughter. Mrs. N. M. White, Jr., Prestonsburg, is a granddaughter.

Kendall served as lieutenant and adjutant in the Tenth Kentucky Cavalry, C. S. A., fought at the Battle of Ivy Mountain and was with John Hunt Morgan at the defeat at Cynthiana. He resumed law practice at West Liberty following the Civil War and was elected to the Kentucky House of Representatives for two terms. Elected to Congress for this district in 1891, he died at Washington, D. C., March 6, 1891, three months after assuming office. A delegation of prominent Congressmen and U. S. Senators attended the funeral at West Liberty. His son, Joseph Kendall, succeeded him as Congressman.

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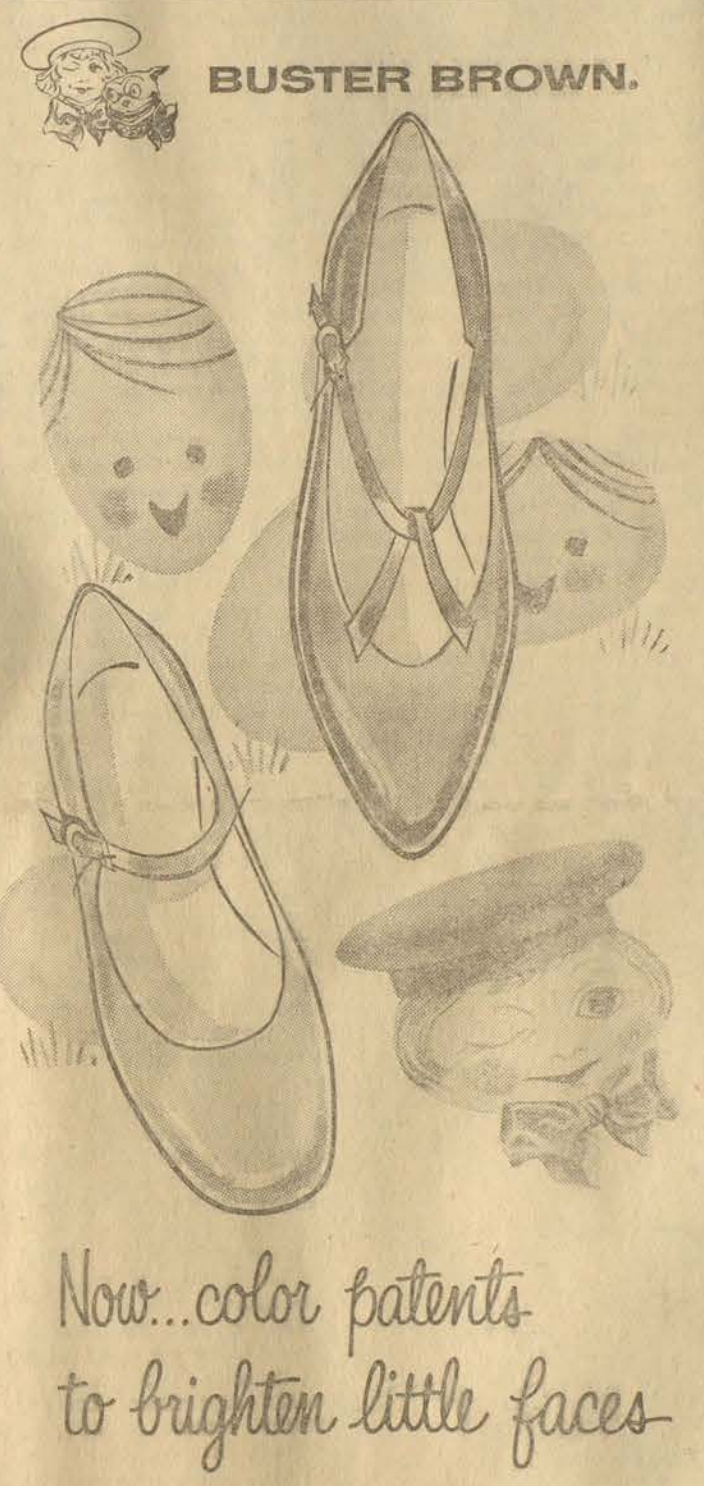
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HIGHWAY IMPROVEMENTS NON-POLITICAL, NOTED

Frankfort, Ky.—Republicans in the General Assembly who attempt to make Governor Breathitt's request for a highway bond issue a "partisan issue" should remember that highway improvement is not a political matter, according to Highway Commissioner Henry Ward.

"For example, our neighboring state of Ohio, under Republican Governor James Rhodes and a Republican Legislature, is asking that state's citizens to approve a \$500 million bond issue," Ward said.

"And the request is being made even though Ohio has issued almost \$800 million worth of highway construction bonds since 1952," Commissioner Ward said.

"Highways are not built to serve one political party, but to serve the needs of all the state," according to Ward, "and Kentucky must have the funds it has asked for if it is to continue to move ahead with its highway program and to meet the competition from other states."

"The Commissioner pointed out that only two states have not incurred debt for highways during the past 70 years and that an average of 22 states each year since 1950 have issued bonds to build highways.

"Certainly this should indicate that highway building across the nation is not a political endeavor, so why should it be one in Kentucky?" Ward said.

He explained that Kentucky is one of 17 states which must submit a general obligation bond issue to the voters.

"This is good," Ward said, "because the citizens actually have the last say as to whether to incur the indebtedness—but the voters should be aware of the facts leading to the referendum and base their decision on the economic facts, not political partisanship."

Ward listed these basic factors which he said make it necessary to borrow money at this time:

Kentucky annually gets \$72 million of federal tax funds to aid in the construction of Interstate and other federal-aid highways. The state needs \$22 million each year to match these federal funds, otherwise Kentucky cannot receive them. By July 1, 1966, there will be no money from previously voted bond issues to match federal-aid funds now received or to match additional federal funds which are expected for Eastern Kentucky.

"It is for this reason that it is essential that a bond issue authorizing \$139 million for road purposes be submitted to the voters. This would give the Department of Highways sufficient funds for the regular federal-aid

program and the present Interstate system through 1970, and supply additional funds for a special program for the Appalachian area," Ward said.

"Economic forecasts indicate a growing period of prosperity in Kentucky. As prosperity increases and the economy expands, revenue to the road fund increases. We are optimistic that this increased revenue will keep pace with increased maintenance costs and provide sufficient funds for amortizing the bonds. But, in order to assure this increased revenue we must continue to completion the work which we have started and we can only do this with money to match the federal funds.

"Kentucky does not have a choice at the present time. We must build a fine system of highways to serve every section of the state and to improve our state's economic competition with other states. Other states are voting bond issues to meet their needs because it is a sound, business-like method of borrowing for expansion. Nearly every large industry in the nation has used this same method to meet expansion needs.

"Once the major system of highways in our state is finished it will not be necessary to continue issuing bonds because the annual revenue will be sufficient for maintenance and normal construction. During the present situation, however, the Department of Highways must have the financial support which would be provided by approval of the bond issue."

Flood-Covered Foods Contaminated, Warning; Precautions Are Urged

"If any of your food supplies were covered by flood waters, they must be considered contaminated from a health standpoint," said Shelby Johnson, director of the Food and Drug program, State Department of Health, Frankfort.

Johnson cautioned families returning to flood-damaged homes to destroy all contaminated food supplies in bags, cardboard containers, containers open to flood water, and containers where flood residue could remain under the lid or spout.

Bottles of soft drinks with crown caps and corked bottles or screw-top jars containing foods or drinks should be discarded to avoid possible food contamination, Johnson said.

"Products in three types of airtight containers may be salvaged by removing the labels and washing the containers in warm soapy water, then immersing them in a disinfecting solution, rinsing in clear water, and drying them," Johnson said.

He recommended as a good disinfecting solution a mixture of one tablespoon of commercial chlorine solution in one gallon of water.

Johnson listed the three types of airtight containers as (1) the hermetically sealed tin can in which most canned foods are packed, (2) the type of can with a removable key that permits cleaning underneath the key, and (3) the metal can with a turnable spout.

Johnson said the contents of cans with turnable spouts should not be salvaged for food without careful supervision. These cans usually contain cooking oil or syrup in large quantities.

CARD OF THANKS

We gratefully acknowledge every expression of sympathy upon the passing of our loved one, Mrs. Douglas Hopson May. We would especially thank those who sent floral offerings, provided food and rendered many other kind and helpful services. We are very thankful to the choir and to the ministers, the Revs. Orrin M. Simmerman, Jr., Paul Stoneking and Orrin M. Simmerman, Sr., for their comforting words and thoughts of comfort. Also, we are grateful to the Carter & Callihan Funeral Home for its efficient service.

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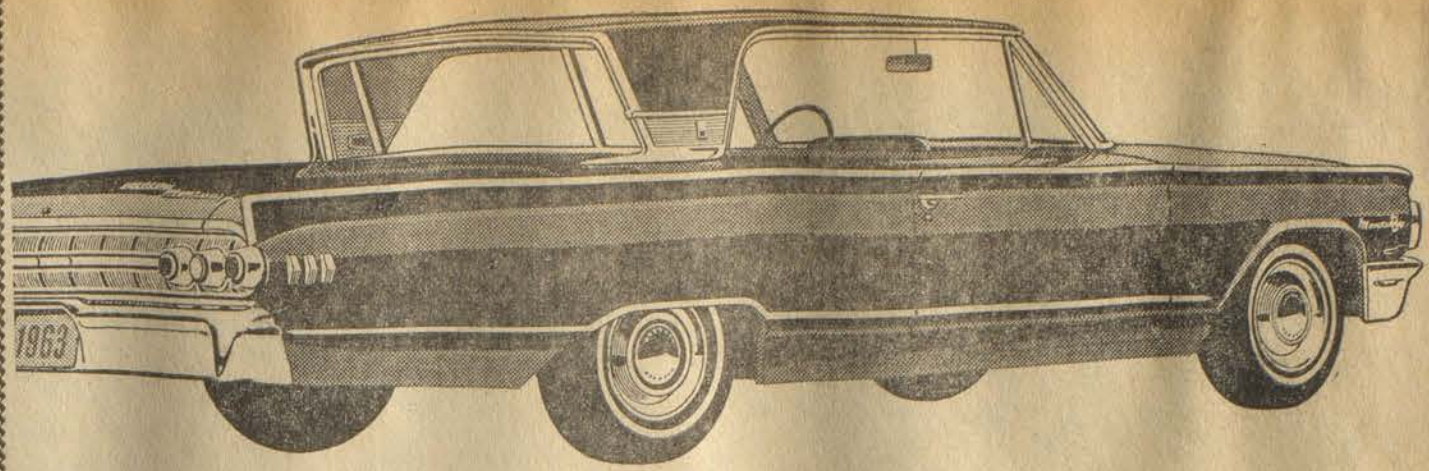
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